

## **Media advisory, UCSD students attempt to break world record for the heaviest burrito on March 6 in Muir Quad**

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### MEDIA ADVISORY

EVENT: UCSD students will attempt to break the world record for the heaviest burrito. The burrito will later be donated to the homeless.

DATE: March 6, 1992

TIME: 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. with burrito construction peaking at noon.

LOCATION: Muir Quad between Tioga Hall and Tenaya Hall on the UCSD campus. (See attached map)

REMARKS: In the grand tradition of other crazy events like the watermelon drop and the pumpkin drop, UCSD students will attempt to break the Guinness Book of World Records mark for the heaviest burrito, currently set at 700 lbs. Basic American Foods and Circle K have donated the material (a whole heck of a lot of tortillas, beans and guacamole) necessary to shatter the old record by approximately 100 lbs., which should raise the new record to an incredible 800 POUNDS! The burrito will be colorful and is expected to be the size of a Rose Parade float. It will be constructed by the Dining Services staff and student workers.

The event is being co-sponsored by the Muir College Resident Dean's office and UCSD Dining Services. A barbecue will follow, and the UCSD Pep Band will play inspirational music to cheer on the builders during the construction. The burrito itself will be donated to the "Love's Gift" organization, which will oversee its distribution to the homeless through various shelters in San Diego.

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