



# WEINBERG ELEMENTARY

## December 2019

Office: 812-7500

Attendance: 812-7503

Health: 812-7502

Cafeteria: 812-7504

Dear Weinberg Families,

December is always a busy time of year. We have begun our holiday toy drive, and this year I am excited to share that we are partnering with another school in the Chandler District. All toys collected will be donated to the children and their families in our sister school. It is truly our privilege to be able to make a positive difference in someone else's life and how better than to share what has been given to us. Thank you for helping us teach our children the importance of extending ourselves to others.

We are hosting a Community Information Night on Tuesday, December 3rd at 5 pm in the MPR. It is a time when we will share information about our new school, Elementary 32 and answer any questions you may have.

I want to thank our community for supporting CUSD's bond election. This will allow the district to maintain and repair current buildings, support new construction, and address technology needs within the district. Over the next few months, Weinberg will undergo major roof repairs. All the work will be completed outside of school hours and will not disrupt student learning.

Thank you for your continued support. Here's to a productive and fulfilling month.

Warmly,

*Shirley Mathew*

Principal

### WEINBERG STAFF DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS



03/ Margaret Perea	08/Laura Thornburg
10/Diana Perez	12/Jinky Inciong
13/Jean Willey	15/Christina Muller
17/Jessica Lonkard	22/Alexis Colaianne
30/Shawna Hormiere	

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### December

- 02-13.....Holiday Toy Drive
- 03.....Community Information Meeting @ 5pm
- 05.....2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Field Trip to Shamrock Farms
- 05.....Weinberg Spelling Bee (4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>) @ 9:00 am
- 06.....4<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip to Sonora Desert
- 10.....Band Concert @ 5:00 pm
- 10.....Orchestra Concert @ 5:45 pm
- 10.....Choir Concert @ 6:30 pm
- 11.....5<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip to Biz Town
- 12.....Celebration of Light @ 9:15am and 1:45pm
- 16-18.....Jingle Bell Sales Begin for Jingle Jog
- 17.....Site Council Meeting
- 18.....KDG Field Trip to Phoenix Zoo
- 19.....Jingle Jog (K-3 @ 8:45 & 4-6 @ 9:30)
- 19.....Kdg. Winter Performance @ 2:00 pm
- 19.....Last Day of School for Students

**20--Jan. 06.....Winter Intersession Break**



### January

- 06.....Intent To Return for 19-20 School Year
- 07.....School Resumes for Students**
- 08.....Kindergarten Registration @ 9:00 am
- 13.....Open Enrollment Begins online @ 7:30 am
- 14.....KDG Open House 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm
- 16.....100<sup>th</sup> Day of School
- 20.....**"NO SCHOOL"** – Martin Luther King Day
- 21.....Running Club Race @ Tumbleweed Park
- 22.....Community Information Meeting @ 6pm
- 24.....PTO Rise and Shine, It's Donut Time

## Weinberg TOY DRIVE



This year, our Student Council is sponsoring our annual Toy Drive which will begin on December 2<sup>nd</sup> and end December 13<sup>th</sup>. Students, **with parent permission**, may select a tag that has a suggestion of a toy to purchase. Students may bring their gifts **unwrapped** to the office between 8:10-8:30AM. Students who bring a toy will receive a "Triple R" award for a drawing. The toys will be given to students at another CUSD school.

Thank you for helping make the holidays special for our children and families in our community.

### CEF PRESENTED WEINBERG WITH Over \$5600.00 IN GRANTS

**Engaging Lessons through Interactive Technology**  
**Scholastic Weekly Reader - 1<sup>st</sup> Grade**  
**Memorable Musical Moments - Music**  
**Scholastic Magazine - KDG**  
**Kreating Kataklysmic Dabooms- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade**  
**Fractured Fairy Tales - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade**  
**Power of the Masks - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**  
**Scholastic News: - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**

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### Birthday Celebrations at School



Birthdays are special for students. We strongly encourage non-edible treats such as bookmarks, pencils, special erasers etc. A goody bag is always fun for students. Some students have food allergies and medical conditions that prevent them from participating in celebrations with edible treats. If you choose to bring edible treats, please be aware Maricopa County Regulations prohibits *food prepared from home to be used or offered for consumption*. We ask that you check with the teacher regarding food allergies in the classroom.

To keep classroom interruptions to a minimum, all treats must be left at the front office. The teacher will be notified and the class will celebrate during a break in the day. Thank you for your understanding.

## \$400 STATE TAX CREDIT



### Help, let's increase our 2019 contributions!

Arizona law ARS 43-1089.01 enables taxpayers a tax credit contribution of up to \$400.00 per calendar year if filing status is Married, filing Joint Return; \$200.00 per calendar year if filing status is Single or Head of Household; and, \$200.00 per calendar year if filing status is Married filing separate return — for contributions that fund extracurricular activities in public schools. A tax credit is a **full refund**, not a deduction. You will receive the entire amount back in your state taxes, whether you use a long or short form. You may make this contribution anytime between now and **December 31, 2019** to be eligible for your 2019 taxes. Donations may be made using the Parent Portal or <https://www.cusd80.com/domain/5852> Please consider asking friends and relatives to make a tax credit donation to Weinberg Elementary. The money is used to support clubs and extracurricular activities.

### Parent Educational Series Located at Hamilton High School

**Time: 6:30 – 8pm**  
**Place: Orchestra Room**  
**Facilitator: Rajani Rastogi, LMSW (HHS Social Worker)**

12/3– (Part 2) “Mindfulness and Stress Reduction”

1/14 – (Part 3) “Signs of Depression and Anxiety”

2/11 – (Part 4) “Vaping, teen substance abuse”

2/25 – (Part 5) “Teens struggling with Body Image”

3/31 – (Part 1) “Communication and the Teen Brain”

4/14 – (Part 2) “Strengthening Relationships/Connections”

4/28 – (Part 3) “Healthy Communications with Parents, Friends, and Dating”



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## Chandler Unified School District #80

### Health Protocol School Year 19/20

To help you make decisions about whether your child should attend school, we have put together a list of guidelines. Your child must not be in school and will be sent home if the following condition(s) are present:

1. Fever of **100.4° or higher**. A child must be fever-free for 24 hours (without fever-reducing medication) before returning to school.
2. Persistent cough.
3. Sore throat with fever and/or white spots on the throat. If strep throat is diagnosed, the child must be on medication and fever-free for 24 hours (without fever-reducing medication) before returning to school.
4. Rash with/without fever and/or signs of illness or behavioral changes. (i.e. chicken pox, measles, etc.) Even non-contagious rash conditions can be a symptom of a health threat....even if it is just unsightly, uncomfortable or itchy. Medical attention may be needed to reduce symptoms or disease risks.
5. Skin sores on an exposed surface that are weeping fluid and cannot be covered.
6. Vomited (not caused by motion sickness or a gag reflex unassociated with illness)  
A child must be free of symptoms for 24 hours before returning to school.
7. Diarrhea of two (2) or more loose/watery stools in a 24-hour period unless other signs of illness are present. A child must be free of symptoms for 24 hours before returning to school.
8. Red, itchy, and purulent draining eyes. If conjunctivitis or "pink eye" is diagnosed, the child must be on medication for 24 hours before returning to school.
9. Prolonged and/or persistent headache or stomachache that does not resolve.
10. Swelling or pain at a level that may interfere with learning.
11. Earache with severe discomfort and/or fever.
12. Toothache with facial swelling and/or fever.
13. Active (live) Head Lice. A child must remain at home until treatment with pediculicide. A child may return to school if there are no live lice present. Please notify the Health Office as the student must be cleared to attend class.

**If you are contacted because it has been determined your child should not be in school, please make arrangements as soon as possible for them to be picked up to ensure the health and safety of other students.**

**Please feel free to contact the school health office with any questions. Thank you.**