

Chaparral Elementary

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A Message From Our Principal

Dear Chaparral Families,

We have enjoyed a wonderful start to the new school year! What resonates with me the most as I walk through the school and visit classrooms, are the happy faces of students who are engaged in their studies. I am pleased to see the level of commitment, creativity, and excellence our students bring to their daily work, assignments, and projects.

Our students have immersed themselves in all aspects of Chaparral School life. I am pleased to see risk-taking, new initiatives and friendships being formed through our wide range of opportunities which we offer to our students: Basketball, Cross Country, Pride Council, and our After School Academy Programs!

Conferences will be coming up the week of October 22nd-26th. If you are unable to attend, please contact your child's homeroom teacher to make arrangements to hear how your child is progressing in school.

We have many events coming up so make sure you like our "Chaparral Facebook Page" to keep up to date with all the wonderful things going on!

Have a wonderful October!

Sincerely, *Mrs. Kara McDiwitt*

Student Safety

Student safety is very important at Chaparral. In accordance with our attendance policies and our attempt to keep your children as safe as possible, we are reminding you of, and will be enforcing our policy regarding checking students out of school. Parents will be required to come into the office and sign their child out before the child will be called down to the office.

We have had times where students make their way to the office to wait for parents to come and pick them up because a parent told them they were coming and then the parent doesn't come due to change in plans. We have also had parents who have called ahead of time and their child has been in the office thirty plus minutes waiting and missing out on valuable classroom instructions. For these very reasons, we will be enforcing this policy to ensure the safety of your children, as well as provide them as much time in the classroom learning. Thank you for planning ahead.

Please take note of sign out requirements and cut off times:

- ◆ I.D. must be presented when signing out a student and the person must be listed on the student contact record.
- ◆ On school full days the cut off to sign out is 3:00 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. on half days.

Wednesdays' are early release

We need to be able to contact you in case of an emergency.

Please keep us updated with your contact numbers and emergency contact numbers.



School success starts
with attendance

Students need to wear I.D. badges everyday.

If your child is a bus rider, they will not be allowed on the bus without their I.D. Badge and Z Pass.



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Governing Board: Bill Adams, President • Aaron Jahneke, Vice President
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Dr. Paul Stanton, Superintendent

Upcoming Events

Books Before Breakfast

Students may arrive at 7:30 am each school day to get assistance with homework or to read books.

Students will head to the playground at 8:00 am.

This program is available to all Chaparral Students free of any cost!

10/8 Fall break begins
NO SCHOOL all week!

10/16 PTA Chipotle Night
4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

10/18 PTA Meeting
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

10/18 Fundraiser Assembly
K-3 @ 2:20 pm
4-6 @ 2:45 pm

10/19 Coffee With The Principal
8:30 am - 9:30 am

10/23 **Early Release** @ 1:45 pm

10/24 **Early Release** @ 1:45 pm

10/25 **Early Release** @ 1:45 pm

10/26 **Early Release** @ 1:45 pm

10/25 Picture Retake Day

10/31 PBIS Assembly
K-3 8:30 am - 9:00 am
4-6 9:00 am - 9:30 am

11/01 Academic Award Assembly
3-4 1:30 pm - 2:15 pm
5-6 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm

11/02 Sparky of the Month
2:45 pm - 3:15 pm

11/02 Fall Festival
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

11/08 Title I Math Night
5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

11/12 Veterans Day **No School**

Basketball Games

10/2 @ 4:00 pm
Chaparral @ Manzanita

10/15 @ 4:00 pm
Chaparral @ Ocotillo

10/18 @ 4:00 pm
Chaparral VS Moon Mountain

10/30 @ 4:00 pm
Chaparral @ Shaw Butte

11/2 @ 4:00 pm
Chaparral VS Roadrunner

11/5 @ 5:00 pm
Chaparral @ Acacia

Cross Country

Parent Meeting for questions about Cross Country will be October 4th 7:40 a.m. in the Cafeteria with Coach McLaughlin.

Practices will begin October 15th at 7:30 am.

Practices will be every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 7:30 am and will last until December 6th.

Every Tuesday in November there will be meets that take place at various local schools and parks at 4:15 p.m. Transportation will not be provided.

Parent / Teacher Conferences

October 23rd - October 26th

We will have Early Release on these days.

Please be sure to pick up your students at 1:45 pm

Lunch Schedule

KG 10:45 - 11:05

1st 11:00 - 11:20

2nd 11:15 - 11:35

6th 11:30 - 11:50

4th 11:45 - 12:05

3rd 12:00 - 12:20

5th 12:15 - 12:35

Please be ready to show your ID when coming to have lunch with a student. Your name must be on the students profile to enter our campus.

Birthday snacks are welcomed but they must be store bought.
Please contact teacher for any allergens.

Site Council

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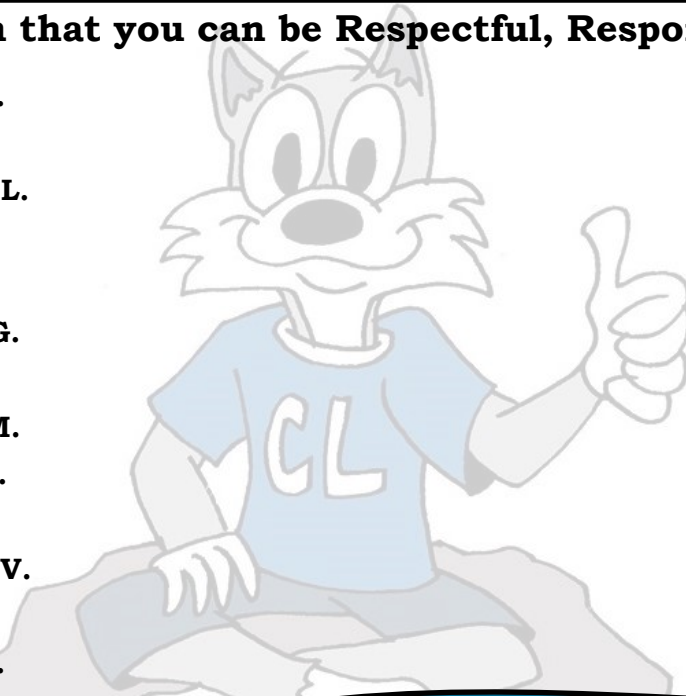
Don't forget to turn in your box tops!



Congratulations to our September Sparkies of the Month!

You have shown that you can be Respectful, Responsible and Safe!

**Joseph F.
Carlos G.
Lashandre L.
Alexis W.
Adan Z.
Kennedy G.
James P.
Anthony M.
Belmin K.
Jadan C.
Esmeralda V.
Tina M.
Joseph F.**



**Lana L.
Kenny S.
Exavier C.
Mila C.
Ethan P.
Alexavier M.
Naomi H.
Caleb R.
Anastacia S.
Maeve M.
Matthew R.
Bryleigh H.**

We are so proud of you all!

SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support Chaparral Elementary PTA. Come in to the Chipotle at 3039 W. Peoria Ave. #C-105 in Phoenix on Tuesday, October 16th between 4:00pm and 8:00pm. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to Chaparral Elementary PTA.



Online orders will not be included in the fundraiser total. To ensure your purchase is counted in the fundraiser, be sure to order and pay in restaurant. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.

ANNUAL FALL FUNDRAISER

Gold Canyon Candles

OCT 18TH
NOV 2ND

ALL MONEY RAISED WILL HELP THE PTA FUND EVENTS AND EDUCATIONAL TOOLS UTILIZED BY OUR SCHOOL.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
FACEBOOK.COM/CHAPARRALWOLVES - PTASARKY@GMAIL.COM

SAVE THE DATE

FALL FESTIVAL

Friday, Nov 2nd
5:30 - 7:30pm

MORE INFORMATION TO COME!

to stay up to date on Events
facebook.com/chaparralwolves - ptasparky@gmail.com

PeachJar / Digital Flyers

The WESD is committed to educational excellence and ensuring that parents stay informed about important activities and events that enhance their child's life. In an effort to improve parent and community engagement, we will be implementing PeachJar to send digital flyers and school newsletters directly to parents via email. Additionally, all flyers and newsletters will be posted to each school's website. Parents will be able to click to register their children for youth sports, enrichment programs and community events.

Stop by the front office to update your email address today!

From the Health Office

Friendly Reminders

Medication - Students may not carry medication with them at school.

All age appropriate medication, including cough drops, must be signed in and out by an adult in the Health Office.

When to keep your child home:

Fever (must be 24 hours fever free without medication to return).

Vomiting (must be 24 hours vomit free to return).

Sore Throat/Strep Throat, Diarrhea, Rash, Itchy Scalp,
Eye drainage/wakes up with eye shut from drainage with white of eyes red,
not feeling well/constant cough, constant headache.

Please call with any questions or concerns 602-896-5310