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September Monthly Meeting and Educational Program

Budget Forecast and PVSchools Impact

Laura Felton, Assistant Superintendent for Business Operations, will share information and answer your questions on the PVSchools' budget forecast and how the Arizona State budget may impact PV Schools.

September's meeting will be held at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, September 27.

[For more information](#)



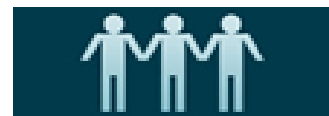
UPC Membership for 2017-18

Join UPC Again This Year!

Submit your 2017-18 Membership Forms by September 30th. All returning and new UPC Representatives and alternates, please complete the school membership form and submit payment. General memberships are also available for other community members. The membership form can be found on the pvupc.org website under "Become a Member" or you can click on the link below.

If you have any questions, please contact Susan Matura at upcmembership@hotmail.com.

[For membership forms](#)



First Time UPC Representative Luncheon

Attention Principals and veteran UPC members! Please share this with potential new UPC Reps or Alternates

The 2017-18 First Time UPC Representative Luncheon will be held on September 27. If this is your first time as a UPC Rep or Alternate, or perhaps you are considering taking on this role for your school, or you are a parent liaison, you are invited to stay and join us for a brief

orientation lunch immediately following the September UPC Monthly Meeting and Educational Program.

Luncheon will be held in the Critical Thinking Room in the CRC (across the parking lot from our regular meeting) and will start at approximately 11:30.

Visit with UPC executive board members, Dr. Lee, and district cabinet members, and learn about everything you need to know to serve as a liaison for your school community. This luncheon is intended for all first-time UPC reps, alternates, and parent liaisons.



If you have any questions, and to RSVP, please contact Susan Matura at upcmembership@hotmail.com. **We request an RSVP no later than today., Monday, September 24!**

[For Membership Form](#)

Upcoming Special Education Program

Understanding the Social and Emotional Needs of Gifted Children

The second seminar of this school year will be on Wednesday, Oct. 4th from 6:00-7:30 p.m. We will have a presenter on "The ABC's of Special Needs Planning Made Easy". This is a very informative presentation, and will even cover some of the ins and outs of the ABLE Act.



[For more information](#)

Upcoming Gifted Education Program

Understanding the Social and Emotional Needs of Gifted Children

Dr. James Webb will be speaking on the topic of "Understanding the Social and Emotional Needs of Gifted Children," Thursday, September 28, 2017 6:00-7:30 p.m. in the District Administrative Center-Governing Board Room. All parents and teachers are welcome to attend.



A widespread myth about gifted children is that, because they are bright, they can simply "make it on their own." However, the characteristics of gifted children-combined with current educational practices-often put them "at risk." The social, emotional, and interpersonal needs of gifted/talented children can result in significant problems if these children are not understood and nurtured. This session describes how characteristics of gifted children relate to their social/emotional needs, interpersonal and emotional styles, and frequent difficulties. This information will help parents and teachers understand why gifted/talented children experience peer difficulties, underachieve, challenge or rebel against traditions, or show patterns of perfectionism or depression.

[For more information](#)

PTO/PTA Fall Training Event

District Training for PTO/PTA Leaders

Join PVSchools leadership for a training session that will help guide all PTO/PTA leaders through the year with a greater understanding of their responsibilities and the District's expectations. The session will be held October 6, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the District Administrative Center.



This will be the third installment of this event, and it has been very valuable to the PTO/PTA leaders who previously attended. It is important that at least one representative from each school's PTO or PTA attend; however, we encourage all leaders to attend, especially new PTO/PTA board members.

Dr. Kim Guerin, Assistant Superintendent of Leadership (Elementary), has previously emailed PTO/PTA Presidents to announce this session. Please contact your President to discuss how your PTO/PTA will participate.

October Monthly Meeting and Educational Program

Junior and Senior Year Preparation

Join us for the final session in a three part Series led by Koni Withers, PVUSD Lead Counselor, on October 18, 2017, after our 9:00 a.m. Monthly Meeting, at 10:15 a.m.



In January of 2016, the UPC program focused on College and Career readiness. The program touched on elementary to high school needs and resources. This breakdown of the sessions will allow us to go more deeply into the various stages of Secondary School preparation. This third and last presentation will focus on Junior and Senior year Preparation, ACT and SAT testing and College readiness and all you need to know and be ready for in the PVUSD school district.

[For more information](#)

UPC Monthly Meetings 2017-18

Attend UPC Monthly Meetings and Educational Programs!

Monthly meetings for this school year continue every month except December, through the end of the school . year. They are open to the public, so tell any interested friends about programs that may be of interest.

Thank you for your support and have a great Fall!

This year's monthly meeting flyer: [page one](#) and [page two](#)



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Your participation is vital to the success of UPC and to supporting our students and PVSchools. Thank you for your support. If you have any questions or suggestions, please email me at upcmail@hotmail.com.

Sincerely,

Melissa K. Schwartz
President
PV United Parent Council



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