November 13, 2026

GLADIATOR WEEKLY UPDATE

NPX WEBSITE | NPX ATHLETICS | NPX CALENDAR

Thank you to our veterans and active service memebers at NPX !

Mr. Aquila, Ms. Figueroa, Officer Lerma, Mr. P. Smith, Mr. Sokolis

Help Support Our Food Drive

All Next Week: November 16th - November 20th

Bring in canned foods and other non-perishable items to support our student run food drive.

Did you know? Approximately 1 in 5 children (around 291,000 to over 348,000 children, or roughly 18% to 21% of youth) in Arizona live in food-insecure households and struggle with hunger



looking for canned meat, fruit, beans, soup, pasta, rice, cereal, baking goods, sauces, peanut butter, jelly, and more

The 1st period class with the most non-perishable items wins a prize!

Important Dates

11/13- Middle School Social
11/16 - 11/20 NPX Food Drive
11/17- Headmaster Chat 8:30AM
11/17- Info Night- Prospective new families
11/20 - Senior Play (7:00 PM) $5 Regular seating / $15 VIP Seating.
11/21 - Senior Play (2:00 PM Matinee / 7:00 PM Evening)
$5 Regular seating / $15 VIP Seating.
11/23- Save the Date- Grandparents Day 10AM-11AM
11/25-11/27 No School -Thanksgiving Holiday
12/1- Save the Date- Giving Tuesday- Special School Spirit Day
12/2 Cabinet of Curiosities (2:00-4:30)

- School open house fine arts event, including art show, drama, poetry, and student craft vendors

SAVE THE DATE!

Grandparents Day

& Student's VIPs
Monday, November 23rd

Times: 10AM - 11AM
*See all the details below!

HEADMASTER CHATS

Join Ms. Lentz in the library for informal grade-level discussions at 8:30 AM.

Full list of Headmaster Chats Dates Here

DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lunch Menu: SEPTEMBER

FULL NPX EVENTS CALENDAR

SAVE THE DATE!

GRANDPARENTS & VIP DAY

Monday, November 23 | Great Hearts North Phoenix K-12 Campus

Grandparents & VIP Day is one of our favorite traditions of the year! We look forward to welcoming the grandparents and special VIPs in your students' lives for a morning of connection, celebration, and time together.

Families and students, please share this invitation with your grandparents and VIPs! We want the special people in your lives to know they are invited to celebrate with us.

EVENT SCHEDULE

Archway North Phoenix | K-5
First Session: 8:30-9:45 AM
Second Session: 10:00-11:15 AM

North Phoenix Prep | Grades 6-12
One Session: 10:00-11:00 AM

Have Students at Both Archway and Prep?

Families with students on both sides of campus are invited to attend both sessions!
Attend the 8:30 AM Archway session first.
At the conclusion, please remain in the gym.
Our team will meet you there and escort you to Prep for the 10:00 AM session.

PARKING & ARRIVAL

All grandparents and VIP guests should park in the north-side Archway parking lot.
Everyone will enter and exit through the north-side Archway entrance, including guests attending the Prep session.

WHAT TO EXPECT AT PREP

Grandparents and VIPs will have a special opportunity to spend time with their 6-12 scholar in the Prep Garden during Lyceum, from 10:15-11:00 AM.
Enjoy conversation, a sweet treat, coffee, and water. We will also offer a short campus tour for those interested in getting a quick look around North Phoenix Prep.

QUESTIONS?

Jackie Curtis
Family Giving Officer

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Save the Date!

GIVING TUESDAY AT NPX

PROUD PARENT! NORTH PHOENIX PREP SCHOLAR

We give from the heart.

Giving Tuesday is December 1st.

We celebrate our community with giving from the heart.
Our annual campaigns, Community Investment and Tax Credit
are the fuel that fund our school.

DECEMBER 1, 2026

GIVING TUESDAY!

On December 1st we will come together as a community with one goal to get closer to funding our school this school year.

One Goal: $20,000

One Big Incentive to Help Us Get There!

If we reach our Giving Tuesday goal of $20,000, we will have one day that we add

LYCEUM EXTENDED –20MIN!

Extended Free Time for All Students!

PLUS, AN ADDITIONAL INCENTIVE!

Reserved Seating for:

★Winter/Spring Concerts ★8th Grade Promotion ★High School Graduation

Your Partnership Matters More.

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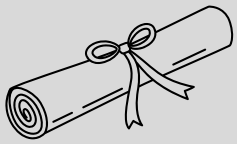

11TH GRADE FIELD TRIP: Monday, November 16

Our Junior class is trading the classroom for a visit to the University of Arizona! Send your student to school wearing a **uniform polo and jeans or uniform skirt/khakis** with a **sack lunch**; registration has closed.

10TH GRADE

During workshops this week, sophomores explored future possibilities using a **career aptitude quiz**.

Keep the discovery going at home with free tools to explore college majors and careers.

My Next Move: Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Labor, this free resource features the O*NET Career Interest Profiler, which helps users identify careers that align with their interests.

ASU me3: Explore majors, degree programs, and careers by taking this interactive quiz!



Senior families: admitted students should set up their profile now in each university's **Scholarship Universe portal** to apply for institutional scholarships!

Access our College Bound Toolkit!

UPCOMING COLLEGE EVENTS

PVCC Campus Connect

Thursday, November 19 from 5:30 - 7:30 PM at Paradise Valley Community College. Juniors and Seniors, learn about PVCC's academic programs, connect with faculty and staff, and visit campus. **Register today**!

NPX Alumni Panel

Wednesday, January 6. Calling all NPX Alums to share their college journey at this year's **Alumni Panel**!

11TH GRADE

Juniors recently completed the **PrinciplesYou** assessment, a scientifically validated tool that features 28 personality archetypes.

View your student's results in their **SCOIR** Drive and encourage them to complete this weekend's College 101 homework: SCOIR's Career Interest Assessment!

Spring 2027 Dual Enrollment Offerings at North Phoenix Prep



Students in grades 10-12 can earn college credit for the courses they are already taking at North Phoenix Prep during spring semester. When **registering**, please have your student's high school transcript and dual enrollment course list handy.

Registration deadline: Wednesday, December 16 for semester 2

Create a separate Great Hearts AZ Configio account at: **https://greatheartsaz.configio.com**

12th GR	Drama II	3 credits	MUP 345	Southeastern
	H. Humane Letters IV	3 credits/semester	ENGL 3003	Southeastern
	H. Spanish IV	3 credits/semester	SPA 311	AZ Christian
	Studio Art IV	3 credits	ART 112	Southeastern
11th GR	Drama I	3 credits	MUP 341	Southeastern
	H. French III	4 credits/semester	FRE 202	AZ Christian
	H. Greek I	4 credits/semester	GRK 202	AZ Christian
	H. Humane Letters III	3 credits/semester	PHIL 2223	Southeastern
	H. Spanish III	4 credits/semester	SPA 202	AZ Christian
	Studio Art III	3 credits	ART 111	Southeastern
10th GR	H. Economics	3 credits	BBUS 2103	Southeastern
	H. French II	4 credits/semester	FRE 102	AZ Christian
	H. Humane Letters II	3 credits/semester	HIST 1113	Southeastern
	Music IV	3 credits	MUS 193	Southeastern
	H. Spanish II	4 credits/semester	SPA 102	AZ Christian

Course Costs: $300 for 3-credit courses | $385 for 4-credit courses **non-refundable**

Eligibility: Unweighted 3.0 GPA for Southeastern courses | Unweighted 2.5 GPA for AZ Christian courses

Tuition assistance is available for those who qualify. It is the student's responsibility to research and determine how dual enrollment credits may transfer to their future 4-year college or university.

*Access course syllabi and FAQs at **Great Hearts' Dual Enrollment webpage**.*

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PREPARATORY ACADEMY
A Great Hearts Academy

For more information:
college@northphoenixprep.org
northphoenixprep.org/college

Fall Sports are ending!

NPX Athletics powered by your AZ Public School Tax Credit. It's a WIN WIN! Take the Credit with NPX Here.

High School Cross Country

We will see them at the AIA State Championship on November 14th at Cave Creek Golf Course! The three boys who qualified will run at 830 am followed by the girls at 930am!

Middle School Cross Country







Girls Middle School XC won the GHMSL Championship! 4 times in a row!
We had multiple runners in the top 10 on both teams!
Great season and a huge shoutout to the teams and coaches' hard work!

All Fall Sports whose season has ended outside of high school cross-country andcheer should have turned in their uniforms already!!

The deadline was 11/4, and still have uniforms missing! If not turned in by the end of school on Tuesday, 11/17, your athlete will be getting detention and being billed the cost of the uniform.

Your paragraph text

Middle School Sports: week of 11/16

- **WE NEED MORE TENNIS PLAYERS! Interest meeting Monday, 11/6 at middle school lunch in the AD's office**
  - **Practices are at Mountain View Tennis Courts**
    - **M, W and Th 4-5:30pm**
- **Softball will be Tues and Thurs at GMS 4-530pm**
- **Baseball will be Mon, Tues and Thurs at GMS 415-530**
  - **Need a few more baseball players!!**
- **Girls Soccer will Mon, Wed at GMS 415-530 and Friday at Venturoso**
- **Boys Soccer will Mon, Tues and Thurs at GMS 415-530**

All athletes who have registered will be emailed with further instructions

High School Sports: week of 11/16

- **High School Cheer will start on 11/16 and go T, W and Th directly after school in the MPR**
- **Open gyms/fields and tryouts are over for basketball and soccer teams! Teams will be posted by beginning of next week!**

All athletes who have made a team will be emailed with further instructions

Visit the Gladiator Athletic & Fan Gear Store!

Questions? Contact Coach Megan:
mjohnston@northphoenixprep.org

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Winter Sports Info!!

Registration is still open for middle school sports!

Use the links below to register and make payment

-AIA Physical Form Link: https://aiaonline.org/files/16936/forms-157-a-d.pdf

-Registration: Arbiter Registration

-Payment: https://northphoenixprep.configio.com/pd/3470/middle-school-winter-sports-2026-2027?returncom=productlist&source=search

*Please double check and make sure that you are making payment for the right sport and/or high school vs middle school.

High School is $325 and Middle School is $295

If you participated in a fall sport, your physical/registration is still valid. Just make sure to select the winter sport you plan to participate in if you have not already done so.

- Reminder that if you are high school athlete you must complete the three AZPrep trainings: Brainbook, Opiod and Hazing and upload to register. If you have already completed them during your high school career, the trainings are still valid and just need to upload certificates.
- If you are a Middle Schooler: THESE ARE NOT REQUIRED! During registration please upload a jpeg/pic of "N/A" and you can bypass this section.

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NORTH PHOENIX PREP THEATRE

PROUDLY PRESENTS

FALL ONE-ACT FESTIVAL

TWO HILARIOUS ONE-ACT COMEDIES • THREE PERFORMANCES • ONE UNFORGETTABLE WEEKEND!

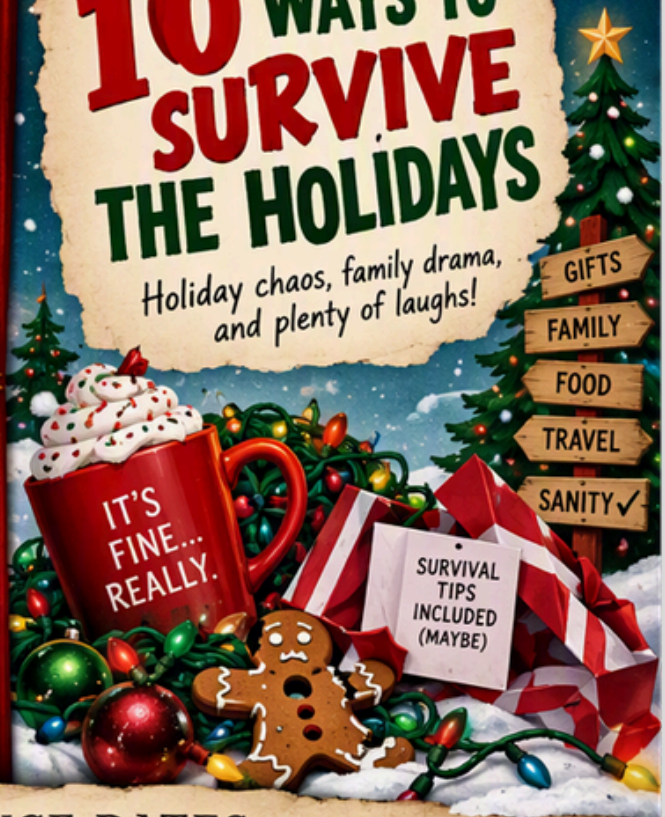
12 ANGRY VILLAINS

When fairy tale villains decide the fate of Captain Hook... things get wickedly funny!



10 WAYS TO SURVIVE THE HOLIDAYS

Holiday chaos, family drama, and plenty of laughs!



PERFORMANCE DATES

Friday
NOVEMBER 20
7:00 PM

Saturday
NOVEMBER 21
2:00 PM Matinee
7:00 PM Evening Performance

AT NORTH PHOENIX PREPARATORY ACADEMY

TICKETS

General Admission: $5
VIP Seating: $15

SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS!

Purchase ads and shout-outs in the playbill program!

- ★ Student Shout-Outs
- ★ Business Advertisements
- ★ Playbill Program Ads

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GET TICKETS & PURCHASE ADS

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Scan Here!

STUDENT STORIES. BRIGHTER TOMORROWS.



Friday Spirit Shirts

Show your Gladiator pride at school, sports, and community events!

$20

Choose your style & size online. Pickup in the front office.

Order online: https://linktr.ee/npx_pso



NPX PARENT SERVICE ORGANIZATION

Join us in making a difference!

Raptor authorization with a $6 fee here.

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SPIRIT SHIRTS HERE!

PSO INFORMATION HERE!

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 AM. Items dropped off at the front desk after 10 AM. The student will not be called down until the next day of school for pickup (lunches included). This is to avoid classroom interruptions. Outside food delivery is not permitted and may only be brought by parents.

Reporting Absences:
Email **Attendance@NorthPhoenixPrep.org** before 8 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 only must check in at the front office. Parents are no longer needed to check in student. Tardies for appointments will be unexcused until a note is provided. After 3 tardies, a detention will be issued.

HEADMASTER CHATS

QUICK LINKS

NPX Family Handbook
Academy Giving
Configio Payment Portal
Uniform Policy

Access the Great Hearts North Phoenix Business Directory!

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