



CHALLENGER NEWS

October 25, 2024

TONIGHT!



PTO

This week's PTO Reminders:

1. **TONIGHT**: Trunk or Treat returns for the third year!

- Show up anytime between 5 to 6:30 p.m. with kids in costumes. The event will go till 7 p.m.

- Please note this is not a drop-off event. All students need to be accompanied by an adult.
- If you want to bring a bag to supply the teacher's trunks, we are still collecting candy.
- Eat from food trucks.
- Shop the Book Fair in the MPR!

2. Boo Bash at Peter Piper Pizza on Tuesday, Oct. 29th

- Activities start at 4:30 p.m. with a costume contest at 6pm!



enjoy FOOD & FUN

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!

peter piper pizza.

Peter Piper Pizza

Costume Party Schedule of Events

4:30pm	Pumpkin Pass Game or Halloween Bingo
5:00pm	Monster Mash Musical Chairs or Mystery Game
5:30pm	Whipped Scream Eating Contest
6:00pm	Costume Contest & Raffle
7:00pm	Announce Guessing Game Winner & Raffle

Timeline subject to change based on group size & space

3. Day of Awesomeness is coming up on Nov. 11!

- We need 48 volunteers to make it fun for all students.

Please sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4EAFA62AA1FBC52-52596037-dayofawesomeness#/>

Calling all local
businesses!

SPONSOR Mariposa



The Mariposa PTO is seeking local support for our public school. Your sponsorship will enable the Mariposa PTO to support our school community. In return, your business will be promoted in the school community and beyond all year long!

Chip's
Champion
\$1,000

Chip's
Cheerleader
\$500

Changemaker
\$250

Sponsorship Levels

Benefits Include:

- Company logo on banner at the Drop Off fence
- Recognition at community events
- Display table for business-related materials at events
- Social media recognition
- Breakfast with the Principal and Vice Principal

Click the link to become
the next Chip's Champion!

*Notes: Renewable annually, with first right-of-refusal by School Admin and PTO reserve the right to approve sponsorship.

Connect with us:

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.

***NEW:** Enter receipts from purchases going back to July 1! [Chandler Fashion Center School Cents Retailers List](#)

Mariposa PTO does THAT?!

TOP 3 WAYS YOUR DONATION SUPPORTS MARIPOSA



**GRADE LEVEL
SUPPORT**
\$11,000/YEAR



**TEACHER
SUPPORT**
\$8,500/YEAR



**CLASSROOM
GRANTS**
\$6,000/YEAR

NURTURING A CULTURE OF LEARNING



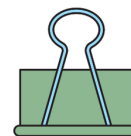
**TEACHER
APPRECIATION**



**CELEBRATION
OF LEARNING**



**STAFF
HOSPITALITY**



**OFFICE
SUPPLIES**

FOSTERING COMMUNITY



**ICE CREAM
SOCIAL**



**FIELD DAY /
TURKEY TROT**



**5TH GRADE
GRADUATION**



**TRUNK OR
TREAT**



**FAMILY
DANCE**



**SPRING
FLING**

Holiday/Special Occasion Reminders

Thank you for understanding that in order to ensure that instructional time is protected and that all students are treated equally, we limit our in school celebrations to only a few per year. With regard to next week, there are no costumes allowed at school, no parties and no handing out of any special treats. If your student comes to school with a costume on, they will be sent to the health office to change. We encourage everyone to attend our Trunk or Treat event this evening for food, fun and costumes!

Additionally, we do not hold birthday celebrations at school nor do we allow party invitations to be handed out. If you are wanting to get a hold of another student's family, please contact our PTO for directory information at kyrenemariposapto@gmail.com.

For questions about district and school rules and regulations referred to above, please visit the [Kyrene Family Handbook](#), pages 10 and 11.

Parking Update

Recently, it was communicated to me, by the City of Tempe Police Department, that the area in front of the wall facing Mariposa is a “No Parking Area.” Please see the black double-sided arrow in the picture below. Previously, that was not my understanding, so please accept my apologies for the inconvenience this may cause some of our families. Please review the map and refrain from parking in this area to avoid the possibility of a parking citation. For student and parent safety, please do not climb the wall and cross the front parking lot as bus and other vehicle traffic can present an unsafe situation. Please use the crosswalk at the west end of the campus to cross the street. Thank you for helping keep our school a safe place for you, your children and our staff.

Principal Fallgatter



Thanksgiving Lunch



**Please Join Us
November 20, 2024
Thanksgiving
Dinner**

If you would like to join your student, please bring \$3.90 in the form of cash or check to the office no later than November 8th. We will need to provide meal numbers to our cafeteria staff by the end of the day on November 8th.

The office will not have change. Your student's lunch account cannot be used to pay for guests. You are more than welcome to come without buying a lunch.

A physical photo ID is required to enter the school at all times.

Lunch will be served outside while a Corona del Sol chorale group performs. Please call the office with any questions and thank you for your understanding!

Special Thanksgiving Menu

- Oven Roasted Sliced Turkey
- Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
- Cornbread Stuffing
- Buttered Green Beans
- Cranberry Relish
- Warm Wheat Rolls
- For Dessert: Homemade Pumpkin Bar

TURKEY DAY

Cost Per Person

Student Pricing: \$3.00 (or free)

Child (non-student): \$3.90

District Staff: \$3.90

Visitors: \$3.90

*Checks made payable to
"Kyrene Food Services"

*Exact change only!



This institution is an
equal opportunity provider

Chip's Cheer Winners

K	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Nirvi	Brayden	Amaya	Kyren	Micah	
Willow	Liam	Devid	Mayah	Ronen	
Rhylan	Greyson	Cora		Riley	





REPEAT INFORMATION

School Pics

Dear Families,
School Pics will be hosting a special picture day at our Ahwatukee studio on **Saturday, November 2nd, 2024**. We setup our office as a portrait studio from 8am until 12:00pm to accommodate staff or students that were newly enrolled since we took pictures or were not able to take a school portrait on those days. The address is 9830 S. 51st Street, Suite A-130, Phoenix, 85044. Please register and book your appointment using the "Schedule

Appointment” link on our website: <https://www.schoolpicsonline.com>

If you have any questions, please email tara@schoolpicsaz.com



Community Education



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>

Positive Parenting Series

Related Service Providers Open House

Kyrene Related Service Providers will be hosting informational sessions for families to understand the services they provide. Related Service Providers in attendance will include a Speech Language Pathologist (SLP), Occupational Therapist (OT), Assistive Technology (AT) Specialist, Physical Therapist, and an Argumentative and Alternative Communication (ACC) Specialist.

Presenters: Kyrene ESS Department

Date and Time: October 29th, 6:00 - 7:30pm

Location: C.I. Waggoner Elementary, 1050 E. Carver Rd. Tempe, AZ 85284

No Registration Needed

In partnership with: Kyrene School District Exceptional Student Services

Interested in Working at Mariposa?

Kyrene de la Mariposa Elementary School
Computer Science Academy



[Mariposa Job Openings](https://kyrene.org/careers)

READY FOR THE FUTURE









Enroll Your Child Today

www.kyrene.org



Contact Us


Kyrene de la Mariposa
50 E Knox Rd
Tempe, AZ 85284

Phone: 480-541-3800
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

PORTRAIT OF A KYRENE KID



ADAPTABLE LEARNER • SELF-ADVOCATE • COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTOR
COMMUNICATOR • CRITICAL THINKER • PROBLEM SOLVER • COLLABORATOR

READY FOR THE FUTURE. HIGH SCHOOL. COLLEGE. CAREER. LIFE.

A+ School of Excellence™



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