



November 1, 2024

Upcoming Events

NOVEMBER

- NOV 6: Mountain Pointe High School Showcase - 5:30 PM
NOV 6: Native American Heritage Celebration - 6-8 PM @ Pueblo Middle School
NOV 11: No School - Veteran's Day
NOV 12: Family Dineout @ Chipotle - 4-8PM
NOV 13: Step It Up Day of Awesomeness
NOV 13: PTO General Meeting in Library - 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM **(DATE CHANGED)**
NOV 19: 8th Grade HS Course Selection in Science Classes
NOV 22: CMS Community Movie Night - 6-7:30 PM (see below for more info)
NOV 25: 8th gr. Field Trip to Sun Ray Park
NOV 27-29: No School - Thanksgiving Break

**Native American
Heritage Celebration**

**November 6, 2024
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM**

**Pueblo Middle School
Multi-Purpose Room (MPR)
360 S. Twelve Oaks Blvd.
Chandler, AZ 85226**

Please come and help celebrate
Indigenous cultures of North America.
This event is open to Kyrene families.
We are asking families to share a store-
bought dessert, veggie tray, fruit tray,
or case of water.
Main dish will be provided.

Please RSVP by Monday, November 4, 2024 at
(480) 541-1133 with the following information:

- parent name and phone number
- student name(s) and school(s)
- number of people attending
- recommended side item

Indigenous
performance
Arts & Crafts
table
Vendors

8TH GR. HIGH SCHOOL SHOWCASE/ORIENTATION/COURSE SELECTION

MOUNTAIN POINTE HIGH SCHOOL FUTURE FRESHMAN SHOWCASE

For all current
students and
their families **8TH GRADE**

Find out why we believe that Mountain Pointe is the right place for your student!

**WEDNESDAY
NOVEMBER 06
2024**

FOR ALL INCOMING FRESHMEN

Learn all about MP Academics, Activities,
Athletics, Course Offerings, Registration and more!

5:30 – 6:15

- Principal's Welcome
- Parent Presentation:
What guardians need to know about
having a child in high school

6:15 – 7:30

Academics, Activities & Athletics Showcase.
Peruse booths and learn what MP has to offer!

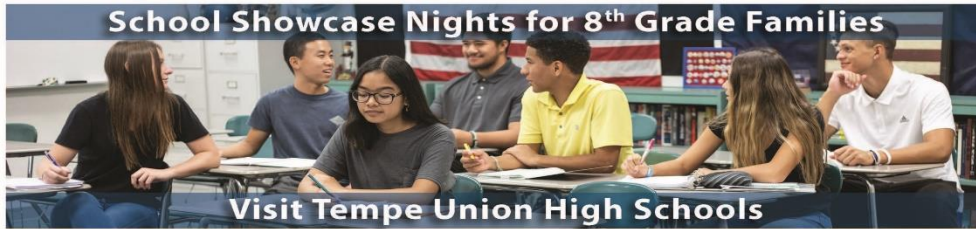
ENROLLMENT
FORMS & INFO



QUESTIONS? Contact Shoshana Cleary, Assistant Principal, at scleary@tempeunion.org.

Tempe Union 2025-2026 Enrollment

School Showcase Nights for 8th Grade Families



Visit Tempe Union High Schools

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.

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

- Corona del Sol: 11/4/24
- McClintock: 11/4/24
- Mountain Pointe: 11/6/24
- Tempe High: 11/7/24
- Desert Vista: 11/13/24
- Marcos de Niza: 11/13/24

Student Orientation

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

KYRENE SCHOOL DISTRICT

AKIMEL A-AL	11/1	Desert Vista & Mountain Pointe
ALTADENA	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	10/28	McClintock & Tempe High
MOSLEY	10/29	Tempe High
MCKEMY ACADEMY	10/28	McClintock & Tempe High
WARD TRADITIONAL ACADEMY	10/29	McClintock

Course Selection

High school representatives will visit middle school
campus to collect course selection materials.

KYRENE SCHOOL DISTRICT

AKIMEL A-AL	11/21 11/22	Desert Vista Desert Vista & Mountain Pointe
ALTADENA	11/18 & 11/19	Desert Vista
APRENDE	11/19	Corona del Sol
CENTENNIAL	11/19	Mountain Pointe
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SCHOOLS CLOSED - VETERAN'S DAY

There will be no school and offices will be closed on Monday, November 11 in observance of Veteran's Day.



QUARTER 2 SPORTS REGISTRATION

Quarter 2 sports tryouts have been completed. If your student made the team - payment is due by **Monday, November 4!** For game schedules, please visit:

<https://www.kyrene.org/educational-opportunities/athletics/game-schedules>

If you have any questions, call Sue Spadafore at 480-541-6404 or email her at sspadafore@kyrene.org.



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.

Nov. 7 - How to Thrive with Strong-Willed Kids: An Introduction to Parenting the Love and Logic Way

How to Thrive with Strong-Willed Kids: An Introduction to the Parenting the Love and Logic Way Parents are invited to learn about The Love and Logic approach to parenting, which is built around the science of caring and respectful relationships. An authentic, loving connection between parents and their children forms the foundation of good behavior and healthy decision-making.

Presenter:

Larry Kerby

Date and Time:

November 7, 2024

6:00-7:00pm

Location:

Centennial Middle School

13808 S 36th St.

Phoenix, AZ 85044

[Registration Link](#)

Nov. 13 - The Neurosequential Model of Education: Information for Families on how to support Regulation, Relation, and Reasoning

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This session will provide information regarding the Neurosequential Model of Education by Dr. Bruce Perry, author of *Boy Raised as a Dog* and co-author of *What Happened to You?* with Oprah Winfrey. The NME model is a developmentally sensitive and biologically respectful approach that supports families and schools in their work with students. Focus of this session will be an understanding of the NME model as it applies to child development, as well as helpful strategies and methods for families to use to regulate, relate, and reason with their children.

Presenter:

Lainie Sgouros

Date and Time:

November 13, 2024

6:00-7:00pm

Location:

Zoom

[Registration Link & Zoom Link](#)

**Nov. 20 - Overview and Q& A with Division of Developmental Disabilities and Raising Special Kids
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Join us for an information session with representatives from the Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD) and Raising

Special Kids (RSK). They will provide an introduction to the supports and services their organizations provide to children with disabilities and their families and be available for questions after the presentation.

Presenter:

Representatives from Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD) and Raising Special Kids (RSK)

Date and Time:

November 20, 2024

6:00-7:30

Location:

C.I. Waggoner Elementary

1050 E. Carver Rd. Tempe, AZ 85284

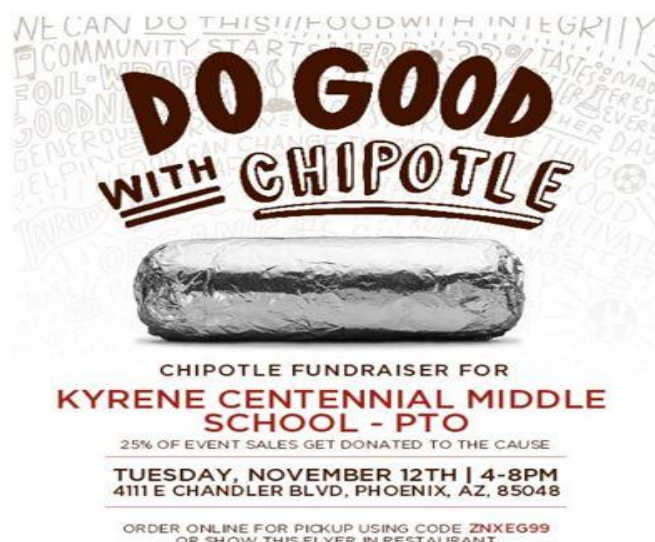
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SEE YOU AT FAMILY DINNER NIGHT AT CHIPOTLE - NOVEMBER 12, 2024

Centennial PTO appreciates your participation and is excited to see you all at our next **Family Dinner Night at Chipotles** on **Tuesday, November 12** from 4-8 PM PM at 4(50th St/Ray Rd.) Mention you're with the fundraiser and Chipotle will donate 20% of the Dine-In, Take-Out and Delivery orders.



NEW CMS SPIRITWEAR HAS ARRIVED!

CMS Spirit Wear is a fantastic way for students, staff, and supporters of Centennial Middle School to show their school pride and foster a sense of community. Wearing spirit wear not only boosts morale but also promotes unity and school spirit during events like pep rallies, sports games, and school functions. By donning CMS Spirit Wear, everyone can feel a part of the vibrant school culture while celebrating their shared identity and enthusiasm for their school. Stop by the front office and get your spirit wear!



FRONT

Shirts \$15

Hoodies \$25

NEW UPDATE

CMS SPIRIT WEAR

BACK

Shirts \$15

Hoodies \$25

SPIRIT WEAR IS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT

STUDENT SERVICES

EXACT CASH OR CHECKS ONLY

CHECKS SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO CMS PTO

The advertisement features a black background with a white geometric pattern of nested chevrons. On the left, the word "FRONT" is written vertically. On the right, the word "BACK" is written vertically. The central text reads "NEW UPDATE CMS SPIRIT WEAR". Below this, a white box contains the text "SPIRIT WEAR IS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT STUDENT SERVICES EXACT CASH OR CHECKS ONLY CHECKS SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO CMS PTO". A stylized grey cat logo is visible in the bottom right corner.

GENERAL PTO MTG - WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 5:30 PM

PTO Meeting



Join us at Centennial's next PTO meeting on Wednesday, November 13, 5:30 PM in our library. Lots of exiting information will be shared as well. See you there!!

A movie poster for a family event. The background is dark blue with white stars and yellow stars. The text "JOIN US" is in white. The title "Under the Stars" is in a large, yellow, cursive font. Below it, "FOR A FUN FAMILY EVENT SHOWING THE MOVIE:" is in white. The movie title "SHREK" is in a large, yellow, blocky font. At the bottom, the date and time "FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22ND 2024 5PM-7PM" and the location "CENTENNIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL" are in white. The address "13808 S 36TH ST, PHOENIX, AZ 85044" is in white. At the very bottom, "SNACKS FOR SALE: PIZZA, POPCORN, CANDY" and "DRINKS FOR SALE: WATER, SODA, HOT CHOCOLATE" are in white. There are also illustrations of popcorn and pizza slices.

ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK - EARLY BIRD SPECIAL THROUGH MARCH 7

Centennial Middle School

STAY CONNECTED AND DON'T MISS OUT
ON YOUR **2024-2025 YEARBOOK!**



TO ORDER VISIT:

[Buytheyearbook.com](https://buytheyearbook.com)

Enter School ID # **292264** to find your school faster!

\$40.00

Order by March 3, 2025 for best price!

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Early Bird Yearbook Special of \$40 through March 7

If you'd like to order your yearbook, please go to commpe.pictavo.com and use the school code **292264** or search for Kyrene Centennial Middle School in Phoenix Arizona to order your yearbook.

Books are \$40 until March 7 and price will go up to \$45 after March 8 until we sell out! If you have any questions, email Sandra Taylor at staylor@kyrene.org.

8TH GRADE BABY RECOGNITION ADS

You can also purchase a baby ad for your eighth grader. *8th grade Baby Yearbook Recognition Ads* are a great way to commemorate student achievements and important milestones in the yearbook. In addition, revenues from ads help Centennial to create a better yearbook. The deadline to submit the ad is 3/11/2025; we have a limited number of available spaces and typically run out so please make sure you get your ad turned in today. You may purchase 1 full page for \$25, 1/2 page for \$15, 1/4 page for \$10 or 1/8 page for \$5. This is a great price. Purchase an add now at commpe.pictavo.com. Instructions are below. If you have additional questions, email Sandra Taylor at staylor@kyrene.org.

SHOW SOME LOVE STUDENT ADS ON SALE NOW!

www.BuyTheYearbook.com

use school code-292264

Purchase by March 11!



CHARLIE
We are so proud of you!
Love, Mom, Dad & Memaw

*"When I have a camera in my hand, I know my fate!"
Affraid I couldn't resist!*

MALIK
Seems like yesterday you were in Kindergarten! We hope you tackle High School with this much enthusiasm!
Love, Mom, Dad, Amani & Rover 🐾

WOW!
What a year!
It was a blast watching you spike the competition at the volleyball tournament. Your part in the school play was awe inspiring. You hit the books hard and got good grades. We couldn't be more proud, and can't wait to see what great things you'll do next!
hugs
Love Mom and Dad

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- SET UP ACCOUNT THROUGH CREATE AN ACCOUNT
- CLICK ON 'STUDENT ADS & BUSINESS ADS'
- CLICK 'GET STARTED'
- ENTER INFORMATION
- SELECT AD SIZE & CLICK 'NEXT'
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- PLACE YOUR ORDER
- GO TO 'MY ACCOUNT' CLICK 'MY AD' & THEN 'DESIGN'

SUPPORT CMS & GIVE YOUR TAX CREDIT TODAY

Families, make a tax credit contribution today! Inspiring, educational field trips. Programs that teach good citizenship, manners, and work ethic. Experiences that demonstrate future career possibilities. You can be a champion for education through tax credit contributions. A tax credit contribution will allow you to reduce the amount of taxes you owe the State. Arizona statute allows individuals/couples to claim up to \$200/\$400 for a dollar-to-dollar tax credit. Take charge and have a say in how your tax dollars are put to work. By making a tax credit contribution to Kyrene Schools, you are telling the State of Arizona how you want your money spent. Visit [Kyrene Tax Credit](#) to begin the donation process. If you would like to apply tax credit to your 2024 taxes, the deadline to contribute is April 15, 2025.

Quicklinks

- [School Website](#)
 - [Breakfast/Lunch Menu](#)
 - [Calendar of Events](#)
 - [ParentVue and StudentVue](#)
 - [Kyrene Transportation](#)
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School Hours: 8:20 am – 3:05 pm
Every Wednesday at 1:05 p.m.

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