

# CGCS Newsletter

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## **APRIL IS STANDARDIZED TEST MONTH**

April 3-14 - **Grades 3-8** will take Arizona's Academic Standards Assessment

April 5 – **Grades 5 & 11** will take the AzSci Test

April 12 – **Grade 8** will take the AzSci Test

April 25 - **Grade 9** will be taking the ACTAspire

**There is no swimming April 3 - 14 for any students due to state testing.**

Please do not schedule appointments during these weeks. Testing starts first thing in the morning so please make sure your child comes to school by 8am and that they have had breakfast. Students arriving before 8am can buy small breakfast items at our café. Students who are NOT ABSENT during testing days will receive free ice cream from the café once testing is completed. We need 100% of our students taking the test!! On testing days, students will not be able to go to sibling's rooms to get lunch money so please send your children prepared to buy a \$3 or \$5 lunch – we will do a limited menu for students in testing rooms.

## **KG & 12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE CAP AND GOWNS – MONEY DUE 4/5**

Kindergarten and 12<sup>th</sup> Graders need to pre-pay for their caps and gowns in order to participate in the graduation ceremony at the end of the year. Letters with info will go out on April 1st and money will be due by April 5<sup>th</sup>. There will be a 5% charge for caps and gowns paid for by credit card. Cash and Money Orders are also accepted.

## **END OF QUARTER**

The end of the quarter is Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup>. All missing homework and assignments are due in order to be counted for 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter grades. Report cards for grades K-8 will go home on Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup>.

## **LOST & FOUND ITEMS**

There is a lost and found table in front of the log cabin that parents can access any time campus is open. If you child is not bringing home an item, please make a plan to come to campus to look through the lost and found. Once items go to the lost and found, students do not have access to look through it. Make sure items are being tagged with child's name so that if found, we can return it to the right student.

## **CGCS SWIMMING RESUMES APRIL 17TH**

Grades K-5 will all have a pool orientation on Monday, April 17<sup>th</sup> – after this, 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade will swim 4 times a week (Mon, Tue, Thurs, Fri). Students must participate in the swim program as this is our registers PE curriculum. Students forgetting swim wear will have their grade marked down for lack of participation. Grades 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>, for students in the structured rec elective, may begin swimming sooner.

The structured rec teacher will inform them of their first swim day once they do the orientation. Kinder students will receive their scheduled swim days from the teacher.

## **E.E.L.S. Excursions for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**

Students going to **Belize** leave on April 12<sup>th</sup>.

They need to have bags, passports and permission slips turned in no later than Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup> so that they can be checked by Mrs. Way.

Students going on the **Southwest Region, 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade Excursion**, need to have final payments turned in by April 17<sup>th</sup>, along with the required food. The trip is from April 25<sup>th</sup> – May 1<sup>st</sup>.

The date for the **3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade trip** will be sent home soon. It will be in April, after testing is over but specific dates are still being worked out. Money is due in full by April 10<sup>th</sup> and food items are due then too. It will be an overnight trip. **Yellowstone Trip** is scheduled May 9<sup>th</sup> – May 26<sup>th</sup>. Another deposit of \$750 is due by April 3<sup>rd</sup>, with final deposits and all food due by May 1<sup>st</sup>.

## ***Important Dates***

April 3,4,6	AASA Testing Grs. 3, 5, & 6
April 5	AzSci Testing Grs. 5 & 11
April 6	Movie Madness K-1 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup>
April 7	End of Quarter 3
	FREE Game Day for 5 <sup>th</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup>
	FREE Movie 8 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>
	<b>Early Dismissal All Grades</b>
	<b>1PM KG, 1:30PM 1<sup>st</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup></b>
April 10,11,13	AASA Testing Grs. 4, 7, & 8
April 11	KG – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade report cards go home
April 12	AzSCI Testing Gr. 8
	Belize Trips leaves
April 14	Movie Dance All Grades \$5
April 20	FREE Game Day for 8 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>
April 21	Movie Madness 5 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> & 9 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>
April 22	Belize Trip Returns
April 25	ACTAspire Gr. 9
	5 <sup>th</sup> /6 <sup>th</sup> Southwest Trip Leaves
April 27	Odyssey Aquarium Trip
April 28	Splish Splash Pool Event All Grs. \$5
April 29 (Saturday)	High School Prom