



Community briefing

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CHARTER SUCCESS — Community Day Charter Public School was one of five schools nationally to win an academic achievement award from San Diego State University, the school announced this month. The university's National Center for Urban School Transformation gave the Lawrence charter school the "Excellence in Education Award" for making "learning exciting" and keeping good attendance. The kindergarten through eighth-grade charter school received a \$1,000 check and a banner with its name. The school has about 300 students.

— *Russell Contreras*