Kyrene Traditional Academy



October 18, 2024

Message from the Principal

Hello KTA Families and Friends:

Welcome back! We hope you had a wonderful and restful Fall Break. We are gearing up and excited to be kicking off Quarter 2. We have so many exciting things happening.

Did you know that we have our own Running Club for K - 5th grade students. Instructors are Mr. Smith and Ms. Stenberg. Students will learn about living a healthy and active lifestyle. Classes start Nov 4. The flyer went home this week. More information can be found on our Community Ed website.

We also have our Kyrene eSports program for 6th - 8th graders. The cost is only \$50 which includes the classes and a t-shirt. See information below.

Our Fall Festival is coming up and the PTO really needs your help to run this. They are looking for volunteers to supervise the bouncies, serve food, sell tickets. Please consider donating 30 minutes of your time at this event. Links to sign up are below.

Turkey Trot t-shirts - the deadline for orders has been extended to Monday!!!!

If you ordered items from our on-line school store, they are expected to be completed around October 28, so more than likely will be delivered the first full week in November.

Have a great weekend!

Ms. Andrea Vester Assistant Principal







Shirt Brand: Jerzees Dri-Power Active

TURKEY TROT T-SHIRTS \$10 DEADLINE EXTENDED: Monday, October 21

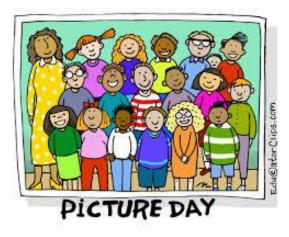
CLICK HERE for order form!

Sponsor a teacher or staff member by paying an extra \$10. PTO will take care of the rest. Payment can be made with cash or Venmo (@KTAPTO)



Chipotle Restaurant Night Tuesday, October 22, 2024 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.

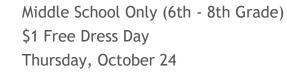


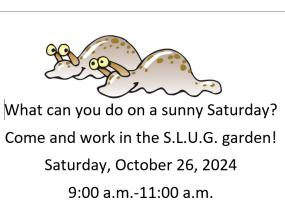


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Any students who would like their picture retaken. Students wishing to have their picture retaken should bring their picture envelope with them that day, whether or not you ordered pictures.

Additionally, any new students since August 28 will be photographed for the yearbook. And any students who were absent on August 27/28 will be photographed.





Come and weed, trim, rake, etc. Hours good for parent volunteer time and kids can come and work, too. Please wear closed-toe shoes and clothes to get dirty. See you in the S.L.U.G. garden, east side of school. Enter from Metro Blvd. Contact Ms. Randolph at <u>gardengal2019@gmail.com</u> with any questions.

Garden Saturday

Ms. Randolph would like to invite you to join her in the garden as she prepares the garden for this semesters class and the Fall Festival. If you are interested, please email her directly at gardengal2019@gmail.com.





Fall Festival Friday Nov 8th 5:00p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Halloween Spirit Day

Thursday, October 31, 2024

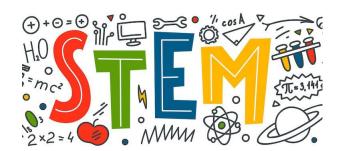
Students are encouraged to wear Halloween theme t-shirts, orange, black.

No costumes!!!

Do you have a business you would like to promote? The PTO is now accepting requests to host a table at our Fall Festival! We ask that you either donate an item to our raffle or host an activity. If you are interested please fill out the form below, or share with anyone you know that could be interested! https://forms.gle/uot53wJ7n7L4SZVg9

The PTO is seeking items to be donated for our Annual Raffle held during Fall Festival! We are working hard requesting items from businesses, but if you are willing to donate an item or request items from local businesses, please email ktaptotigers@gmail.com!

Volunteer Sign Up - Coming Soon!



Tuesdays and Thursdays we are opening up STEM lab to parents and guardians. Use the Sign-up Genius link if you are interested. Helpers will visit with students while they work on creations or experiments. Mrs. Abel will meet you in the office and go over whatever projects are going on that day. It's super fun and easy. STEM lab isn't about having all the answers, it's about asking why and how our world is put together. Help us inspire future scientists and creative thinkers! List your child's classroom teacher so we can be sure your student will be visiting the lab while you are there. Any questions? Email- Mrs Abel <u>mabel@kyrene.org</u> <u>STEM lab sign ups</u>



Parents/Guardians/Teachers/Friends/Family:

Where did you attend college? Would you love to have your college pennant part of our pennant showcase in the Multi-Purpose Room?

We would love donations of pennants from any college. You can buy them from anywhere, but we found this resource: <u>https://collegeflagsandbanners.com/sports_p</u> <u>ennant_sets_763_ctg.html</u>

You can buy individual pennants or sets. We would love to see all the colleges! Colleges only please! No professional teams. We are hoping to stick to a 26" in long size.



What Does Patriotism Mean To Me!!!!

The Chandler Elks would like to invite 5th - 8th grade students to participate in this essay contest. Each grade competes only within their own grade. Essays will be submitted to the Chandler Elks for consideration. The local Chandler Elks provides awards for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place in each grade category and they are awarded at their annual Youth Awards Dinner. Winners at the Chandler level will be forwarded on to state and national levels. For an application, please email Sandy @ <u>stheob@kyrene.org</u> OR stop by the office. Essays are due by December 15 and must follow all contest rules.

View Full Calendar

Upcoming Events

Chipotle Restaurant Night 4 p.m 8 p.m.
Picture Retake Day
Middle School \$1 Free Dress Day
Halloween Spirit Day (No costumes)
PTO Meeting @ 5:30 in the school library
AVID SPIRIT DAY
Aristocrats Production @ 6:30 p.m.
Fall Festival 4 p.m 8 p.m.
Veteran's Day: No School
Spirit Day: Wear Red in Honor of Veterans
Ruby Bridges Day

Contact Us

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School Hours: 7:25 am – 2:15 pm Wednesday 7:25 am - 12:15 pm

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

