



# October Newsletter

## A Message from the Principal

October 2, 2023

Coyote Families,

October is here and the end of the 1st quarter is right around the corner. I am thrilled to report student attendance since August has ranged between 93-95% percent daily. Students and staff are in their stride for the school year, and I can see the students learning and showing their understanding of procedures and expectations. I have heard positive comments that students are sweet, and so happy to be here! So proud of you, Coyotes!!

It has been a very amazing and busy 1st quarter, Student Council is in full force with over 55 members already having our first Spirit Day and Community Day in September. After school programs have begun, Skills, Move-On Reading, Boys' and Girls' Volleyball with Cross-Country starting in October. Open House was an amazing and huge success with over 450 student/family members visiting the school. The students were so excited to show off their classroom and their work, it was a very welcoming event for the parents.

In person Parent/Teacher conferences will be held on October 11th, 12th, 13th. There , there will be noon dismissal on these days. You will be receiving notices for the date and times you have been set up to meet with your child(ren)s teacher(s). Honor Roll assemblies will be held on October 25th.

Thank you to the wonderful Centennial staff. Our staff works hard and are very dedicated to creating a safe environment here at school. We are proud of the connections we make. The relationships we build with our students is ongoing and can last a lifetime.

Respectfully,  
Dr. Saulsby



# OCTOBER 2023

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2	3	4 MOD Pizza Fundraiser 'ALL DAY' 11:30a Student Council Meeting	5 8:15a Picture Day	6 9:00a PTO Read-A-Thon  <b>End of 1st Quarter (Noon Dismissal)</b>
9 "NO" Skills 2:00p Cross-Country Practice 2:30p PTO Meeting	10 <b>PICKLE SALES</b> 9:00a 1st Grade Field Trip (Reid Park Zoo) "NO" Skills 2:00p Cross-Country Practice	11 <b>PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES</b> <b>NOON DISMISSAL</b> Report Cards Sent Home  12:00p-1:15p Cross-Country Practice (optional) "NO" Skills	12 <b>PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES</b> <b>NOON DISMISSAL</b> Report Cards Sent Home  12:00p-1:15p Cross-Country Practice (optional) "NO" Skills	13 <b>PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES</b> <b>NOON DISMISSAL</b> Report Cards Sent Home  12:00p-1:15p Cross-Country Practice (optional)
16	17	18	19	20
<b>FALL BREAK: NO SCHOOL</b>				
23 2:00p-3:15p Cross-Country Practice	24 9:00a 2nd Grade Mini Muster 9:15a Arizona Opera Performance (K-6) 2:00p-3:15p Cross-Country Practice	25 8:30a Honor Roll Assembly (grades 1-2) 9:30a Honor Roll Assembly (grades 3-6) 11:30a Student Council Meeting "NO" Cross-Country Practice	26 <b>COMMUNITY DAY</b> 2nd and 5th Grades  2:30p Cross-Country Meet #1 at Centennial RACE STARTS at 3:15p	27 9:00a 5th Grade Field Trip (Pima Air & Space Museum) 2:00p Cross-Country celebration practice
30 2:00p-3:15p Cross-Country Practice	31 <b>SPIRIT DAY</b>  "NO" Skills "NO" Cross-Country Practice			

# Elementary MENUS OCT 2023

**Did you know?**  
Staying active helps build strong bones and muscles, relieves stress, and protects your heart. Aim for 1 hour or more of physical activity every day. Do whatever you love to do – Just get moving!



**Questions or Comments?**

Carl Thompson  
Director of Dining Services  
Phone: 520-696-8623  
\*menu is subject to change\*

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>2</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Sausage Breakfast Pizza <b>Lunch</b> Meatball Sub Bean&Cheese Burrito Turkey&Cheese Sandwich Chicken Garden Salad Seasoned Green Beans	<b>3</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Warm Banana Muffin <b>Lunch</b> Mac & Cheese Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich Ham&Cheese Sub Chicken Caesar Salad Pepered Broccoli	<b>4</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Fresh Cinnamon Roll <b>Lunch</b> Chicken Snowbowl Cheese Quesadilla Ham & Cheese Sandwich Chef Salad Buttery Corn	<b>5</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Strawberry Poptart <b>Lunch</b> Pepperoni Pizza Chicken Fajita Turkey&Cheese Sub Ham & Cheese Salad Steamed Carrots	<b>6</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Turkey & Cheese Biscuit <b>Lunch</b> Crispy Beef Tacos Hot Dog PB&J Sandwich Popcorn Chicken Salad Seasoned Refried Beans
<b>9</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Donut Holes <b>Lunch</b> Orange Chicken Chicken Quesadilla Turkey&Cheese Sandwich Chicken Garden Salad Buttery Corn	<b>10</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Cheesy Eggs & Hashbrown <b>Lunch</b> Chicken Teriyaki Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce Ham&Cheese Sub Chicken Caesar Salad Buttery Carrots	<b>11</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Fresh Cinnamon Roll <b>Lunch</b> Cheesy Nachos Sloppy Joe Ham & Cheese Sandwich Chef Salad Seasoned Refried Beans	<b>12</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Fluffy Pancakes <b>Lunch</b> Cheese Pizza Chicken Alfredo Turkey&Cheese Sub Ham & Cheese Salad Seasoned Green Beans	<b>13</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Sausage Breakfast Pizza <b>Lunch</b> Cheeseburger Bean & Cheese Tostada PB&J Sandwich Popcorn Chicken Salad Crinkle Fries
<b>16</b> 	<b>fall break</b>			<b>20</b> 
<b>23</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Belgian Waffle <b>Lunch</b> Chicken Nuggets Cheese Quesadilla Turkey&Cheese Sandwich Chicken Garden Salad Seasoned Green Peas	<b>24</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Donut Holes <b>Lunch</b> Spicy Chicken Tenders Bean&Cheese Burrito Ham&Cheese Sub Chicken Caesar Salad Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	<b>25</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Fresh Cinnamon Roll <b>Lunch</b> Pepperoni Pizza Chicken Fried Rice Ham & Cheese Sandwich Chef Salad Steamed Carrots	<b>26</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Sausage Egg Breakfast Burrito <b>Lunch</b> Cheese Enchiladas Hot Dog Turkey&Cheese Sub Ham & Cheese Salad Refried Beans	<b>27</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Warm Blueberry Muffin <b>Lunch</b> Cheesy Chicken Tacos Grilled Cheese Sandwich PB&J Sandwich Popcorn Chicken Salad Buttery Corn
<b>30</b> <b>Breakfast</b> Sausage Breakfast Pizza <b>Lunch</b> Cheesy Nachos Bean&Cheese Burrito Turkey&Cheese Sandwich Chicken Garden Salad Refried Beans	<b>31</b> <b>Breakfast</b> French Toast Sticks <b>Lunch</b> Cheese Pizza Chicken Teriyaki Ham&Cheese Sub Chicken Caesar Salad Buttery Carrots			

Breakfast Meal Price: Paid 1.00 / Reduced \$0.30

Lunch Meal Price: Paid \$2.75 / Reduced \$0.40

Adult Meal Price: \$4.00



Parent(s):

Just a friendly reminder, if you have a dismissal change please try to call the front office by 1:30p.m. Students will no longer be dismissed after 1:45p.m. unless it is an emergency, and/or a medical, dental appointment, we understand and will accommodate.

The reason for this is because we have to interrupt the classroom while they are still in session.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Centennial Front Office



Please check the Lost and Found, I'm sure that the lost items pictured here would like to be claimed by you. The silver bracelet says "Never Give Up".

If these items are not claimed by the time we leave for Fall Break they will be donated to an organization in need.



*Rivers Lainson*

## **Building Blocks Character**

### **October Student of the Month**

Rivers has exemplified the traits of responsibility, perseverance, organization, sense of humor, integrity, cooperation, flexibility, effort, caring, common sense, problem solving, patience, friendship, curiosity and initiative.

*Congratulations Rivers!!!*

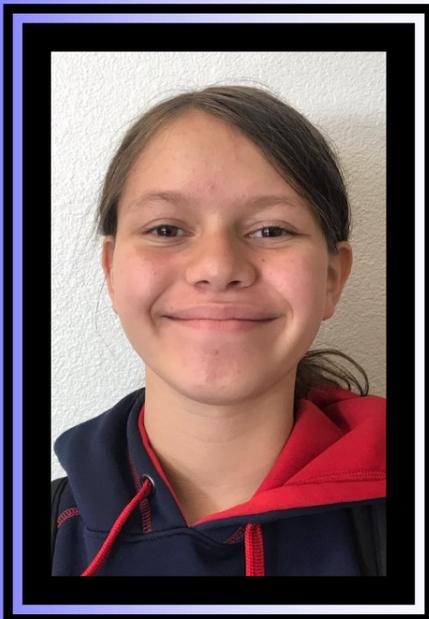
## **Optimist**

### **October Students of the Month**

The Optimist Club is devoted to aiding and encouraging the development of youth, in the belief that the giving of one's self in service to others will advance the well-being of the individual, the community, and the world.

October honors Natalia and Austin who have demonstrated these attributes of responsible citizenship.

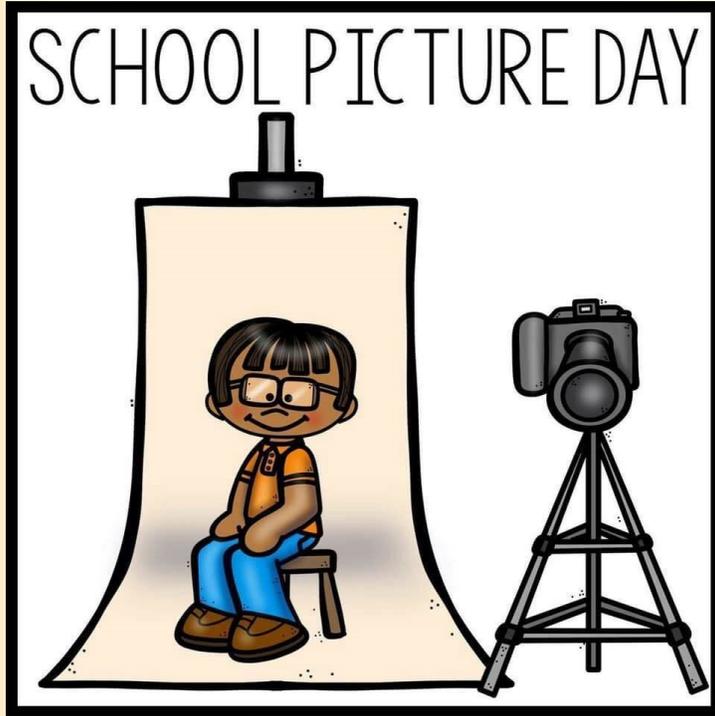
*Congratulations Natalia and Austin!!*



*Natalia Hughes*



*Austin Godwin*



Thursday, October 5, 2023  
 Order online at [Bellphoto.com](http://Bellphoto.com)  
 Online Code: CentennialFall23



Please call the Front Office at 696-8201  
 if you have any questions.  
 Thank you.



**MOD FUNDRAISING**



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PARTY**



**25%**  
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**JOIN MOD IN SUPPORTING:**

ORGANIZATION NAME: CENTENNIAL ELEMENTARY PTO

FUNDRAISER DATE: OCTOBER 4, 2023

Bring in this flyer or order online through the MOD app or website,  
using the provided coupon code.

ADDRESS: 4386 N ORACLE RD, SUITE 150  
TUCSON, AZ 85705

FUNDRAISER CODE: MODGIVES25

**WIN EXTRA  
DOUGH**

Fundraisers booked during  
back-to-school season are  
entered to win an additional **\$1,000**,  
and the top 3 that bring in the highest  
net sales will also win an extra **\$1,000!**





HAZ QUE CREZCA  
LA «MASA»

A cartoon pizza character with a face, arms, and legs, giving a thumbs up.

ÚNETE A MOD PARA AYUDAR

**NOMBRE DE LA ORGANIZACIÓN:** CENTENNIAL ELEMENTARY PTO

**FECHA DE RECAUDACIÓN:** 04 DE OCTUBRE DE 2023

Presenta este flyer o haz un pedido en línea a través de la aplicación MOD o el sitio web y utiliza el código que aparece en el cupón. MOD donará el 25% de tu factura para apoyar su gran trabajo.

**DOMICILIO:** 4386 N ORACLE RD, SUITE 150  
TUCSON, AZ 85705

**CÓDIGO DE RECAUDACIÓN:** MODGIVES25

Oferta válida solo en las fechas y en el lugar MOD indicados en este flyer. Oferta válida para comer en el restaurante, para llevar o para entrega a domicilio cuando se ordena a través de la aplicación MOD o el sitio web. Para pedidos en línea o por la aplicación, utilice el código MODGIVES25. Para entregas a domicilio, el cliente debe vivir dentro de los límites establecidos. Solo las organizaciones y escuelas sin fines de lucro pueden participar en el programa de recaudación de fondos MOD. MOD donará el 25% de las ventas de comida y bebida a la organización. Quedan excluidos de la donación, los impuestos, las tarjetas de regalo y las ventas minoristas. Oferta no válida si el flyer se distribuye dentro o cerca del restaurante. Para obtener más información sobre recaudación de fondos, visite <https://modpizza.com/fundraisers/>

# HALLOWEEN GUIDE FOR HALLOWEEN COSTUMES

Dear Parent(s):

Your child's classroom may be participating in Halloween activities on October 31st. Here are some guidelines for student costumes to help make it a safe and fun day.

Costumes need to remain within dress code guidelines.

Example: No mid-drifts, shoes required.

## ACCEPTABLE:

- ◆ Hair paint
- ◆ Reasonable make-up
- ◆ Hats

## UNACCEPTABLE:

- ◆ No weapons (fake included)
- ◆ No bloody costumes
- ◆ No costumes depicting any violent characters or gang related attire

**\*\*Please, do not bring make-up or spray paint to school.\*\***

## Be Creative!!

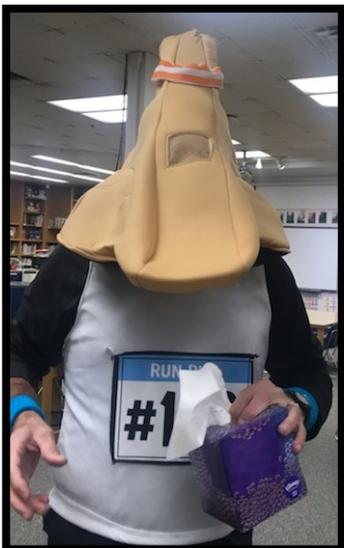
We appreciate your cooperation to make our day fun and safe.

Students are to dress for Halloween at home.

Please let your child's teacher know if you have any questions.



**SPIRIT DAY**  
Halloween  
October 31, 2023



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# Yearbook



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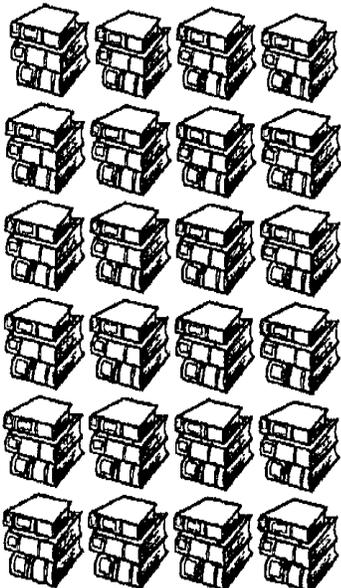
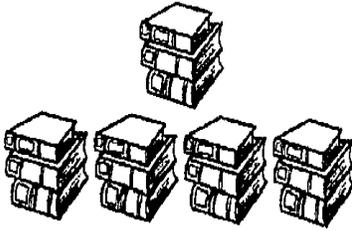
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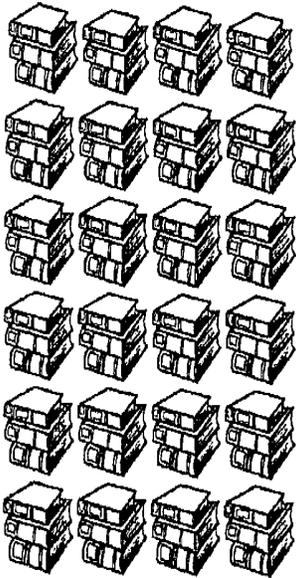
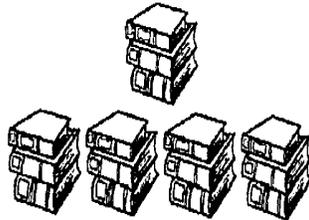
October 1st – December 21st

\$15.00

Come on in and purchase your Yearbook today!!

# WHY READ 20 MINUTES AT HOME?

Student A Reads	Student B Reads	Student C Reads
20 minutes per day	5 minutes per day	1 minute per day
3,600 minutes per school year	900 minutes per school year	180 minutes per school year
1,800,000 words per year	282,000 words per year	8,000 words per year
		
Scores in the 90 <sup>th</sup> percentile on standardized tests.	Scores in the 50 <sup>th</sup> percentile on standardized tests.	Scores in the 10 <sup>th</sup> percentile on standardized tests.
<p><i>If they start reading for 20 minutes per night in Kindergarten, by the end of 6<sup>th</sup> grade, Student A will have read for the equivalent of 60 school days, Student B will have read for 12 school days, and student C will have read for 3.</i></p>		
<p><b>WANT TO BE A BETTER READER? SIMPLY READ.</b></p>		

PORQUE NESECITO LEER POR 20 MINUTOS CADA NOCHE?		
Estudiante A Lee	Estudiante B Lee	Estudiante C Lee
20 minutos cada dia	5 minutos cada dia	1 minutos cada dia
3,600 minutos cada año escolar	900 minutos cada año escolar	180 minutos cada año escolar
1,800,000 palabras cada año escolar	282,000 palabras cada año escolar	8,000 palabras cada año escolar
		
Obtiene 90 porciento en el examen del estado.	Obtiene 50 porciento en el examen del estado.	Obtiene 10 porciento en el examen del estado.
<p><i>Si empiezan leer por 20 minutos cada noche desde kinder, para el ultimo grado sexton grado, el estudiante A Habra leído el equivalente do 60 dias de escuela. El estudiante B Habra leído el equivalente de 12 dias de escuela, y el estudiante C Habra leído el equivalente de 3 dias de escuela.</i></p>		
<p><b>QUIERE MEJORAR TU LECTURA? SIMPLEMENTE LEE!</b></p>		