GLADIATOR WEEKLY UPDATE

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Together we give.

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Dear Gladiator Families, As we enter a season of reflection and gratitude, I invite you to join us in supporting our academy on December 3rd for Giving Tuesday. This global movement celebrates generosity, and here at Great Hearts, our goal is to close the gap in our budgeted Community Investment goal for the school year. We have set a one-day fundraising target of \$15,000.

I'm deeply grateful to the families who have already supported our classrooms through Community Investment. Your contributions help bridge the funding gap between what we receive per pupil and what it takes to provide the Great Hearts model of education that we all value. We ask each family to contribute in a way that best fits their budget, with the goal of addressing the \$1,500 funding deficit per student.

If your family hasn't yet had the opportunity to support North Phoenix Prep this year, I encourage you to consider making a gift on Giving Tuesday as a way to show gratitude and support for everything our academy provides.

NO need to wait! You can make your gift today by <u>clicking here</u>, or by contacting Jackie Curtis, our Family Giving Officer at <u>jcurtis@northphoenixprep.org</u>

We invite you to follow us on social media on December 3rd as we celebrate everything we love about our school. Thank you for your continued support – we truly could not do it without you. Go Gladiators!

With devotion, Erin Lentz, Headmaster



Junior Play: Romeo & Juliet

Saturday, 11/23 at 5:30 PM in the courtyard The greatest love story every told!

Upcoming Events

11/23 Junior Play - Romeo & Juliet 5:30 PM

11/25 Grandparents Day - NPX tours begin at 9:45 AM

11/27-11/29 NO SCHOOL - THANKSGIVING

12/03 Giving Tuesday -All School Spirit Day- wear your Gladiator Spirit Swag

12/05 9th grade field trip to Goldfield Ghost Town (Register)

12/06 7th grade field trip to Wildlife World Zoo (Register)

12/06 Senior Play - The Good Life 5:30 PM



FULL NPX EVENTS CALENDAR HERE





NPX GRANDPARENTS and VIPs DAY

Monday, 11/25 (9:45 AM)

Grandparents! You're invited to visit North Phoenix Prep for a special tour of the school, followed by coffee and cake with your grandchild. Here's what you need to know:

Parking: Please park in the school's parking lot on the North side of the building.

Check-In: After parking, head to the check-in area on the Archway (North) side of the building, where we'll be ready to welcome you. (Let us know who your grandchild is and what grade they are in).

Special Note for Archway Grandparents with Prep Grandkids: If you have grandchildren in both the Archway and Prep programs, please begin with the Archway tour at 8:30 AM - check in starts at 8:15 AM. After the Archway tour ends at 9:45 AM, we'll meet you at the gym and escort you to the Prep side for a tour there.

Coffee and Cake: After your tour, join us for coffee and cake in the garden, where you can enjoy refreshments and time with your grandchild.

CALLING ALL GLADIATOR SPORTS FANS – IT'S TIME TO GET OUT AND CHEER ON OUR WINTER SPORTS TEAMS

Here are the schedules for our high school teams:

Girls Varsity Basketball: INFO

Girls Varsity Soccer: INFO

Boys Varsity Basketball: INFO

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Boys Varsity Soccer: INFO

Boys JV Basketball: INFO



Please stay tuned next week as that is when the middle school league will be posting the middle school team's schedules.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the games and . . . GO GLADIATORS!!!

COLLEGE COUNSELING





NPX parent community, please support our Lunch & Learn Career Talks this spring by sharing your professional journey with our high school students. Simply <u>indicate your interest</u> in participating, and we'll connect with you as we build the schedule.

<u>Click to learn more</u> about this week's freshman and sophomore in-class workshops, an upcoming financial aid presentation, and our annual Great Hearts College Symposium.

From the Front Office: Procedures and Policies Overview

Leaving Items/Lunches at the Front Desk: All lunches, water bottles, and other items must be dropped off at the front desk before 10:00 AM to avoid classroom interruptions. Students will not be called to the office after this time.

Reporting Absences: email Attendance@NorthPhoenixPrep.org before 8:00 AM with:

- Student's First and Last Name
- Grade
- Date of Absence(s)
- Reason (illness, appointment, family emergency, etc.)

Unexcused absences will be marked if no email is received.

Tardies: Late students must check in at the front office. Tardies for appointments will be unexcused until a note is provided. After 3 tardies, a detention is issued.

Gladiator Gear: Support school spirit on Fridays with Gladiator attire from the Spirit Store. NPX-approved sweatshirts are available throughout the year.

Outerwear Policy: Approved outerwear includes NPX Gladiator sweatshirts, Academy sweaters, and Senate sweatshirts. All other outerwear should be stored in lockers.

Parent Engagement Opportunities

- Headmaster Chats & PSO Meetings: Upcoming Meetings
- Campus Visitors & Volunteers: Complete your annual Raptor authorization with a \$6 fee here.
- Volunteer with Parent Service Organization: Email Jessica at PSOPresident@northphoenixprep.org



QUICK LINKS

Headmaster Chats
Yearbook Purchase
Student Newspaper







NPX Family Handbook

Academy Giving

Configio Payment Portal

Bell Schedule
Uniform Policy
School Calendar 24.25