



PUEBLO NEWS

September 4, 2026

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

7 **No School - Labor Day**

8 eSports, 3:15pm

Game Club, 3:15pm

Governing Board Meeting, 7:00pm

9 Parent Teacher Conferences, EARLY RELEASE, 1:05pm

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Marching Band Step Up Night @ Corona Football Game

14 Dungeons & Dragons, 3:15pm - 4:15pm

Girls' Volleyball games at Akimel A-al, 4:30pm - 6:30pm

Wrestling Meet vs. Akimel A-al at HOME, 4:30pm - 6:30pm

15 eSports, 3:15pm - 4:15pm

Game Club, 3:15pm - 4:15pm

16 JV Jamboree Wrestling Meet at Kyrene M.S.

Pueblo Fall Band Concert, 6:30pm - 8:30pm

eSports, 3:15pm - 4:15pm

Girls' Volleyball Semi-Finals (Location TBD), 4:30pm - 6:30pm

21 School Picture Day!

REMINDER: Every Wednesday is EARLY Release at 1:05pm

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES - NEXT WEEK

Parent Teacher Conferences are next week, Wed - Fri. September 9, 10 and 11.

You should have received email communication from your child's teachers select a time for a conference. If you did not, please reach out to your child's teacher to be sure get on their schedule.

Conferences will be held in the Gym and MPR. Please park in the big parking lot between Pueblo and Paloma to access the lobby area for the gym and MPR.



BULLDOG 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

Joshua G.

Kacy E.

Jenny H.

Grayson J.

Lucia B.

Isaac A.

Cooper D.

Jullian A.

April K.

Madi D.

Edith K.

Jayceon K.

Emma F.

Nik S.

KINDNESS FUNDRAISER

Keep raising funds and sharing your fundraising page with friends and family! Every donation, big or small, makes a difference.

We are about **\$500 away** from our \$10,000 goal!

If you haven't yet, please take a few minutes **TONIGHT** to share your fundraising page with 10 or more friends and family via email or text on your Personal Donation Page at:

RaiseAboveIt.com/Pueblo

Don't forget to write the **Completion Code** on your students Boarding Pass and return it to the front office so they can receive a FREE participation prize and a Kindness Passport.

It's not too late to help our school. Thank you for your continued support!

Congratulations to the winners of the Mystery Box prize drawing today:

Isaac, Allison, Leo and Aj!



QUARTER 2 SPORTS REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN

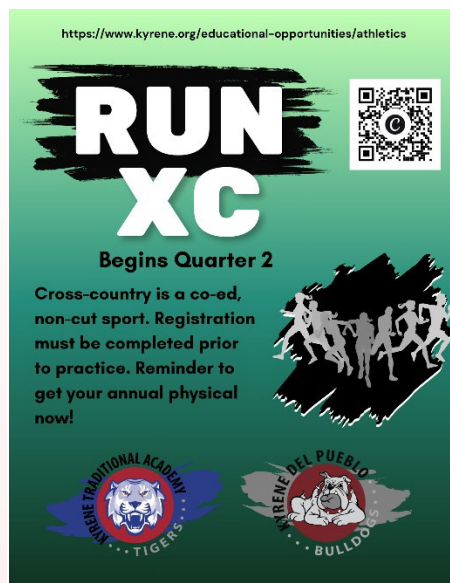


Our quarter 2 sports start up as soon as we return from our fall break. Don't wait to register and get physicals completed.

Tryouts are not permitted without with a physical on file.

See athletics information below to register.





SAVE THE DATE - SCHOOL PICTURES

School Pics will be here on Monday, September 21 for school picture day!

How to Dress: School Pics are a keepsake, so look and dress your best. Avoid highly reflective neon colors. Schedule haircuts so your student will be "camera ready" by picture day.

For more information, and to view the current season background, visit us at:
www.schoolpicsonline.com

What to Bring: Nothing but your smile! No money is needed on picture day! Our School Pics Proof Program allows you to view several proofs of your child before you purchase.

Picture Day for students who are absent will take place after fall break on October 16th.

MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK



PUEBLO PTO NEEDS YOU!

Our Pueblo PTO is looking to our community to make this a wonderful year for our Pueblo students and staff. With this being the last year, we would truly appreciate any help, ideas or offerings you are will to give to make our school's last year a memorable one.

Please take a moment to complete and share your ideas on our [PTO Interest Form 2026-27](#)

Thank you in advance for reaching out and helping us to support our Pueblo Bulldogs.

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.

If you would like to donate to help restock the PBIS Store follow this link: [Help us Restock the PBIS Store](#)

WHAT IS PBIS YOU ASK?

PBIS is Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports. This is a schoolwide approach in which the goal is to establish a positive student culture and individualized behavior support necessary to create a safe and effective learning environment for all students. The store is part of this program, in which students earn “dog tags” for following specific positive behavioral guidelines and can “purchase” items from the store. Students follow our unified set of B.A.R.K. expectations throughout the day:

Be Respectful

Act Responsibly

Remember Safety

Kindness Matters



FOLLOW THE NEW PUEBLO PTO SOCIALS!

Stay connected with our school community by following the new Pueblo PTO on Facebook and Instagram! Join us for updates, events, and all the latest news to support our children and school activities.

[PTO Facebook](#)

[PTO Instagram](#)



ATHLETICS

ALL sports are open for registration NOW

Registration for the 2026/27 school year **is now open** for all four quarters. The Athletic Packet registration will close **one day prior to each deadline** so that packets can be reviewed by staff. It will reopen the next day for the next quarter of sports. Please mark your calendars.

Quarter 2 Registration Deadlines:

- Cut sport registration closes: September 25, 2026 (12:00pm)
- Non-cut sports registration closes: October 30, 2026 (12:00pm)
- Cheer registration TBD

Quarter 3 Registration Deadlines:

- Cut sport registration closes: December 18, 2026 (12:00pm)

Quarter 4 Registration Deadlines:

- Cut sport registration closes: March 5, 2027 (12:00pm)
- Non-cut sport registration closes: April 2, 2027 (12:00pm)



ESS PARENT TRAININGS

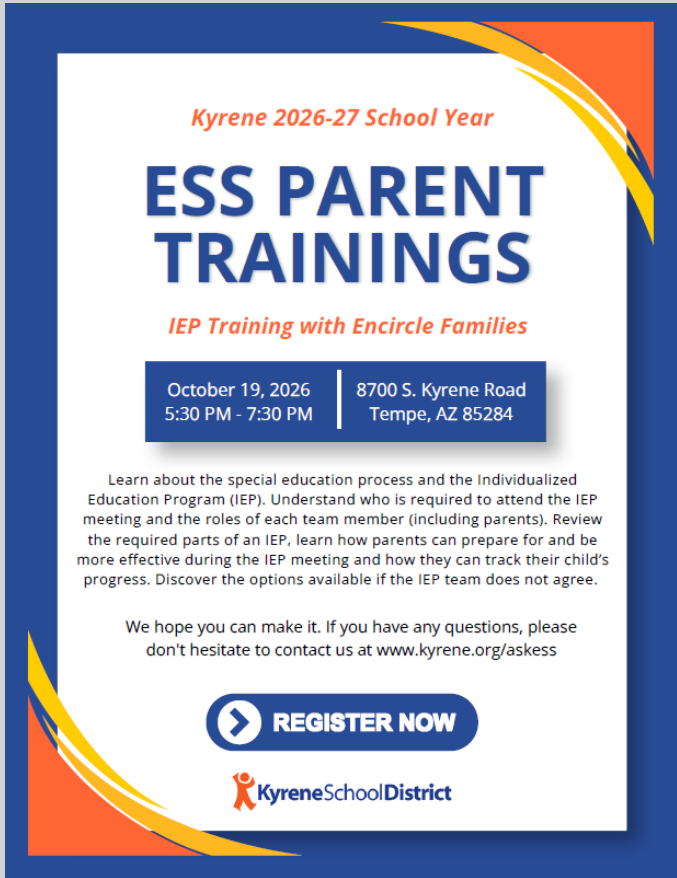
Join us for an IEP Training provided by Encircle Families. Learn about the special education process and the Individualized Education Plan (IEP).

Register here: [IEP Training with Encircle Families](#)

Oct 19, 2026

5:30-7:30 pm

District Office

A flyer for ESS PARENT TRAININGS. The title "ESS PARENT TRAININGS" is in large blue letters. Above it, "Kyrene 2026-27 School Year" is in orange. Below the title, "IEP Training with Encircle Families" is in orange. A blue box contains the date "October 19, 2026" and time "5:30 PM - 7:30 PM". Another blue box contains the address "8700 S. Kyrene Road" and "Tempe, AZ 85284". A paragraph of text describes the training. At the bottom, there is a "REGISTER NOW" button with a right arrow icon and the Kyrene School District logo.

Kyrene 2026-27 School Year

ESS PARENT TRAININGS

IEP Training with Encircle Families

October 19, 2026
5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

8700 S. Kyrene Road
Tempe, AZ 85284

Learn about the special education process and the Individualized Education Program (IEP). Understand who is required to attend the IEP meeting and the roles of each team member (including parents). Review the required parts of an IEP, learn how parents can prepare for and be more effective during the IEP meeting and how they can track their child's progress. Discover the options available if the IEP team does not agree.

We hope you can make it. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at www.kyrene.org/askess

 **REGISTER NOW**

 **KyreneSchoolDistrict**

REPEAT INFORMATION

8th GRADE TRIP TO WASHINGTON DC & PHILADELPHIA

8th Grade Families -

Please check your email for more information that was shared at the meeting this week.

If you were unable to attend or would like a copy of the information shared, here is the link to the slide presentation: [8th Grade Washington DC/Philadelphia Presentation](#)

As mentioned at the meeting, the application is due on October 11. You can find the application link: [Kyrene and Pueblo Middle School DC/Philadelphia Application](#)

The trip is being coordinated via Valerie Wilmot at Kyrene Middle School, If you have any questions, please reach out to Ms. Wilmot at vwilmot@kyrene.org.

Academic and Citizenship Requirements:

Maintain passing grades in all classes (Including Advisory/IB Projects/Leadership)

No suspensions between now and the trip

Must be in good standing with tardies /attendance

Here are the important dates that were mentioned at the meeting:

October 11 - Application due, Financial aid application due

October 16 - Application decisions reported

November 6 - \$500 deposit due

ATTENDANCE LINE

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

Parents will also be able to submit their child's absences in ParentVue up to 5 days in advance.

Pueblo
Attendance
Procedures

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 them up at the end of the day. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Students will not be called out of class to pick up dropped-off items.

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 on kyrene.org.

Meal payments can be made on the InTouch Payment Portal this year. Parents can view meal balances on the Linq Connect Portal or pay by check/cash at schools.

Free & Reduced lunch applications are available at school sites. You can complete an application on the Kyrene website or email at kbs@kyrene.org.

InTouch Payment Portal

Linq Connect Portal

Free & Reduced Lunches



Kyrene del Pueblo Middle School is an A+ School of Excellence® award recipient presented by the Arizona Educational Foundation. This accolade highlights the school's commitment to providing an exceptional educational experience and fostering a supportive learning environment for its students.

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School Hours: 8:20 am - 3:05 pm

Early Dismissal Wed: 1:05 pm

Office Hours: 7:30 am - 4:00 pm

Wednesday: 7:30 am - 2:00 pm

Every Wednesday is Early Release.



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