



# Cambridge Elementary School Coyote News



## August & September 2023

Hello Cambridge Families and welcome to the 2023-2024 school year. I am excited to be the new principal and look forward to partnering with you on your child's educational journey.

One of my goals for this year is to increase parent involvement at school.

On that note, I would like to congratulate all of the School Site Council nominees and thank all of the parents who took time to vote at Back to School Night. Of our 11 nominees, Sandra Vasquez, Lili Sevilla and Ruth Bokamper received the most votes and will be members of the site council from 2023-2025. Site Council meetings are public and all are welcome to attend.

There are many ways for you to get involved at school. One of these is to become a member of the Cambridge Parent Club. This parent-led committee will support the school with special events like the Student Government Elections, Halloween Parade, Turkey Trot, Winter School Concert, Teacher Appreciation Week, Reclassification Ceremony and Kinder and Fifth Grade Celebrations. Please join us for Coffee with the Principals on September 29th for more information on how you can help.

We are also in need of classroom volunteers. You must be fingerprinted and have a clear Tuberculosis test. Fingerprinting is \$80 but the school can reimburse you for this expense. Please visit this [link](#) for more information and required forms and join us for Coffee with the Principals on September 29th for more information.

Chromebooks have been issued to all new second grade students. Please remember that your student's Chromebook is like a library book and they are responsible for taking care of it. If Chromebooks have to be replaced, the cost is \$250. If a charger needs to be replaced, the cost is \$25. For more information on the district Chromebook program, please visit this [site](#).

I am looking forward to a great school year, reconnecting with our returning families and getting to know our new families. [Here are some reminder and tips for helping your child succeed in school](#)

Joanne Wathen ~ Principal

### Upcoming Events

9/27 MDUSD Board Meeting 5 pm

9/29 Coffee with Principals 8:15 am, parent room

10/9 - Teacher-in-Service No school

10/10 Title I Night

10/18 [NED Show](#)

10/19 - DELAC Meeting

10/25 Board Meeting

10/27 Coffee with Principals

10/29 Cambridge Fall Carnival & Concord PD Trunk or Treat 3 pm—7 pm

10/31/23 Halloween Parade 1:45 pm

#### Save the Date

Cambridge Fall Carnival & Concord PD Trunk or Treat Event. This carnival style event includes costume contests, cake walks, trick or treating and much more! Come join us!

### Coyotes of the Month August, 2023

Axel Avila, Gabriela Banos, Rafael Bojorquez, Matthew Bokamper, Cassidy Raven Chee, Isadora Contreras, Ariel Cruz, Daisy De La Cruz, Emma Flores, Yohan Flores, Ruth Galan-Reyes, Andrea Garcia Garcia, Luis Garcia, Somaya Garcia, Kate Gutterez, Arash Hamidi, Liam Heredia, Sofia Huerta, Hamasa Makhdomi, Zulal Makhdomi, Camila Mares, Brianna Menjivar, Murtaza Mohammadi, Cesar Monroy, Liam Roy Ocampo, Litzy Parada, Ayden Perez, Aydan Puch, Mohammad Qaderi, Valentin Reyes, Damian Rivera Gonzalez, Isay Romero, Brandon Rosas, Jonathan Ruvalcaba, Shadany Serrano, Ilyan Tachour, Shailyn Torres, Nathalie Torres-Castenada, Emelyn Vega, Edwin Vergara, Roberto Zapien Trujillo

### Coyotes of the Month September, 2023

Mona Akbar, Muhana Akbar, Nada Ameer, Massinissa Anhour, Matthews Antonio-Lopez, Matteo Avila, Vernon Carmichael, Jasmin Catalan, Yesenia Catalan-Isidro, Jeremiah De La Cruz, Isabel De Rosas, Kevin Dominguez, Isabella Elizondo, Joseph Fajardo, Carlos Flores-Garcia, Melanie Garcia, Edwin Gonzalez, Angela Habibi, Dulce Isidro, Brian Leal, Jackie Magallon, Anyelyn Magana, Erika Magdaleno, Sama Makhdomi, Camila Mares, Genesis Mendoza, Axel Mendoza, Carlos Molino, Kimberly Nunez, Yanetsy Nunez, Gisell Padilla, Sofia Padilla, Jose Perez, Duniya Qayumi, Valentina Ramirez, Juan Diego Ramos, Edwin Sostenez, Crystal Tellez-Flores, Mathias Torres, Ivan Xayavong, Khamilo Zendejas, Valeria Zunun