
Archway Weekly Update | January 12, 2025

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Archway Scottsdale



THE ARCHER'S SCROLL NEWSLETTER

January 12, 2026

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Upcoming key dates to remember:

JANUARY

Galileo Testing Dates

2nd Grade 1/26, 1/27 - 8:20 - 10:20 am
3rd Grade 1/15, 1/16 - 11:30 am - 1:10 pm
4th Grade 1/29, 1/30 - 8:20 - 9:50 am
5th Grade 1/12, 1/13 - 9:10 - 10:45 am

January 5 No School | Teacher Workday

January 14



January 19-23 No School | Civil Rights Day & Barrett Jackson
January 29 Class Pictures & Individual Retakes

FEBRUARY

February 6 Half Day | GH Teacher In-Service
February 16 No School | President's Day (R&R)

MARCH

March 13 Field Day
March 16-20 No School | Spring Break

SCHOOL HOURS

Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays
 Half-Day Kindergarten | 8:15-11:45 AM
 Full-Day Kindergarten-5th Grade | 8:15 AM-3:15 PM

Wednesdays & Half Days
 All kindergarten-5th Grade | 8:15am-12:15pm

2025-26
 SCHOOL CALENDAR



2025-26
 IMPORTANT DATES



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

January 19 Ms. Hevesy | KE

January 22 Mrs. Meyer | Health Office

January 23 Mrs. Hayes | ESS

January 25 Ms. Whitby | KF

January 27 Mr. Gonifas | KD



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!

Carina Dinu | 5D



IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Carline Reminders

NO LEFT TURN

Please note that turning left into our south-east entrance from Westworld Way does slow down our morning carline. If you must take a left turn, please utilize our north-east entrance.

MORNING CARLINE END TIME IS 8:10AM

Please be advised that the crosswalk between Scottsdale Prep and Archway is **NOT** supervised after 8:10am. Please refrain from dropping Archway students off at Scottsdale Prep after 8:05am.

Please arrive at our carline before 8:10am.



3-5 AASA/AzSci Testing

Students in grades 3-5 will have required Arizona state testing in March and April. **Please refrain from scheduling appointments during testing windows.** If a student leaves after starting the test, that student is not allowed to finish their test that day or on a make-up day. That student **MUST** submit their unfinished test and blank answers.

*****All Third Grade students need a pair of wired headphones with a microphone attached for the 4/1 Oral Reading Fluency state test. Both external microphones AND in-line microphones are acceptable. If you are unsure if your student has one, please confirm with their teacher.**

3rd Grade

3/30 8:20am - 10:20am
4/1 8:30am - 10:40am***
4/7 8:20am - 9:35am
4/9 8:20am - 9:35am
4/14 8:20am - 9:35am
4/16 11:30am - 12:45pm

4th Grade

4/2 8:20am - 10:20am
4/13 12:55pm - 2:15pm
4/14 12:55pm - 2:15pm
4/16 8:20am - 9:35am
4/20 8:20am - 9:35am

5th Grade

3/25 9:10am - 10:40am
3/36 9:10am - 10:40am
3/27 9:10am - 10:40am
3/31 8:20am - 10:20am
4/13 9:10am - 10:25am
4/17 9:10am - 10:25am
4/20 11:30am - 12:55pm
4/21 11:30am - 12:55pm

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



WINTER IN REVIEW

PSO in full snow mode: Bundling up, pitching in and spreading holiday cheer!



PSO Impact

Building Community and Giving Back



Let it
SNOW



PSO Impact

Building Community and Giving Back



Family Frosty Night



PSO Impact

Building Community and Giving Back



"I wanted to take a moment to express how thankful I am towards our students and volunteers who helped out with this event. I'm so grateful for your generosity and positive energy!"
-Jenna Elliott (PSO Family Outreach)

"The following students went above and beyond in helping at this event. Watching their dedication, teamwork, and pride in our school brought so much joy. Their willingness to serve and support our community was incredibly meaningful and truly reflects the values we hope to instill in our students."
-Marina Schulman von Bismarck (PSO Social Chair)

thank you!



VINCENT LEE 5C
EMERY LEE 3B
TEAGAN HUIZENGA 2F
CORBIN HUIZENGA 5D
HEIDI VON BISMARCK SWINDLE 5A
GRAYSON JARVIS 5A
GRIFFIN JARVIS 3E
STELLA JARVIS KA



CHARLIE ANDERSON 5A
ELOISE ANDERSON 3E
ROSE ANDERSON KC
CRUZ FRANCISCO 5A
CIENNA FRANCISCO 2F
EVER CAPRI 5A
KAMAN WAGHRAY 4D
LIVIA WAGHRAY 1E



PSO Impact

Building Community and Giving Back

Faculty Holiday Bakery Barter & Luncheon



A special Thank You
to all of our
families who
donated treats and
to our
volunteers
who made this event such
a success!



UPCOMING EVENTS

Used Uniforms

January 26th
2:30-4:30pm
ACS Parking Lot

Mark your calendars!

Spirit Wear

Gibbini
GIVEBACK!

Giving Dough to Those in Knead
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14TH
NORTH SCOTTSDALE JOINT
15544 N Pima Road
Scottsdale, Arizona

Bring this flyer in on January 14th for dine-in or takeout and Oregano's will give 20% of your bill (before tax and gratuity) back to **Archway Scottsdale**

Oregano's
Neighborhood Italian Joint

EASY AS PIZZA PIE!
OREGANO'S.COM

ATTENTION! When ordering (or picking up), you must present this flyer to your server.

Fine Print: Donation excludes proceeds from alcohol, tax and gratuity. Valid for dine-in or takeout. Batteries not included. Some assembly required.

Want to get involved?
Come join PSO Meeting
January 15th 8:30am
ACS Warehouse

*Must be Raptor Approved



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ON SOCIAL MEDIA



ARCHWAY SCOTTSDALE PSO

@ARCHWAYSCOTTSDALEPSO



Carline/Field Monitor Sign-up

Archway families -- can you spare a few minutes to help our students stay safe in the carline and on the playground in the morning?

This is a fun volunteering opportunity -- you get to start your day seeing lots of smiling faces!

SIGN UP HERE!



OTHER NEWS

Galileo Testing for Grades 2-5

The last Galileo benchmark assessment for the year will start January 12! This series of tests is to monitor student progress in math and English Language Arts throughout the year. We appreciate your partnership to make sure students arrive on time and well rested. Please do not schedule appointments during these windows. Thank you!

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Arizona State Tax Credit

RE-DIRECT YOUR ARIZONA STATE TAXES
TO ARCHWAY SCOTTSDALE.



Don't forget to make your tax credit contribution to Archway Scottsdale.
The funds from tax credit contributions support field trips and bringing outside vendors to campus, like the
petting zoo and herpetological society.
The maximum amount for single filers is \$200 per calendar year and \$400 for joint filers.
It costs you nothing as you receive a dollar-for-dollar credit on your AZ taxes!
Thank you!

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Have Questions?

Please contact Lisa Noyes at lnoyes@archwayscottsdale.org or Phyllis Childress at pchildress@scottsdaleprep.org in the Academy Giving Office with any questions.

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