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Mandatory Spring Concert: First Through Fifth Grade

The Spring Concert is coming up in two weeks! Attendance at the spring concert is MANDATORY for all 1st through 5th graders and will be reflected in final grades. If you have any questions or concerns, please direct them to Sara Swinford.

Archway Glendale Spring Concert:

Theme: Strengthening Our Roots

When: Thursday, May 5th

• 1st & 2nd Grade Concert: 5:00pm

• 3rd through 5th Grade Concert: 6:00pm

Where: Haven Church (formerly Glendale Nazarene Church) | 5902 W Cactus Rd, Glendale, AZ 85304

Who: ALL First through Fifth Grade Students (kindergarten students will perform at the Kinder Concert Celebration on May 26th.)

DRESSCODE:

- First, Second, Third, and Fourth Grade Students: Students should wear their best and cleanest school uniforms. Student hair should be styled neatly.
- FIFTH GRADE **ONLY** will wear concert black. (Fifth grade students' concert attire should cover the same area as their school uniforms.)
 - o Ladies: black dress or black skirt/pants with a black blouse, black tights or socks, and black dress shoes.
 - o Gentlemen: black dress slacks, black button-down shirt, black belt, black socks, black dress shoes, and (optional) black tie/bowtie.

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5/5 SPRING CONCERT 1st - 5th Grade

5/6HALF DAY
Pickup:
Half-day Kinder @ 11

For any questions regarding the dress code, please direct them to <u>doganessian@archwayglendale.org</u> (K-1); ehendricks@archwayglendale.org (2-5).

Student Materials On Sale Now For The 22/23 School Year

Spread out your back-to-school costs, by purchasing Student Materials now. These materials include math textbooks and workbooks, Spalding notebooks, literature, etc. Students write in these materials so they can not be used year to year. To help Archway Glendale offset the cost, families are asked to purchase these materials. If it is a hardship for your family, please contact the school office for assistance. The 22/23 Field Trip and Cultural Events Fee is also included. Student Materials will be delivered to classrooms for Meet the Teacher in August.

22/23 Student Materials

Schoolkidz School Supply Kits - On Sale Next Week

The Schoolkidz School Supply Kits sale has been delayed one week. Please watch next week's blast, FB and Instagram for details on how to order. These kits contain pencils, markers, notebooks, folders, etc. The sale will end on May 13th. Every grade level creates a list of the school supplies they would like. Ordering a kit will ensure that your student has exactly what his teacher would like and save you the hassle of going to multiple stores to try to find the supplies. Schoolkidz School Supply Kits will be delivered to classrooms for Meet the Teacher in August.

If you would like to purchase the supplies on your own, please click $\underline{\text{here}}$ for the grade level lists.

Meet the Teacher Information

Plan now for Meet the Teacher!

Families will attend Meet the Teacher based on the following schedule:

Last names beginning with:

A through D: 4:30-5 E through K: 5:15-5:45 L through R: 6-6:30 S through Z: 6:45-7:15

Kinder and first grade families will meet teachers on **Monday**, **August 1st**.

Full-day Kinder, 1st and 2nd @ 11:30
3rd, 4th and 5th @ 11:45

5/23 - 5/27 HALF DAYS Pickup: Half-day Kinder @ 11 Full-day Kinder, 1st and 2nd @ 11:30 3rd, 4th and 5th @ 11:45

5/26 KINDER CONCERT CELEBRATION

5/265TH GRADE PROMOTION

5/27 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL Second through fifth grade families will meet teachers on **Tuesday**, **August 2nd**.

Lost and Found





If your child has lost a sweater, water bottle, belt, or lunch/snack items, please have them check the lost and found daily. It's located right outside the school library and can be checked before or after school or by asking a teacher for permission. Clearly labeled items are returned to the student's classroom. Items that have not been claimed will be donated or thrown away after a couple of weeks. Parents are welcome to check the lost and found themselves. Please come to the school office to sign in (make sure to bring in your state-issued ID.)

GP (Glendale Prep) Sports Info

Wiffle Ball Tournament: GP Athletics is excited to announce our 2nd annual Wiffle Ball Tournament for the 2021-2022 school year! Please see the sign up link below for all information. This event will be held on May 20th, at 6:00pm here at Griffin Stadium! Come one, come all!

Wiffle Ball Tournament Signup

Sport Physicals: Saturday, April 30th, from 9:00am to 1:00pm the CORE Institute in North Phoenix will be offering Sport Physicals for all 5th- 11th graders for \$25. Please see the flyer <u>HERE</u> for more information.

Purchase Athletics Photos: Click here Glendale Preparatory Academy
- Team Home Glendale Preparatory Academy Griffins Sports
(glendaleprepathletics.com) to gain access to action shots from your child's athletic season! Mr. Lam and Mr. McBee do a phenomenal job each season, thank you gentlemen!

Save the Date: The Spring Sports Ceremony will be on May 19th, at 5:30pm in the Moyes Gymnasium.

APO Volunteers: (Parent Volunteers at Games! Join Us!) Email gp_APO@glendalepreppo.org to join or learn more!

Follow Us: @gpathleticdept – Instagram & @Glendale Prep Athletics – Facebook

BECOME A SPONSOR: Are you a business owner? Do you want to support the vision of GP Athletics? Become a sponsor today! Click <u>THIS LINK</u> to learn more or email <u>JGarrison@glendaleprep.org</u>.

Thank you to our <u>GOLD & Platinum Level</u> Athletic Sponsors for today's Athletic Blast:

Liberty Buick & GMC, Clear Air Conditioning & Heating, Penny Chiropractic, West Valley Pain Solutions, Nally Paint Co., Blue Chip Auto Glass, Total Presence Management, Shipley

Orthodontics, Wow Wow Lemonade (Lake Pleasant & Happy Valley Location), and Forman MotorWorks!

Contact them today and tell them Glendale Prep sent you!

Academy Giving



Hats off to you, Archway Glendale families! Thank you for helping Archway Glendale reach the Arizona Public School Tax Credit goal! Because of you, over \$97,000 was raised to support extracurricular clubs, field trips, and character-building programs. Thank you for investing in Archway Glendale students, and future leaders of tomorrow! GO GOLDEN EAGLES!



The Great Hearts Gala will be returning for the 2022-23 school year! The 5th annual Gala will take place on September 24, 2022, at Chateau Luxe, and 'Emerald City' will be the theme for this year's event. The Great Hearts Gala raises funds to benefit the Teacher

Excellence Fund, which is distributed to outstanding faculty as bonus compensation on an annual basis. Archway Glendale received \$21,620 in December 2021 from this initiative. As Great Hearts prepares for this wonderful evening, Archway Glendale is seeking two families (an individual and/or couple) to be a part of the 2022 Great Hearts Gala Committee. A full description of the position can be found here. If you are interested in serving on the committee, please contact Haley Kucharo at hkucharo@greatheartsaz.org. You may also reach out to Cathy Sparks at csparks@archwayglendale.org with additional questions.

Headmaster Corner

Dear Archway Glendale Families,

I am so excited for the Spring Festival on Friday evening! One of the best parts of this year's theme of *Strengthening Our Roots* has been the return of community building special events. I believe many people are craving ways to connect as a community, engage with other families, and get out of the house for some good old fashioned fun!

Our PSO has arranged bounce houses, dunk tanks, teacher led carnival games, pizza, raffle prizes, etc. for the festival. What I am most looking forward to is the sense of community these types of events offer and create. Parents can meet and get to know other parents and their children's friends. Students get to play with old and new friends. Younger siblings get a glimpse of their future school. We get to build our community through laughing and playing together.

While preorder sales have ceased, you can still purchase wristbands and tickets the day of the event.

I must admit that I earnestly considered going in the dunk tank before being warned that it is hard for short people to shimmy their way back onto the slippery platform. (If we have not met yet, I stand five feet tall on a good day.) Upon envisioning myself doing a public pull up in wet clothes, I declared the dunk tank was a hard pass for me, but I will be delighted to cheer on others that try to dunk teachers and staff!

See you at the festival!

With gratitude,

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