



PUEBLO NEWS

November 8, 2024

Bulldog Families -

We are excited to announce that one of Pueblo's teachers, Mr. Nick Indoma, was recently the recipient of the Peer Education grant from the Organization for Autism Research. We will be using this opportunity to uplift, educate, and promote inclusion for our students and staff as we learn more about autism and neurodiversity. Our 8th grade WEB leaders started presenting mini-lessons to educate our students about autism this week during Leadership Classes. These weekly mini-lessons will continue over the course of the next several months. Our goal is to ensure that ALL students at Pueblo feel a strong sense of belonging and acceptance for who they are as individuals.

We are also looking forward to starting the Watch D.O.G.S. program at Pueblo, with our first dad joining us next Friday. If you are interested and didn't have a chance to attend the meeting, it isn't too late to sign up to volunteer to be here on a Friday. [Watch D.O.G.S. Volunteer Sign Up](#) If you have any questions about the program, please contact me by phone or email.

Ashley Schutkowski



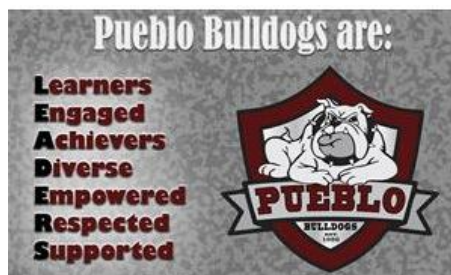
PUEBLO UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- 8: School Photos sent home. Check backpacks!
- 11: Veterans Day - Schools Closed
- 12: Cross Country vs Centennial, 4:30pm
JV Girls Flag Football vs Aprende @ Benedict Park, 5:00pm
Governing Board Meeting, Furlong Center, 7:00pm
- 13: Deadline to Order School Photos for Free Delivery to Pueblo - see info below
- 14: JV Boys Basketball @ KTA 4:30
Varsity Boys Basketball @ Aprende, 4:30pm
Varsity Girls Flag Football vs Aprende @ Benedict Park, 5:00pm
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- 15: JV Girls Flag Football vs Kyrene Middle School @ Benedict Park, 5:00pm
Pueblo Players Fall Play: Murder by The Book, Black Box Theatre, 7:00pm
- 16: Pueblo Players Fall Play: Murder by The Book, Black Box Theatre, 2:00pm and 7:00pm
- 17: Pueblo Players Fall Play: Murder by The Book, Black Box Theatre, 7:00pm
- 18: TUHSD High School Course Selections, on campus. (Corona & Mtn. Pointe) for 8th Grade
- 22: Last Day to Order PTO Sweatshirt/T-shirt - see info below
- 27, 28, 29: Thanksgiving Holiday - Schools Closed

****EVERY WEDNESDAY IS EARLY RELEASE @ 1:05pm****

Please see [district athletic webpage](#) for ALL current sport schedules and game locations.



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.

Anastasia L. James P. Ramy J.

Jesus V. N. Ezekiel L.

PUEBLO CHARACTER DARE FOR WEEK OF NOVEMBER 11

Shake It Off

Make a short list of things that you struggle with about yourself. Next to each thing, write something positive about you.



SCHOOL PORTRAITS

Your children's Fall school portrait proofs were delivered to the school, and they were sent home with your child on Friday, Nov 8. Please check their backpacks and refer to the proof for instructions on how to view and order your child's photos.

Order by 11/13/24 to unlock the discounted Digital Download Add-on specials and free delivery to the school.

If you have any challenges accessing your child's portraits or ordering online, please email customerservice@schoolpicsaz.com. Include your child's school, name, and teacher, and we will be happy to assist you.

YEARBOOK

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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 [Yearbook Order Center](#), school code: 7730.

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

YEARBOOKS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!

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 [Yearbook Order Center](#).

Our School Order Number is: 7730

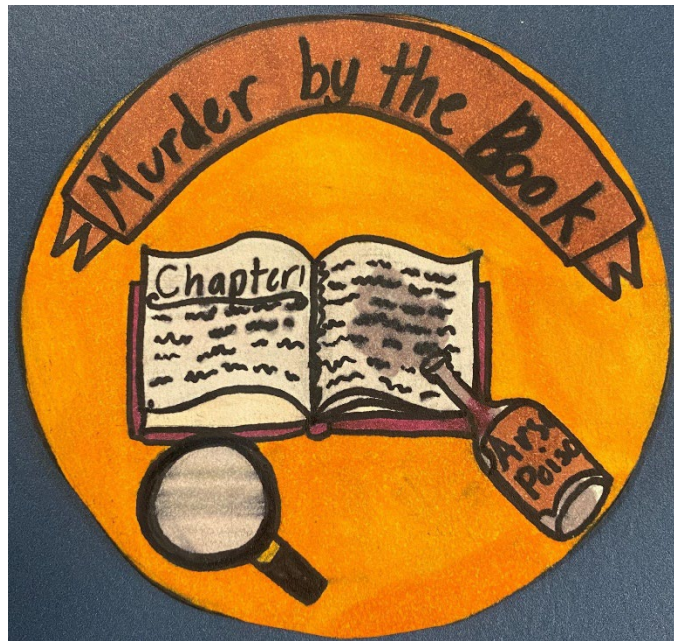
PARENTS WE NEED YOUR PHOTOS!

Share your photos with the yearbook staff:
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 PLAYERS PROUDLY PRESENT



MURDER BY THE BOOK

When mystery writer Mary Graves is found dead, it's up to a detective with anger issues to figure out who among Graves' guests is a murderer. Is it the oil tycoon, the scientist, the Shakespearean actor, the countess, the psychic, or the maid? ...Say, this is starting to sound like a mystery novel! A hilarious one-act whodunnit brimming with larger-than-life characters.

Please come out and support the Pueblo Players for a weekend full of shows in the Black Box Theatre, including TWO matinees.

Showtimes are:

Friday, November 15, 7:00pm

Saturday, November 16, 2:00pm MATINEE and 7:00pm

Sunday, November 17, 2:00pm MATINEE

Make sure you order presale tickets now via [InTouch](#). Seats are likely to sell out, as the Black Box Theatre is a small and quaint space.

Note, ticket sales close at midnight the night before the show.



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: <https://www.remind.com/join/pueblopt>

PTO 2024-2025 TSHIRTS AND SWEATSHIRTS ON SALE NOW!!

New Pueblo Spirit shirts are here! We are accepting pre-orders only through 11/22. We expect delivery the first week of December- just in time for a great holiday gift for your favorite Pueblo student! Click the link below to order! Questions? Reach out to us at kyrenepueblopto@gmail.com. Thank you!

Sweatshirt: \$30.00

[Purchase 2024-2025 Sweatshirt](#)



T-Shirt: \$15.00

[Purchase 2024-2025 T-shirt](#)





THANK YOU PUEBLO FAMILIES!

Thank you to our volunteers who helped to support and provide a safe and fun experience for our students who participated in our Day of Awesomeness on Monday. We couldn't have done it without your help!

Also, many thanks to the parents and families for helping provide drinks and snacks for this week's staff meeting. Our teachers and staff are so appreciative of the support from our Pueblo families.



DONATE

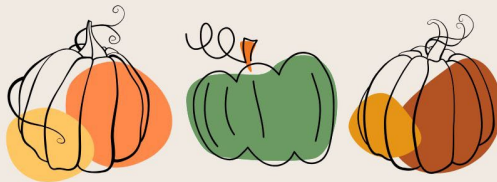
Donate to help with restocking the PBIS store this year. The PTO supports our PBIS Store every year through generous donations from our families.

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: [Help us Restock the PBIS Store](#)

HAPPY
THANKSGIVING



Schools will be closed
November 27, 28, 29



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 [Pueblo Athletics homepage](#) or contact Erin Gray in student services in our Pueblo front office at 480-541-6804.

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 [News and Events](#).

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	Desert Vista
	11/22	Desert Vista & Mountain Pointe
ALTADENA	11/18 & 11/19	Desert Vista
APRENDE	11/19	Corona del Sol
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INSCRIPCIÓN PARA TEMPE UNION 2025-2026

La Sesión de Puertas Abiertas Para Familias de Estudiantes del Octavo Grado



Visite las Escuelas Secundarias de Tempe Union

Las Noches de Exhibición para padres y estudiantes se llevarán a cabo en cada escuela secundaria Tempe Union en las siguientes fechas:

Las familias pueden asistir a cualquiera de las jornadas de puertas abiertas.

5:30 PM | Presentación previa a la presentación de orientación estudiantil

Estas noches están diseñadas para ayudarle a tomar decisiones importantes con respecto a la educación de su estudiante en la escuela secundaria. Los maestros/as, los consejeros/as, los patrocinadores de clubes, los entrenadores de deportes, y los administradores estarán disponible para responder preguntas sobre la escuela, los estudios académicos, los programas extracurriculares y el proceso de inscripción y selección de cursos.

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- Marcos de Niza: 11/13/24

Orientación Estudiantil

Los representantes de la escuela secundaria visitarán el campus de middle school y proveerán información sobre la inscripción.

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Selección de cursos

Los representantes de la escuela secundaria visitarán el campus de middle school para recolectar materiales de selección de cursos.

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Kyrene Positive Parenting - November 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.

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

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

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](#)

In Partnership With:
Tempe Coalition

Nov. 20 - Overview and Q&A with Division of Developmental Disabilities and Raising Special Kids

Overview and Q&A with Division of Developmental Disabilities and Raising Special Kids

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

Hosted By: Exceptional Student Services, Kyrene School District



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 [link](#) 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 & ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The [ParentVUE](#) 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: [ParentVUE FAQs](#).

ONLINE PAYMENT PORTAL

Kyrene School District has a convenient new payment portal for parents to pay for everything from athletics to field trips. The [InTouch Payment Portal](#) 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

Kyrene del Pueblo
360 S. Twelve Oaks Blvd.
Chandler, AZ 85226

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.](#)

