

Kyrene del Norte Dual Language Academy

"The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character - that is the goal of true education.

~Martin Luther King Jr.

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Edition 7

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PARENT VUE



KYRENE DISTRICT

Community Meeting to Address Norte Traffic Situation: Thursday, September 22

4:00PM-5:00PM

Norte Multi Purpose Room

Due to the high level of concern from parents, neighborhood residents and out of concern for the safety of the students at drop-off and pick up, we will be presenting options from experts at a Community Meeting at Norte.

Bright Star Touring Theatre Visits Norte!

Bright Star Touring Theatre, a national professional touring theatre company based in Asheville, NC, visited Norte today. Our students in 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade attended an assembly for a performance of their acclaimed show *It Takes Courage*.

It Takes Courage is about famous Americans who overcame great obstacles. From being bullied to facing incredible physical challenges. This production teaches young people the power of the individual. Loaded with anti-bullying messages and tools, the show celebrates a variety of famous Americans from Helen Keller and Franklin Roosevelt to Justin Timberlake and Bill Gates.

Bright Star Theatre's hope is to inspire young audiences while giving them practical tools to overcome their own obstacles.

Norte students enjoyed the performance and the message regarding bullying.

Thank you to the parents who stopped by for Juntos con Jaime. I appreciate you sharing your input and feedback in making Norte a great school community. A special thank you to our FTO for supplying the coffee and treats. Our next Juntos con Jaime will be on Wednesday, October 12.

IMPORTANT DATES!

Shop for Norte Costco Paper Drive

Saturday, Sept 17,
7:00pm-9:00pm

No School for Students

Friday, Sept 30

Fall Break

October 3-7th

October 10th, No School for

Students

See you on October 11th



Phone Numbers

Main Line:480-541-4800
Attendance:480-541-4801
Health Office:480-541-4820
Cafeteria: 480-541-4826
Fax: 480-541-4810
Transportation:
480-541-1700

Update from the Cafeteria

Beginning on Monday, September 19, 2016, juice will not be given out free at lunch for those that can't drink milk. You will be able to purchase juice for .50 cents.

Parent Drop Off Update

If you are in the drop off line and the gate has been closed there will be a staff member waiting by the "L" door to let your student in the building.

If you are not in the drive up lane yet and it is after 7:40am please bring your student around to the office area and a staff member will let them in the "A" door until 7:44am. Students need to be at their classroom by 7:45am.

After School Transportation Changes

We recognize that there are times when parents may need to change their child's after school transportation route (i.e. taking the bus, child care van or parent pick-up).

If parents need to make changes for their child, please contact the front office at [\(480\)541-4600](tel:4805414600) no later than [12:00 p.m.](#) on regular school days and [10:00 a.m.](#) on early release Wednesday's.

Due to the various class schedules at the end of the day, parent phone calls too close to dismissal time make it extremely difficult to notify your child's teacher of any after school changes.

We want to ensure the safety of all our students and allow enough time to notify your child's teacher before the first dismissal bell. It is also recommended that parents inform their child's teacher by note or email if changes in schedules are known in advance. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. Thank you.