

September Newsletter

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Native American Program
KYRENE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Important Dates

General Meeting

September 20th, 2019
5:30-7:30 PM
Kyrene District Office

Winter Celebration

December 6th, 2019
5:30-7:30 PM
Centennial Middle School

Story Telling Night

February 12th, 2020
5:30-7:30 PM
Kyrene District Office

Spring General Meeting

April 22nd, 2019
5:30-7:30 PM
Kyrene District Office

End of Year BBQ

May 1st, 2020
5:30-7:30
Kiwanis Park

Quick Tip

Please remember to check your child's backpack daily and sign their agendas. Teachers frequently send home time sensitive information.



Meet Our Title VI Staff

Welcome back students and families! I hope your school year is getting off to a great start.

This 2019-2020 school year we have four staff members on our team. Hester Tupponce is a Program Coordinator and has worked in the district for 15 years. Tammy Whitaker is a Program Coordinator and has worked for the Title VI program for 4 years. Nerissa White is our newest Program Coordinator. She worked previously with Native Health and comes with a lot of valuable knowledge and resources. Shannon Manuelito is the certified teacher on staff. She has worked in KSD for 15 years, 4 of those years have been with the Title VI program.



Our Native American Program Objective is to collaborate with schools, parents, and community organizations to increase school readiness, parental involvement, and the incorporation of culturally responsive teaching and learning strategies into the school district. Please call our office if you have any questions.

What is NAPAC?

Who?

NAPAC stands for Native American Parent Advisory Committee. The committee is comprised of parents and guardians of Native American students in Kyrene.

What?

NAPAC volunteers their time to plan events on behalf of all Native American students to create community within the Kyrene School District. Funds raised are used to fund academic scholarships for students in need.

When?

NAPAC meetings are held monthly with scheduled fund raisers and holiday events throughout the school year.

We need you to participate! New officer elections will be held at the General Meeting on September 20th. Please consider running for office. It is a great way to become involved and help our Native American community.