

Archway Weekly Update | September 7, 2023

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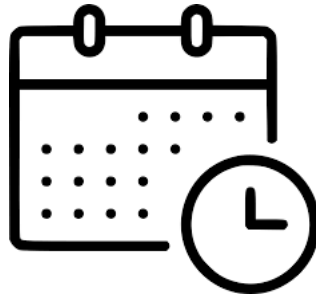
**THE ARCHER'S SCROLL
NEWSLETTER**

SEPTEMBER 7, 2023

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Upcoming key dates to remember:

- September 13** Used Uniform Sale, 1-3:15pm
- September 15** Half Day
- September 20** Chipotle Dine Out Event, 4-8pm
- September 23** PSO Bungalow Night, 5-7pm
- September 25** No School
- September 28** PSO Mom Mixer, 6-8:30pm
- September 29** Spirit Day RESCHEDULED
- September 30** **Great Hearts Gala**
- October 9-13** No School, Fall Break
- October 16-20** Half Days & Parent/Teacher Conferences
- October 20** Classical Character Day



2023-24
SCHOOL CALENDAR



UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS!

Families are invited to participate in celebrating the birthdays of our fantastic Archway Scottsdale faculty & staff members. Feel free to encourage your students to create heartfelt handmade cards or extend your thoughtfulness by selecting a gift of your preference to deliver.

FACULTY & STAFF FAVORITE THINGS

September 10 **Mrs. Permoda** | KA

September 12 **Mrs. Brush** | 1C

Mrs. Sablan | 2A

September 13 **Mr. Samara** | 4D



Dismissal Reminder

We are "in the groove" for dismissal! Now that clubs have started and families and faculty have practiced dismissal procedures for a couple of weeks, our dismissal is now completely wrapped up by 3:45pm on full days and 2:45pm on early release days. Therefore, this is a friendly reminder that dismissal starts at 2:50pm (for K-2) and 3:15pm (for 3-5 + K-2 siblings) on full days, and at 1:50pm and 2:15pm on early release days respectively. Please make every effort to come through the carline within 20 minutes of your student's dismissal time. This truly helps our traffic flow consistently. Beep beep!

Picture Day was a Success!

Individual portraits were taken today and families may still place an [online order](#) for 4 days. **If your student was absent, class photos and individual portrait retakes will take place on Thursday, February 1, 2024.**





Congratulations to our Archer of the Day!

This student was nominated by their teachers because they are an extraordinary student in the classroom and embody what it means to be an Archer. This student consistently demonstrates outstanding qualities that make a positive impact not only in the classroom but also in our greater school community. We are proud of you!

Elodie Constable | 3E



Become a PSO Volunteer

CLICK HERE to see all of our current volunteer opportunities in one convenient place! This includes traffic volunteers, faculty snack donations, and lunch volunteers. Thank you for your interest in supporting our ACS community. To ensure a harmonious and effective collaboration with our dedicated parent volunteers, please remember:

- The importance of professional dress and comportment as we enter the doors of Archway Scottsdale to volunteer our time in a professional space
- Our commitment to professional confidentiality in matters of student services and discipline (If any volunteer ever has a concern while serving our school, they are encouraged to connect with the front desk or a member of administration rather than communicate prematurely with other parents.)

We have outlined the volunteer policies and expectations in the **family handbook**.



ARCHWAY SCOTTSDALE PARENT SERVICE ORGANIZATION

[Click here to find out more about the PSO!](#)



Staff Birthday Treats

The PSO is still in need of a volunteer for October birthday treats!

The PSO provides a monthly treat for all the staff to celebrate the staff birthdays that month. If you are interested in helping to provide a birthday treat, please contact **PSO Faculty Appreciation** for details.

Follow us on social media to stay up to date and connected with our community



Please answer all of the questions or we cannot add you!





#GOSPARTANS

Scottsdale Prep Football Game

The Spartans take on Trivium Prep on **Friday, September 8th** at Trivium (Goodyear, AZ) at **7pm**. Come out to show your school spirit and cheer on the Spartans!

Used Uniform Sale

Join us for the PSO's Used Uniform Sale, taking place on **Wednesday, September 13th**, from **1:00 to 3:15 pm**. The sale will be held at the front of the school. Before or after picking up your students, make sure to swing by and take advantage of this opportunity to stock up on gently used uniforms. Please note that we'll be accepting cash payments only. Don't miss out!



Join us for our next PSO Dine Out Event!

WE CAN DO THIS!!! FOOD WITH INTEGRITY.
COMMUNITY STARTS HERE. 25% TASTES MADE FRESH
FOIL-WRAP... BATTER... EVER...
GOODNESS... OTHER... DAY
GENEROUS... CAN CHANGE... THE THING
HELPING... FOOD... ABLE TO...
BURRITOS... CAUSE... AN... EFFECT...
OP... AR... THE... FROM...
ULTIMATE...
WORLD...
IDEA...
SUN...
GLOBE...

DO GOOD WITH CHIPOTLE



CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR
ARCHWAY SCOTTSDALE

33% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH | 4-8PM

15035 N THOMPSON PEAK PKWY STE E101,
SCOTTSDALE, AZ, 85260

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **VE3QQWG**
OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT



For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.



Family Binglow Night

Mark your calendars and join us on **Saturday, September 23rd** for Bingo with a Glow from **5:00 to 7:00pm** in the Archway MPR! Come dressed in neon and light-up clothing and/or accessories. This is a free event for ACS families. Concessions including pizza, snacks and drinks will be available for purchase during the event (cash only, please).

Please confirm your attendance by signing up [here](#).

We need your help make this event a success...[sign up to volunteer!](#)

Moms Night Out

Attention all Archer Moms: PSO is hosting a Moms Night out on **Thursday, September 28** from **6:00 to 8:00pm** at Sophia's Kitchen (17050 N Thompson Peak Pkwy Suite 125, Scottsdale, AZ 85255).

We can't wait to mingle with our fellow Archway Moms! Appetizers will be provided and additional food and drink will be available for purchase.

Please RSVP to the event by signing up [here!](#)

Order your official "Moms' Night Out" t-shirt by Monday, September 11 through your [Boonli account!](#)





Interested in Joining Cub Scouts?

Does your son want to make new friends, hike, camp, do fun activities, learn leadership skills and help serve the community?

Cub Scouts is a family-centered program that teaches positive life skills, values, and attitudes. Cub Scout activities encourage character development, build citizenship, and promotes personal fitness. Scouts may join at any grade level; previous Scouting experience is not required. On the advancement trail, a Cub Scout progresses towards a badge of rank based on their grade, starting in kindergarten through 5th grade!

If your son is interested in joining Cub Scouts, please [contact us](#) for more information and to get signed up.

Cub Scout Pack 682 – meets at Archway Classical Academy Scottsdale. The [next pack meeting](#) is at 6-7pm Monday September 11th.



COMMUNITY INVESTMENT KICK OFF

Next week we will be celebrating **Community Investment**, one of the many ways to give to Archway Scottsdale! Funds from Archway Scottsdale's Community Investment campaign help support two teachers in the classroom and the specials curriculum. Thank you to those that have already given. Go Archers!



[Click here to learn more about Community Investment](#)

Annual Title I Grant Program Meeting

The annual Title I Grant Program meeting will be held virtually **Tuesday, Sep 19, 2023**. **Two sessions will be available on this date:**

Session 1 at 9:30 AM: <https://greathearts.zoom.us/j/96438604344>

Session 2 at 1 PM: <https://greathearts.zoom.us/j/98531593449>

These sessions will answer the questions: What is Title I? What is the Title I Grant Program? What resources are available for students who qualify for this assistance? The meeting will conclude with an open Q & A. Following the meeting, a brief survey will be distributed to collect feedback from attendees.

Questions about this event or Title I: Please email Missy Penniman at melissa.penniman@greathearts.org



Birthday Book Donations

How do we celebrate student birthdays here at Archway Scottsdale? With a birthday book! Parents may donate a book from **our library's Birthday Book wish list** to be read in the classroom. Labeled with your child's name and birthday, this book is added to our school library for all to enjoy. Please be sure to mark your purchase as a gift and put your child's name, class, and birthday in the gift receipt! If you are unsure if we received your birthday book donation, please **email our librarians** and they will be happy to answer your questions.

Lost and Found

Please make sure to clearly label your water bottles, lunch boxes, and jackets to help find them easily. Lost & Found items are located on a cart outside the front office during office hours. Please come find your misplaced items today! Items unclaimed for more than two weeks are subject to be donated or discarded.



ACS School Policies

Reporting absences

Please communicate **all absences** to:

- The front office (email:office@archwayscottsdale.org)
- Your lead homeroom teacher **and** assistant teacher

Thank you for your help with keeping everyone informed!

Forgotten Items

After school, students are not allowed to re-enter the school after they have been picked up to retrieve forgotten books, lunchboxes, homework, etc. This policy is in place for the safety of students and also to increase the virtue of responsibility in our students.

For the security of our students and faculty, the office staff cannot leave the front office to deliver forgotten lunches, water bottles, or homework and interrupt the classroom learning environment.

While we understand there can be occasional forgotten lunch, we ask all lunches to be delivered by 10:30 am, clearly marked with name, grade and section. Additionally, parents must alert both teachers (lead & assistant) by email that a lunch has been dropped off. If your child has forgotten a water bottle or other materials, please follow the same drop-off guidelines, communicating with your child's teachers via email.

DoorDash, Uber Eats, Grubhub, and similar delivery services are not permitted to deliver for students.



QUICK LINKS

Current Volunteer Opportunities

GH Volunteer Application

ACS Family Giving

Family Directory

Family Handbook

Family Resources

Faculty & Staff Favorites

Uniform & Dress Code Policy

Uniform Pictorial Guide

Order Hot Lunch

Birthday Book List

Weekly Email Archives

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