Kyrene del Pueblo



October 25, 2024

Bulldog Families -

We are excited to announce that we will be implementing the **Watch D.O.G.S. (Dads Of Great Students)** program at Pueblo. If this is something you are interested in learning more about, please bring your child and join us next Wednesday, October 30 at 5:30 in the Pueblo Media Center. We will have pizza and a quick presentation about the Watch D.O.G.S. program. This opportunity is open to fathers, grandfathers, step-fathers, uncles, and other father figures, with a completed volunteer form or fingerprint clearance card. <u>Here</u> is a great news story highlighting the benefits of implementing Watch D.O.G.S.

If you are interested in joining us, or hearing more about the program, please complete <u>this Google</u> <u>Form</u>. We hope to see you next Wednesday.

Have a great weekend.

Ashley Schutkowski

PUEBLO UPCOMING EVENTS

OCTOBER

- 28: TUHSD High School Orientation, on campus. (Corona & Mtn. Pointe) for 8th Grade
- 29: Absentee Picture Day

ESports: Rocket League, 3:15-4:15 - sign up below

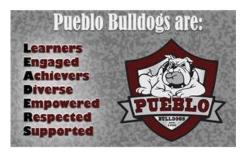
- 30: Pueblo Watch D.O.G.S Informational Meeting, MPR, 5:30-6:30
- 31: ESports: Rocket League, 3:15-4:15

NOVEMBER

- 1: Marching Band Night at Corona del Sol
- 2: NJHS @ Feed My Starving Children, info below
- 4: Step It Up! Day of Awesomeness <u>Volunteers Needed</u> Corona del Sol Showcase Night, 5:30pm (info below)
- 6: Mountain Pointe Showcase Night, 5:30pm (info below)
- 11: Veterans Day No School
- 18: TUHSD High School Course Selections, on campus. (Corona & Mtn. Pointe) for 8th Grade

EVERY WEDNESDAY IS EARLY RELEASE @ 1:05pm

Please see district athletic webpage for current sport schedules.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR LEADERS OF THE WEEK

Our Leaders of the Week are recognized by teachers and staff for leading the way on campus by demonstrating respect, responsibility, safety and kindness.

Ronan P. Ivy C. Emilia P. Reese R.

Aubrey C.-T. Parker A. Brady M.



ABSENTEE SCHOOL PICTURE MAKE-UPS

If your student was absent for the first round of school photos, please don't worry. We have a the absentee photo day schedule for Tuesday, October 29.

Pueblo Picture Day with School Pics!

PUEBLO CHARACTER DARE FOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 28



Break Bread

Challenge yourself to meet 2 people you don't know in the cafeteria this week. It could be a staff member, or student. Learn the name and use it the next day.

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Online Ad Creation - Color Ad - 1/8 Page



YEARBOOK ADS FOR 8TH GRADERS

8th GRADE PARENTS! It's time to order your yearbook ads!! Show off your pride and congratulate your 8th grader on a great achievement.

Ads are \$25 and can be purchased in the <u>Yearbook Order Center</u>, school code: 7730.

Order now before it's too late. Deadline is December 20.

YEARBOOKS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!

PARENTS WE NEED YOUR PHOTOS!

Share your photos with the yearbook staff:

Pre-Orders are now open. Order a copy of the 2024-2025 yearbook so your student is guaranteed a copy at end of year distribution. Yearbook cost is now \$30.00.

Online orders can be accessed through the <u>Yearbook Order Center</u>.

Our School Order Number is: 7730

Got Photos? Please share any photos from our Pueblo athletics, performing arts, volunteering with NJHS or more to this link for the yearbook staff to review. We appreciate the help of our Pueblo families, as we know you always have your cameras clicking at our school events!

Yearbook Photo Share Site - PUEBLO





PUEBLO NJHS MEMBERS & FAMILIES

Pueblo's NJHS club is proud to announce that we have a planned event for a service opportunity with:

Feed My Starving Children Saturday, November 2nd 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

We have 60 positions reserved and would like to fill as many of those positions as possible. The location for Feed My Starving Children is: 1100 West Grove Parkway, Ste 101, Tempe, 85283. Transportation to this event is not provided so NJHS students will need to provide their own transportation.

Feed My Starving Children would like to have the ratio of 1 adult for every 4 students. We know that families have many other demands for time on the weekend but would like to have as many parent volunteers as possible.

If you can volunteer, please let us know. We deeply appreciate your help!



MESSAGE FROM PUEBLO PTO

Please be sure to sign up for communications from Pueblo PTO through the Remind app. This is the quickest way to learn about important PTO fundraisers, volunteer and event information and sign-ups. To sign up for Pueblo PTO Remind notification please either:

Text @pueblopt to the number: 81010 OR click this link: <u>https://www.remind.com/join/pueblopt</u>



SUPPORT OUR TEACHERS & STAFF

The next Pueblo staff meeting is approaching, on Wed. November 6 and we are looking for drink and snack donations.

Please deliver your donations to the front office by 10 am on Wednesday, 11/6.

Nothing shows the staff our appreciation like healthy snacks and sweet treats!

Pueblo Staff Meeting: November Donations Sign Ups



DAY OF AWESOMENESS - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Thanks to you and our amazing Pueblo families, our annual fundraiser was a huge success! We're going to celebrate with the students by hosting a Day of Awesomeness on Monday, November 4. Students from each grade will get to enjoy inflatables and more. We need a lot of volunteer support to maintain safety and ensure it is an awesome time for everyone. Please review the volunteer times and sign up: Day of Awesomeness Volunteers



DONATE

Donate to help with restocking the PBIS store this year. The PTO supports our PBIS Store every year through generous donations from our families.

WHAT IS PBIS YOU ASK?

PBIS is Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports. This is a schoolwide approach in which the goal is to establish positive student culture and individualized behavior support necessary to create a safe and effective learning environment for all students. The store is a part of this program in which students earn "dog tags" based on certain positive behavioral guidelines to "purchase" items from the store.

If you would like to donate to help restock the PBIS Store follow this link: <u>Help us Restock the PBIS Store</u>



ATHLETICS

DID YOU KNOW?

There are 4 items that the athletic office needs **BEFORE** a student can participate in tryouts, or in practices. 3 of them are completed and submitted online.

- 1- Athletic Packet (online)
- 2- Athletic Packet: Additional Information (online)
- 3- Brain Injury/Concussion Waiver (online)

4- Sports Physical, which **needs to be completed by a physician**. You can take your student to your family doctor, or you can also go to the CVS Minute Clinic, Fry's Little Clinic or a Next Care facility.

Blank physical forms are available in the front office, if you need one. They can also be found online at https://www.kyrene.org/educational-opportunities/athletics/participation-forms-and-agreements

UPCOMING SPORTS

For information about registration for Athletics please visit the Kyrene webpage and look under the Programs and Services tab. If you have any questions about Pueblo Athletics please visit the <u>Pueblo Athletics homepage</u> or contact Erin Gray in student services in our Pueblo front office at 480-541-6804.

2nd Quarter Sports: Boys & Girls Cross Country (non-cut)

3rd Quarter Sports: Girls Basketball (cut), Girls Softball (cut), Boys Flag Football (cut), Boys Soccer (cut) COED Cheer (Cut)

4th Quarter Sports: Boys & Girls Track and field (non-cut), Boys Baseball (cut), Boys Volleyball (cut)

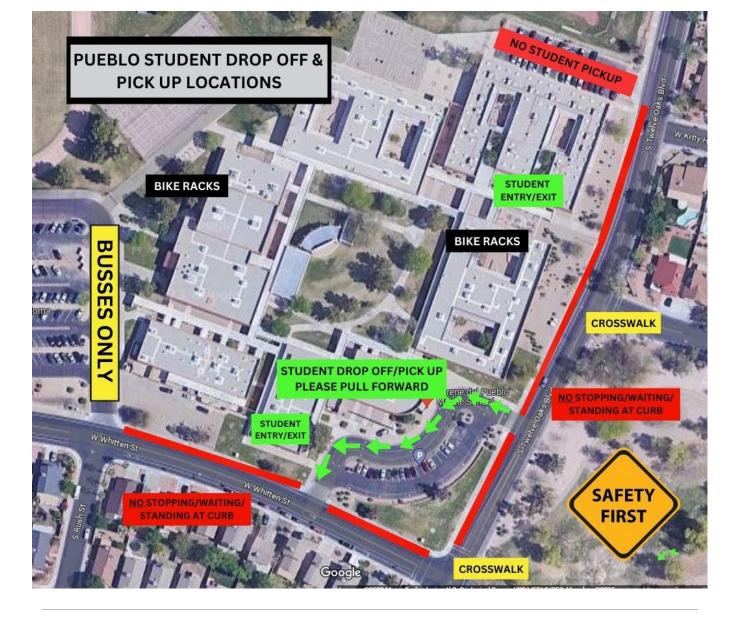


SAFETY REMINDER!!

The west parking lot (between Pueblo and Paloma) is for **BUSSES ONLY**. Please refrain from using this lot to drop off or pick up your students. Our transportation department does their best to keep on schedule and this is difficult if our busses are held up in dismissal traffic. Thank you for your help with this.

As always, anyone operating a motor vehicle in the State of Arizona is required to follow all traffic laws including posted signage and crossing guards on duty.

Please see our Student Drop Off/Pick Up Map under our <u>News and</u> <u>Events.</u>





Tempe Union 2025-2026 Enrollment



Showcase Nights for parents & students will be held at each Tempe Union High School on the following dates: Families are welcome to attend **any** of the open houses.

• Mountain Pointe: 11/6/24

5:30 PM | Preshow Student Orientation Presentation to assist you in making important decisions regarding your student's high school education; campus faculty, counselors, club

• Tempe High: 11/7/24

Marcos de Niza: 11/13/24

• Desert Vista: 11/13/24

sponsors, coaches, and administrators will be on hand to answer questions about the school, its academic and extra-curricular programs, and the registration process.

Course Selection

Student Orientation High school representatives will visit middle school campus & provide registration information.

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AKIMEL A-AL	11/1	Desert Vista & Mountain Pointe
ALTADEÑA	10/28	Desert Vista
APRENDE	10/29	Corona del Sol
CENTENNIAL	10/29	Mountain Pointe
KYRENE MIDDLE SCHOOL	11/1	Marcos de Niza, Corona del Sol & Mountain Pointe
KYRENE TRADITIONAL	10/31	Corona del Sol
MANITAS	10/31	Corona del Sol
PUEBLO	10/28	Corona del Sol & Mountain Pointe

TEMPE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT

CECIL SHAMLEY	10/31	McClintock & Tempe High
CONNOLLY & ASPIRE	10/30	McClintock & Tempe High
FEES CPMS	10/30	Marcos de Niza & Tempe High
GENEVA EPPS MOSLEY	10/28 10/29	McClintock & Tempe High Tempe High
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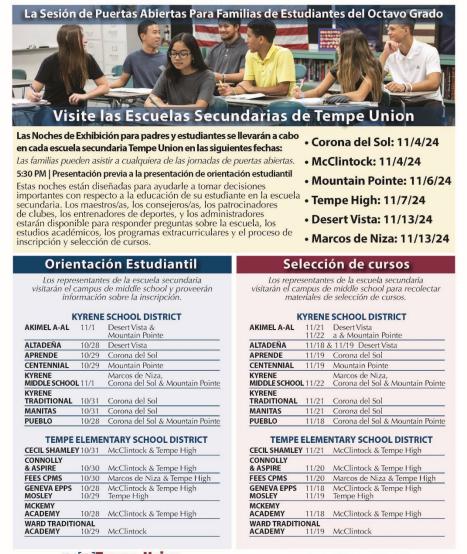
High school representatives will visit middle school campus to collect course selection materials.

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	11/21 11/22	Desert Vista Desert Vista & Mountain Pointe
ALTADEÑA	11/18	& 11/19 Desert Vista
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www.TempeUnion.org/Enroll

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ATTENDANCE LINE

Pueblo Middle School is equipped with a computerized telephone attendance reporting system.

The absence reporting phone number is 480-541-6801 and may be called 24 hours a day.

Parents/guardians are asked to call the attendance office by 9:00 AM each day that their child is absent. Please leave a message on the voice mail indicating the student's name, grade, date(s) of the absence and reason for the absence. If we do not receive a parent phone call, the student's absence will be recorded as a truancy.

Pueblo Attendance Procedures

NOTE: Parents MUST call the attendance line within 24 hours of an absence, even if they spoke to the health office, or if they told a teacher, we cannot excuse any absences until we receive a message from the parent/guardian.

MEAL DELIVERIES

Please note that we do not allow any third party lunch deliveries to the school office. Examples would include DoorDash and Uber Eats, among others. Deliveries of this kind disrupt students' lunch schedules and the timing is often unreliable. In addition we have a food service contract with the District which

specifies not having competing foods brought into school. Parents may bring their own students' lunches to the office if need be, but may not bring lunches or treats for additional students. If any 3rd party delivered lunches arrive in the office, unless arrangements have been previously made with the administration, the student will have to pick it up at the end of the day. Your cooperation is appreciated.



DISTRICT AND SCHOOL TEXT COMMUNICATIONS

Families are encouraged to opt in for our Kyrene School District and school based text message for reminders and notifications. You can sign up to receive text message alerts by **texting "Y" or "yes" to 67587.** This is something that needs to be done every year.



TRANSPORTATION

Families can access information regarding Bus Routes and Bus Safety by visiting the Kyrene webpage and looking under the Parent Tab. This <u>link</u> will take you directly to the transportation page.

FOOD SERVICES

In order to determine if your student qualifies for free or reduced price meals, we ask that all families complete the free and reduced meal application located at family.titank12.com. To begin your application click here. Meal payments can be made on the InTouch Payment Portal this year. Parents can view meal balances or pay by check/cash at schools. Free & Reduced lunch applications are available at school sites, you can complete and application on the Kyrene website or email at kbs@kyrene.org.

ParentVUE & ACKNOWLEGEMENTS

The <u>ParentVUE</u> program helps parents stay informed and connected by providing day-to-day insight into their child's academic experience. ParentVUE Mobile for the iPhone/iPad Touch works with the Synergy[™] student information system in much the same way as the ParentVUE

web portal, allowing parents to access near real-time information on assignments and scores, attendance, and demographic information. ParentVUE offers parents a single sign-on to view all of their children's information regardless of school. Here is a list of frequently asked questions for ParentVue: <u>ParentVUE FAQS</u>.

ONLINE PAYMENT PORTAL

Kyrene School District has a convenient new payment portal for parents to pay for everything from athletics to field trips. The <u>InTouch Payment Portal</u> will provide parents with digital receipts for all transactions. You can even use it to make this year's tax credit donation to the school of your choice. Register once and use the portal all year.

Contact Us

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Phone: 480-541-6800 Fax: 480-541-6810 Attendance: 480-541-6801 School Hours: 8:20 am – 3:05 pm Every Wednesday at 1:05 pm

Office Hours: 7:30 am – 4:00 pm Every Wednesday at 2:00 pm

Be sure to bookmark our Pueblo website.

