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**ON THE NORTH SIDE, PITTSBURGH BUREAU OF POLICE ZONE 1 OFFICERS STRENGTHENING  
COMMUNITY RELATIONSHIPS**

***AS PART OF ONGOING COMMUNITY OUTREACH EFFORTS, POLICE WILL TAKE 18 MANCHESTER ACADEMIC CHARTER SCHOOL STUDENTS TO SEE CARNEGIE SCIENCE CENTER'S MUMMIES EXHIBIT THIS SATURDAY***



**WHAT:** 18 students from Manchester Academic Charter School will join three Zone 1 officers to enjoy an afternoon of hands-on learning courtesy of Pittsburgh Bureau of Police Zone 1 this Sat., Feb. 8. Officers Sylvester Wright and Darrick Payton, and Sgt. Tiffany Kline-Costa will take a group to Carnegie Science Center for a tour of [Mummies of the World: The Exhibition](#), the largest exhibition of real mummies and related artifacts in Pittsburgh for a limited time.

"The Pittsburgh Police welcome the opportunity to partner with Manchester Academic Charter School and chaperone students at the Mummies exhibit thanks to the generosity of the Carnegie Science Center," said Sgt. Tiffany Kline-Costa. "Officers are grateful for the opportunity to spend time with the students while providing a learning experience. "

The Science Center is thrilled to host the officers and students for a fun-filled afternoon of learning and relationship-building, and *Mummies of the World* is a great venue for meaningful discussion and making connections. Featuring 40 real human and animal mummies and 85 related artifacts, *Mummies of the World* provides a window into the lives of ancient people from Europe, South America, and Ancient Egypt, offering unprecedented insights into past cultures and civilizations.

**WHEN: Sat., Feb. 8**

- **1 pm:** Carnegie Science Center Senior Director of Marketing and Community Relations Connie George will greet the officers and students in the Science Center's main lobby and escort them to the Scaife Exhibit Gallery in PPG SCIENCE PAVILION™.
- **1–2:30 pm:** Officers and students will explore *Mummies of the World*, which features dramatic displays of mummies and their personal stories, as well as state-of-the-art multimedia stations.

**WHERE:** Carnegie Science Center, One Allegheny Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15212

**WHO:** Pittsburgh Bureau of Police Zone 1 Officers Sylvester Wright and Darrick Payton will escort 18 students from Manchester Academic Charter School through *Mummies of the World*, an enthralling exhibition that explores the science and history of mummification all over the world. Sgt. Tiffany Kline-Costa will be available for interviews on behalf of the Pittsburgh Bureau of Police. Carnegie Science Center Senior Director of Marketing and Community Relations Connie George will be available for interviews on behalf of the Science Center.

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**About Carnegie Science Center**

Carnegie Science Center is dedicated to inspiring learning and curiosity by connecting science and technology with everyday life. By making science both relevant and fun, the Science Center's goal is to increase science literacy in the region and motivate young people to seek careers in science and technology. One of the four Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh, the Science Center is Pittsburgh's premier science exploration destination, reaching more than 700,000 people annually through its hands-on exhibits, camps, classes, and off-site education programs.

**Accessibility: Features for All**

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**About Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh**

Established in 1895 by Andrew Carnegie, Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh is a collection of four distinctive museums: Carnegie Museum of Art, Carnegie Museum of Natural History, Carnegie Science Center, and The Andy Warhol Museum. In 2016, the museums reached more than 1.4 million people through exhibitions, educational programs, outreach activities, and special events.

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