



September 8, 2023

MARK YOUR CALENDARS - UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPT

SEPT 11-22: Step It Up Fundraiser - More details to come

Week of Sept. 11: Panoramic Survey

SEPT 13: CMS NJHS Induction Ceremony

SEPT 14: PTO Mtg./Coffee Chat with Principal - 8:30 - 9:30 AM in CMS Library

SEPT 14: Kyrene Positive Parenting Presentation - 6-7 PM

SEPT 14: Advanced Band & Orchestra Side by Side Concert @ Mtn. Point HS @ 6:30 PM

SEPT 15: Diamondback Choir Night @ Chase Field

SEPT 20: Dairy Queen Family Dinner Night

SEPT 20: 6/7/8 Grade Choir Concert @ CMS, 6:30 PM

SEPT 22: Pep Assembly

SEPT 22: End of 1st Quarter



A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRINCIPAL

Dear CMS Families,

The CMS PTO is thrilled to partner with the STEP IT UP! for our biggest fundraiser of the year! Many Kyrene schools have partnered with STEP IT UP! to raise tens of thousands of dollars for their

campuses. The PTO will be utilizing these funds to support the CMS campus and classrooms. On Monday our students will participate in an assembly, and we will be sharing details with families (both hard copies and email). Stay tuned for more information.

We thank you in advance for your support!

Sincerely,

Stephanie Breidel-Vigil
PTO President

James Martin, Principal
kyrene.org/cen

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Each year, families are required to review their child(ren)'s address, emergency and health information that is on file. If you have yet to review your student (s) emergency and health information, you may do so in [PARENTVUE](#). We appreciate all families taking the time to complete this request by September 8. If you have questions and/or need assistance with accessing your account, please call the school office.

SELECT REGISTRATION TO BEGIN

Please select the online packet you would like to begin

2023-2024 School Year

Community Preschool Registration	Current Student, Change School Request (KG-8th)	Health, Emergency & Address Information Update	Integrated Preschool Registration
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DRESS CODE REMINDER

We want to remind families that Kyrene School District made adjustments to dress code guidelines last year, and we recommend families review current procedures with your students. The guidelines can be found in the Governing Board Policy Manual online, under Procedure [5-302.A Student Attire - Student Dress](#). The guidelines are also available in the Kyrene Family Handbook.



Quarter 2 Sports Registration is now open. All registration is to be completed online at <https://az-kyrene.intouchrecepting.com/>.

Sports offered in Quarter 2 are:

Girls Softball
Girls Soccer
Boys Basketball
Co-ed Cheer
Co-ed Wrestling

If you have any questions, please contact Sue Spadafore at sspadafore@kyrene.org or 480-541-6404.

Thank you,
Sue Spadafore

Centennial Middle School
Athletic/Student Services Secretary
480-541-6404

IMPORTANT: SIGN UP FOR TEXT MESSAGES

In the event of an emergency, text messages are the fastest and most effective way to communicate information to families. You must opt in to receive text communications! Text "Y" or "yes" to 67587 to begin receiving text messages from our school and Kyrene School District.



COFFEE CHAT WITH PRINCIPAL MARTIN



Please join us for a coffee chat with principal, James Martin.

Thursday, September 14, 2023

8:30 am - 9:30 am

Centennial Middle School Library

(please check in at the front office)

We look forward to seeing everyone there!

KYRENE POSITIVE PARENTING

The Kyrene School District is pleased to continue the successful Positive Parenting Series this school year, focusing on issues that affect families both at school and at home. We hope you can join us.

Understanding Teen Mental Health and Building Resiliency

Description: Participants will receive a presentation that provides parents with information on the prevalence of adolescent depression, self-injury, and social behavior, the common myths surrounding behaviors, warning signs, ways to respond, and what families can do to protect their children.

Presenters: *Lane Krumpas*

Date and Time:

September 14, 2023

6:00 - 7:00 PM

Location: Online

[Registration Link](#)

JOIN US AT DAIRY QUEEN FOR CMS'S NEXT FAMILY DINNER NIGHT



Thank you to all our families and staff for making Zzeeks Family Dinner Night a success. It was fun to see students there and administration delivering pizzas to tables. Centennial PTO appreciates your participation and is excited to see you all at our next **Family Dinner Night at Dairy Queen on September 20, 2023 from 10:30 AM - 10 PM at 4751 E Warner Rd. Phoenix.** Don't forget to mention that you are support Centennial Middle School. See you there!

FALL BREAK COMING SOON

Schools and offices will also be closed for Fall Break starting September 25 through October 9. **Classes will resume on Wednesday, October 11.** There will be no school and offices will be closed on Tuesday, October 10 due to staff development.

SCHOOL PICTURE RETAKE DAY



School Picture Retake Day is Wednesday, October 17. Photographers will be in the morning from 8:30-11:30am to take photos of students who were absent, are new to the school, or need to have their pictures retaken. Students should bring the pictures, order envelope with money with them on picture retake day. If your student is interested in having their picture retaken, picture envelopes are available in the front office.

BOND & OVERRIDE ELECTION


The Kyrene Governing Board has called for a special election on November 7 for a Bond and District Additional Assistance (DAA) Override. Revenue from both the bond and override directly supports the safety and security of our campuses, helps us address critical school maintenance projects, and ensures we can continue to provide high-quality, innovative learning environments for students. As a reminder, this is a mail-in only election. The voter registration deadline is October 10, and the last day to mail your ballot is October 31. For more information, visit www.kyrene.org/election.

WELLNESS WEDNESDAY

Wellness Wednesday. The Kyrene Native American Program is hosting “Wellness Wednesday” at the Family Resource Center on Wednesday, October 18, 2:30 pm - 6:00 pm. Free flu vaccines, COVID vaccines & boosters, fluoride varnish and sports physicals (limited spots) will be offered. This is open to ALL Kyrene Families.


Location: Kyrene Family Resource Center, (West of Ninos Elementary School), 1330 E. Dava Dr. Tempe, AZ 8528

Wellness Wednesday

with Native Health 


HOSTED BY KYRENE NATIVE AMERICAN PROGRAM

Wednesday, October 18, 2023
2:30 pm - 6:00 pm



 **FREE**

Kyrene Family Resource Center
(West of Ninos Elementary School)
1330 E. Dava Dr. Tempe, AZ 85283

Flu vaccine
COVID vaccines & boosters
Fluoride varnish
Sports physicals (limited spots)

 **OPEN TO ALL KYRENE FAMILIES**

For more information, call (480) 541-1133

Quicklinks

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Contact Us

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School Hours: 8:20 am – 3:05 pm
Every Wednesday at 1:05 p.m.

Office Hours: 7:30 am – 4:00 pm
Every Wednesday at 2:00 pm