



September 22, 2023

MARK YOUR CALENDARS - UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPT

SEPT 22: End of 1st Quarter

SEPT 25 - OCT 6: NO SCHOOL/Schools Closed for Fall Break

OCT 9: NO SCHOOL/Schools Closed for Teacher Planning

OCT 10: NO SCHOOL/Schools Closed for Staff Development Day

OCT 11: 2ND Quarter Begins

OCT 17: School Picture Retake Day - 8:30 - 11:30 am (see details below)

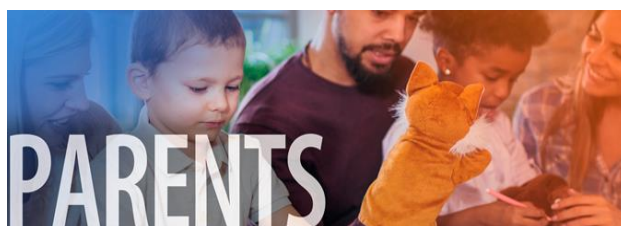
OCT 18: Family Dinner Night @ Barros Pizza - 48th St./Ray Road

OCT 18: Early Release Day - 1:05 PM

OCT 19: Early Release Day - 1:05 PM

OCT 20: Early Release Day - 1:05 PM

OCT 18-20: Parent/Teacher Conference (by appointment only)



A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRINCIPAL

Dear families,

Thanks again for supporting the CMS PTO with our Step It Up! fundraiser. **The fundraiser was set to end today, but Step It Up! has agreed to let us keep going through Fall Break.** Let's make one final push to raise money for our campus.

Remember that students can qualify for our Day of Awesomeness (11/15), which will include inflatables and other fun activities. Students will be eligible if they earned their Golden Ticket by sending 10

emails the first two days of the fundraiser, and students can also earn their way into the event by raising \$50.

www.StepItUpKids.com/Centennial85044

Attached is a PDF of the [Golden Ticket Packet](#) that includes prize information!.

Thanks again for your generous support!

Sincerely,
James Martin, Principal

Stephanie Breidel-Vigil
PTO President

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FALL BREAK

Schools and offices will also be closed for Fall Break starting September 25 through October 6. There will be no school and offices will be closed on Monday, October 9 due to teacher planning and Tuesday, October 10 due to staff development. **Classes will resume on Wednesday, October 11.**

SCHOOL PICTURE RETAKE DAY



School Picture Retake Day is Tuesday, **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.

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES BY APPOINTMENT ONLY



We will hold fall parent/teacher conferences (by appointment only) on October 18-20, 2023. Students will be released at 1:05 PM on Wednesday and Thursday and Friday.

Families will receive more specific information (from each grade level) soon regarding scheduling conferences.

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.

A screenshot of a web interface titled "SELECT REGISTRATION TO BEGIN". Below the title is a light blue button that says "Please select the online packet you would like to begin". Underneath is the text "2023-2024 School Year". There are four white buttons with icons and text: "Community Preschool Registration", "Current Student, Change School Request (KG-8th)", "Health, Emergency & Address Information Update" (which is highlighted with a red border), and "Integrated Preschool Registration".

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



JOIN US AT BARROS PIZZA FOR CMS'S NEXT FAMILY DINNER NIGHT



Centennial PTO appreciates your participation and is excited to see you all at our next Family Dinner Night at Barro's Pizza on Wednesday, October 18 from 10:30-10:00 PM at 4625 E Ray Road (Corner of 48th St/Ray Rd.) Mention you're with the fundraiser and Barro's Pizza will donate 20% of the Dine-In, Take-Out and Delivery orders.

Wellness Wednesday

with Native Health



HOSTED BY KYRENE NATIVE AMERICAN PROGRAM

Wednesday, October 18, 2023

2:30 pm - 6:00 pm



FREE

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

OPEN TO ALL KYRENE FAMILIES

For more information, call (480) 541-1133

NATIVE HEALTH

Native American Program
KYRENE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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.

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.

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.

Quicklinks

- [School Website](#)
 - [Breakfast/Lunch Menu](#)
 - [Calendar of Events](#)
 - [ParentVue and StudentVue](#)
 - [Kyrene Transportation](#)
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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

