

January 26 - February 1, 2019

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Headmaster Letter

Dear Archway Family and Friends,

Last semester I shared with you three of Great Hearts' Six Loves. Can you remember what they were? The answer is at the bottom of this section. No peeking. Today I share with you the fourth of those loves, as a reminder of what we cherish as we fulfill our mission of cultivating the hearts and minds of students through the pursuit of Truth, Goodness, and Beauty.

4. Philosophical Realism

Great Hearts plants itself squarely within the classical tradition of Western philosophy: following the example of thinkers like Plato and Aristotle, we posit the knowability of the cosmos, the power of human reason to know not just itself and its works, but a reality outside of itself, and the ability of reason to cut through limitations of culture, history, and social conditioning to know truth.

We prefer this classical tradition of thought in opposition to what we might call the "sophistic" or "skeptical" tradition, which goes all the way back to ancient Athens, and which is alive and well today. The skeptic holds, generally speaking, that "man is the measure of all things"; that "truth" is relative or even non-existent; that notions of good and evil are mere social conventions, and that ethics are non-rational; that beauty is just a question of taste or preference; that reason is merely the power to make infinite distinctions.

Truly,



Curtis Fee
ANP Headmaster

1. The Virtues: Moral, Intellectual, and Athletic Excellence
2. The Western Tradition
3. Human Dignity and Freedom

Signing in Tardy Students

Students who arrive after the doors are closed to the Archway building must report directly to the front office for a late pass in order to be admitted to class.

[Please accompany students into the office to personally sign them in upon arrival.](#)

Track and Field Parent/Athlete Meeting

Parents and Athletes,

Track season is almost here. **There will be a MS and HS Parent/Athlete Meeting on Tuesday, January 29th at 6pm in the Prep MPR.** We will go over the schedules, meet the coaches, talk about our team and athlete expectations, and answer questions. In the link below is some important documents for the season.

<https://northphoenixprepathletics.com/2019/01/17/track-and-field-ms-and-hs-parentathlete-meeting-january-29th-at-6pm/>

Looking forward to a great season!

Coach Curtis

npxtrack@outlook.com

SAVE THE DATE!



**Saturday, March
2nd
Great
Hearts
North Phoenix
First Annual**

Community Basketball Tournament!

Sponsored by Our Tax Credit Drive

Stay tuned for more information and sign up details!

All Participants will need to be sponsored by a
Tax Credit
So make your contribution today!



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Great Hearts Academies

**Great Hearts North Phoenix Community
Service Day**

On January 26th, 2019 there will be two great opportunities to serve the school campus and the local community. From 9am - 12pm, you are invited to come to the Great Hearts North Phoenix campus and either help with rock/gravel removal throughout the campus or to help make sack lunches for the Phoenix Rescue Mission.

- **When:** Saturday, January 26th from 9am - 12pm
- **Where:** Great Hearts North Phoenix Campus
- **Who:** Anyone in the Community willing to help!
- **What/ Why:** The rocks around the campus have become an issue for cleanliness and safety. The rock removal project will involve using shovels, brooms and wheelbarrows to collect all of the rocks and gravel around the school campus and disperse them to other needed areas. The plan for the future is to replace the rocks with pavers or turf. The sack lunch project is to benefit the Phoenix Rescue Mission which feeds needy families throughout the Phoenix area.

In order to sign up to help, please visit the link below. We will need many volunteers to bring shovels, brooms, wheelbarrows, and a helping hand!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10cod4ba4a82ca2f94-great>

Classroom Newsletters

Kindergarten Newsletter

KA Ms. Borchers

KB Ms. Leahy

KC Ms. Baines

KD Ms. Distler

Grade 1

[1A Mrs. Bebow](#)

[1B Mrs. Sugiyama](#)

[1C Mrs. Flitcroft](#)

[1D Mrs. Page](#)

Grade 2

[2A Mrs. Williams](#)

[2B Ms. Alexander](#)

[2C Ms. Bixler](#)

[2D Ms. Marshall](#)

[Thank you from the US Military](#)

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

Saturday, February 2

3:30 - 6:30 PM @ CRUjiente Tacos

Mom's Club Night Out

RSVP here for a fun night out with other Archway moms!

Questions? [**momsclub@anppso.org**](mailto:momsclub@anppso.org)

Wednesday, February 6

Wednesday-Friendsday

2:15 PM @ Venturoso Park (across the street)

Hang out with Archway classmates after early dismissal and enjoy snacks sponsored by the PSO!

Friday, February 8

Dave & Buster's Meetup

12:30 - 3:30 PM @ Dave & Buster's, Desert Ridge

Join classmates and families for an afternoon at Dave & Buster's!

Ask for the ANP private room; 10% of proceeds will benefit our school. Questions? [**rebates@anppso.org**](mailto:rebates@anppso.org)

Tuesday, February 12

ANPPSO Quarterly Meeting

7 PM @ Archway MPR

Parents, learn more about volunteer opportunities at Archway! Did someone say door prizes? Questions? secretary@anppso.org

Thursday, February 14

Grab a sweet treat between 3:30 and 7:30pm at Yogurtini (475 East Bell Road) to celebrate Valentines Day and a portion of proceeds will go back to the school.

Saturday, February 23

[Great Hearts North Phoenix Daddy Daughter Dance!](#)



2018-2019 Argonaut Yearbook

Upload your class photos by March 11

Contribute to the Archway Classical Academy Yearbook today!

SCHOOL ID:
78341

Go to www.PictavoCommunity.com



UPLOAD YOUR PHOTOS

Click 'Upload Photos.'



Create an Account.



Find your school.



Enter your information.



Click 'Upload Photos.'

Select the photo(s) you want to upload from your computer or mobile device.

Enter details about the photo(s):

- Who's in the photo(s)
- Category/folder into which the photo(s) should be placed
- Date(s) taken

CONGRATULATIONS!

Your photo(s) have now been uploaded for consideration in your school's yearbook!



order your yearbook for only \$25 during pre-sales (before March 26)!

ARCHWAY CLASSICAL ACADEMY
yearbooks are on sale now!

Order online at community.pictavo.com

\$25 for a yearbook
\$30 for a personalized yearbook
(Personalized yearbooks can only be ordered before March 26th.)

PRE SALES END
MARCH
26th

ORDER NOW TO SECURE YOUR COPY!

Questions? argoyearbook@anppso.org

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

Final Friday Spirit Wear

Final Friday Spirit Wear - will be allowed on the last school day Friday of each month. Students are allowed to wear ANP-issued shirts on those days. All other elements of the dress code will still apply. The remaining dates for this school year are, February 22, March 29, April 26, and May 24.

2019-2020 School Year

August 6: Kindergarten first day of class

August 7: First day of class grades 1 - 6

October 7 - October 15: Fall Break

October 14 and 15: Parent Teacher Conferences

December 23 - January 8: Winter Break

January 6 - January 8: Parent Teacher Conferences

March 16 - March 20: Spring Break

May 27: Last day of classes

2018-2019 School Year Calendar Dates

2018-2019 Remaining School Year Break

- Spring Break **March 18 - 22, 2019**

2018-2019 School Year:

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.

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 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.

