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TITAN TOWN - For the past five years, two sport rallies were spread out during second period and attended by different students

Universal Petition to End Dress Code Starts and Dies

By Sakinah Storks (2020), Campus Editor

TITANTOWN- Lately, there has been an outbreak of dissatisfaction with the general dress code of public schools. Students express the fact that they feel uncomfortable with adult staff correcting what they wear. Titan Town is no exception.

A petition, started by an unknown female student, is spreading around social media. The student states her mission is to end dress codes at every school, citing day over something as minor as showing a bra strap. She feels that students should have freedom and the right to judge their own attire.

School officials cite safety, modesty and education as reasons for a dress code. The GTHS handbook is no exception. "The purpose of the student dress and grooming regulations is to maintain a safe and orderly environment, to promote modesty, and to encourage students to dress appropriately and to come to school properly prepared for participation in the educational process," says the GTHS Student Handbook.

A male student (name withheld) commented on the online petition, saying that students are stopped selectively. He said some security guards at his school are unfair when they cite a female student showing a bit of her bra, and then shrug it off ever, seems to have died since.

Think Colorful: Muslim Attire on Campus Can be Diverse

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TITANTOWN. Have you ever seen someone walking around campus and wondered what they were wearing and why they were wearing it? Maybe they always cover their hair, or maybe they never wear shorts. Those people might be Muslims, followers of the Islamic faith.

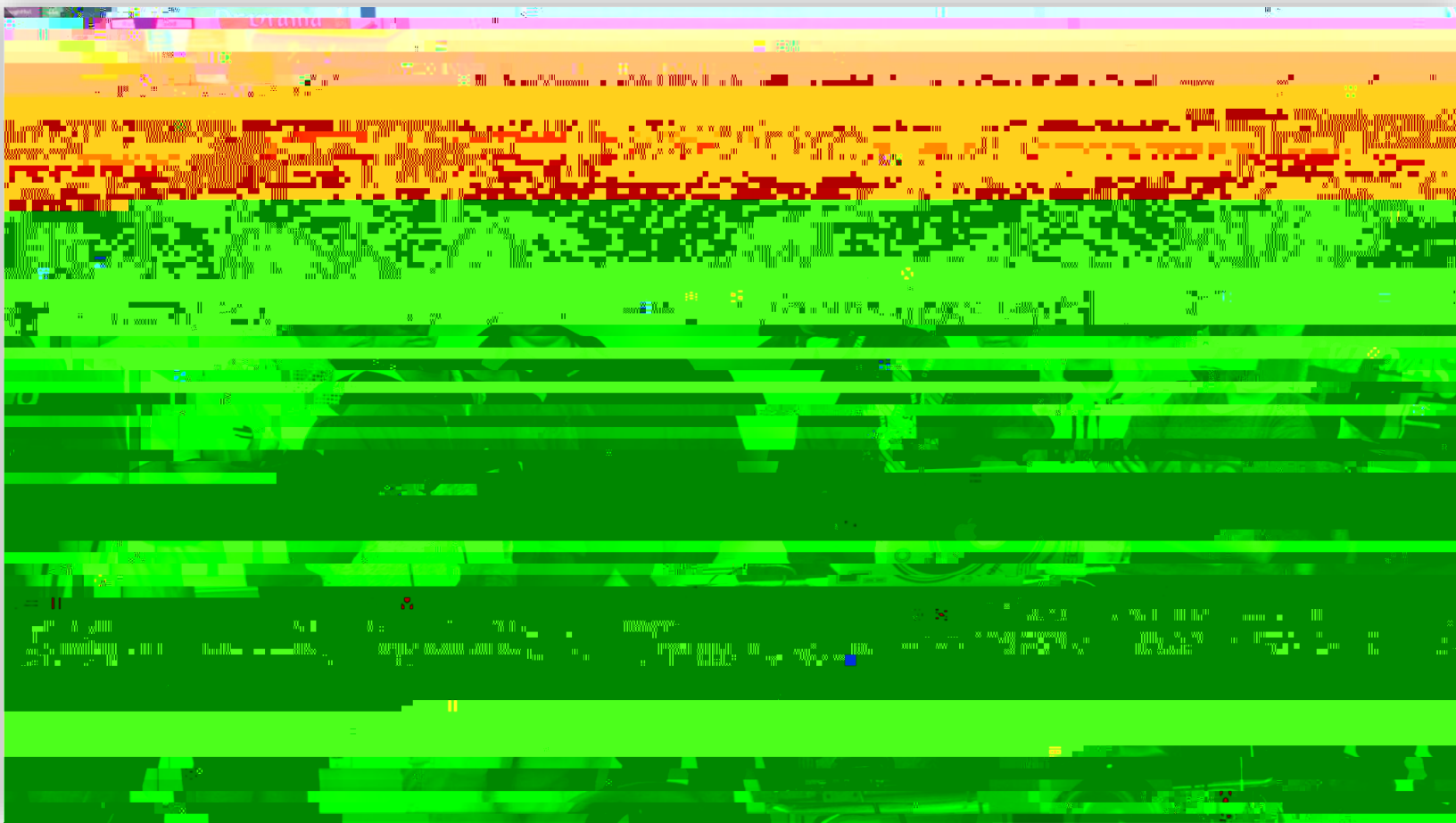
The personal dress code for some Muslims might differ from what others wear, but from shirts and shorts, to full coverage from head to toe - it all depends on the person.

A common misconception is that the more a Muslim covers, the more religious they are. The best thing to do if you have a question for someone who dresses in a way that you are not familiar with is to ask them about it, and get answers straight from the source.

Muslims, as well as the other cultures, have trends in fashion, say students who follow the weather ever affects her personal dress code, she explained that even in the heat, shorts are not a part of her personal dress code. Similarly, **Amal Kwefati** (2020) noted how sometimes her clothing does not match the hot California weather. Kwefati would and her hijabs.

creativity when it comes to choosing an outfit to wear. There have been many cases of Muslims customizing clothing or just dressing fancy while still following their personal dress code. Overall, the usual Muslim dress code is very versatile.

Muslims wearing colorful hijabs and abayas during Eid al-Adha, a Muslim holiday. Photo by Sakinah Storks



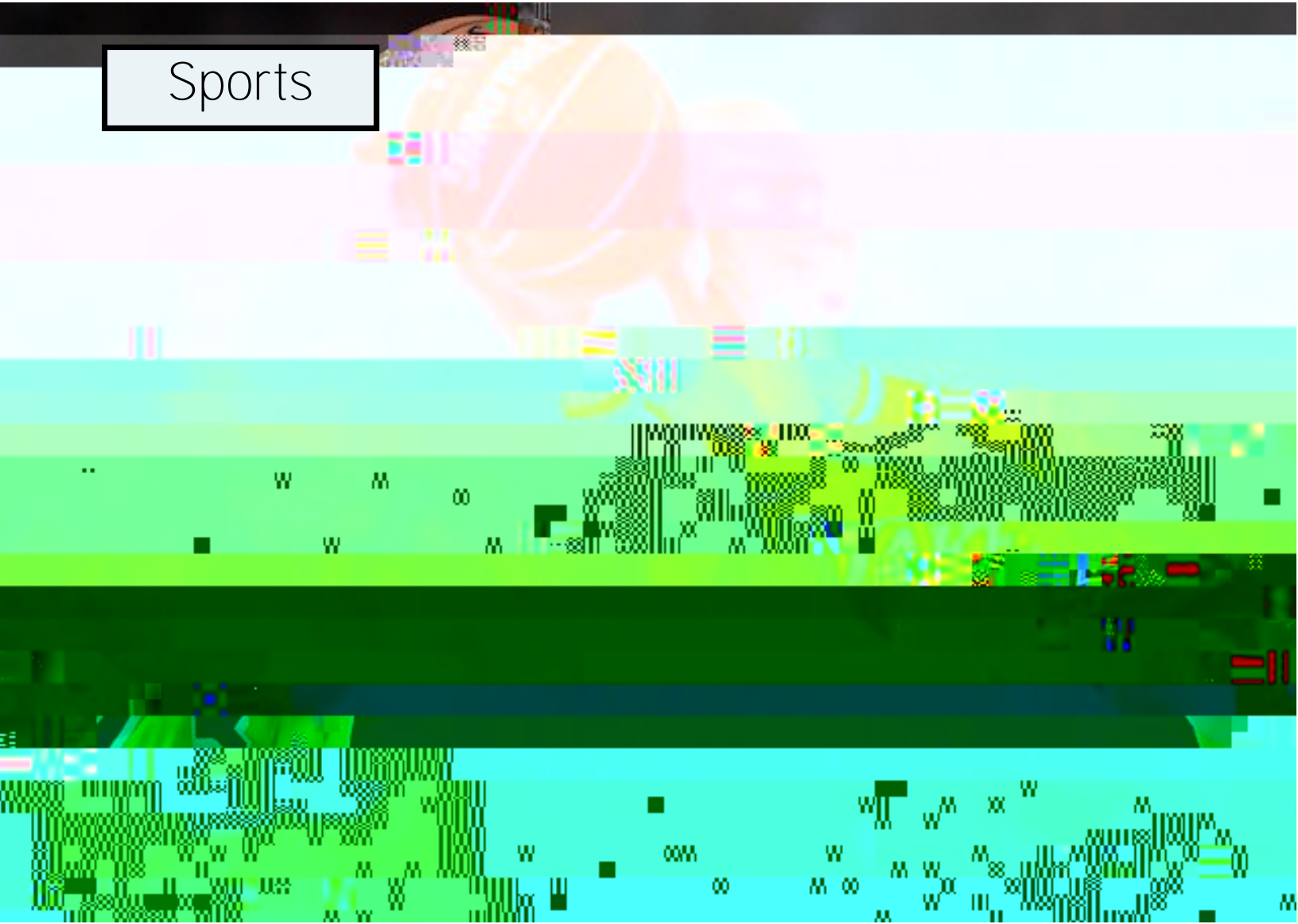
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TITAN TOWN- Schools all over the world are finding ways to attract students to join extracurricular activities and the DJ Club here at Grand Terrace is just what some students might be looking for.

Mr. **Adrian Merendon** (English), put together this club to get students interested in music and to get a feel or a head start into DJing. New this year, about ten students are in the club so far. Mr. Merendon, who is also known by his professional DJ tag, DJ Merenden, teaches the mixing of the music and special effects. At the Sept. 12 meeting, students played with different samples of music and learned how to mix the music Mr. Merendon provided.

and learn how to professionally mix music and Mr. Merendon is very knowledgeable. **Noah Rodriguez** (2019). Mr. Merendon quizzed students toward the

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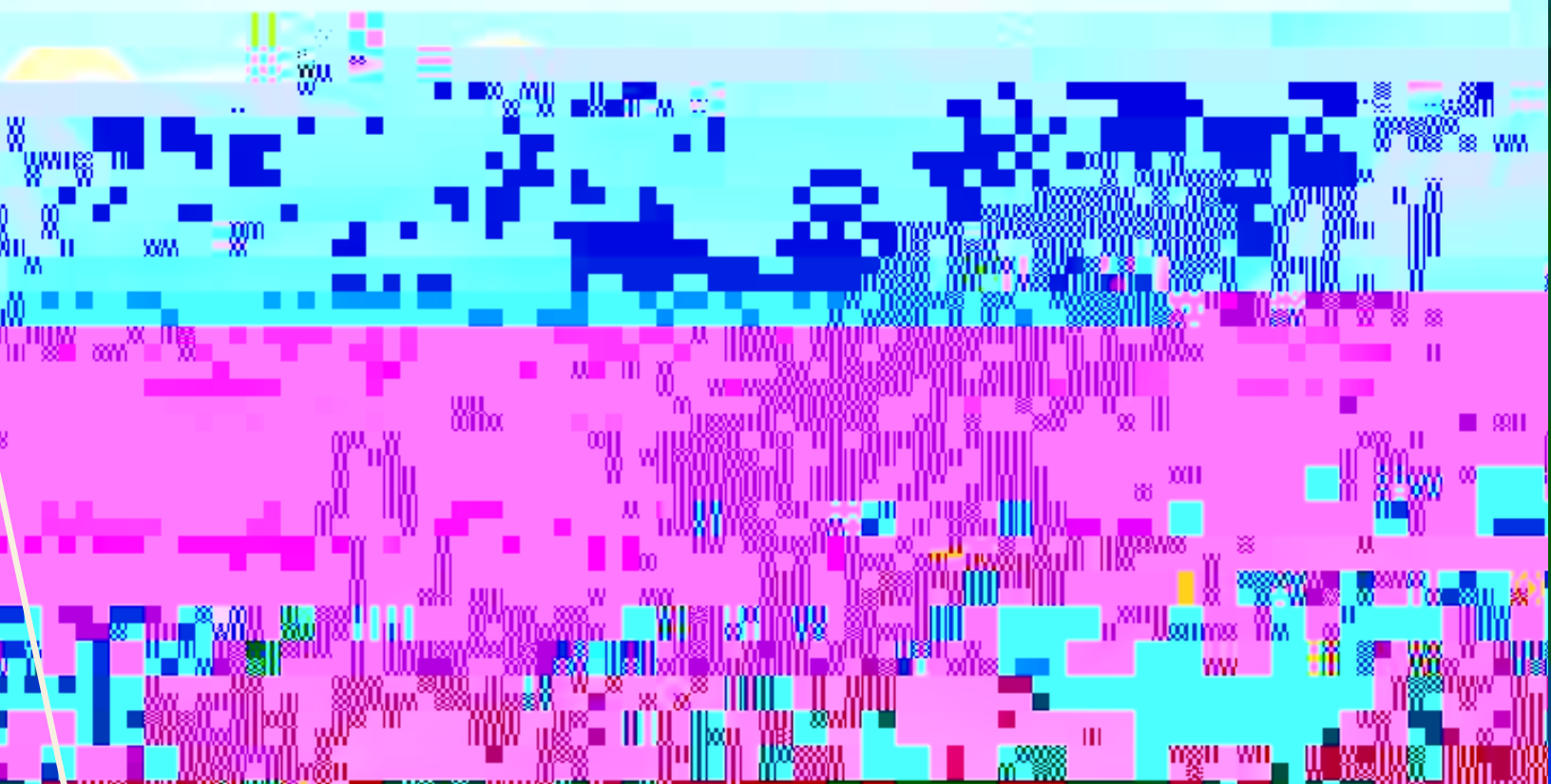
By Rodri Smith (2019), Executive Editor

TITANTOWN- The NBA's most popular player, LeBron James, has become the big talk in the NBA among all the basketball fans.

Everyone knows that LeBron James is a great player. Not only is he one of the best basketball players, but he is guaranteed to be inducted into the Basketball Hall of Fame. LeBron James has many accomplishments in basketball. He has four NBA Most Valuable Player Awards, three MVP final awards, two Olympic medals, three All-Star MVP awards, and an NBA scoring title.

Laker fans were beyond happy to find out this news and now cannot wait to see what the upcoming season will bring. Since LeBron is a new player, many sports analysts and fans are curious to see what other players will be brought to the team. James said in an interview with the Los Angeles Lakers because I feel this will be a great season for the Lakers. I feel this will be a great season for the Lakers.





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