

# THE SAMARITAN

The Official e-newsletter of the NPX PSO



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## PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

Parents, it's with a joyful heart that I announce that I, Jessica Nunez, have taken over as the PSO President. I have been Vice President this school year and served in various volunteer roles. Our family joined the NPX community 4 years ago and I have 3 daughters at Great Hearts. A Sophomore, Freshman, and Kindergartener. Yes, my husband is quite outnumbered with 2 female pets at home as well!

Please give a huge shout out and thank you to Darrell Horton for all of his service. I am looking forward to hearing all about his new pilot flight adventures! I have some big shoes to fill and I appreciate how smooth he has made this transition.

Let's give a round of applause to Helen Strickland, Rhonda Bombard, and Debbie Carney for their help with the holiday faculty luncheon! They not only spent hours on campus decorating and preparing, but also organized one of our PSO closets. **THANK YOU!**

Thank you to all the parents who donated to the holiday registry. We were able to purchase over 45 gifts for the teachers and faculty.

I am eager to continue getting to know parents and help each of you get involved somehow. Our overarching goal remains to foster unity among families and we are reliant on the active engagement of our parents.

- Jessica Nunez



# SPIRIT



# SHOP



\$2 from every item purchased goes to the PSO

Purchase your family or a teacher gift



### SAVE THE DATE!

#### Rubio's Dine Out 2/21 - ALL DAY

Come meet other parents, enjoy a meal with friends and family, or simply order take out to support the PSO receiving a 30% kick back.



## PSO Meetings

...are held at 8:30 am in the school. Drop off your worries and come offer your insights to the team.

## Events Calendar for 2024

January



Chipotle Dine Out

February

21

Rubio's Dine Out

March

2

Middle School Social

20

Barro's Dine Out

April

13

HUGE FAMILY SPRING EVENT

May

3

Pancake Breakfast

6

Teacher Appreciation Week

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

## Coffee Hero

Do you have a passion for coffee? Or simply maybe a passion for coffee service? We need you to use the PSO account to buy & restock the faculty lounge coffee bar once a month.

## Birthday Celebrator

Are you willing to help celebrate teacher birthday's? We need you to use the PSO account to buy & set up a small table of birthday treats for faculty once a month

## Canva Extraordinaire

Are you trying to get involved but can't be on campus? Have a computer and some basic Canva skills? We need help creating this newsletter, social media content & flyers.

## Dine Out Coordinator

Do you like food? Or scheduling food related events? This person would reach out to local eateries to schedule restaurant nights from the comfort of their own home.

Contact Jessica if you're interested!

PSOPresident@  
NorthPhoenixPrep.org

## Passive Revenue Creator

We are always looking for way to earn money for the school. Many company's offer kick backs to schools, but we need you to help us find those options.

KEEP SCROLLING FOR MORE!

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

## Wednesday Food Operator

PSO would like to start selling a few food items to scholars on Wednesday's during Lyceum/Break. This would be only one hour weekly on campus.

## Laundry & Folding Crew

Pick up about 3 tubs full of linens that we need cleaned, folded, inventoried and organized in the tubs. Return back to school after a few days and your job is done!

## Gift Giver

We need folks to donate classroom supplies and snacks. These givers would likely have a Costco or Amazon membership and like an easy way to give back that doesn't take much time.

## Pancake Breakfast Coordinator

We have 2 breakfasts per year. This position is coordinating the details, showing up, and keeping your focus on pancakes for both events fall and spring.

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## Teacher Appreciation Week

This is a unique role that only comes for one week per year. That's right, one week and you're done! Recruit helpers, spend PSO money, and be the creative hero we all need!

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# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

## Volunteer Sign Ups Only

Last, but certainly not least. These individuals do not want to own or manage anything. These volunteers are willing to become Raptor cleared, if not already, and simply prefer to sign up to help at events when asked. We need you! We need many of you! Please reach out to me ASAP if this is you so I can ensure you consistently receive the sign up genius requests.

## PSO Vice President

Are you interested in helping the board build out an amazing parent involved community? Do you enjoy spending time with Jessica, Rae or Brenna? Reach out for more information.

**AS YOU CAN SEE, WE DEFINITELY NEED YOUR TALENTS. THERE IS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE.**

**CONTACT JESSICA TODAY!**

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