

CHANDLER PREPARATORY ACADEMY

A Great Hearts Academy

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

MONDAY 07 OCTOBER 2019

UPCOMING EVENTS

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10th Grade Headmaster Chat – October 8

Please join Mr. Poppleton at the 10th grade Headmaster Chat this Tuesday, October 8, in the Chandler Prep Library. We will discuss the academic and social development of our 10th grade students. The event will begin at 8:15am and conclude by 9:15am.

[Athletics](#)

[PSO](#)

Mr. Poppleton hosts Headmaster Chats to discuss the academic and social development of our students. We look forward to seeing you at these events, which take place at 8:15am in our library on the dates below. [RSVP using this link.](#)

10th grade – 10/8

11th grade – 10/29

12th grade – 11/5

Half Day Release (12:30 pm) – October 11

Students will be released at 12:30 pm on Friday, October 11. Students should leave the building promptly.

No School: Fall Break – October 14 - 22

Enjoy your Fall Break! No classes will be held October 14-22.

Parent-Teacher Conferences – October 21, 22, 23

All families will be emailed about parent-teacher conferences on Tuesday, October 1. Each child has either a specific October appointment, or a January conference.

Please send an email to Mrs. Davies (vdavies@chandlerprep.org) if:

- you did not receive an email about each of your children
- you are unable to attend your parent-teacher conference
- you would like an October appointment, but didn't receive one (there will be an October waitlist)
- you would like to request a teleconference at your appointment time (face-to-face is better, but not always possible)

Appointment dates and times are set according to the student section (6A, 9C, etc.) in order to have the correct teacher teams available. That means **we cannot accommodate specific date/time requests.**

January time slots are already filled with those that did not receive an October conference, but there will be a January waitlist for those that need to cancel October appointments.

Students in grades 6-8 do not attend parent-teacher conferences.

Classes Resume, Half Day Release (12:30 pm) – October 23

Students will be released at 12:30 pm on Wednesday, October 23 due to parent-teacher conferences. Students should leave the building promptly.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

PowerSchool Parent Portal

All families should receive an email today for each of their students about how to login to the PowerSchool Parent Portal. Each student will have a separate access code. This will allow parents to see final grades and evaluations for their students. Please note that the mobile version is not as useful as the browser version. Parents will only see historical grades. Each parent creates a single account and adds all of their students attending a Great Hearts academy to that account. Quarter 1 grades and evaluations for this year will not be available until October 20, 2019. **Parents that have blocked message delivery from SchoolMessenger will not receive these emails.**

Mentoring Meeting for New Middle School Students – October 8

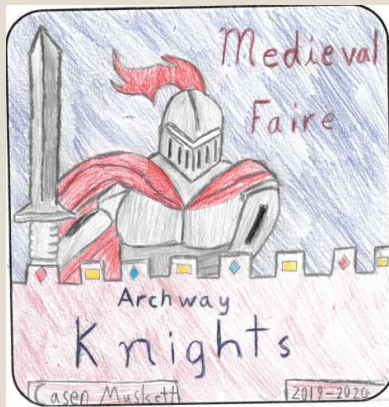
MENTORING MEETINGS ARE TOMORROW, Tuesday, Oct. 8, from 3:15 to 3:45.

The topic this week is "Tutoring and Test Prep." Please do not arrive to pick up your child before 3:50. Due to Fall break and parent-teacher conferences, Mentoring meetings will not occur again until Tuesday, Oct. 29. After that there are only three remaining meetings: Nov. 5, Nov. 19, and Dec. 3. Please mark your calendars.

Requesting Disinfectant Wipes for Art Classes

Parents of Middle and High School Art Students (6th, 7th, and 12th grades):

We need disinfectant wipes. Please consider sending your child to school with a canister or two!



ACC Medieval Faire – Saturday, November 2

All Chandler Prep families are invited to attend Archway's 10th Annual Medieval Faire on Saturday, November 2nd from 11 am to 2 pm on the Chandler Prep field.

We are also seeking **Chandler Prep Volunteers** to help run booths or help with cleanup after the Faire. Volunteers will receive volunteer credit and will not need a wristband to participate when they volunteer for at least one hour.

Sign up online: <https://signup.com/go/sujBJQV>

Check out the [Medieval Faire page](#) for more details! Or contact [Janice Rogers](#) with questions.

Great Hearts Gala Recap

The 4th Annual Great Hearts Gala took place on Saturday, raising over \$550,000 in gross revenue to support our teachers. Thank you to all of our families who supported this wonderful initiative. Click here to [view photos](#) from the Gala or [watch the footage](#) from the live stream. Please tentatively Save the Date of **September 26, 2020** for next year's event. If you are interested in representing our Chandler community on the 2020 Gala committee, please contact Brenna Norris at bnorris@greatheartsaz.org.

Volunteer Badges

If you attended the Fingerprinting session at the beginning of the school year, you may pick up your volunteer badges at the front desk.

Chandler Prep 2019-20 Yearbooks

The 2019-20 Chandler Prep yearbook is now available for pre-order directly from the publisher. [Order a 2019-20 Chandler Prep Yearbook](#). Chandler Prep's order number is 16422.

For those who order personalization, names will be stamped into the cover for an additional \$5.

Yearbook has a link to eshare, a website where parents and students may share photos for potential use in the yearbook. Please share photos from events such as dances, sporting events, group outings, etc.

The link is: <http://www.hjeshare.com/eShare/>
Password is case sensitive: <deleted>

Thank you for supporting your children and the Chandler Prep yearbook!

SUPPORT CHANDLER PREP

Why We Support Community Investment



"We have been a proud Archway family for the past 6 years. Our youngest child started kindergarten this past August and we choose to enroll him in the full-day kindergarten program. Although that can be a financial burden, we feel it's important for him to be challenged and exposed to as much as he possibly can. With that being said, we also choose to participate in the Community Investment campaign. Not one student ended up at Archway Chandler or Chandler Prep by accident. Like you, we actively sought the BEST educational opportunities for our children. For our family, that is at Archway Chandler and Chandler Prep. I love knowing that my Community Investment allows the students to be exposed to the richest curriculum possible. With classroom growth booming all over Arizona, I also appreciate knowing that my Community Investment support provides a teacher AND a teaching assistant in every classroom at Archway Chandler, and small class sizes at Chandler Prep." – Shelly and Christopher Goguen

Community Investment partnership with every family is important. Please make your Community Investment gift today!

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COLLEGE COUNSELING

Great Hearts College Symposium - Saturday, October 19

JUNIOR Students & Parents - The Great Hearts College Symposium is **SATURDAY, October 19** at Scottsdale Prep. You received an email from Great Hearts with all the details and a [link to RSVP](#). Included with the email were electronic information cards for students to complete electronically and bring with them to the symposium on October 19. This is a great opportunity for our juniors to connect with over 70 college admission representatives.

FAFSA Opened

SENIORS - The FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) opened October 1. You access the FAFSA at <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa>. Also check out the Chandler Prep [College Counseling webpage](#) for more information about Financial Aid and Scholarships. Note that some private colleges also require the [CSS Profile](#), in addition to the FAFSA for financial aid/scholarship consideration.

College Information Sessions in October

Date & Time	Colleges/Universities	Registration Link	Location
October 14, 7:00 pm	Yale University	Register_Yale	<u>Dorrance Auditorium</u> Phoenix Country Day School 3901 E Stanford Dr Paradise Valley, AZ 85253
October 17, 7:00-8:30 pm	University of Alabama	Register_UAlabama	Hilton Scottsdale Resort & Villas 6333 N Scottsdale Rd Scottsdale, AZ 85250

October 20, 11 am – 2 pm	NACAC National College Fair	Register NACAC Fair	Phoenix Convention Center 100 N 3rd St Phoenix, AZ 85004
October 20, 2 pm – 4 pm	Reed College	Register Reed	Burton Barr Central Library 1221 N Central Ave Phoenix, AZ 85004-1820
October 20, 6:00 pm	University of Oregon	Register UOregon	Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art 7374 E. 2 nd St. Scottsdale, AZ. 85251
October 21, 6:30 – 8:30pm	NACAC Visual & Performing Arts Fair	Register NACAC Arts Fair	Phoenix Convention Center - West Hall 2 100 N 3rd St Phoenix, AZ 85004

PSAT Day – Wednesday, October 30 (Early Release)

All 9th-11th graders will take the PSAT at Chandler Prep on Wednesday, October 30. Detailed information was emailed to families in September. To cover the cost of the test, scoring, answer sheets and books that are returned, we request a \$35 contribution for each student. Click [here](#) to make your contribution. Watch for additional emails coming soon.

College Night for Junior Parents – Save the Date – November 6

Wednesday, **November 6, 2019** from 6:30pm – 8:00pm in the Chandler Prep Cafeteria.

ATHLETICS

Please check <http://www.chandlerprepactivities.com/> for **all** Chandler Prep activities.

Athletic Events This Week

Click [here](#) to see the list of athletic events for the week of October 7 - 19.

PARENT SERVICE ORGANIZATION (PSO)

www.chandlerpreppso.org



FYI: The school's daily announcements will be posted every day on the [PSO Website](#)! **Don't miss any important updates!** **Subscribe to the PSO website** and get notified whenever there is a new posting: [Click here to subscribe](#).



Upcoming PSO Meeting

Tuesday, October 29th at 8:15 am

Our next PSO Meeting will be on Tuesday, October 29th at 8:15a.m. in the Chandler Prep cafeteria. At this meeting, we will be looking ahead at events in November and December, and we will be working on the upcoming Snowstorm. We are always looking for new ideas and extra hands to help support our amazing Chandler Prep community.



Snacks for Teachers – ****DONATIONS NEEDED****

Thursday, Oct. 10th and Friday, Oct 11th

[Click here to SIGN UP](#) to donate snack items for our teachers! Please drop off your snacks on the cart in the forum on **Thurs Oct. 10th and Fri Oct 11th** (before Fall Break). Our teachers will really appreciate the "fuel" from the Chandler Prep community during conferences on Oct. 21st and 22nd! *Note – Certain perishable items have a drop off day of Monday, Oct 21st. This info will be in the Sign-Up Genius.



Spirit Wear

Looking to purchase Chandler Prep Spirit Wear? [Click here](#) to order spirit wear for the whole family.



Box Tops!

We are collecting Box Tops **through Feb. 15!!** You'll find them on Kleenex tissues, Cheerios, Old El Paso taco shells, and many other products. Please submit them in the basket in the forum on the PSO table. Thank You!



Chandler Prep Faculty Birthday Program

Thank you to those who have signed up to help with Faculty Birthdays, but **there are still a few teachers and staff who need someone to help celebrate the birthday!** [Please sign up!!](#) It's easy and makes a big difference on their special day.

[Sign up here!](#)

Chandler Prep Families, your support is what gives our school such an amazing sense of community! Please contact **Erika Nelson** (FacultyBirthdays@chandlerpreppso.org) if you have any questions.



Hot Lunch Ordering

Hot lunch ordering for the 2nd quarter is now open! Online hot lunch ordering is available on the [PSO lunch ordering page](#). **Remember: Orders need to be placed four days in advance.** The Lunch Program is provided through the PSO and consists of catered food delivered by local restaurant vendors and served by volunteers during the lunch periods.

Chandler Prep PSO: Service ~ Community ~ Friendship

CPA PSO Board 2019-20

Erika Nelson, Co-President
Jeni Severa, Co-President
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Zandra Cheung, Secretary
Pam Morris, Co-Treasurer
Sarah Davis, Co-Treasurer

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