



GREAT HEARTS ANTHEM ARCHWAY & GREAT HEARTS ANTHEM PREPARATORY WEEKLY NEWS
9.1.23

The mission of Anthem Preparatory Academy is to cultivate the minds and hearts of students through the pursuit of Truth, Goodness, and Beauty.

ALL SCHOOL NEWS & EVENTS

Community Investment

Save the Dates - Sept. 11-15, 2023!

Our Giving is Groovy week is coming! Students will receive a sheet of fun games that they can turn into boxes. The Prep box will be located at the top of the stairs, Archway box will be located in the hall next to the front office. Games sheets must be turned in to the boxes to be eligible for daily drawings! It's all in good fun, no donations necessary.

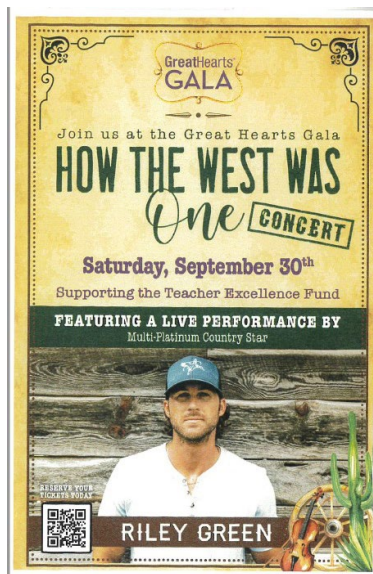
Drawings will be held Tuesday – Friday, September 12-15 during morning announcements. One Archway and one Prep winner per day.

And remember, invest in your school community by [clicking here!](#)



Great Hearts Gala

Tickets and sponsorship opportunities to the Great Hearts Gala are now on sale! Join us on September 30th at Earnhardt Lexus for a fun evening featuring multi-platinum country star Riley Green in support of our teachers. Click [HERE](#) to purchase your ticket today. If you'd like to get involved or learn more about the Gala, please contact Diane Tyson at dtyson@greatheartsanthem.org.



Traffic Officer Update

UPDATE -The traffic officer will continue to be in place for another two weeks. We are still working with the City of Phoenix and MDOT for a longer term solution. We will keep updating you with any new information we receive. Thank you for your cooperation and patience in this matter.

All students being picked up in both Archway and Prep MUST display placards! If you do not have one, please contact the front office.

Archway Early Release Wednesday Clubs

As clarification on pick-up procedures:

Archway east curb: Students will still be released in carline by teachers of each club after classes have ended.

Archway entrance: For safety reasons, parents are not permitted to walk through the Archway entrance doorways or Archway hallways to pick up their child from classrooms.

Front office: If you need to pick up your child any time before clubs have ended, please proceed to the front office to pick up and sign out your child from this location.

Archway Parents

If your child arrives after **7:40 a.m.**, you will need to come in and sign them in for the day.

Uniform Exchange Sale

9/9/23 from 8:00 am - 12:00 pm in the commons.

Volunteers are needed for the Uniform Exchange on 9/9/23 @ 8:15 in commons. If you're interested please contact ghanthempso@gmail.com.

Annual Title I Grant Program Meeting

The annual Title I Grant Program meeting will be held virtually Tuesday, Sep 19, 2023. Two sessions will be available on this date:

Session 1 at 9:30 AM: <https://greathearts.zoom.us/j/96438604344>

Session 2 at 1:00 PM. <https://greathearts.zoom.us/j/98531593449>

These sessions will answer the questions: What is Title I? What is the Title I Grant Program? What resources are available for students who qualify for this assistance? The meeting will conclude with an open Q & A. Following the meeting, a brief survey will be distributed to collect feedback from attendees.

Promoting Great Hearts Day at Chase Field: Friday, September 1st

Join us for another [Great Hearts Day at Chase Field](#), Friday, September 1st as the Dbacks take on the Orioles! Enjoy discounted tickets, the

National Anthem performed by Great Hearts choir students, and an opportunity to win game day experiences and prizes exclusive to Great Hearts families and friends. We hope to see you at the ballpark!



Great Hearts Anthem 9/11 Morning Announcement

In keeping with the State-required law HB2325, this announcement will be read to all Great Hearts Anthem students on Monday, September 11th, in remembrance of 9/11.

Today, we remember an important day in the history of America. Many years ago, four stolen airplanes crashed on the same day in our country. Many people lost their lives. But the American people were strong. Many firefighters and police officers rushed to help. They were real heroes. Other families took in stranded travelers and cared for them. Today, there are many security measures in place to make sure that nothing like this ever happens again, and to keep Americans safe.

One way that we remember what happened on Sept. 11 is by thinking about how the American people came together to help each other, and by being kind to others and helping other people. We want to encourage you to talk to your parents about this, tonight, and to think about ways you can help others. If you want to know more about what happened on September 11, 2001, please talk to your parents. They will have the best answers.

Please speak with your child/children in whatever way you feel is appropriate. Some children may be sensitive and young, so we are asking that children share their thoughts and concerns with their parents and not with each other. Here are some links to resources for parents about this content that you can use to talk to your children about events like this:

[National Association of School Psychologists](#) [Brown University](#)

Great Hearts Archway Yearbooks

The Great Hearts Anthem Prep Yearbook is available to order online. Ordering instructions and the link to purchase a yearbook ([click here](#)) are on the attached flyer. Please email Mrs. Bidleman or Mrs. Chumley with any Prep (6-12th grade) yearbook questions, kbidleman@greatheartsanthem.org or jchumley@greatheartsanthem.org

Don't Miss Out!



Scan here to purchase!



GREAT HEARTS ANTHEM ARCHWAY YEARBOOK

Yearbook Sales
August 22nd, 2023 - May 3rd, 2024

To place your order online, go to:
<https://shop.yearbookmarket.com/greatheartsanthemarchway>

ITEM	PRICE
Hardcover Yearbook	\$36.00*
Softcover Yearbook	\$31.00*
Dedication Ads (5th Grade + Kindergarten)	\$25.00

*Prices increase January 2024!

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Today's Football Game location has been changed to North Phoenix Prep located at 14100 N 32nd Street, Phoenix Az 85032 Start time at 7:00 pm. Admission: \$5 adults, \$3 students, children 12 and under free.

Mid Quarter Reports

This week you received your first mid quarter grade report for your student(s). The next one will be sent out during week seven. Students should talk with their teachers about their reports if they have questions or concerns, but they should not ask teachers how to raise their grade. Instead, they should ask questions about their performance such as: "How can I use the study guide better?", "How can I improve my argument in my essay?", or "How can I more meaningfully participate in seminars?"

Curriculum Night

Thank you to all who attended our curriculum night. Our teachers enjoyed getting to meet parents and showing them a little bit of what we do with our students each day.

Family Pass - Volleyball

High School (JV & Varsity Volleyball) Family Pass for Anthem Prep home games. \$25 for the entire home season. Entire family gets in!

[SY 23/24 Family Pass - Volleyball](#)

Prep Yearbooks are on Sale

Yearbooks are on sale now! Sept 1, 2023 - April 15, 2024

Prices increase January 2024

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Yearbook Sales
September 1st, 2023 - April 15th, 2024

To place your order online, go to:
<https://shop.yearbookmarket.com/greatheartsanthempreparatory>

ITEM	PRICE
Hardcover Yearbook	\$60.00*
Senior Dedication Ads	\$56.00

*Prices increase January and March 2024!



Class of 2024 Senior Trip

Senior Trip is scheduled for May 16 - May 22, 2024. More information will be addressed during Senior Night on September 7, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. in the Commons

Lunch Vendor

Please see the [linked information](#) for ordering lunch utilizing our vendors through BOONLI

For those families who do not order from Boonli, please consider making a \$10 yearly parent contribution to help cover the cost of lunchroom supplies.

This \$10 contribution per student helps the school to provide supplies in the lunchroom that are available to ALL students, whether they purchase a hot lunch or bring their own lunch from home. These supplies include plates, plastic cutlery, and napkins. ***More importantly, it allows the school to provide instant lunch items like mac and cheese and cup o noodles to students who forgot their lunch.***

[23/24 Lunch Contribution](#)

[Volunteering for the 2023-2024 School Year](#)

If you would like to volunteer on campus or chaperone field trips for the 23/24 school year, you MUST register online by clicking [here](#) to fill out and complete the volunteer application. The cost is \$5.00. The enrollment is good from July 1, 2023, through June 2024. Each July, you will need to re register for the following school year if you would like to volunteer.

Once completed, the Raptor system will respond within 48 hours to let you know if you are cleared to volunteer. All volunteers must be approved through this process, no exceptions. Please note, when selecting our school, it will not separate from Archway and Prep; it will clear you for both schools. You may choose multiple campus if that applies to your family.

[Lunch Volunteer Sign Up](#)

Below, please find the link for 23-24 SY Lunch Volunteer SignUp.

[Lunch Volunteer SignUp](#)

PSO September Newsletter [click here](#).

THE WEEKS AHEAD

9/1 - Great Hearts Day at Chase Field - QR code for tickets
9/1 - Home Football Game at North Phoenix Prep 7:00 pm
9/4 - NO SCHOOL
9/5 - Home Volleyball Game vs Lincoln Prep
9/6 - Half Day Early Release
9/6 - PSO Board Meeting 8:15 am - 9:15 am
9/7 - Senior Orientation for Parents & Students 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm, Commons
9/9 PSO Uniform Exchange - 8:00 am - 12:00 pm, Commons

LOOKING AHEAD

9/12 - Junior Parent College Counseling Night 5:30pm - 7:30 pm
9/13 - Half Day Early Release
9/15 Half Day Early Release
9/18-9/22 - Prep Spirit Week
9/18 - Home Volleyball Game
9/19 - Sophomore & Freshman College Night (Virtual) 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm
9/19 - PSO All Parent Meeting 8:15 am - 9:15 am, Prep Library
9/20 - Half Day Early Release
9/20 - Senior Day
9/22 - Homecoming Dance 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
9/23 - Home Football game - 7:00 pm

Websites and Links

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[Great Hearts Anthem Archway & Anthem Preparatory Website](#)

[Great Hearts Anthem Preparatory Athletics Website](#)

[Great Hearts Anthem Event Calendar](#)

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[Great Hearts Anthem Archway Extra-Curricular Programs](#)

[Great Hearts Anthem Preparatory High School & Middle School Extra-Curricular Programs](#)

Attendance: email preferred
Email:
attendance@greatheartsanthem.org
or call 623-465-4776, option 1

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