



A message from 8th Grade Chair
Nicole Williamson

Dear Copper Ridge School 8th Grade Parents,

Hope you had a wonderful Halloween and first quarter. I can't believe we are a quarter through the year already!!! The end of the second quarter will be December 22, 2017. You can log onto Parentvue to keep up with your students grades.

Carnival Recap: The carnival was a great success and was a fun event for the School. Thank you to everyone who volunteered and donated, it would not be possible without your support! The middle school baskets consisted of two Apple watches and a Go Pro, congrats to the winners!! And a special thanks to Lauren Mackin for purchasing and assembling the baskets!

It's not too late to sign your kiddos up for the New York City & DC Trip.

The trip will be over spring break; March 11-16 2018. Information can be obtained through Mrs. Ambri (Kambri@susd.org). This trip is NOT a SUSD or Copper Ridge School sponsored trip.

Middle School Parent/Teacher Conferences:

Middles School parent/teacher conferences are November 14th, 15th & 16th.

If you would like to know how your child is doing then please contact your child's homeroom teacher or one of their core subject teachers to set up a time. Middle school teachers do not send out a sign up for conferences like they do in elementary but they area available for conferences if you would like one.

A little Update from Mrs. Kadavy in ELA:

Wow! Our Copper Ridge students are incredibly generous. The Honors 8th Grade ELA students raised a combined total of more than \$6,000 for hurricane relief.

Middle school students had a blast playing Penny Wars. Eighth grade came out on top with a score of -53,534. Sixth grade came in second with a score of -90,419, and 7th grade came in at -90,612. Most importantly, that all adds up to a lot of money going to those in need!

We kicked off the new quarter with a brief poetry unit. Students enjoyed an outdoor poetry reading in the amphitheater last Friday. What a treat to see eighth graders expressing themselves creatively!



Mrs. Kadavy's Class

I hope to see you at:

- **Kendra Scott:** Thursday, November 9th 11-2pm at the Kendra Scott at

the Scottsdale Quarter.

- **Mix and Mingle:** Thursday, November 30th 7-9pm at Ciao Grazie. This is for adults only

For up-to-date information, events and activities, please visit CRPTO.com

And one last reminder...

It is still not too late to contribute to the Middle School Funds. Any amount is appreciated, to donate please send a check written to Deb Baptiste and give to homeroom teacher.

If you would like to donate to the CRPTO Education Support Fund then please click [here](#). Thank you!

Thanks so much and have a wonderful Thanksgiving!

Best,

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