



December 13, 2024

Upcoming Events

DECEMBER

DEC 20: 6th Grade Field Trip to Phoenix Zoo 9-1 PM

DEC 20: End of 2nd Quarter

DEC 23-JAN 3 Schools Closed - WINTER BREAK

JANUARY

JAN 6 No School for Students - Teacher Work Day

JAN 7 Classes Resume

Spirit week

December 16~20

MON~16 HOLIDAY CHARACTER DAY Dress as a character from a holiday or winter movie	TUE~17 WINTER HATS DAY Wear your favorite winter or holiday hat (NO ski masks)	WED~18 PAJAMA DAY Wear your coziest winter pajamas
THU~19 BLIZZARD DAY 6th grade: wear WHITE 7th grade: wear GREY 8th grade: wear BLUE	FRI~20 UGLY SWEATER DAY Wear your favorite ugly sweater	

SCHOOLS CLOSED - WINTER BREAK

There will be no school and offices will be closed starting Monday, December 23, through Monday, January 6 in observance of Winter Break. Classes resume on Tuesday January 7, 2025.



Quarter 3 cheer tryouts will take place Monday, December 9th through December 13th (no tryouts on Wednesday) from 3:15pm-5:00pm. Your student will need a completed registration to tryout. If you have not registered your student:

please go to: <https://az-kyrene.intouchrecepting.com/>.

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



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Positive Parenting Series - December 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.

Dec. 11 - Marijuana, Vaping, and Alcohol Use: Talk Early, Talk Often

Marijuana, Vaping, and Alcohol Use: Talk Early, Talk Often

Participants will learn prevention tools to navigate these risky youth trends.

Presenter:

Josh Acevedo

Date and Time:

December 11, 2024

6:00-7:00pm

Location:

Zoom

[Registration Link & Zoom Link](#)

In Partnership with Pathway



Raising A Reader

Free Early Literacy Workshops For Your Family

Tuesdays 4:30-5:30
January 14 - March 5, 2025

Kyrene District Office
8700 South Kyrene Road
Tempe, AZ 85284



Contact Karla to sign up!
(602) 384-0443
kcarmona@swhd.org

Raising A Reader is a national program designed to educate parents and caregivers about the importance of early literacy skills and how they help build these skills in their young children to help them enter school ready to learn.

Parents attend eight weekly early literacy workshops with their children 0-5 years-old. Families who participate in the program receive high-quality children's books to build their home libraries and are connected to local resources.

Southwest Human Development coordinates Raising A Reader through schools, community centers, libraries, apartment communities, and other convenient locations. All interested parents and caregivers are encouraged to learn more and sign up today!





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

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HOODIES \$25

BACK

SPIRIT WEAR IS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT

STUDENT SERVICES

EXACT CASH OR CHECKS ONLY

CHECKS SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO CMS PTO

ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK - EARLY BIRD SPECIAL 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

Centennial Middle School

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ON YOUR **2024-2025 YEARBOOK!**



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\$40.00

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8TH GRADE BABY RECOGNITION ADS

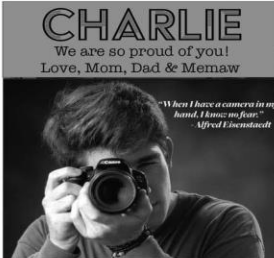
You can also purchase a baby ad for your eighth grader. *8th grade Baby Yearbook Recognition Ads* are a great way to commemorate student achievements and important milestones in the yearbook. In addition, revenues from ads help Centennial to create a better yearbook. The deadline to submit the ad is 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!

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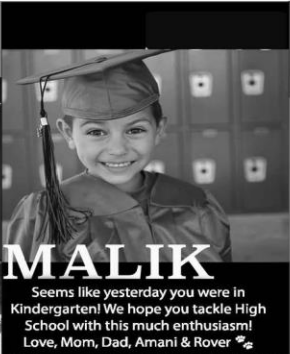
use school code:292264

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 no fear."
- Alfred Eisenstadt



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



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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

WOW!
What a year!

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

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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](https://www.kyrene.org/taxcredit) 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.



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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