
Archway Weekly Update | May 8, 2025

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Archway Scottsdale



THE ARCHER'S SCROLL NEWSLETTER

May 8, 2025

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Upcoming key dates to remember:

MAY

May 15 5th Grade Poster Hanging | 9:30-10:30am | North Field Fence

May 19-22 Half Days

May 20 Kindergarten Promotions | ACS MPR

8:45-9:30am (KA, KC, KE)

10-10:45am (KB, KD, KF)

May 21 5th Grade Promotion

8:30-9:30am | SPA Gym

9:40-10:10am | Reception ACS Field

May 21 PSO Handel's Dine Out

ARCHWAY SCOTTSDALE DINE OUT EVENT!



15681 N. Hayden Road
Scottsdale, AZ 85260

MAY 21
12:00 PM - 8:00 PM

@HANDELS_SCOTTSDALE
WWW.HANDELSICECREAM.COM



**20% OF TOTAL PURCHASES WILL BE
DONATED TO ARCHWAY SCOTTSDALE PSO!**

Not valid with any other offer. Good at North Scottsdale Handel's only. Good this day and time only. Flyer distribution on Handel's property is prohibited and will result in forfeiture of your organization's entire donation.

May 21 PSO Ninja Nation Spirit Night

★ SPIRIT NIGHT ★
NINJANATION

**MAY 21ST
2PM - 6PM**

COMPETITIONS
PRO NINJA COACH
CONTESTS

WASPED WALL
SWOOP SLIDER
STEALTH LADDER



****DON'T MISS OUT!****

Attend Spirit Night on May 21st for a chance to win a
5 Punch Pass donated by Ninja Nation!

**MENTION ARCHWAY SCOTTSDALE AT CHECK OUT AND WE'LL
DONATE 20% OF THE PROCEEDS BACK TO THE SCHOOL!**

15449 N Hayden Rd Scottsdale AZ 85260 www.scottsdale.ninjanation.com 480.690.7007

May 22 Last Day of School | Archer Day

View our full events calendar by clicking below:



SUMMER DATES TO REMEMBER

July 1 Deadline to [Order EduKit](#)
July 1 Time to renew your [Great Hearts volunteer application](#) for 2025-26!

2025-26 BACK TO SCHOOL DATES

July 25 Kindergarten Welcome Letters from Teachers sent via email

July 28 1st-5th Grade Welcome Letters from Teachers sent via email

July 28 Club Registration Opens

July 29 Meet the Teacher

3:30-4:15pm (Families A-G)

4:30-5:15pm (Families H-O)

5:30-6:15pm (Families P-Z)

July 31 First Day of School

SCHOOL HOURS

Half-Day Kindergarten | 8:15-11:45 AM

Full-Day Kindergarten-2nd Grade | 8:15-2:50 PM

3rd-5th Grade (+ K-2nd Grade Siblings) | 8:15-3:15 PM

Early Release

1:50 PM (K-2nd)

2:15 PM (3rd-5th + K-2nd siblings)

Half Day

11:50 AM (K-2nd Grade)

12:15 PM (3rd-5th + K-2nd siblings)

2024-2025
SCHOOL CALENDAR

2024-2025
IMPORTANT DATES

DRAFT 2025-2026
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

May 12 [Mrs. Khanna](#) | [Front Office](#)



Congratulations to our Archers of the Day!

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

Zoe Wyzgowski | 2E
Emery Lee | 2E
Marilaina Yaziji | 4A
Mithra Mithun | 5F
Graham Kloppenburg | 1D



IMPORTANT REMINDERS

From the Health Office

MEDICATION PICK UP

If your scholar has medication in the nurse's office, please pick it up during normal school hours before the last day of school. Medications not picked up by the last day of school, Thursday, May 22nd, will be discarded.

IMMUNIZATION RECORDS

In accordance with Arizona State Law (A.R.S 15-872), students must have proof of all required immunizations, or a valid exemption to attend school. The immunization requirements are: 2 MMR, 5 DTap, 4 Polio, 3 Hepatitis B, 1 Varicella

A copy must be submitted by the first day of school to the health office (healthoffice@archwayscottsdale.org) if no record was provided during enrollment.

PLANNING FOR NEXT YEAR: MEDICAL FORMS REMINDER

As we prepare for the 2025–2026 school year, please note that **all medical information, action/care plans, and medication consent forms need to be updated every school year.** If your child has allergies, asthma, seizures, migraines, or type one diabetes, which require medication to be kept at school or nursing interventions to be performed, an action/care plan is required from your child's health care provider. **All action plans require a healthcare provider's signature.**

If your child needs prescription medication administered at school, the following form needs to be completed.

Forms are available below:

[Allergy Action Plan](#)

[Asthma Action Plan](#)

[Seizure Action Plan](#)

[Migraine Health Care Plan](#)

[Consent to Dispense Medication](#)

Please reach out to the Health Office with any questions. Thank you for partnering with us to support your child's health and safety!

ACS Spirit Week is Here!

SPIRIT WEEK MAY 5 - 9

MONDAY:

WACKY DAY

Get wacky with your craziest hairstyle AND socks with your normal uniform and uniform shoes

WEDNESDAY:

WESTERN DAY

Wrangle the day in your best western outfit with boots or normal uniform shoes
(Hats are permissible if they can be removed during class)



Please avoid pop culture

If an item is not related to the theme, please default to regular uniform item

Clothing should be loose fitting and cover the same area as our uniform

TUESDAY:

FUTURE IS BRIGHT

Shine bright in a neon (or tie dye or multicolor) outfit with normal uniform shoes

THURSDAY:

FAN OR FANCY?

Sport your favorite team attire OR dress to impress in your fanciest outfit with normal uniform shoes

FRIDAY:

PEP ASSEMBLY

Get ready to cheer in your class color from head-to-toe, even your shoes!
(Or wear your Archer Spirit Wear)

Kinder - Green * 1ST - White
2ND - Purple * 3RD - Blue
4TH - Pink or Orange * 5TH - Black

Traffic Alert:

PLEASE PLAN AHEAD!

We've recently noticed an increase in traffic in the area surrounding our campus, particularly during morning drop-off time. To help ensure a smooth and timely arrival and dismissal, we encourage all

families to plan ahead and allow extra time when traveling to and from school. Thank you for your continued patience and support in keeping our campus safe and accessible for everyone.

from the office of
ACADEMY GIVING

Build The Community Through Investment

Community Investment is a gift to our school that helps bridge the gap between the funding we receive from the state and our operational budget.



100% of your
donation stays at the
academy, supports
the operating budget,
and funds Art, Music,
and Foreign
Languages.

How much can I contribute? We ask each family to consider making a gift of \$1,500 per student each year. Our giving portal offers options for one-time gifts and recurring giving plans. Every gift is appreciated.

DONATE TO COMMUNITY INVESTMENT HERE

Have Questions?

Contact Family Giving, 480- 776-3571

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Parent Service Organization



SOCIAL EVENTS | LUNCH PROGRAM | ROOM PARENTS | YEARBOOK | FACULTY APPRECIATION
EDUKIT | SPIRIT WEAR | VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR | USED UNIFORMS | DINE OUTS

FIND OUT MORE
ABOUT THE PSO!

CURRENT VOLUNTEER
OPPORTUNITIES

PSO Impact

Building Community and Giving Back

RECAP

Teacher Appreciation Week

March 17-21, 2025

Monday



coffee

Tuesday



snacks

Wednesday



donuts

Thursday



massages

Friday



lunch

Daughter Dance

SOCIAL



LIGHT up the NIGHT

February 22, 2025

Son Event

SOCIAL



April 5, 2025

OUR PSO LUNCH PROGRAM TEAM HAS ALREADY SECURED NEXT YEAR'S LUNCH LEADS AND LINED UP ALL THE VENDORS!



ARIZONA CHARTER SCHOOLS RECEIVE \$2,300 LESS PER STUDENT THAN DISTRICT SCHOOLS. COMMUNITY INVESTMENT BRIDGES THIS DEFICIT, AND COVERS 9-11% OF THE OPERATING BUDGET. CURRENTLY, ONLY 41% OF ACS FAMILIES CONTRIBUTE. YOUR SUPPORT MAKES A BIG DIFFERENCE!

DID YOU KNOW?



SPIRIT WEEK WAS STARTED BY A PSO MEMBER IN 2024, AND WE LOVE BEING PART OF THE PLANNING AND IDEAS THAT MAKE IT SO SPECIAL!

OUR PSO COORDINATES THE **EduKit** PROGRAM! EVERY EDUKIT PURCHASE HELPS FUND CLASSROOM SUPPLIES AND SUPPORTS OUR SCHOOL DIRECTLY! LESS SHOPPING FOR YOU, MORE RESOURCES FOR OUR TEACHERS!



OUR YEARBOOKS ARE BEING PRINTED RIGHT NOW!

OUR PSO IS PROVIDING VOLUNTEERS AND DECOR FOR THIS MONTH'S KINDER AND 5TH GRADE PROMOTIONS!

ON ADMIN APPRECIATION DAY, APRIL 23RD, PSO SHOWED OUR THANKS BY HOSTING LUNCH FOR THE ADMIN AND COVERING FRONT DESK DUTIES WHILE THEY ENJOYED THEIR MEAL!



Pine-Out!

Join Us!
5/21/25

BARRO'S PIZZA

Est. AZ 1980
A FAMILY TRADITION



FUN FACT



This school year, the PSO orgnaized:

- 1500 Faculty Birthday treats
- 144 Instagram posts
- 46 Room Parents
- 25 Pine-Outs & events
- 11 Used Uniform Sales
- 7 Social Events
- 6 Staff luncheons



Order your School Supply Kit today!



www.edukitinc.com

It's Time to Order your EduKit!

The PSO offers the EduKit program as a convenient option for busy families to order school supplies for the 2025-2026 year. EduKits include the supplies approved by our school. **Order by July 1** for best pricing and for your EduKits to be delivered to your home on or before July 26. If you have any questions, please [contact Corinna](#).

ORDER YOUR EDUKIT TODAY!



OTHER NEWS

This Summer, Keep Your Student Placard!

Please hang on to those blue placards for next school year. The school will not be providing new placards for returning students. Plan ahead: if you need a replacement or extra placard, [email the front office now](#) to order a set for \$5. Updated classroom stickers will be proved at Meet the Teacher events in July.

Class Placements and Class Lists

At the end of May, we will start to compile the data we will use for creating class lists for next school year. While specific requests for teachers cannot be accommodated, we appreciate parent input regarding general student needs, pairings and separations, and any other details that you think would be helpful context for us to have when creating classes. Please email this information to your current homeroom teacher or to Mrs. Elizabeth Gonzalez (egonzalez@archwayscottsdale.org) by the end of May and we will take your information into consideration during our summer planning.

The Waitlist for the 2025-26 Athenaeum After-School Program is Open

The Athenaeum After-School Program is a comprehensive program that has the same culture and educational focus as the academy. Each day, students are provided with dedicated homework time in addition to a variety of culturally enriching, hands-on activities in a safe and supportive after-school setting. Athenaeum scholars also enjoy time for recreation, games, socializing, and just plain fun! Athenaeum is open to Grades K-5 and is available daily from the dismissal bell (even on early release and half-days) until 6:00 PM. Flexible and affordable options are available to fit any family's after-school needs.

For more information visit:
GreatHeartsArizona.org/athenaeum

Registration for Summer Programs is Open!

Summer Programs include Summer Camp for any student in rising grades 1st-5th, and Kinder Readiness for new, incoming kindergarten students (including those on the Great Hearts waitlist). Whether you register for one week, or all four, it is bound to be an experience to remember! Visit the [Summer Programs Website](#) to learn more.

REGISTER FOR SUMMER PROGRAMS HERE!

QUICK LINKS

[Front Office Guidelines & Policies](#)

[Archway Scottsdale Events Calendar](#)

[Health Office Guidelines & Policies](#)

[Family Directory](#)

[Order Hot Lunch](#)

[Family Handbook](#)

[Email Archives](#)

[Volunteer Application](#)

[Uniform Pictorial Guide](#)

[Birthday Book Wishlist](#)

[Current Volunteer Opportunities](#)

[Uniform & Dress Code Policy](#)

[Report a School Safety Problem or Concern](#)

Great Hearts Academies would like to continue connecting with you via email. If you prefer to be removed from our list, please contact Great Hearts Academies directly. To stop receiving all email messages distributed through our SchoolMessenger service, follow this link and confirm: [Unsubscribe](#)

SchoolMessenger is a notification service used by the nation's leading school systems to connect with parents, students and staff through voice, SMS text, email, and social media.