NOVEMBER 7, 2026

EDUPRIZE SCHOOLS

QUEEN CREEK/SAN TAN VALLEY CAMPUS NEWSLETTER



COMMUNITY CORNER

by Dr. Bryce Solberg

EDUPRIZE Families,

We want to extend a thank you to our Veterans. To honor Veterans associated with our school, we have a Wall of Honor in building 2. This amazing tribute displays flags for each branch of the military, with a special focus on the American flag. We are adding pictures of Veterans connected to our community recognize and highlight them for their service to our country. In addition, we will post the American and US Military flags in front of our school on Monday, November 10.

We are continuing to collect food and turkeys to provide a meal for families in need. We appreciate all of the community's support in helping ensure that every family has a warm meal for Thanksgiving.

Go EAGLES!
Dr. Solberg

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Quick REFERENCES

CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

NOVEMBER 2026

Mondays: Wear Military Colors
Now-11/13 MLK Poster Contest
Now-11/20 NJHS Food & Turkey Drive
Now-11/11 Boosterthon Fundraiser Registration
11/11 NO SCHOOL - Veterans Day
11/12 Fun Run (K-5 Grades)
11/13 Color Run (6-8 Grades)
11/16-20 Quarter 3 Parent-Teacher Conference Week
11/18 Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day
11/20 Kona Ice Visit
11/25-27 NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break
11/30-12/18 Yearbook Cover Contest

DECEMBER 2026

12/1-11 NJHS Sponsored - Giving Tree
12/4 Restaurant Night - Panda Express
12/4 NJHS Sponsored - Hat Day
12/7-11 Candy Grams
12/8/26 4th Grade Choir Concert
12/9-10 Musical Theater Performance, ***ELF***
12/10-11 Eagles EXPO - Jr. High
12/14-18 PTO Sponsored - Natalie's Elf Shop
12/14 Cottage Fair - AM FLEX
12/15 5th-8th Grade Band & Choir Concert
12/15 Cottage Fair - PM FLEX
12/16 Cottage Fair - Full Day
12/18 Kona Ice Visit
12/18 Early Release - ALL PROGRAMS & Last Day of Quarter 2
12/21-1/5/27 Winter Break

PLANNING AHEAD

1/28 Schoolwide Spelling Bee
3/15-26 Spring Break
5/27 Last Day of the 26-27 School Year

2026-2027 School Calendar

QUICK LINKS

WEBSITE

INFINITE CAMPUS PORTAL

ATHLETICS



PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION

- qcpto-president@eduprize.com
- Art Masterpiece: www.art4eduprize.com
- website: eduprizeqcpto.com

STEAM Program

- For sign-up information and STEAM calendars please email Mrs. Larson at: qc.steam@eduprize.com

CONTACT US
480.888.1610
www.eduprize.com
Facebook

BOOSTERTHON FUNDRAISER



SIGN UP TODAY

For Our Fundraiser

MYBOOSTER.COM

You can now sign up for our EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Fun Run! Our goal is to raise $50,000. Signing up is easy and free!

⭐ **Sign Up Now On MYBOOSTER.COM** ⭐

Thank you for being a part of our EDUPRIZE - Queen Creek community and helping us make a difference for our students.
We are grateful for your support!

Key Dates to Remember:

💻 Sign up online at MyBooster.com – Start TODAY!

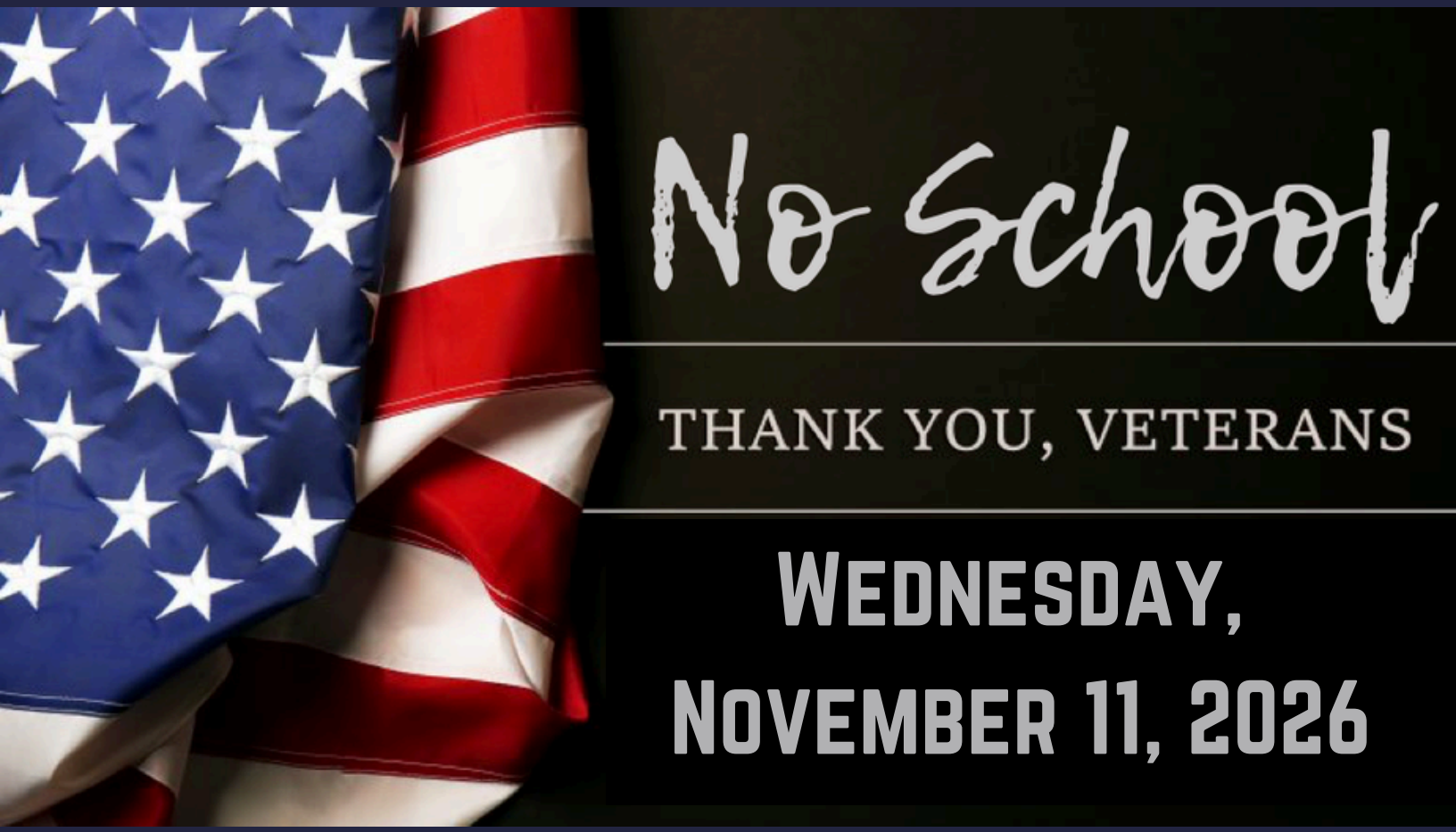
🎉 Fundraiser Kickoff in school – Began on 11/4/2026

👟 Event Day – 11/12/2026 - K-5th Grade Fun Run

👟 Event Day – 11/13/2026 - 6th-Jr. High Color Run

*Need help signing up? Video instructions **HERE**

NO SCHOOL



NO SCHOOL



POSTER CONTEST/ PEACE WALK

Be the peace you wish to see in the world. -Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

EDUPRIZE QC/STV's Fifth Annual
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Poster Contest & Peace Walk

POSTER CONTEST

Entries Due NOVEMBER 13, 2026

Students will create original drawings that celebrate the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and honor his impact on peace and justice. One drawing will be made into a poster, which will be on display and carried during the Peace Walk. The top entries for each grade level will be selected and showcased at the school.

Poster Guidelines

- Use an 8.5" x 11" blank sheet of paper
- Poster MUST BE IN PORTRAIT (vertical) orientation ONLY
- Acceptable art mediums: crayons, paints, pastels, markers, colored pencils
- Write your name, teacher, and grade on the **back** of your entry (**NOT THE FRONT**.) Turn in artwork at building 2 front desk

PEACE WALK

Monday, January 18, 2027 (**Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday** / **No School**) **8:00 a.m.** – **10:30 a.m.**
Arrival: 8:00 a.m.
Peace Walk: 8:30 a.m.
Food Trucks & Music: 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Participants will meet in front of the school and walk north on Thompson Rd., head east into the surrounding neighborhood, and then loop back toward EDUPRIZE. The walk will end in the dirt lot where parking will be available for families. Food trucks will be set up in front of the school along with music to enjoy after the walk. Please bring your own lawn chairs for seating.



EDUPRIZE QC/San Tan Valley
4567 W. Roberts Road
San Tan Valley, AZ 85144

FOOD DRIVE

Thanksgiving
FOOD DRIVE
NOVEMBER 2ND - 20TH

EDUPRIZE GIVES BACK

MISSION: THIS YEAR WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO PROVIDING FAMILIES FROM EDUPRIZE WITH A THANKSGIVING DINNER.

PRE-K:	ANYTHING FROM THE LIST BELOW
KINDER:	BOXED INSTANT POTATOES
1ST GRADE:	BOXED STUFFING
2ND GRADE:	CANS OF GREEN BEANS
3RD GRADE:	CANS OF CORN
4TH GRADE:	CANNED OR BOTTLED GRAVY
5TH GRADE:	CANNED PUMPKIN (FOR PIE)
6TH GRADE:	CANNED SWEET POTATOES/YAMS
7/8TH GRADE:	CANNED CRANBERRY SAUCE

FOOD DRIVE ITEMS SHOULD BE DROPPED OFF TO CLASSROOM TEACHERS.

Sponsored by: National Junior Honor Society. Thank you for helping us with our school's community service project.

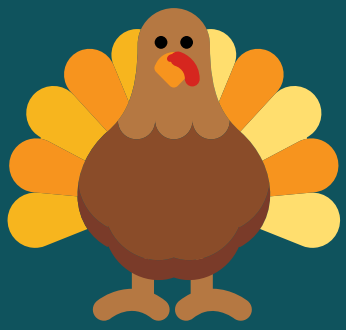
Contact us at melanie.cochran@eduprize.com with any questions.

TURKEY DRIVE

Thanksgiving
TURKEY DRIVE

EDUPRIZE GIVES BACK

MISSION: THIS YEAR WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO PROVIDING FAMILIES FROM EDUPRIZE AND A LOCAL FOOD BANK WITH A THANKSGIVING DINNER.



CLASSROOM FROZEN TURKEY CONTEST

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24
DROP OFF: 7:00 A.M. - 8:00 A.M.
AND 10:20 - 10:40 A.M.

We are challenging each classroom to bring in at least one frozen turkey donation. The classroom with the most turkeys donated will **win a donut party**!

Email your teacher if you are able to commit to a donation or sign up here.

Turkey drop off will take place the morning of Tuesday, November 24. NJHS members will be in the carpool lanes to collect turkeys.

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WALK TO SCHOOL DAY

RUBY BRIDGES WALK TO SCHOOL DAY

EDUPRIZE QC/SAN TAN CAMPUS

Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE!

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2026

AM FLEX/FULL DAY 1ST-8TH 7:00 A.M.
@ THE SAN TAN HEIGHTS PARK

AM KINDER 7:00 A.M.
@ W. WHITE CANYON & PROSPECTOR PLAYSCAPE

PM FLEX 1ST-8TH 10:00 A.M.
@ THE SAN TAN HEIGHTS PARK

PM KINDER 10:00 A.M.
@ W. CANYON & PROSPECTOR PLAYSCAPE

ROUTE MAP

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! SIGN UP HERE

2027-2028 ENROLLMENT

EDUPRIZE
— SCHOOLS —

Welcome,

little Eagles!

Kindergarten & siblings





Do you have a NEW student to enroll for the 2027 - 28 school year?

Submit your interest form today!

https://www.eduprize.com/Apply/

HOLIDAY SHOP

DECEMBER 14-18



DID YOU KNOW...

- CARPOOL REMINDERS
- PARENT PORTAL HELP
- SIMPLE WAYS TO GIVE BACK
- STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE
- REMINDERS FROM THE NURSE
- HOW TO MAKE PAYMENTS
- PARENT PORTAL

ABSENT/TARDY STUDENTS

Please remember to call EDUPRIZE and leave a message if your child is going to be absent.

Attendance line:
(480) 888-1610, ext. 1200
qc-attendance@eduprize.com

All students arriving tardy must check in at the front desk of building 1 to receive a late pass. Any student arriving more than 15 minutes past their start time must be signed in at the front desk by an adult to receive a tardy pass.

VISITORS/ VOLUNTEERS

In order for visitors and volunteers to be buzzed into the front office. A visitor's purpose will be verified prior to receiving permission to enter the front office. While on campus, parents and volunteers will be required to leave a valid photo ID at the front desk and wear a lanyard at all times.

If you need to verify that you are on a teacher's volunteer/visitor calendar, please reach out to your child's teacher via email.

Now Hiring!

Carpool/Lunch Aide

Join our Eduprize teom!

Aide Position – 28 Hours per Week

Monday–Thursday:
- 6:50–8:00 a.m.
- 10:10 a.m.–1:00 p.m.
- 2:25–3:50 p.m.

Friday:
- 6:50–8:00 a.m.
- 10:15–10:45 a.m.
- 11:15 a.m.–12:45 p.m.

Aide Position – 19 Hours per Week

Monday–Thursday:
- 6:50–8:00 a.m.
- 10:15 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

Friday:
- 6:50–8:00 a.m.
- 10:15–10:45 a.m.
- 11:10 a.m.–12:45 p.m.

Please submit an application and resume to Mrs. Chow.

Support Staff applications are available online at eduprize.com or at the front desk of Building 1.

An IVP fingerprint card is required.

Questions? | Contact: sami.chow@eduprize.com

TEACHERS AND STAFF

FAVORITE THINGS

DID YOU KNOW...

THE FRONT OFFICE HAS

TEACHER/STAFF

favorite things lists!

Want to spoil your teacher?



LOST AND FOUND

Lost & Found



As the temperatures cool, our Lost and Found buckets begin to fill up with jackets and other belongings.

Please encourage your child to **check** for any items that may belong to them.

All unclaimed items will be donated over winter break.

QUARTER 3 SPORTS



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QUARTER 2 SPORTS

EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Eagles

Junior High Boys Volleyball • 2026-27

Date	Opponent(s)		Location
Mon 10/26/26	vs Legacy Traditional School Chandler	4:30 PM PT	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym
Tue 10/27/26	@ Heritage Academy Gateway JH	4:30 PM PT	Heritage Academy Gateway Elementary K-8 GYM
Mon 11/2/26	@ American Leadership Academy Queen Creek	4:00 PM MT	American Leadership Academy Queen Creek Gym
Tue 11/10/26	@ BASIS Ahwatukee	5:00 PM MT	Kiwanis Recreation Center Gym
Thu 11/12/26	vs Heritage Academy Gateway JH	4:30 PM MT	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym
Fri 11/13/26	vs Benjamin Franklin Charter	4:30 PM MT	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym
Wed 11/18/26	vs American Leadership Academy Gilbert North	4:30 PM MT	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym
Fri 11/20/26	vs American Leadership Academy Queen Creek	4:00 PM MT	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym
Mon 11/23/26	@ Benjamin Franklin Charter	4:00 PM MT	Benjamin Franklin Charter Gym
Tue 11/24/26	@ Legacy Traditional School Chandler	4:30 PM MT	Legacy Traditional School Chandler JH Gym

Practice: Mondays & Wednesdays
3:00 - 5:00 p.m. B2 Gym

GOBOUND ATHLETIC WEBSITE

QUARTER 2 SPORTS

EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Eagles

Junior High Girls Flag Football • 2026-27

Date	Opponent(s)			Location
Mon 10/26/26	vs Benjamin Franklin Charter	5:00 PM PT		EDUPRIZE Gilbert
Thu 10/29/26	vs East Valley Athletes for Christ	5:00 PM PT		EDUPRIZE Gilbert Field
Mon 11/2/26	vs Legacy Traditional School Chandler	5:00 PM MT		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Field
Fri 11/6/26	vs Heritage Academy Gateway JH	5:00 PM MT		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Field
Tue 11/10/26	@ Legacy Traditional School Chandler	4:00 PM MT		Legacy Traditional School Chandler JH Field
Thu 11/12/26	@ East Valley Athletes for Christ	4:00 PM MT	MCQUEEN WEST	McQueen Park
Tue 11/17/26	@ Benjamin Franklin Charter	5:15 PM MT		Benjamin Franklin Charter Field
Mon 11/23/26	@ Heritage Academy Gateway JH	4:15 PM MT		Heritage Academy Gateway Elementary K-8 FIELD
Mon 11/30/26	@ EDUPRIZE Gilbert	4:00 PM MT		EDUPRIZE Gilbert Field
Wed 12/2/26	vs EDUPRIZE Gilbert	5:00 PM MT		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Field

GOBOUND ATHLETIC WEBSITE

2026-2027 YEARBOOKS



Don't miss out! EDUPRIZE does NOT order extra yearbooks to sell after April 2027. All sales must go through Life Touch.

ORDER NOW!

$27 from now until November 27th

ORDER TODAY

Yearbook ID CODE: 12801927

EDUPRIZE QUEEN CREEK PTO

SAVE THE DATE

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2026-2027

August

8/4 - 8/5 Curriculum Nights
8/13 Board Meeting (In-person)
8/14 Welcome Back Carnival

September

9/18 Red Robin Restaurant Night
9/21 - 9/23 Bookfair Cottages

October

10/8 PTO Board Meeting
10/23 Trunk or Treat
Papa John's Night
10/26 NJHS Boo-gram Drive

November

11/4 Boosterthon Kick-off
11/12 Fun Run
11/13 Color Run (Junior High)
Boosterthon Ends

December

12/4 Panda Express
12/10 PTO Board Meeting
12/11 Staff Holiday Party
12/14-12/18 Natalies Elf Shop

January

1/6 New Year Coffee Cart
1/15 Literacy Night
1/18 MLK Celebration

February

2/11 PTO Board Meeting
2/12 NJHS Gram Drive
2/19 Daddy Daughter Dance

March

3/8 PTO Board Meeting
Red Robin Restaurant Night
3/0 Spring Break Gram Fundraiser

April

4/1 Chalk the Walk
State Testing Ice Breaker
4/2 Mother-Son Dance
4/9 Bahama Buck's Restaurant Night

May

5/3 Texas Roadhouse Restaurant Night
5/3-5/7 Teacher Appreciation Week
5/10-5/14 Cottages BOGO Book Fair

June

6/4 Chick fil A Restaurant Night

** Events are subject to change at the discretion of the board.

MORE DETAILS >

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