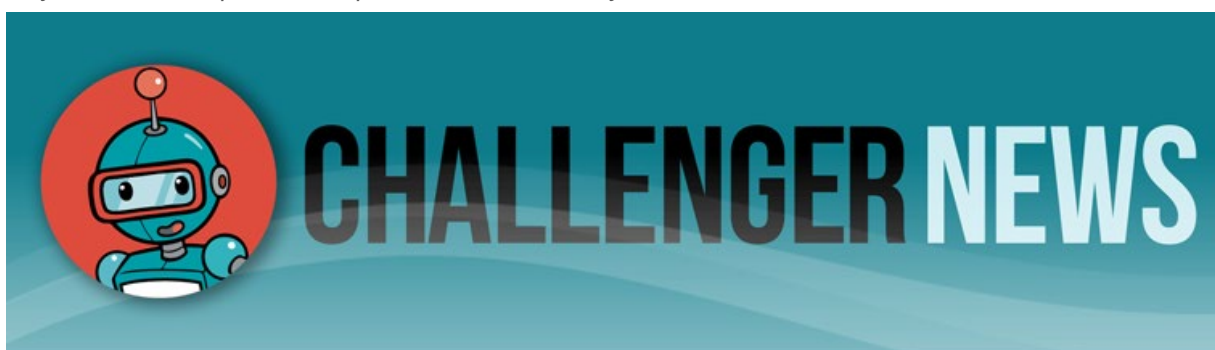


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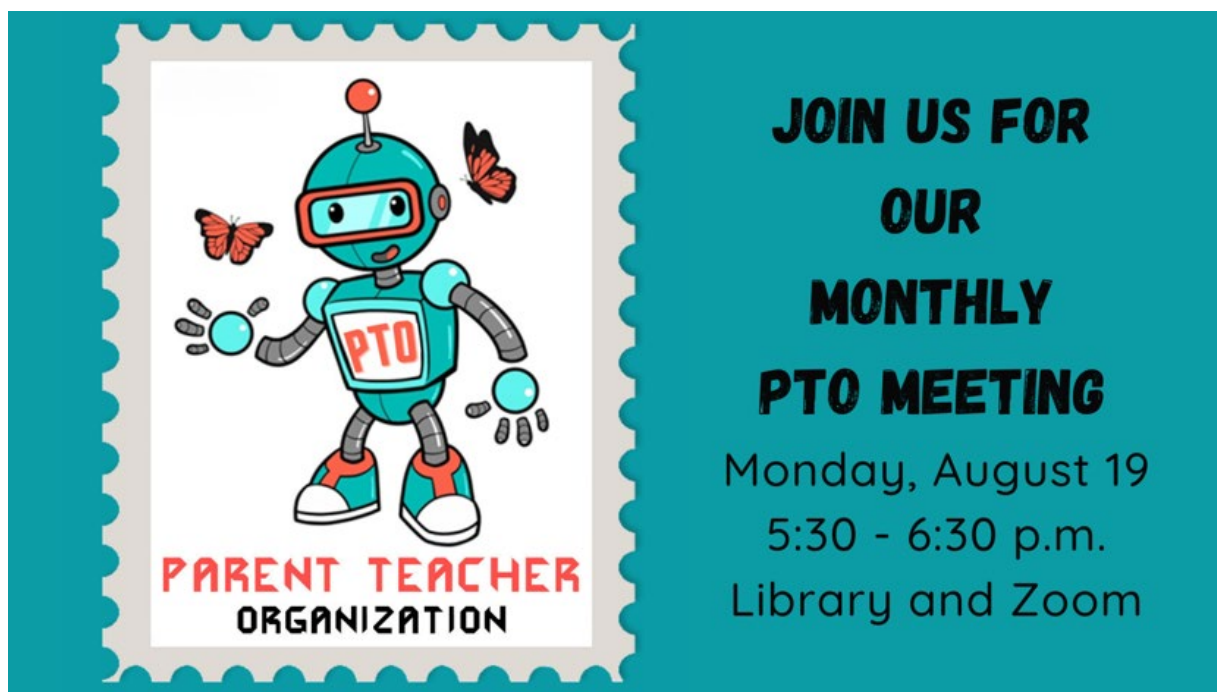
August 16, 2024

Emergency and Address Verification in ParentVUE

Thank you for taking a few moments to review and update, if necessary, your child's emergency and contact information. While this form has been available over the last few weeks, we are re-launching access to this form beginning August 19th through ParentVUE at login. All next week, families will be required to review the form before accessing additional information in ParentVUE. Please know that for any family who interacted with this form this year, this request may be a duplicate activity. We apologize for any inconvenience and appreciate your support with this launch. With this release, the system has been set to streamline the form selection process so that families are directed to only this form when responding to the link.

PTO

NEXT MONDAY: You're invited to join us at our first PTO meeting of the school year on **Monday, August 19th**. We meet on the third Monday of each month from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. in the Mariposa Library and virtually via Google Meet (<https://meet.google.com/yma-iehu-imbk>). ALL Mariposa families are automatically members of this FREE group to support our school community.



This week's PTO action items:

- **Join families next Thursday, Aug. 22 for the Ice Cream Social!** It is free and a great chance to meet new friends. Come anytime between 5 and 6:30 p.m. for ice cream served by our very own Mariposa teachers and staff!
- **We are getting closer to over 75% participation in the Mariposa PTO Family Directory.** Fill out the form to be included for the purposes of Mariposa family communications like birthday party invitations.
NOTE: this is a new form from last year, so please fill it out again.
<https://forms.gle/k1UesY3WZWPeC22Z7>
- **Have you ordered your personalized drinkware yet? Show your Mariposa Challenger pride!** Order personalized drinkware with your students name and Chip the Challenger! Plus, order one for friends and family with fun designs. Register your Student and then share your seller ID with family and friends.
<https://store.zagfundraising.com/>
- **We need your help to make PTO events a success!** Fill out this volunteer interest form to explore ways that you can make a difference.
<https://forms.gle/yMWVCBZx7Cs7bELnZ>
- **PHOTOS:** Our yearbook team needs your help! Please send your photos from the first day of school to photos4mariposa@gmail.com and please make sure the photos are

full size - 1MB or higher. Please include the name(s) of student(s) and grade(s).

- **Want to volunteer during school hours? Sign up for a 40-minute shift at the school store! Help students exchange their Chip's Cheers coupons for prizes. Sign up here:**
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4DA9AB2DA0F5CF8-50629254-mariposa>



PERSONALIZED DRINKWARE

Wide Variety of Colors and Logos Available Online

Zag
Fundraising

\$25
12oz



\$25
20oz



\$45
64oz



\$25
14oz



\$33
40oz



\$28
30oz



ONLY AVAILABLE IN THE ZAG ONLINE STORE!

TO ORDER YOUR PERSONALIZED DRINKWARE VISIT THE ZAG ONLINE STORE AND FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW!

To Register Your Participant:

1. Go to: store.zagfundraising.com
2. Choose Your State and Organization from the drop down menus
3. Click the Register Button
4. Once registered, you will receive a Seller ID. This ID is what your **family** will use to shop for their custom drinkware!

Shopping For Your Drinkware Is As Easy As 1,2,3!

1. Go to: store.zagfundraising.com
2. Enter the seller ID
3. Click the Shop Button!



CustomerService.ZagFundraising@gmail.com

ZagFundraising.com

MARIPOSA
YEARBOOK

SAY
CHEESE!

please
include
name
and
grade

don't compress!
1Mb or larger

send in your photos today! 
photos4mariposa@gmail.com



**GET YOUR
game on!**



**PLEASE PURCHASE YOUR
FUNPASS AT THE REGISTER**

Purchases at the kiosk are not
donated to the organization.



AND RAISE SOME DOUGH

20% of all food, beverage and funpass
game credit sales benefit

Kyrene de la Mariposa School Boo Bash Costume Contest @ 6 pm!

Date: Tuesday, October 29, 2024

Time: 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Place: Peter Piper Pizza at
Ahwatukee
4940 E. Ray Road
Phoenix 85044

CAN'T MAKE IT OR IN A HURRY?

You can still donate by ordering online or through the app.

1. Order at peterpiperpizza.com or through our app on the fundraiser date
2. Select the restaurant hosting the fundraiser
3. Enter the promo code **FRESHDOUGH** at checkout for donation contribution



**scan QR code
to download
our new app!**



Calendar of Events

August

August 19	5:30-6:30 p.m.	PTO Monthly Meeting
August 22	5:00-6:30 p.m.	Family Ice Cream Social

September

September 3-23	<i>Virtual</i>	Step It Up Fall Fundraiser
September 16	5:30-6:30 p.m.	PTO Monthly Meeting
September 21	9:00-11:00 a.m.	Kindergarten Breakfast

October

October 21-25	<i>During school</i>	Fall Book Fair
October 21	5:30-6:30 p.m.	PTO Monthly Meeting
October 25	5:00- 7:00 p.m.	Trunk-OR-Treat
October 29	4:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Boo Bash at Peter Piper Pizza

SCHOOL CENTS



EARN 5x POINTS! Aug. 1 - Sept. 30

Abercrombie, Artisi, The Children's Place, Cotton:On, Fabletics, Footlocker, H&M, Hollister, Sephora, Shoe Palace, Urban Outfitters

shopandlog.com/chandler

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Facebook: facebook.com/mariposapto

Instagram: instagram.com/kyrenemariposapto

Website: kyrenemariposapto.org

Email: kyrenemariposapto@gmail.com

Easy ways to help raise money for Mariposa!

Box Tops for Education: Use the Box Tops app or visit boxtops4education.com to scan your store receipts for participating products. Mariposa automatically earns cash for every Box Tops product you buy!

Fry's Community Rewards: A percentage of your grocery bill comes straight back to Mariposa. All you have to do is link your Fry's VIP card to our school. It takes less than 5 minutes! Just visit frysfood.com/topic/new-community-rewards-program

School Cents: Shop at Chandler Mall and earn points for Mariposa! Submit receipts and view bonus offers at shopandlog.com/chandler or drop off receipts in the Mariposa front office.

Donate: Support the PTO's efforts this year with a donation of any amount at <https://www.cognitoforms.com/KyreneDeLaMariposa1/DonateToTheKyreneDeLaMariposaPTO>

Chip's Cheer Winners

K	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Talia	Max	Ben	Grayson	Avery	Joey
Sienna	Brayson	Marcel	Reagan	Aly	Nygel
Agustin	Jaden	Leo	Eli	Vivian	Maya
			Mason		



REPEAT INFORMATION

School Store

Our school store needs your help!

We reward our students twice a month with a school store where they can exchange their Chip's Cheers coupons for prizes.

It's a lot of fun, and we really appreciate your help!

Sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4DA9AB2DA0F5CF8-50629254-mariposa>

Training



Kyrene Positive Parenting – August Presentations

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.

Aug. 28 - A Prevention Approach: Helping Kids Transition to a New School Year

A Prevention Approach: Helping Kids Transition to a New School Year

This session will provide valuable insights into the challenges children may face during transitions and will equip parents with effective strategies to support their children. The training will cover topics such as fostering open communication, setting realistic goals, managing stress, and encouraging positive social relationships. Additionally, we will emphasize the importance of parental involvement in children's academic life and will provide guidance on how to celebrate accomplishments. Direct benefits of these sessions for their children's academic and personal development. By attending parents will play a proactive role in preventing risky behaviors and promoting a successful school year for their children.

Presenter: Joronda Montano

Date and Time:

August 28, 2024

6:00 - 7:00pm

Location: Zoom

[Registration Link](#)

In Partnership With:





IEP TRAINING

Learn about the special education process and the Individualized Education Program (IEP). Understand who is required to attend the IEP meeting and the roles of each team member (including parents). Review the required parts of an IEP, learn how parents can prepare for and be more effective during the IEP meeting and how they can track their child's progress. Discover the options available if the IEP team does not agree.

THURSDAY
AUG 29, 2024
6:00-8:00 PM

CI WAGGONER ELEMENTARY
1050 E CARVER RD
TEMPE, AZ 85284

TO REGISTER, CLICK <https://bit.ly/IEP-KYRENE-AUG29> OR SCAN ►



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School and District Communications

STAY CONNECTED!

Kyrene School District and your child's school want to keep you informed of important news and events.



Kyrene may send text messages in the event of an emergency or for other critical communications, but families must sign up to receive text communications. **Text "Y" or "yes" to 67587** to begin receiving text messages from both your child's school and Kyrene School District.



All families are automatically enrolled to receive **email** and **phone calls**. No sign up required!



Free and Reduced Meals

An application for Free and Reduced Meals goes way beyond the cafeteria! Families who receive Free and Reduced Meals also have the opportunity to help maintain school funding and become eligible for discounted/free services. Families can apply for the 2024-25 school year today!

Applications are accepted online: <https://linqconnect.com/public/meal-application/new> and paper applications are now available at your school's office.

REMINDER: Eligibility from the 2023-24 school year will expire on September 5th.

Free and Reduced Meals

More than just a meal!



Increased funding for schools

Financial assistance for athletics



Discounted internet service



 **KyreneSchoolDistrict**

**Online applications for the
2024-25 school year are now open!**

Interested in Working at Mariposa?

Kyrene de la Mariposa Elementary School
Computer Science Academy



**WE'RE
HIRING!**

If interested, please visit kyrene.org/careers



[Mariposa Job Openings](#)



Contact Us

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Tempe, AZ 85284

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Fax: 480-541-3810
Attendance: 480-541-3801

School Hours: 7:30 am - 2:15 pm
SEP **Early Release Wed:** 12:15 pm

SEP **Office Hours:** 7:00 am - 3:30 pm SEP
Wednesday: 7:00 am - 1:30 pm

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