



## MEDIA ADVISORY - TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2026

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[Photos and video from 2025 drive can be found here](#)

### **SAN DIEGO BLOOD BANK AND SAN DIEGO PADRES TEAM UP FOR PADRES WINTER BLOOD DRIVE**

*Event to Help Community and Celebrate National Blood Donor Month*

**WHAT:** San Diego Blood Bank and the San Diego Padres are teaming up to save lives during National Blood Donor Month with their annual Padres Winter Blood Drive.

National Blood Donor Month honors blood donors and highlights the need for blood and platelet donations during winter, one of the most difficult times of the year to collect enough blood for hospital patients.

All blood donors who donate at this one-day blood drive will receive a limited-edition Padres Winter Blood Drive T-shirt (while supplies last), other Padres freebies, and free parking in the Lexus Premier and Tailgate lot.

**WHEN:** Tuesday, January 27, 2026, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. San Diego Padres Executive Vice President of Community and International Impact Tom Seidler will kick off the drive by donating blood at 9 a.m.

**WHERE:** Gallagher Square at Petco Park, 840 K Street, San Diego, CA 92101

**NOTES:** San Diego Padres have partnered with San Diego Blood Bank in support of community health by hosting nine consecutive years of winter blood drives. Since 2017, the San Diego Padres have helped collect more than 4,000 pints of blood that supported thousands of patients in Southern California hospitals.

Appointments will be honored first and can be made at [SanDiegoBloodBank.org/Padres-Winter](http://SanDiegoBloodBank.org/Padres-Winter) or by calling 619-400-8251. Walk-ins are welcome.

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