

GLADIATOR WEEKLY UPDATE

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Upcoming Events

11/13-11/17 - Food Drive

11/14 - Pictures Retakes

11/18 - Junior Drama Play

11/20 - Grandparents' Day

11/22-11/24 - No School

11/28 - Giving Tuesday

11/30 - Cabinet of Curiosities

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NPX Food Drive

Many of our own families are in need of food assistance the PV Community Food Bank, who we partner with, supports families in our area. This amazing non-profit organization provides food, toiletries, and other essential items to hundreds of families and they are located just down the street from us.

Please help: Bring your non-perishable cans or boxed food items to school all this week! Your student can drop them in their designated first-hour boxes and work towards winning a prize for their class. We are accepting cans, boxes, and bags of food, along with toiletry items.

NPX FOOD DRIVE

ALL THIS WEEK!

NOVEMBER 13TH - 17TH



ALL NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS ACCEPTED!

FOOD DONATIONS GO TO THE PV COMMUNITY FOOD BANK, HELPING FAMILIES IN OUR AREA!

LET'S MAKE THIS YEAR'S FOOD DRIVE THE BEST ONE YET!



Academy Giving

Did you know? Community Investment is the best way to support North Phoenix Prep! Community Investment Funds help keep our curriculum rigorous while supporting our teachers and administration. Does your family want to support our school through Community Investment? Email Jackie Curtis, Family Giving & Community Engagement Officer, with any questions or click [here](#) for more information.

PSO Corner

PSO Website

Contact PSO

Amazon Smiles

Connect with NPX



Grandparents' Day

All grandparents are invited for a campus tour on Monday, November 20th beginning at 8:30am until 10:00am.

Grandparents may rotate between Archway and Prep for a tour of their grandchildren's school. Archway will have two sessions: 8:30-9:45 (doors open at 8:10) and 10:00-11:15 (doors open at 9:40).

NPX Grandparents and VIPs are invited to tour campus any time between 8:30-10:00. Please enter through the ANP side of campus where you will be greeted by Ms. Stone and Ms. Curtis - along with our student Senators. Come witness first-hand the education your grandchildren are receiving here at NPX!





College Counseling

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www.northphoenixprep.org/college | college@northphoenixprep.org

We encourage your family to review our [College Road Map](#) and learn how College Counseling supports students at each grade level successfully navigate their college transition.

Seniors

Friendsgiving – Friday, November 17 in Senior Commons. Please send a homemade or store-bought pie with your senior to share with classmates. This is an opportunity for the Class of 2024 to write thank you notes to faculty recommenders directly supporting college applications.

Paradise Valley Community College Senior Night – Thursday, November 16 at 6:30 PM. Open to parents and students, explore PVCC at an informational fair and learn more about academic plans. The [formal program](#) includes information on the enrollment process, costs, paying for college, and transfer partnerships. [Register today!](#)

Learn more about [college decision timelines](#) and review our [scholarship resources](#) guide.

Juniors

College 101 Workshop Series – Encourage your junior to complete the [Corsava Card Sort](#) by early December as we work toward building their college list at our early December workshop.

Junior Parent College Night – Monday, December 4 at 6 PM [Zoom](#) (passcode: NPXPREP). Learn how College Counseling supports juniors and seniors through college planning and the application process.

All High School Grades

NPX community, please support our Lunch & Learn Career Talks this spring by sharing your professional journey with our high school students. Simply [indicate your interest](#) in participating, and we'll connect with you as we plan out the schedule.

College Rep Visits – Connect with college admissions representatives to ask questions about campus life, majors and more in the Courtyard.

Monday, November 13 at Lyceum:

[Beacon College](#)

Monday, November 13 at Lunch:

[Denison University](#)

Tuesday, November 14 at Lunch:

Grand Canyon University will promote upcoming [Discover GCU](#) programs, an on-campus experience, to upperclassmen.

Cabinet of Curiosities

NPX FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT

CABINET OF CURIOSITIES

Featuring:

Studio Art Exhibit
Poetry Recitation
6th Grade Drama Presentation
Craft Fair

THU

NOVEMBER
30

4 PM

FOOD
TRUCK!



NPX CAMPUS

NOVEMBER 30, 2023 4PM - 5:30PM

Community Investment

Have you supported your students' Great Hearts education yet?
Set up your gift, and or make your contribution today!
Thank you!

Make your gift to Community Investment here. Redirect your AZ Public School Tax Credit here.



The banner features the NPX logo (a red shield with a white cross) in the top left. The text reads: "NPX In 2 weeks Together we give. Nov 28, 2023 Invest in your students' education". Below this, it says "#CommunityInvestment" and "#AZPublicSchoolTaxCredit". On the right, there is a globe graphic with the Great Hearts North Phoenix Preparatory Academy logo overlaid on it. The logo consists of a shield with a red top half and a blue bottom half, with the text "GreatHearts NORTH PHOENIX PREPARATORY" across it.



Gladiator Gear

Show your school spirit on Fridays! Visit the [Gladiator Spirit Store](#) to purchase clothing that may be worn on Fridays. Our Senate will be selling uniform approved sweatshirts that may be worn any day.

Outerwear

Please remember that the only school approved outwear allowed during the school day are the NPX Gladiator sweatshirts sold by the Senate. As stated in the Academy Handbook: *Outerwear must be stored in the students lockers during the school day. Except for the school letter jacket, black or maroon Academy sweater or sweatshirt, or gray Senate sweatshirts, outerwear may not be worn in classrooms.*"

Opportunities for Parent Engagement

Headmaster Chats & PSO Meetings

Click on [this link](#) to find upcoming meeting times.

Campus Visitors & Volunteers

Have you re applied for your Raptor authorization. This is a yearly \$5.00 fee that must be documented and verified before any volunteering with our students. Here is the link:

<https://www.greatheartsamerica.org/volunteer/>

Tardies

We ask that any appointments (e.g., medical, dental, etc.) reported as a tardy to bring the documentation/slip from that office for auditing purposes. At time of check in, our Raptor system, allows to select reason for tardy “ Doctor/Dentist or appointments.” Please note that if a student is tardy more than 3 times, a detention will be issued. **In addition, parents must sign students late to 1st period into school when tardy. (this excludes students who drive themselves).**

Absences

When a student is absent and in need of make-up work, they should first check the Weekly Homework Chart for assignments. Should they have questions or need additional assignments, they are to email their teacher(s) directly. Please do not ask the attendance line to acquire assignments for your student. If items need to be picked up from campus, teachers will leave these items in the front office.

Reporting Absences

To report your scholar(s) absence, please provide an **[email to Attendance@NorthPhoenixPrep.org](mailto:Attendance@NorthPhoenixPrep.org)** with the following information:

1. Student(s) First and Last Name
2. Grade
3. Date of Absence(s)
4. Reason for absence (*please be specific*)

Please provide an email to the attendance line before 9:00 am. Without an email, we will send an email and ask that you respond quickly so we may clear the absence. *Note: All absences will be marked unexcused should we not hear from you.*