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Save the Date

Wednesday, November 7
2:00pm Dismissal

Wednesday, November 7
ANP PSO Quarterly Meeting

Saturday, November 10
Argonaut Trot
Mother-Son Kickball

Friday, November 16
Picture Re-takes

Wednesday, November 21
Family and Friends Tour
Twelve Days of Carols Begins

Headmaster Letter

Dear Archway Family and Friends,

"That's very curious!" she [Alice] thought. "But everything's curious today." And so it is at ANP on Literacy Day.

Today we devoted our time together to the celebration of reading. Students and teachers dressed as literary characters. Our assistant headmaster let us glimpse his inner child by transforming into Christopher Robin. I have never met a Big Bad Wolf as endearing as Mr. Taylor. Hansel and Gretel (Mr. Rigas and Ms. Hunter) not only donned German traditional dress and lederhosen but also transformed their classroom into a house in the woods. As Winnie

the Pooh, Mr. Sneed sipped honey from his thermos pot all morning.

Many of the scholars displayed their costumes to the Prep students by participating in a Literacy Parade through the Prep Courtyard. We saw the books we love come to life by witnessing students dressed up as Dorothy, Little Red Riding Hood, Fern, Narnia's White Witch, Robin Hood, Tumnus, and many, many more. One kindergarten student was wearing a white shirt with the black letters 'ar' on the front of the shirt. It took me a while before I realized he was a Spalding phonogram card. Marvelous!

In each class several readers made guest appearances to read to the students. Madeline (Ms. Fee) read Madeline to the students in French. As the Mad Hatter, I read about a mad tea-party from Alice's Adventures in Wonderland. North Phoenix Prep's Headmaster, Mr. Weinhold, read King Arthur's story to sixth graders ... dressed as King Arthur. Mr. Denton, former ANP Headmaster and current Superintendent of Arizona Academies for Great Hearts, honored us by reading to a few of the classes.



Today was a day filled with fun and delight. There were many smiles and much laughter throughout the entire morning. Our aim, however, extends beyond a singular day. Our true hope is that your children develop a lifelong love of great literature.



Truly,

Curtis Fee | Headmaster

Thank You



We would like to give a special Thank You gift to each of our families that have contributed to our 2018-19 Community Investment Campaign thus far. Please stop in and see Jackie and Lisa in the Academy Giving office to get your free gift.

The quality of education delivered at our school is only possible with your generous support of our Community Investment campaign.

We are honored to publicly recognize those families and friends who have contributed to the Community Investment campaign.

[Please click here for a listing of our 2108-19 Community Investment campaign donors as of November 1st, 2018.](#)

We are looking to increase our family participation! Every gift

counts!

[Please Support your Archway North Phoenix Student today!](#)

Spelling Bee

The timeline for the 2018-19 Archway North Phoenix Spelling Bee:

November 5 - 16: Classroom Spelling Bee and Grade Level Spelling Bee.

November 30: Spelling Bee Breakfast for competitors and their parents. Invitations with more details will be sent closer to the date.

December 4: The **2018-19 Archway North Phoenix Spelling Bee** will be held at 4:00pm in the Archway MPR. The top three spellers from the first thru sixth grades will compete for the title of *Archway North Phoenix Spelling Bee Champion*. Winner and first runner up will receive an invitation to proceed to the Great Hearts District Spelling Bee.

January 22: Great Hearts District Spelling Bee will be held in the Lund Center, Archway Veritas Campus, 3102 North 56th Street, Phoenix.

Argonaut Trot

Date: Saturday, November 10th

Where: Archway North Phoenix Campus

Who: K-6 Archway Students and Families

Race Course: The course is a 1/4 mile loop that starts outside of the school and runs through different parts of the campus and through the halls of the school!

What:

2 Mi Relay: In this race teams can have 2-4 participants. Each team must have at least one Archway student and one adult or Prep student. There are eight legs of this race, so depending on how many runners you have, the legs must be divided between your team members.

2 Mile Student Race: In this race only Archway North Phoenix students may participate. Students will complete eight laps on the course.

1 Mile Student Race: In this race only Archway North Phoenix students may participate. Students will complete four laps on the course.

Race Schedule:

7:15 am - Race Check In Begins

7:50 am - Warm Up Calisthenics with Mr. Rutt

8:00 am - 2 Mile Relay Race

8:30 am - 2 Mile Archway Student Race

8:32 am - 1 Mile Archway Student Race

Awards: Ribbons will be awarded to the following groups:

Team Relay: 1st, 2nd & 3rd place teams

2 Mile Student Race: 1st, 2nd & 3rd Place Boys & Girls (Grade Groups: K-2 & 3-6)

1 Mile student Race: 1st, 2nd & 3rd Place Boys & Girls (Grade Groups: K-2 & 3-6)

Cost: Free!

Registration/ Volunteering

Visit www.archwaynorthphoenix.configio.com and click "Academy Fun" to find the registration/ volunteering portal.

Contact: Email race director Seth Rutt at srutt@archwaynorthphoenix.org with questions regarding the race.

Friends and Family Tour

Archway North Phoenix will host a Friends and Family Tour on Wednesday, **November 21**. Two tours will be offered, one at 8:30 am and another at 10:00 am. Tours will begin in the North Phoenix Library. Family and friends will have the opportunity to appreciate the beauty of the North Phoenix campus and the amenities offered to the students.

[Please register here.](#)

Great Hearts Information Night

Tell your family and friends about Great Heart

Information Night. A classical, liberal arts education establishes your child in virtue. Visit a tuition-free Great Hearts academy on **November 15th (6:00pm-7:30pm)** to speak with parents, teachers and administrators about the difference a Great Hearts education can make in your child's life.

[Registration](#) requested.

Twelve Days of Carols

The Twelve Days of Carols are drawing nearer and nearer as we head into November!

Please plan to arrive early on the day your scholar is performing in order to park and find your place on the field; morning performers will need to be on campus by 7:20, and parents of afternoon performers should arrive by around 2:45. Details regarding parking are being finalized and will be communicated soon.

Performers are encouraged wear "caroling attire" over their uniforms such as scarves, wintry hats, mittens, and warm overcoats, but they should avoid wearing accessories that overtly express the commercial aspects of the holiday season (e.g. reindeer antlers, Santa hats, elven garb, etc.)

Below is the schedule of performances:

Date	Drop-Off	Dismissal
11/21	3A	3B
11/26	3C	3D
11/27	1A	1B
11/28	1C	1D
11/29	4A	4B
11/30	4C	4D
12/3	2A	KA
12/4	2B	KB
12/6	2C	KC
12/7	2D	KD
12/11	5A & 5B	5C & 5D
12/13	6A & 6B	6C & 6D

Spring Music Performance

The Spring Music Performance will be held on Friday, May 17, 2019 at North Phoenix Baptist Church (5757 North Central Avenue).

Kindergarten thru Grade 3: 5:00pm - 6:15pm

Grades 4 thru 6 and Choir: 7:00pm - 8:15pm

All students (except half-day kindergarten students) are required to be in attendance.

The dress code for Music Performances is outlined in the Family Handbook:

Concert dress is, for boys and girls, white and black. Boys wear white collared dress shirts with black slacks and black dress shoes. Girls wear a white blouse with black skirt or black dress slacks and black dress shoes (open-toed shoes and reasonable heels are permitted).

Classroom Newsletters

[Quarter 2 Specials Newsletter](#)

Kindergarten Newsletter

KA Ms. Borchers

KB Ms. Leahy

KC Ms. Baines

KD Ms. Distler

Grade 1

[1A Mrs. Bebow](#)

[1B Mrs. Sugiyama](#)

[1C Mrs. Fliteroft](#)

[1D Mrs. Page](#)

Grade 2

[2A Mrs. Williams](#)

[2B Ms. Alexander](#)

[2C Ms. Bixler](#)

[2D Ms. Marshall](#)

Grade 3

[3A Ms. Diesing](#)

[3B Ms. Schippers](#)

[3C Mrs. Stoller](#)

[3D Ms. Kellogg](#)

Grade 4

[4A Ms. Hunter](#)

[4B Ms. Lefaive](#)

[4C Mr. Taylor](#)

[4D Ms. Raper](#)

Grade 5 Newsletter

5A Mr. Milton
5B Mr. E. Cain
5C Ms. Mueller
5D Ms. Torres

Grade 6 Newsletter

6A Ms Dovel
6B Mr. Martin and Ms. Brennan
6C Mr. L. Cain
6D Ms. Marrufo

News from the ANP PSO

Check out our [mid-semester newsletter](#) here!

Saturday, November 3 Dad's Club Poker Night

6:30 PM @ AZ American Italian Club

[Reserve your spot](#) by October 24th; \$25 cost for food and buy-in. Questions?
dadsclub@anppso.org

Wednesday, November 7 ANP PSO Quarterly Meeting

7 PM @ Archway MPR

Learn more about campus activities and volunteer opportunities. Questions? secretary@anppso.org

Saturday, November 10 Mother-Son Ultimate Kickball Tournament

6 - 8:30 PM @ Field

[Register or volunteer today](#); only \$10 per couple for mom and son(s)! Questions? kickball@anppso.org

Great-ful Hearts Campaign (Formerly Snowstorm)

Monday, November 5 - Friday, November 30

Our annual holiday giving campaign for faculty and

staff kicks off this Monday, November 5! Manila folders with more information have been sent home with your scholars today. Please be on the lookout for videos and teacher highlights throughout the month of November. For more information, please visit www.anppso.org/hearts. Thank you for your continued support of our wonderful faculty!

Family Business Directory

The business directory is now live! [Click here](#) to view the listings or request to add your business to the list. Questions? vp@anppso.org

Thursday, December 6

Mom's Club Night Out

6 - 8:30 PM @ Nail Artistry, 10610 N. 32nd St,
Phoenix

Please [RSVP for your service](#) (see discounted fees) and preferred time. Questions?
momsclub@anppso.org

Check here for ongoing opportunities to [meet up with Archway moms!](#)

Sunday, December 9

Elks National Hoop Shoot Free Throw Shooting Contest

The Elks Hoop Shoot is a National free-throw contest for kids ages 8 to 13 (as of 4/1/2019). Beginning at a local Elks Lodge level (lodge 335 in our case, next to campus), winners advance through District, State, Regional and National competitions. There is no cost, and the Elks sponsor contestants and their families through every level of the competition.

+2:00pm at the Great Hearts North Phoenix Gym

+All boys and girls ages 8-13 (as of April 1, 2019) are eligible to participate.

+This is a free event!

+Divisions: There are six separate divisions for boys and girls, in age levels of 8-9, 10-11, and 12-13. The 8-9 year olds will shoot from 4 feet in front of the regulation foul line.

+This is open to the public, and no cost - please sign up [here](#) for both participants and anyone that wants to volunteer!

Stay connected with our Parent Service Organization (PSO) at www.anppso.org or follow us @NorthPhoenixParentAssociation on Facebook.

GreatHearts® Acclamatio!

Please click here [2017/2018 Annual Report](#) to view this year's Annual Report.

Calendar Dates

Early Dismissal: Wednesday, November 7, 2:00pm Dismissal

2018-2019 School Year Breaks and Parent Teacher Conferences

- Winter Break **December 21, 2018 - January 9, 2019**
- *Parent Teacher Conferences* January 7 - 9, 2019 (NO CLASSES)
- Spring Break **March 18 - 22, 2019**

2018-2019 School Year Calendar

Wednesday Early Dismissal: 2:00pm
Half-Day Dismissal: 12noon.

- [2018 - 2019 School Calendar](#)

Reporting an Absence

If your student will be absent, please send an email

to: attendance@archwaynorthphoenix.org.

Please include student name, grade and reason for the absence.

If you email your student's teacher about an absence, please include attendance@archwaynorthphoenix.org on the email.

Thank you.

2018 Birthday Policy

The new school policy is that birthday treats, toys, goodies, or "thank you" notes may NOT be distributed at school by parents, students, or teachers. Invitations may be distributed at school as long as the entire class is invited or if all the boys or all the girls of a class are invited. If invitations are not inclusive as indicated, then invitations will not be distributed. Students may choose to purchase a book from the school's "wish list" (archwaynorthphoenix.greatheartsacademies.org - click on Academics tab, Literature Reading Lists, and the appropriate grade level) to donate to the school library in honor of their birthday. A parent may arrange to read the book with the birthday student in front of the class. We know that birthdays are special, so will we do our best to make your child feel special on his/her special day.

Signing students out prior to dismissal

When your student has an appointment, or needs to leave prior to the end of the school day, please contact your student's teacher. Let the teacher know what time you plan to arrive so they can have your student packed and ready. Students must be signed out at the Administrative Office.

Please note the latest time a student may be picked up early:

Full Day Dismissal: 2:30

Early Release Dismissal: 1:30

Half Day Dismissal: 11:30

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Important Links

2018-19 Textbook Consumables

If you have not had an opportunity to do so, please log onto the [payment portal](#) to make a contribution toward offsetting the expense of consumable workbooks.

2018-19 Literature Library

2018-19 ANP Uniform and Dress Code

2018-19 Classroom Supplies

Newsletter Email Addresses

Due to changes in email addresses and families, the weekly newsletter is currently emailed to the first contact email address in the enrollment system. If you would like other family or friends to receive the weekly newsletter, please send an email to menglish@archwaynorthphoenix.org with any additional contact email address.

The option to forward this email is always listed at the bottom on the newsletter.

Thank you for your assistance in keeping the email list current.
