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Dear Roadrunner Families,

We hope you had a wonderful summer and are as excited as we are to kick off the 2024-25 school year! This year, our theme is "Inspire," and we are looking forward to inspiring our students both academically and socially. Our goal remains to provide excellence through a balanced education in a safe and supportive environment.

We believe in the power of partnership with parents and guardians and look forward to working together. Volunteers are always welcome on campus, and we encourage you to get involved, whether in the classroom, at school events, or by attending the Wrightson Ridge PTO meetings. Our first PTO meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, August 20th, at 5:30 p.m.** in the Wrightson Ridge library. Each PTO meeting begins with a site council meeting, providing an opportunity to ask questions of the administration and get up-to-date information about school events.

To stay connected, we encourage you to sign up for the Wrightson Ridge Facebook page as well as the PTO Facebook page. Additionally, if you have not already signed up with ParentSquare, we ask that you please do so. ParentSquare is our district's communication platform. When you download the app, be sure to select the option for receiving text messages as well as emails to receive important announcements and information quickly. You can sign up at this link: [ParentSquare](#)

If you are interested in finding out information regarding the application for free and reduced lunch please use this link [Free and reduced lunch application](#) to direct you to the district website which will allow you to fill out the application online.

We will begin our school year with a middle school schedule pick-up event. We will also have meet and greet events for both elementary and middle school students, where your child can meet their teacher and drop off school supplies before the first day of school. *Teachers will only be available during their scheduled times.* Class lists will be posted on the library and front office windows starting Thursday, August 1st, and will also be available on PowerSchool.

Wednesday, July 24th Middle School Schedule Event:

- 8:00 a.m.-9:30a.m. 6th Grade students





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- 9:30a.m.-10:30a.m. 7th Grade students
- 10:30a.m.-11:30a.m. 8th Grade students

Thursday, August 1st Meet and Greet in classrooms

- **Extended Resource**
11:00a.m.-12:00p.m.
- **K-2nd Grade**
12:00p.m.-1:00p.m.
- **3rd-5th Grade**
1:00p.m.-2:00p.m.

Thursday, August 1st Middle School Meet and Greet and Schedule pick up (If you missed your designated time on July 24th)

- **6th Grade will begin at 5:00p.m. in the Cafeteria**
- **7th-8th Grade will be from 5:30-7:00 p.m.- meet teachers in classrooms**

Monday, August 5th First Day of School

- Gates open at 6:50a.m.

During the Meet and Greet times for K-5th grade students, parent pick-up signs will be available for pick-up in the classrooms. (For students NOT riding the bus.) These signs must be posted in your car's dashboard by the first day of school to expedite pick-up. Middle school students do not need a parent pick-up sign displayed. Drop-off and pick-up for K-5th grade students (and 5th-8th grade students with elementary siblings) will take place in the front loop by the library. **Please pick up your child at their designated time, and if you have multiple children, pick them up at the designated time of your oldest child.**

5th-8th grade students without siblings will be picked up during parent pick up in the bus loop. Once buses depart by 2:10 p.m., we will open the bus gates to allow cars to pick up middle school students. Please do not arrive early to avoid traffic congestion on Sahuarita Blvd. The ideal option is to send students home on the bus to help with traffic.

We also want to remind all parents that campus access is restricted during drop-off and pick-up. Please stay in your car during these times to ensure smooth traffic flow. K-8th grade students can be dropped off in the mornings at either the bus loop or the front loop





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by the library. On the first day of school, kindergarten and first-grade parents may enter campus with their child, with kindergarten parents going to the gym and first-grade parents to the grassy area in the middle of campus. All other students should go directly to their classrooms on the first day (unless they choose to eat breakfast in the cafeteria first). After the first day, students may play in their designated areas or go to the cafeteria for breakfast.

Thank you for your continued support. We can't wait for the school year to get underway. Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out. My email is rlizardi@sahuarita.net.

Respectfully,

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