



CHANDLER PREPARATORY ACADEMY

A Great Hearts Academy

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

MONDAY 24 SEPTEMBER 2018

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Thank you, Chandler Prep community, for coming out and supporting our students at our annual homecoming game! A lot of work went on behind the scenes to make this night memorable. Please join me in thanking **Coach Goodman and our football team, Coach Lytle, Mrs. Barger and the PSO, Ms. Caporali, Thayer Aletheia-Zomlefer, Mrs. Stephens and our Schola Cantorum singers, Mr. Blanco and Mr. King**, all our **Titan House Archons**, and our **swim team**.

Half Day Release (12:30 pm) – September 28

Students will be released at 12:30 pm on Friday, September 28. Students should leave the building promptly due to a faculty meeting.

Half Day Release (12:30 pm) – October 5

Students will be released at 12:30 pm on Friday, October 5. Students should leave the building promptly.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mentoring Meeting for New Middle School Students – September 25

Parents of New Middle School Students: Tomorrow, Tuesday, September 25, 3:15 to 3:45, is our next Mentoring meeting for new middle school students and their Mentors. **Please do not come before 3:50 on Mentoring Tuesdays to pick up your child.** Thank you for your patience and help to keep all of our students safe!

Mentoring Meeting future dates: **Sept. 25; Oct. 2; Oct. 23; Nov. 6; Nov. 27; Dec. 4.**

Who Wants to Be a Mathematician? – September 26

High School Parents: Does your child want to become a mathematician? Or compete in a fun math contest for prizes? The first round of ["Who Wants to Be a Mathematician?"](#) is this Wednesday during Lyceum in the library. It is free to participate. Your child should contact Mrs. McCord ASAP to sign up. The test is presented by the American Mathematical Society.

Mathematics Competition Opportunity for Middle School Students

If you have a middle school student who is a lover of mathematics, consider signing him/her up for the American Mathematics Competition (AMC8) on November 13th. The AMC8 gives middle schoolers the opportunity to participate in unique problem-solving challenges designed to enhance their analytical thinking skills. If you are interested in having your middle school son or daughter take this optional exam (sponsored by the Mathematical Association of America), **please sign up by Wednesday morning 9/26/2018 so that Mr. Ferbrache can order the tests.** There is a \$3 fee to cover the exam cost. **Sign up your student and pay the fee here: [AMC 8 Math Test](#)**

Please contact Mr. Ferbrache (eferbrache@chandlerprep.org) with any questions.

Practice problems are available at this link:

https://www.maa.org/sites/default/files/2016_AMC8_PracticeProblems.pdf



Feed My Starving Children – October 19

FRI. OCT. 19, 6 – 8 pm (check-in 5:45 pm)

Feed My Starving Children is open to UNlock members, families, friends, AND other Chandler Prep staff, students, families, and friends.

TO REGISTER FOR FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN: (Mesa location on Alma School south of Southern). Register online at www.fmssc.org. Click on “Volunteer,” then “Join a Group,” then search by “Chandler Prep” OR “Mary Goodwin.”

REGISTRATION CLOSES ON OCT. 3.

Reminder! Turn in Signed Deficiency Notices

If you received a deficiency notice for your child, please print, sign, and turn it in to the front desk.

Reminder! Please Pay for Field Trips and Supplemental Materials

Field Trips are optional, and Supplemental Materials are contributions. Nevertheless, we need these funds in order to provide the best educational opportunities for our students. Payments are based on the grade level of the student.

[Supplemental Materials Purchase 2018-19](#)

[Field Trip Purchase 2018-19](#)

Great Hearts Gala – September 29

In support of professional development for Great Hearts teachers throughout the network.

Contact Liz Dreckman at freedom8@gmail.com. We are putting together tables from Archway Chandler/Chandler Prep if you would like to sit together.

Individual tickets [on sale now!!](#) Sponsorships still [available!](#)

\$250 per person

SEPTEMBER 29, 2018

[Chateau Luxe](#)

SUPPORTING CHANDLER PREP

Your Tax Dollars Benefit Our Students!



Nearly 80% of our Chandler Prep students are involved in our Titan Athletic program and/or our various extra-curricular clubs! These programs are supported by Tax Credit contributions to our school. Thank you!

COLLEGE COUNSELING

PSAT for 9th, 10th & 11th Grade Students – October 24

On **Wednesday, October 24th**, Chandler Prep will administer pre-college admissions standardized testing (the **PSAT**) to ALL freshmen, sophomores and juniors. Students should arrive on campus no later than 8:00am on this day. The testing will conclude by 12:30pm. It is an **early dismissal day** so students should be picked up at 12:30pm. **No lunch will be served on Wednesday, October 24.** The cost for testing is the same as last year at \$30.00 per student. All payments received will be sent to the College Board to cover the costs for the tests and detailed score reports. Without payment, your student will not receive their detailed score report. To pay for your student's detailed PSAT score report, please use Chandler Prep's payment portal by clicking on **PSAT Online Payment**. Additional PSAT test day information was emailed to all 9th, 10th & 11th grade parents last week.

FAFSA for Seniors Opens October 1

Completing the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is an important part of the college financial aid process. Most colleges encourage families to complete the FAFSA early (opens October 1). To begin the process, both the student and one parent must get a **FSA ID** (this can be done prior to October 1). Once both the student and one parent have their FSA ID, families may begin completing the FAFSA on October 1. Note: 2017 tax information will be needed to complete the FAFSA.

Get your FSA ID [here](https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa/filling-out/fsaid): <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa/filling-out/fsaid>
Start you FAFSA [here](https://fafsa.ed.gov/): <https://fafsa.ed.gov/>

ATHLETICS

Please check <http://www.chandlerprepackactivities.com/> for **all** Chandler Prep activities.

Athletic Events This Week

Click [here](#) to see the list of athletic events for the week of September 24 – September 29.

PARENT SERVICE ORGANIZATION (PSO)

www.chandlerpreppso.org



Daily School Announcements are on the [PSO Website](#)! Subscribe to the PSO website and receive a notification whenever there is a new posting.



Snacks for Teachers

Thursday, Oct. 4th and Friday, Oct 5th

Sign up to donate snack items for our teachers! Please drop off your snacks on the cart in the forum on **Thurs Oct. 4th and Fri Oct 5th** (before Fall Break). Our teachers will really appreciate the "fuel" from the Chandler Prep community during conferences!

***Note** – Certain perishable items have a drop off day of Monday, Oct 15th. This info will be in the SignUp Genius: [Sign Up Here](#)



Family Directory

Our Chandler Prep family directory is now available! [Click here to access it](#) and type in the password: <deleted>. Thank you, **Shannon Brodnik** and **Vicky Davies** for putting this together for us!



Homecoming Recap

Ignite the Night Homecoming Week was full of fun! Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped with the popsicles, halftime show, concessions, decorations, bonfire, and the dance. What an amazing community!



Thayer Aletheia-Zomlefer "igniting the night" and the East Valley Young Marines



House Archons racing for house points. Chandler Prep Schola singing "The Star-Spangled Banner."



Students and parents mingled and enjoyed the post-game bonfire as they celebrated our Titan win!



Middle School Social at Jake's Unlimited

September 28th
1:00 to 3:00 pm

This includes unlimited buffet, rides and attractions, bowling with shoes and non-redemption video games. [Click here](#) to sign up and pay for this fun afternoon!



Hot Lunch Ordering

Order Hot lunch on the [PSO lunch ordering page](#). Quarter 2 Menus will be available for online ordering in the next couple of weeks. A final announcement will be sent out when they are ready. **Remember: Orders need to be placed four days in advance.**



Two Facebook Pages for Chandler Prep Families!

1. The [Chandler Prep Facebook page](#) shares updates and pictures!
2. The [GH Chandler Sell or Trade Facebook Page](#) Just click on "Join Group," answer the security question, and then you will be added to the group by the admin.

Service ~ Community ~ Friendship



Don't forget to like us on Facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/ChandlerPrep/>

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