### AmeriSchools Academy Yuma North



# AmeriSchools December Newsletter

## 2nd - 19th District Benchmark Testing 3rd Day of Giving 9th Christmas Card Day 10th Holiday Performance 6:30 - 745:pm 12th Nutcracker Exploration Day

## CONTACT US: 928-919-7203

# 16th- 20th

- Kids Korner Holiday Shoppe
- Spirit Week

# 17th

Movie Night/ Babysitting 6:00-7:30pm

19th

Winter Dance

# 21st - Jan 5th

- Re-Enrollment Begins
- Winter Break No School

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# A letter from our Principal

Dear AmeriSchools Families,

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I cannot believe the Holiday season is already upon us! I am so grateful for all of our amazing staff and our supportive parents. Together you make AmeriSchools the family-friendly place that we strive to be. Thank you so much for all of your amazing work!

Our winter decorations will be going up soon and the holiday songs are being practiced throughout the school as students are preparing for our Holiday program. We are going to have a very busy three weeks with our activities and events that have been planned.

We are also trying to keep everyone safe and healthy. It is very important that your child is at school and on time. If your child is ill, please keep them home, but follow up with their teachers to see what they are missing in the classroom.

During the last week of school, your child's classroom may have a class party. Please be on the lookout for these notes going home. We hope you will all be able to relax this Holiday season.

Have a safe and wonderful Holiday Season!

Linda McCormack Coordinator for Instruction



### Reminders

#### Nutcracker Ballet Exploration

AmeriSchools Academy is going to the ballet! This is our school-wide exploration trip to see some of the arts in action. On December 12th, we will be heading to Yuma Theater to watch the performance of The Nutcracker. Some of our current and former students (and staff) are in this performance as well and we want to show our support.

The ballet begins at 9:30 so we will be leaving early. Please make sure your student is on time this day. Also, please send a non-warm up lunch with your child as we will be eating lunch during intermission at the auditorium. Look for the permission slips in your child's folder and don't forget to turn them in!

#### **Fundraising**

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Parents, we have many ways you can support our school this year. Attached are directions on how to join BoxTops for Education and Fry's Rewards

#### <u>Kids Kastle Holiday Shop</u>

Our Holiday Shop will be open on December 16th-20th before and after school. This is a fun time for our students to shop, and purchase presents for teachers, parents, friends, etc. Most items range in price from \$1-\$20. Please look for more information and envelopes going home soon.

#### <u>Holiday Program</u>

It's almost time for our Holiday Program! All of our students have been practicing their songs and we would like to invite all of our incredible families to come watch them perform. Our program will be at the Yuma Swap meet December 10th starting at 6:30 pm. Dress warm and bring your chairs. We can't wait to see all of our amazing families there!

#### Follow Us On Social Media

Did you know AmeriSchools Academy has an account with Instagram, Facebook, and even LinkedIn? Scan the QR code on the attached flyer and like and follow our pages. School Events and Reminders will be posted there.

### Reminders

#### **December 21st - Re-Enroll Now and Secure Your Spot!**

Important Re-Enrollment Information for Current Students. Before winter break, you'll receive an email or letter containing your child's unique student ID. Please keep this information safe, as it will be required to reenroll your child through SchoolMint. The office will be closed during winter break and unable to provide assistance if the ID is misplaced. Secure your child's spot early and help us plan for new students on the waitlist—don't miss out!

Incentives:

- The class with the highest percentage of returned forms wins an Ice Cream Sundae Party!
- Parents/guardians will be entered into a drawing for a \$50 gift card.

#### **Open Enrollment for New Students begins February 1st!**

Know someone who'd love our school? Invite them to join! Open enrollment starts February 1st, every year a waiting list forms.

#### **Preschool or Kindergarten?**

Interested in enrolling your little one next year? Call us today for all the details!

### Reminders

#### <u>Winter Dance</u>

We are gearing up for another one of our annual Winter events that all of our families enjoy - our Winter Dance. Dress up, come have fun, and dance the night away on December 19th. This event will be from 6-8 pm. Admission is free, but we will have a concession stand for our families to buy snacks that night

#### <u>Christmas Movie Night</u>

We will be having our Christmas movie night on December 17th. The movie will be "The Grinch" and will start at 6pm. There is a charge of \$5 which includes popcorn and a hot chocolate. Come in and drop the kids off while you finish dong shopping or just take some time to relax.

#### Spirit Week \$ dress (except for free on the 20th)

Dec 16th - Holiday Socks Dec 17th - Reindeer and Elf Hats/Ears Dec 18th - Ugly Sweater Dec 19th - Christmas attire Dec 20th - Decorate Yourself!

#### Last Day of School for 2024!

On December 20th, most of our classrooms will all be having parties. Please get with your child's teacher to find out what you can contribute that day. Also, just as a reminder, that is our last day of school for 2024! All grade levels will be released at 11:00 am that morning and there will be no Aftercare or Afternoon preschool available.

School will resume on Monday, January 6th, 2025!

#### Before and after care and preschool: Capstone Quest Academy

Our before and after school and preschool program is available from 7 a.m. until 6 p.m. We have weekly rates and a Thursday rate for before and after-school care. For preschool, we have weekly rates with two different time slots 8 am-3:30 pm or 7 am-6 pm. We are DES-certified if you need assistance with the payment. A contract is required before your child can stay; payment must be made each Monday.

#### Lunches:

All lunch orders are due on Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. for the following week. These can be paid for in the classroom or the office.

#### Fees:

Please keep all before and after-school care, preschool, and supply fees up to date. Also, there are still some activity fees that still need to be paid. This is a yearly fee of \$40 per student and \$20 for each additional sibling. This goes to buy supplies for art, music, PE, and after-school clubs. A supply fee can be paid instead of buying the items from the school supply list. This fee is \$60 per student/per year and should be paid before the first day of school. Please contact the school office if payment arrangements must be made. All fees must be current for your child to participate in clubs.





### Please Join Us For A Our Annual Winter Dance

# THURSDAY 19 AT 6-8 PM

No admission fee. Snacks and drink at concession stand for a fee.



# IT'S ALMOST ··· RE-ENROLLMENT TIME!

### Dec 21st - Jan 17th

1st class that submits the most submissions first wins an Ice Cream Party!!! Keep an eye out for the email. A link will be emailed to all families.

# Re-Enrollment begins Dec 21st!



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Dear Families,

Are you looking for a quick and easy way to support our school?

Box Tops for Education has been around for over 25 years, and it really can make a difference.

In fact, the Box Tops program has helped give almost one billion dollars to schools since 1996.

The Box Tops app gives participants the ability to earn for any school across the country with just the touch of a button. Plus, the Box Tops app allows you to search for schools that could use a little extra help, so you can help give students in low-income schools the opportunity to succeed.

**HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:** Buy participating products and use the Box Tops app to scan your store receipt. The app identifies eligible products and earnings are credited to your designated school online. Even if you're shopping online or doing grocery pickup, you can still submit your digital or email receipt with the Box Tops app and earn. Twice a year, our school gets a check!

# See a list of participating products at **BTFE.COM/PRODUCTS**

Box Tops earnings really add up, and the more people that participate, the bigger the impact we can make. So let's give our teachers the support they need and give more kids the opportunity to succeed. **Together, we can help make a big difference**.







#### AmeriSchools Academy – North Campus

#### joined the Fry's Community Rewards program.

Amerischool's Academy – North Campus easiest Fundraising event - *shop at Fry's and use your V.I.P. account!* 

PLEASE NOTE: You must have an Email to proceed.

#### **STEP 1: CREATING AN ONLINE FRY'S ACCOUNT**

#### \*\*NOTE: Already have an online Fry's account, skip to #2

Go to www.FrysCommunityRewards.com

- Select 'Create an Account.'
- Continue with Google or fill out your Name, Email Address and create a Password.
- Select 'Add my current VIP card' or 'Create a new V.I.P. Card.'
- Enter your Fry's V.I.P Card Number or create a new V.I.P. card number. Then select 'Create Account.'
- It will prompt you to the 'Leave Page,' which will take you to www.frysfood.com.
- └ Continue to step #2 to register for Fry's Community Rewards Program.

#### STEP 2: REGISTER FOR THE FRY'S COMMUNITY REWARDS PROGRAM

- If at www.frysfood.com, scroll to the bottom click, Fry's Community Rewards you are already signed in.
  - 1. If you skipped Step 1, go to www.FrysCommunityRewards.com
  - 2. Select 'Sign-In'.
  - 3. Sign in with Google or enter your email and password then select 'sign in'.
  - 4. Select 'Enroll Now'

5. Under 'Find Your Organization: Enter AmeriSchools Academy – North Campus or our number (IJ377) before clicking on search make sure the description is selected (example: Education, Faith Based, Animal, Athletic, or **All**) on the View By Type.

- 6. Then select 'Search'.
- 7. Once you have found us click 'Enroll"

If you have registered correctly, you will see a confirmation page stating 'You have successfully enrolled in Community Rewards

Fry's program was designed to make AmeriSchools Academy – North Campus the easiest fundraiser in town. All you have to do is *shop at Fry's and use your V.I.P. account!*