

# THE PANTHER PRINT

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January 16, 2024

Panther Families,

Happy 2024 and welcome to quarter 3! This quarter kicks off with Parent-Teacher Conferences! As we approach conferences, we want to provide you with some important information and encourage your active participation in this valuable opportunity to connect with your child's teachers.

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for January 18th and 19th, and we believe that these meetings play a crucial role in fostering a strong partnership between parents, teachers, and students. During these conferences, you will have the chance to discuss your child's progress, academic performance, and any concerns or questions you may have. Please note that both Thursday, January 18th and Friday, January 19th, are both early release days at 11:30am.

To make the most out of your Parent-Teacher Conference, we suggest considering the following questions to ask your child's teachers:

- What are my child's strengths in the classroom?
- Are there any specific assignments or projects my child excelled in recently?
- How can I support my child's learning at home?
- What are the upcoming topics or units my child will be studying?

We look forward to welcoming you to Parent-Teacher Conferences and believe that these meetings will strengthen the collaborative effort between home and school. If you haven't already, please sign up for your preferred time slot with your child's homeroom teacher. If you encounter any issues or have questions, feel free to contact our school office.

Thank you for your continued support and commitment to your child's education.

Smiles,

*Ashley Grant*

## Vision:

To advance academic excellence and foster social and emotional growth.

## Mission:

Our mission, governed by the collaboration of families, educators, and community, is to create a safe, effective, and positive learning environment that accelerates academic excellence and social growth, empowering lifelong learners.

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR

December 21- January 5th  
WINTER BREAK

January 10th  
Q2 PERFECT ATTENDANCE INCENTIVE

January 15th  
MLK DAY-NO SCHOOL

January 17th  
CHIPOTLE DINE OUT EVENT

January 18-19th  
PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES  
EARLY RELEASE AT 11:30AM

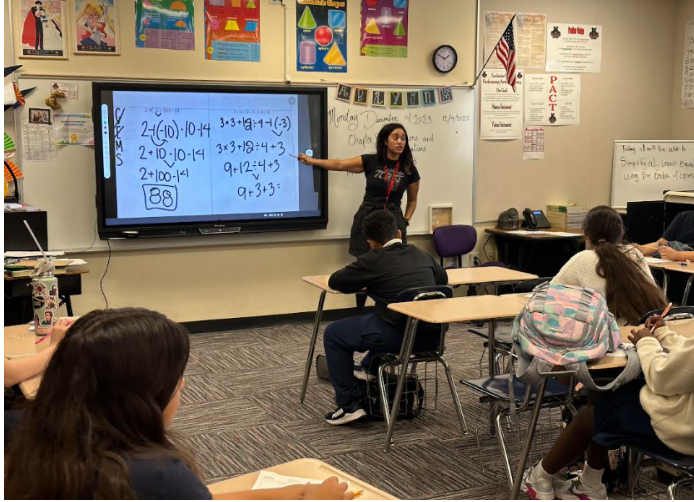
January 24th  
EARLY RELEASE AT 11:30AM

January 25th  
KONA ICE DAY

January 26th  
PANTHER BOOSTER  
MEETING AT 8:30 AM

January 29- February 9  
APEX FUNDRAISING EVENT

# ONE TEAM ONE SOUND



The teacher role is in full action as Ms. Abayon's 7th grade math class as she is doing direct instruction!



Ms. Oden's third graders were working with their partner to answer a question based on a ReadyGen text!



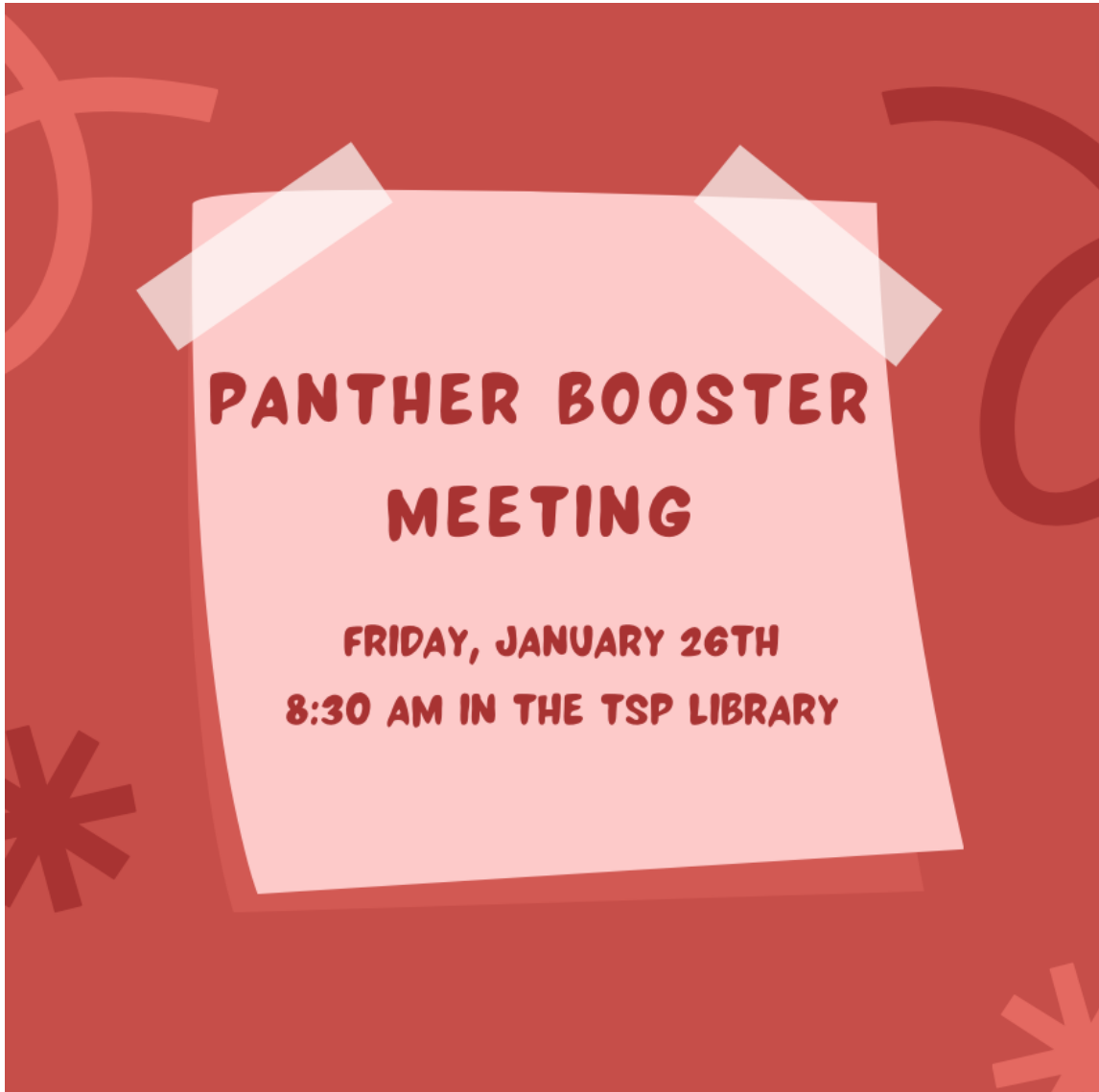
Coach Mac's PE students were using critical thinking skills as they worked with their team to decide the best way for their team to move the mat across the gym floor!



Ms. Hammond eating lunch with her kids in the cafeteria! What a great way to continue to build relationships and bring those relationships into the classroom!

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TSP:

# **MONTHLY PANTHER BOOSTER MEETING**



# **JOIN US**



# JANUARY PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

## Reminder

- \* Thursday, January 18th and Friday, January 19th are early release days at 11:30 for Parent-Teacher Conferences!
- \* Have you signed up with your child's teacher for your conference?!
- \* Your child may dress down on both of these days for \$1!

**SIGN**

**UP**

# **COME SUPPORT OUR INTRAMURAL WINTER SPORTS**

**Come out and support our Volleyball  
and Soccer teams!**



**All games begin at 4:35 pm!**



## **Schedule**

**Monday, November 27th:** TSP vs. Laveen @ TSP

**Tuesday, November 28th:** TSP vs Paseo Point @ TSP

**Tuesday, December 5th:** TSP vs Cheatham @ Cheatham

**Tuesday, December 14th:** TSP vs Vista @ Vista

**Monday, December 18th:** TSP vs. EFGA @ TSP

**Tuesday, December 19th:** TSP vs. Cash @ Cash

**Tuesday, January 9th:** TSP vs. Rogers Ranch @ Rogers

**Tuesday, January 11th:** TSP vs. Desert Meadows @ TSP



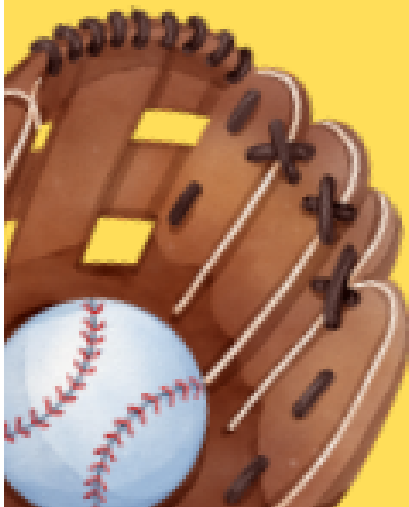
# TSP SPORTING EVENTS

COME CHEER ON THE PANTHERS!

A RESPONSIBLE ADULT MUST  
ACCOMPANY EVERY STUDENT TO  
ENTER.

**\$2 FOR ADULTS  
\$1 FOR STUDENTS**

ALL SALES ARE CASH ONLY.



# CONGRATULATIONS

## Student of the Month!

Student	Teacher	Student	Teacher
Jeremiah Harris	Mrs. Zelez (K)	Savannah Gammage	Ms. Abayon (7)
Christopher Torres-Madera	Mrs. Gutierrez (K)	Cecilio Rivera	Mr. Kinney (7)
Elayna Peralta Santiago	Mrs. Haley (K)	Jameyrose Monarrez	Mrs. Odeneal (7)
Lukas Burgos	Ms. Adams (K)	Alicia Willeto	Mr. Christopher (8)
Ramona Valadez	Ms. Perez (1)	Gwendolyn Preston	Ms. Bergner (8)
Genie Lu Dingalsun	Ms. Brown (1)	Lindsay Garcia	Ms. Russell (8)
Gredmarie Alvarez	Ms. Ogaz (1)	Nehemia Smith	Mr. Brandon (8)
Samson Childs	Ms. Hammond (1)	Azariah Santos	Ms. Richmond
Esmeralda Chavez	Mrs. Lobell (2)	Christopher Rosas	Ms. Haverland
David Perez	Mrs. Glick (2)	Kanani Schmach	Ms. Phillips (Band)
Rudy Rios	Ms. Nido (2)	Ivan Mendez Moreno	Coach Iler (PE)
Miah Yslava	Mrs. Iler (2)	Zyheer Muhammad White	Coach Mac (PE)
Ian Velazquez	Mrs. Oden (3)	Giovanni Fuentes	Dr. Tryon (Theater Arts)
Darian Bencomo-Dominguez	Ms. Turnage (3)	Hector Baeza	Mr. Bailey (Music)
Kary Quiro Sanchez	Ms. Ramos (3)	Jeremiah Anau	Mrs. Salguero
Fernanda Castro Urquidez	Mrs. Lotz (3)	Arianna Barreras Recendes	Ms. Ruiz
Carlo Verduzco	Ms. Sugden (4)	Josyah Bussel	Ms. Callis
Fabian Ramirez	Ms. Arce (4)	Milkii Merga	Mrs. Zuckerman
Raelynn Jones	Mrs. Mendez (4)		
Lyric Craig	Ms. Shorter (4)		
Melody Gaxiola Guana	Ms. Dowling (5)		
Malahni Gipson	Mr. Manka (5)		
Emma Rivera	Ms. Roddy (5)		
Janalynn Amotai	Mr. Garcia (6)		
Saria Hunter	Mrs. Daniels (6)		
Aubrey Miller	Mr. Hesson (6)		
Classroom of the Month: K-2: Mrs. Gutierrez's Class 3-5: Ms. Turnage's Class 6-8: Mr. Ronquillo's Homeroom Class			

# ***SUPPORT TRAILSIDE POINT!***

## **Follow us on Social Media**

Please take a minute to "like" us on [Facebook](#) for reminders, announcements, videos, links, and event pictures!

We even have an Instagram for you to follow! Follow us on Instagram at [trailside\\_point](#)



## ***2023 ARIZONA CHARITABLE TAX CREDIT***

Arizona allows taxpayers to dedicate dollars to education while reducing the amount you owe on your 2023 taxes through the tax credit program. For every dollar that you donate, the amount you owe on your Arizona taxes will be that much less! If you do not owe taxes, the amount you donate may be carried forward for up to five years to offset future tax liabilities. You can make your donation [online](#) or download the [form here](#).





# SCHOOL UNIFORM

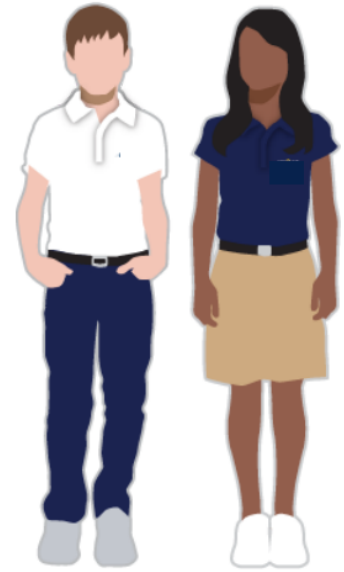
Please review the Laveen School District's uniform policy with your child(ren).

**Shirts/Tops:** Short-sleeves or long-sleeves in solid white, navy blue or light blue. Polo-style, blouses, or button down with collars. No logos. No t-shirts. Fridays are our spirit days and can wear red polos or our PACT spirit shirt.

**Pants/Skirts/Bottoms:** Pants or shorts in solid black, navy blue or khaki. Dresses, jumpers, or skirts in solid black, navy blue or khaki. No jeans. No sweatpants. No leggings.

**Outerwear/Jackets:** Jackets, sweatshirts or sweaters in solid navy blue, white, gray, or light blue. Outerwear must be worn over an approved uniform shirt.

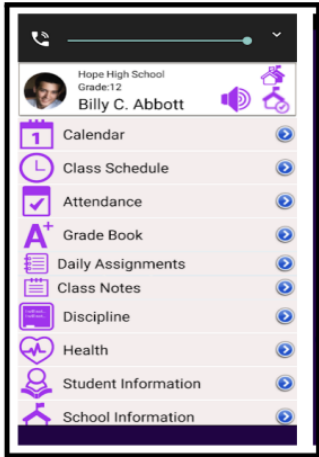
**IDs & Lanyards:** School-issued IDs and lanyards are considered part of the required school uniform and must be worn daily.



Do you own, know, or work for a business that would be interested in sponsoring an event here at Trailside?

If you are interested in sponsoring, please email [jbrace@laveeneld.org](mailto:jbrace@laveeneld.org) for more information!

# PARENTVUE WEBSITE AND PHONE APP

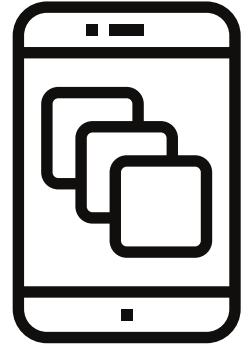


It's midterm progress report season and ParentVUE is a wonderful tool to monitor your child's education. ParentVUE is a website that offers secure, private access to school information, including assignments, grades, progress reports, attendance, school calendar, and teacher contact details. In ParentVUE, you can see the information for all of your students. The ParentVUE Mobile app uses the same user login as the web-based ParentVUE portal. If you need help accessing your child's gradebook, please contact our front office for assistance.

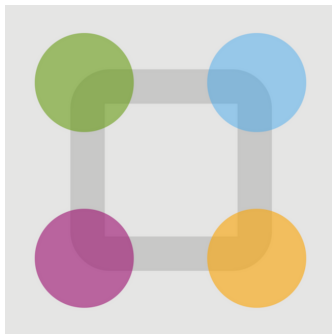
[Click here](#) to access ParentVUE on your computer.

iPhone users: Download the app from the [Apple App Store](#).

Android users: Download the app from [Google Play](#).



## PARENT SQUARE



ParentSquare is a robust communications platform that combines tools such as email, text, classroom updates, sign-ups, scheduling, and updates into one easy-to-use platform. Laveen families can download the app or log in to the dashboard. From there, you will see secure messages from your child's teacher, classroom updates, classroom photo galleries, and school event calendars. You'll be able to sign up for conferences and volunteer opportunities. If you have multiple children in our schools, you can see all these notifications at once or toggle between children to see relevant information for each individual child.

## PARENT/ STUDENT HANDBOOK

There is a lot of important and useful information on our [school](#) and [district](#) websites. Please bookmark them both. On our school website, you will find a link to our 2023-2024 [Parent and Student Handbook](#). Please take a minute to review this entire handbook with our student(s).



## DON'T FORGET!



- If you have not already completed your Free & Reduced Lunch Form, please do so as soon as possible!
  - If you do not believe that you will qualify, completing the form still supports Trailside Point!
- If you have an absence to report, please call the front office at 602-605-8540.
  - You must report an absence within 24 hours.