



Diamond Ridge High School

Raptor Report

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The mission of Diamond Ridge High School is to provide a safe, stigma-free environment, supporting the individual academic needs of students.

2021
CANYONS
APEX AWARDS



From its founding days, the CSD community as a whole has invested in its schools with passion, creativity, and a mindset that anything is possible. The winners of the 2021 Apex Awards are among those who have gone above and beyond in our collective quest to rise above, strive to make a difference, and lift the children of Canyons as they reach for their dreams through education. Each year since 2010, the Board of Education and Administration have recognized stellar employees, volunteers, and business partners with Apex Awards, the highest awards presented by the District. The Canyons Board of Education and Superintendent, who select the winners, express deep gratitude to this year's honorees for their excellence, commitment and leadership.

Congratulations Amy!



2021
STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES
PROFESSIONAL *of*
THE YEAR
Amy Boettger

Amy Boettger arrives at work every day with the intention of living by the inspirational words she has printed, framed, and placed on her desk: **Be the change you want to see in the world.**

Boettger, the principal of Diamond Ridge and Entrada high schools, has been the driving force behind Canyons District's initiatives to provide a pathway to graduation for the students who, for whatever reason, are taking the road less traveled in their educational journeys. Thanks largely to Boettger's let's-help-you-help-yourself approach, Canyons' alternative and adult high schools have become a literal and metaphorical lifesaver for students who found themselves struggling and sinking in traditional school environments.

As students arrive on campus to attend classes, Boettger carefully evaluates what and how many support services need to be arranged. If a student is experiencing food insecurity, she opens up the campus food pantry. If a student is having a hard time regulating emotions, she alerts the mental health specialists who have been assigned to the school. And if a student is missing credits, academic counselors are brought in to brainstorm solutions. There isn't a student support service provided in Canyons that Boettger doesn't utilize to remove barriers to graduation for her students, many of whom arrive at campus demoralized and ready to drop out. But under her watch, it does not take too long for a significant number of her charges to find purpose in their studies, a place to belong, and a reason to dream for more than they ever thought possible.

Her efforts have been so successful that graduation rates at Diamond Ridge have ticked up to more than 80 percent—an increase of nearly 20 percent in just a few years. It's for these impressive reasons, the Canyons Board of Education and Administration are pleased to present the 2021 Apex Award for Student Support Services Professional of the Year to Amy Boettger.

Digital Citizenship

TALK TO YOUR PARENTS OR GUARDIANS

about what you're doing online. They're not as bad as you think.



IGNORE. BLOCK. TELL.

Ignore mean or threatening messages, block the sender, and tell a trusted adult who can help you report them.



SPEAK UP

if your friends are cyberbullying someone.

RECOGNIZE THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN CUTE AND CREEPY.

An older guy who wants to date someone much younger is just creepy.



ONLINE SAFETY



DON'T BE MEAN.

Gossiping doesn't make you cool.

PROTECT YOUR SPACE.

Use privacy settings and don't accept just anyone as a friend.



DON'T JUST SIT THERE — REPORT

anyone who asks to meet you in person to the police and www.cybertipline.com.

AVOID TMI.

Don't post anything too personal or embarrassing.

DON'T BE THAT KID

who gets suspended for posting something stupid online.

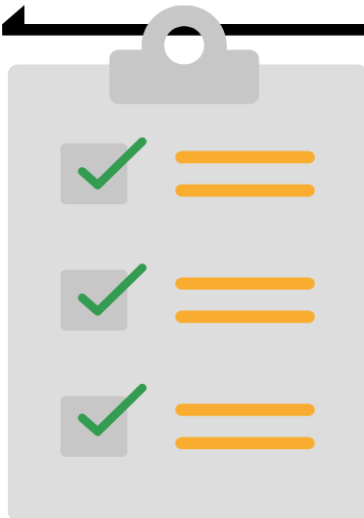
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DIAMOND RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL
COUNSELING PROGRAM

OCTOBER 2021

FRIDAY FIELD TRIPS

The DRHS Counseling Team is excited to be sponsoring once-a-month field trips to support college and career readiness. This month we took a trip to Spy Hop in Salt Lake City where students learned about opportunities in digital media and production. On November 5th we will be going to Utah Valley University in Orem. We will be greeted by an ambassador from UVU who will take us on a tour of campus. UVU is an open-enrollment school that offers 208 degree options. The average class size is 23 students, and 38% of the total enrollment are 1st generation college students. Sign up with your counselor!



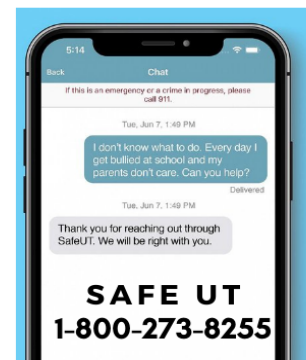
DRHS PORTFOLIOS

Starting this year, every student graduating from Diamond Ridge will have completed a portfolio that showcases their progress and accomplishments during high school. Students planning to look for a job or to apply to college after high school will have the information and documents necessary to complete these processes. Please see your counselor for portfolio requirements and deadlines.

61%

of Diamond Ridge students filled out a college application during Utah College Application Week!

Suzy Santos - School Counselor
Naomy Sanchez - School Counselor
Ingrid Pinto - School Counseling Intern
Sifa Tafisi - School Social Worker
McKenzie Hall - School Psychologist
Lacey Le Prey - Student Advocate
Suzanne Hales - Registrar



FAFSA NIGHT, OCTOBER 20, 6-8PM

We will be hosting our annual FAFSA Night here at Diamond Ridge for Seniors and their parents on October 20th from 6-8pm. It will take about 30 minutes to complete the applications, so please arrive no later than 7:30. Seniors were given a list of needed documents to bring. Please contact your counselor if you have any questions.

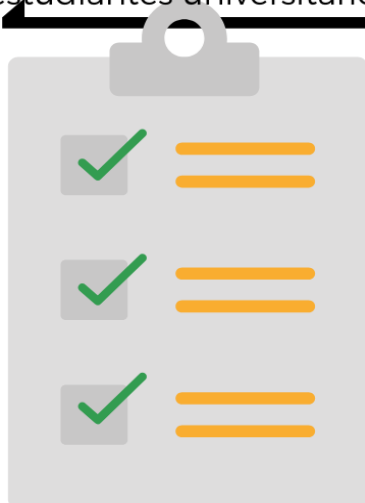
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DIAMOND RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL
PROGRAMA DE CONSEJERÍA

OCTUBRE 2021

VIAJES DE CAMPO VIERNES

El Grupo de Consejería de DRHS están animado en patrocinar excursiones una vez al mes para apoyar la preparación universitaria y profesional. Este mes hicimos un viaje a Spy Hop en Salt Lake City, donde los estudiantes aprendieron sobre oportunidades en medios digitales y producción. El 5 de noviembre iremos a la Universidad Utah Valley (UVU) en Orem. Nos recibirá un embajador de la UVU que nos llevará a recorrer el campus. UVU es una escuela de inscripción abierta que ofrece 208 opciones de títulos. El tamaño promedio de las clases es de 23 estudiantes y el 38% de la matrícula total son estudiantes universitarios de primera generación. ¡Regístrese con su consejero!



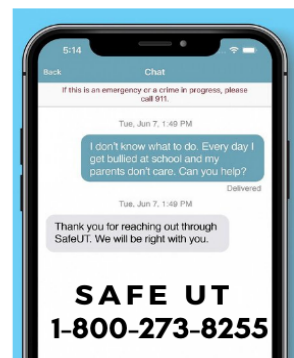
PORTAFOLIOS DRHS

A partir de este año, todos los estudiantes que se gradúen de Diamond Ridge habrán completado un portafolio que muestre su progreso y logros durante la escuela secundaria. Los estudiantes que planean buscar trabajo o postularse a la universidad después de la escuela secundaria tendrán la información y los documentos necesarios para completar estos procesos. Consulte a su consejero para conocer los requisitos y las fechas límite de la cartera.

61%

de los estudiantes de Diamond Ridge llenaron una solicitud universitaria durante la Semana de Solicitud Universitaria de Utah.

Suzy Santos - Consejera Escolar
Naomy Sanchez - Consejera Escolar
Ingrid Pinto - Pasante de Consejería Escolar
Sifa Tafisi - Trabajador Social Escolar
McKenzie Hall - Psicóloga Escolar
Lacey Le Prey - Defensor del Estudiante
Suzanne Hales - Registradora



NOCHE DE FAFSA, 20 DE OCTUBRE, DE 6 A 8PM

Celebraremos nuestra Noche FAFSA anual aquí en Diamond Ridge para personas mayores y sus padres el 20 de octubre de 6 a 8 pm. Tardará unos 30 minutos en completar las solicitudes, por lo que debe llegar a más tardar a las 7:30. A las personas mayores se les dio una lista de los documentos necesarios para traer. Comuníquese con su consejero si tiene alguna pregunta.

Extra! Extra! Read All About ... **Naomy Sanchez!**



My name is Naomy Sanchez. I am originally from South Texas. I recently moved to Utah and was presented with the opportunity to work at Diamond Ridge High School.







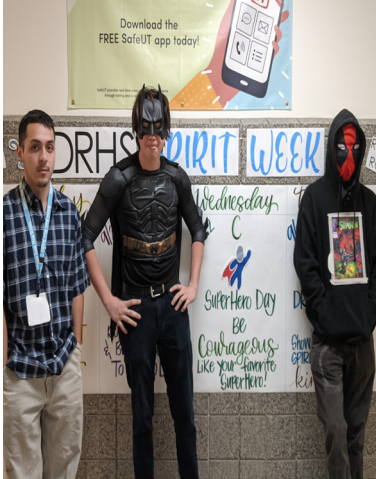

I graduated from The University of Texas Pan American in 2015 with a Bachelor's of Science in Communication Disorders. I worked as a Speech Language Pathologist Assistant while pursuing my alternative certification to become a teacher. In 2016 I began my career as a fourth-grade teacher in Edinburg, Texas while still providing Speech Therapy after school hours.

In December 2016 I decided to begin my journey of pursuing a Master's Degree in School Counseling. I graduated from The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley in December 2019. I am blessed to say that this is my second year as a School Counselor. I am currently a Licensed Professional Counselor Associate in the state of Texas and will be able to upgrade to a fully Licensed Professional Counselor in March 2022.

Lastly, I am in the process of obtaining my Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA) certification and hope to be able to apply my skills in the near future. All in all, I have been a part of the education system for the last six years and have enjoyed every second of it. Some of my recently acquired hobbies are going to the gym and exploring all the beautiful scenery that Utah has to offer.

DRHS -SPIRIT WEEK- Raptors ROCK!

Thank you for participating!

<p>MONDAY 9/20/21</p> <p>R</p>  <p>SUNGLASSES DAY!</p>	<p>TUESDAY 9/21/21</p> <p>O</p>  <p>PJ'S DAY!</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY 9/22/21</p> <p>C</p>  <p>SUPERHERO DAY!</p>	<p>THURSDAY 9/23/21</p> <p>K</p>  <p>DRHS GEAR DAY!</p>
			

Jayden Jensen

Chase Rollins &
Jeremiah Wafford

Gabriel Gutierrez,
Wesley Groff &
Henry MacArthur

Taylor Gammell,
Asher Johnson,
Edwin Berber,
Mialyn Cameron &
Presley Andrews

FAMILY RESOURCES

Food

- **FeedUtah.org**, Current food pantry options available in our community.
- **School Mobile Food Pantry** at your Title I Elementary Schools, provided monthly.
- **UCA Copperview Food & Resource Center**, 8446 S Harrison Cir, Midvale, 801-255-3516, <https://www.utahca.org/food-resource-centers/>.

Mental Health and Counseling

- **Canyons Family Center**, 9351 S Mountaineer Lane, Sandy, 801-826-8190, www.canyonsdistrict.org/depts/responsive-services/canyons-family-center/. Free individual and family-based counseling, student support groups and parent education classes.
- **Family Support Center**, 801-955-9110, www.familysupportcenter.org. Counseling, classes, emergency childcare, and transitional housing services.
- **Hopeful Beginnings**, 801-979-1351, www.hopefulbeginnings.net. School-based therapy and other mental health supports.
- **Multicultural Counseling Center**, 801-915-0359, www.mccounseling.com/. Counseling services and immigration supports.

Crisis Support

- **SAFE UT** 833-372-3388, safeut.com or download the app. Crisis Chat and Tip Line for students.
- **Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Hotline** 800-467-7273
- **Mobile Crisis Outreach Team (MCOT)** 801-587-3000
- **National Suicide Prevention Lifeline** 800-273-8255

Utah 211

Contact **Utah 211** via phone, online chat, text, or on the app for resources 24 hours per day in over 200 languages.

Health

- **Canyons School District Medicaid Outreach Services**, 801-826-7272. Assistance accessing CHIP, Medicaid, SSI, Health Insurance Marketplace.
- **Community Building Community Clinic**, 49 W Center St, Midvale 801-574-6172, www.midvalecommunityclinic.com/. Medical and dental services.
- **Hope Clinic**, 65 Twin Peaks St, Midvale, 801-568-6700, www.utahhopeclinic.org.
- **Maliheh Free Clinic**, 94 E 3300 S, Millcreek, 801-266-3700, malihehfreeclinic.org/.
- **Mid-Valley Health Clinic/ Utah Partners for Health**, 801-417-0131, www.upfh.org. Medical, mental health, dental, vision services.

Housing Supports

- **Utah Community Action Program**, 801-359-2444, www.utahca.org. Case management for housing, utility assistance, weatherization services.
- **The Road Home**, 529 9th Ave, Midvale, 801-569-1201, www.theroadhome.org. Emergency shelter, supportive services, housing assistance.

Other Community Resources

- **Boys & Girls Club**, 7631 Chapel St, Midvale, 801-256-9008, www.gslclubs.org/find_a_club/midvale-club.html. After-school childcare.
- **Holy Cross Ministries**, 801-261-3440, www.hcmutah.org/. Education, counseling, immigration assistance, healthcare outreach and case management.
- **InternetEssentials.com**, or call 855-846-8376. Low-cost internet.
- **Jewish Family Services**, 495 East 4500 South, Ste 100, Salt Lake City, 801-746-4334, www.jfsutah.org/. Counseling, emergency assistance, thrift store vouchers, food pantry, senior supports, more.
- **Ruth Vine Tyler Library**, 8041 S Wood St, 801-944-4636, www.slcolibrary.org/. Free library card, Kids' Cafe 3:30-4:30, Brainfuse online tutoring.

Please note: This list is only a small portion of the resources available in our community, and is in no way an endorsement by CSD of services, activities, or products.

RECURSOS FAMILIARES

Comida

- **FeedUtah.org**, Información sobre los lugares disponibles que ofrecen alimentos en nuestra comunidad.
- **Despensa de Alimentos Móvil** en las escuelas primarias de Título 1, proveído mensualmente.
- **UCA Centro de Comida y Recursos Copperview**, 8446 S Harrison Cir, Midvale, 801-255-3516, <https://www.utahca.org/food-resource-centers/>.

Asesoramiento y Salud Mental

- **Centro Familiar Canyons**, 9351 S Mountaineer Lane, Sandy, 801-826-8190, www.canyonsdistrict.org/depts/responsive-services/canyons-family-center/. Asesoramiento gratuito individual y familiar, grupos de apoyo estudiantil y clases de educación para padres.
- **Centro de Apoyo Familiar**, 801-955-9110, www.familysupportcenter.org. Servicios de consejería, clases educativas, cuidado infantil de emergencia y servicios de vivienda de transición.
- **Hopeful Beginnings**, 801-979-1351, www.hopefulbeginnings.net. Terapia en la escuela, así como una variedad de otros apoyos para la salud mental.
- **Multicultural Counseling Center**, 801-915-0359, www.mccounseling.com/. Servicios de asesoramiento y apoyo de inmigración.

Apoyo en Caso de Crisis

- **SAFE UT** 833-372-3388, safeut.com or descargue la aplicación. Crisis Chat o Tip Line para estudiantes.
- **Línea directa de violencia doméstica y agresión sexual** 800-467-7273
- **Equipo Móvil de Alcance en Crisis (MCOT)** 801-587-3000
- **Línea Nacional de Prevención del Suicidio** 800-273-8255

Utah 211

Comuníquese con **Utah 211** por teléfono, chat en línea, mensaje de texto o en la aplicación para obtener recursos las 24 horas del día en más de 200 idiomas.

Salud

- **Canyons School District Medicaid Outreach Services**, 801-826-7272. Asistencia para acceder a CHIP, Medicaid, SSI, Mercado de seguros médicos.
- **Community Building Community Clinic**, 49 W Center St, Midvale 801-574-6172, www.midvalecommunityclinic.com/. Servicios médicos y dentales.
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- **Maliheh Free Clinic**, 94 E 3300 S, Millcreek, 801-266-3700, malihehfreeclinic.org/.
- **Mid-Valley Health Clinic/ Utah Partners for Health**, 801-417-0131, www.upfh.org. Servicios de salud, salud mental, dentales y de la vista.

Apoyos de vivienda

- **Utah Community Action Program (Programa de Acción Comunitaria de Utah)**, 801-359-2444, www.utahca.org. Administración de casos para vivienda, asistencia con servicios públicos y servicios de climatización.
- **The Road Home**, 529 9th Ave, Midvale, 801-569-1201, www.theroadhome.org. Refugio de emergencia, servicios de apoyo y asistencia para la vivienda.

Otros Recursos Comunitarios

- **Boys & Girls Club (Club de Niños y Niñas)**, 7631 Chapel St, Midvale, 801-256-9008, www.gsclubs.org/find_a_club/midvale-club.html.
- **Holy Cross Ministries (Ministerios de la Santa Cruz)**, 801-261-3440, www.hcmutah.org/. Proporciona educación asesoramiento, asistencia de inmigración, alcance de atención médica y administración de casos.
- **InternetEssentials.com**, o llame al 855-846-8376. Internet de bajo costo.
- **Jewish Family Services (Servicios para Familias Judías)**, 495 East 4500 South, Ste 100, Salt Lake City, 801-746-4334, www.jfsutah.org/. Asesoramiento, asistencia de emergencia, vales para tiendas de segunda mano, despensa de alimentos, apoyo para personas mayores y más.
- **Ruth Vine Tyler Library (Biblioteca Ruth Vine Tyler)**, 8041 S Wood St, 801-944-4636, www.slcolibrary.org/. Tarjeta de biblioteca gratuita, Kids' Cafe 3:30-4:30pm, tutoría en línea Brainfuse.

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