
C.I. Waggoner



NOVEMBER 2023

Message from the Principal

Dear Waggoner Families,

Our 2nd quarter of school has gotten off to a great start! We have been quite busy at Waggoner. Thank you for attending conferences and joining our staff for those conversations. Our students had the opportunity to attend the Book Fair and pick out some great stories while playing some book trivia and spinning the wheel for new books. Trunk or Treat was a blast. The trunks were so creative, and the students enjoyed the fun. I think we have finally reached some cooler weather and that is great news for our upcoming Turkey Trot. Our students look forward to this day with the turkey helping us start the race and ending it with a nice lunch outside. This year the trot will be held on Tuesday, November 21. The Waggoner PTO is always looking for volunteers to help make our events successful for our community, please visit waggonerpto.com to learn more.

Sincerely,
Marcie Romero
Principal

The PTO Book Fair was a huge



success. Our Wildcats love to read.



In honor of Principals' Month, Waggoner's PTO presented Mrs. Romero and Mr. O'Donnell with gift baskets and flowers.



Students created posters to show their appreciation for Mrs. Romero and Mr. O'Donnell and all they do to support our school.



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Due to a recent change in website vendors, all Kyrene School District websites will be undergoing a redesign in 2024. The District is seeking community feedback regarding the design and functionality of our current school and district websites to ensure the new design reflects what is most important to our stakeholders. Please fill out [this short survey](#) by November 15. Thank you, in advance, for your feedback and participation.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Attendance Line

If your child is going to be absent, it is important to call the attendance line and leave a message. **All absences should be voice verified by the parent/guardian** per District guidelines. However, it is still very helpful to inform the classroom teacher of the absence via email. **Waggoner's 24-hour attendance line is 480-541-5601.**

Health Office

Please deliver all student medication directly to the health office. Please do not send any medication in with your child or have them keep medication in their backpack. **All medication (prescription or over-the-counter)** must be stored in the Health Office. Additionally, please be reminded that the Health Office stocks acetaminophen and will dispense with parent/guardian permission for a temperature of 101° Fahrenheit and above only.

Also, now that the weather is getting cooler, our collection of lost & found items is growing. Please stop by to look for any lost belongings. **Remember it is helpful if jackets, backpacks, water bottles and lunch boxes are labeled with a name.**
Thank you!

COMMUNITY EDUCATION ENROLLMENT CHANGES

Planning for the 2024-2025 school year is already underway, and we want to make you aware of changes to enrollment for Community Education. Beginning this year, all Community Education programming (including Kids Club, After Hours, and Community and Signature Preschool) will open registration on the same day that general enrollment begins: **January 9!**

Another change this year will ensure all Kyrene families have an equal opportunity to register for before and after school programming, which can fill up quickly. **In fairness to families who have been waitlisted in past years, there will be no pre-**

registration option for currently enrolled students this year. Registration for Kids Club and After Hours for the 2024-25 school year will open for all students on **January 9 at 6:30 a.m.** in the [Community Ed registration portal](#).

Families enrolling students in Community or Signature Preschool programs will also register through the Community Ed registration portal on January 9. If you are registering a child for Integrated Preschool or looking to change Kyrene schools, that can be done through the Kyrene general enrollment portal. Please note that Summer 2024 program registration will open March 4, 2024.

STUDENT COUNCIL HYGIENE DRIVE

Student Council is sponsoring a Hygiene Drive in November!
November 20-21

Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Shampoo,
Conditioner, Soap & Deodorant

Donations may be sent in with your student or dropped-off at the school office. All items will be donated to the Kyrene Family Resource Center. Thank you!

TURKEY TROT AND FAMILY PICNIC

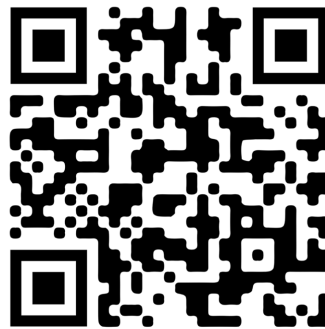
Please Save the Date for the Waggoner Turkey Trot and Family Picnic!
Tuesday, November 21, 2023
Flyers and Volunteer Sign-up will be coming soon!

Grade Level	Trot Time	5 min. transition	Lunch& Recess
PRE & K	9:45-9:55		10:00—10:30
1	10:05-10:25		10:30 -11:00
2	10:35 -11:00		11:05-11:35
3	11:05-11:30		11:35-12:05
4	11:35-12:00		12:05-12:35
5	12:05-12:30		12:35-1:05

TAX CREDIT

The deadline to make a 2023 tax credit donation to a school or student activity of your choice is April 15, 2024. Under the Arizona tax credit program, tax payers can direct a portion of their state income tax to a specific program such as sports or other extra-curricular activity, or to a school. The maximum tax-credit for an individual is \$200 and for a married couple, \$400. If you would like, you can use the QR Code below to make a donation.

For more information on the tax credit program, go to the [Kyrene website](#)



UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

NOV 2: Site Council, 3:30 PM

NOV 6-10: School Psychologist Week
Waggoner Night Out at KTR All Week

NOV 10: Veterans Day/No School

NOV 14: Governing Board, 6:00 PM

NOV 15: Student Council, 6:55 PM

Kindergarten My VIP & Me, 7:30-
8:30 AM

NOV 20-21: Student Council Hygiene
Drive

NOV 21: Turkey Trot

NOV 22-24: Thanksgiving Holiday/No
School

NOV 28: Governing Board, 6:00 PM

NOV 27-DEC 1: Student Council Gift
Card Drive

DEC 1: Student of the Month, 7:00 AM
PTO Meeting, 7:45 AM

DISTRICT CALENDAR 2023

NOV 10: Veteran's Day, No School

NOV 22-24: Thanksgiving, No School

DEC 18-JAN 1: Winter Break, No
School

2024

JAN 2 Teacher Day, No School

JAN 3: School Resumes

JAN 15: MLK Day, No School

FEB 19: President's Day, No School

MAR 11-22: Spring Break, No School

MAR 25: Teacher Day, No School

MAR 26: School Resumes
MAY 23: Last Day of School

[View Full Calendar](#)



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Office Hours: 7:00 am – 3:30 pm
Every Wednesday at 1:30 pm

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