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WARRIORS TIP-OFF BACK TO SCHOOL IN THE BAY CAMPAIGN FOR 2016-17 SCHOOL YEAR
Team Seeks To Impact Over 10,000 Deserving Youth Through Events And Outreach Across The Bay Area

OAKLAND, Calif. – The Golden State Warriors will host several events at local schools and playgrounds across the Bay Area during the month of September as part of the team's *Back to School in the Bay* campaign, the team announced today. With the campaign tip-off on July 28 and running through the end of September, the Warriors aim to impact over 10,000 Bay Area youth and provide 2,000 backpacks and school supplies to schools throughout the Bay Area.

Warriors players Shaun Livingston, James Michael McAdoo and Patrick McCaw, along with members of the Warriors coaching staff, will join members of the team's game operations staff, partners and media personalities to participate in events.

Earlier this summer, as part of the team's *Read To Achieve* literacy program presented by Ross Stores, the Warriors partnered with the Oakland Public Library's Summer Reading Program on July 28 and the San Francisco Public Library's Summer Stride program on August 3 to host Reading Time-Out events for local students. Warriors forward Kevon Looney and Community Ambassador Adonal Foyle joined the youth to celebrate their summer reading achievements and to encourage them to continue pursuing learning opportunities during their summer vacations. For broll of both events, please [click here](#) and [here](#).

The Warriors Community Foundation, the philanthropic arm of the Warriors, is also committed to supporting educational equity for underserved Bay Area youth. Since its inception in 2012, the Foundation has awarded nearly \$4 million in grants to local school districts and non-profits serving at-risk and vulnerable students.

Below is a look at upcoming Back to School in the Bay events in September:

Monday, September 19

GET FIT TIME OUT, PRESENTED BY KAISER PERMANENTE – 1:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M. at McCollam Elementary School (3311 Lucian Avenue, San Jose)

Featuring – Warriors Guard Patrick McCaw

The Warriors, in partnership with Kaiser Permanente and Playworks, will provide health and fitness tips as well as words of encouragement for over 320 students at McCollam Elementary to utilize during the new school year. Warriors guard Patrick McCaw will join the students to participate in various instructional activities around exercise, recess and nutrition.

Tuesday, September 20

LOCAL WARRIORS VOLUNTEER EVENT PRESENTED BY PG&E – 1:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M. at Sacred Heart Community Service (1381 South 1st Street, San Jose)

Featuring – Warriors Guard Shaun Livingston

Warriors guard Shaun Livingston will join Warriors Season Ticket Holders, front office staff and PG&E employees for a Local Warriors event to make 5,000 meal bags for social services organization Sacred Heart and other local organizations providing critical food service programs. Livingston will also help load a fleet of trucks that will deliver the food to six

elementary and middle schools in the Alum Rock Union Elementary School District including Lyndale Elementary School (13901 Nordyke Drive) to provide the meals and good wishes for the students.

Wednesday, September 21

READ TO ACHIEVE BACK-TO-SCHOOL RALLY PRESENTED BY ROSS STORES – 1:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M. at Robert F. Kennedy Elementary School (1602 Lucretia Avenue, San Jose)

Featuring – Warriors Forward James Michael McAdoo

The Warriors, in partnership with Ross Stores and Reading Partners, will host an assembly-style Reading Rally for 500 students at Robert F. Kennedy Elementary School in San Jose. Warriors Forward James Michael McAdoo will speak to the students about the importance of education, applying themselves academically and striving for perfect attendance throughout the school year. The students will then participate in an interactive reading with McAdoo and Warriors Hype Man Franco Finn for Warriors prizes.

Media wishing to cover any of these events should contact Warriors PR for more details.

For more information on the Golden State Warriors, visit warriors.com.