

August 2019

Issue 4

Armstrong's Agenda

San Tan Charter School Power Campus

AUGUST CALENDAR 2019

21 Fall Pictures
20 Jr High Team 1 Fball
21 Fall Picture Day
21 Varsity HS Vball
21JV HS Vball Team 2
22 JV HS Vball Team 1
22 Jr. High Fball Team 1
22 Varsity HS Vball
22 Dr. Sippel's Birthday
22 Paper Drive Begins
23 eSports Information Night
23 Varsity HS Vball
23 Jr High Team 2 Fball
24 Swim Series #1
26 Jr. High Fball Team 1
26 Jr. High Vball Team 2
27 Jr. High Fball Team 1
27 Jr. High Vball Team 1
27 Varsity Vball
27 JV HS VBall Team 2
28 Japan Trip Information
28 Half Day Teacher In Service
29 JV HS Vball Team 1
29 Varsity HS Vball
30 Away Varsity Football Game

For a detailed calendar of events, visit:

<https://tinyurl.com/yxuoxrmz>



August News

We are full swing ahead at school. Sports and other after school activities have started. It is absolutely wonderful to see our students and families on campus enjoying the community.

Next week will begin our annual paper drive. We will be having a contest to see what 3rd period class can bring in the most paper. Each year, this saves the school thousands of dollars. Our goal this year is to collect 1,500 reams of paper. If each student brought in 4 reams of paper, we would surpass our goal. When sending paper to the school, please make sure that the student's 3rd period teacher's name is written on the paper and they can turn it in directly to the office.

High School students at San Tan are required to have a school issued laptop. The technology fee and signed agreement must be turned in for students to be issued their laptops.

As always, thank you for entrusting us with your child and their education. I take to heart that you choose San Tan each and every day! Have an amazing week!

Mrs. Armstrong



ANNOUNCEMENTS

AP REMINDER

If your student is participating in one of our AP courses for this current school year, there is a fee of \$120 for **each** AP course they are enrolled in. For example, if your student is in both AP English Literature and AP World History, your total cost would be \$240.

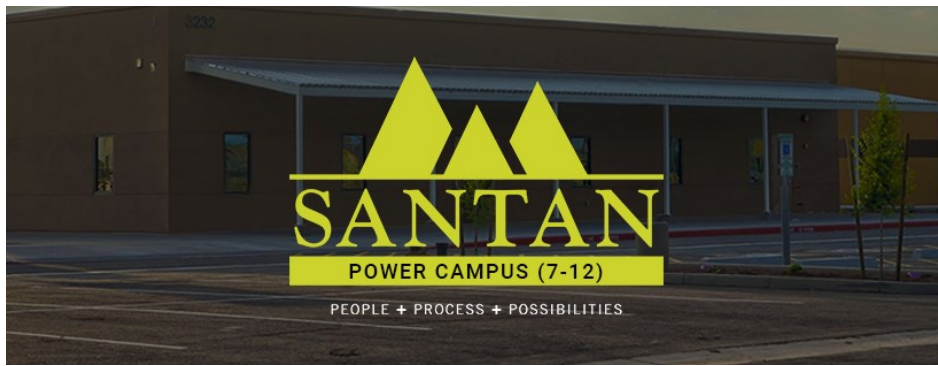
The \$120 AP course fee covers the end of year exam that is required by The Collegeboard for all AP students; it also includes any necessary course materials. You can use cash, check, or credit card to make payment. If you choose to pay with credit card, you can either call the front office and make payment over the phone or come in person.

All AP course payments are **due by Friday, November 8th**.

DUAL ENROLLMENT REMINDER

NEW this school year, Chandler Gilbert has moved to an online registration platform. In order to support schools with this change, Chandler Gilbert will be on our campus to help with dual enrollment registration on Tuesday, August 27th. They will be on our campus between the hours of 7:30am to 2:00pm. **Parents do not need to attend, as they will work directly with your student(s).**

For more information, email Mrs. Taylor at btaylor@santancs.com



Eye on Education

Why We Need To Embrace Esports In Education

Last year, the second most watched sporting event in America after the Superbowl was the League of Legends finals. Three of the top ten most watched sporting events last year were esports events. By 2020 esports will be the second most watched sport in America, second only to football.

Esports is also finding a home in higher education. Currently, more than 475 of the nation's colleges now support esports at the club level, and an estimated 50 schools provide a total of more than **\$9 million in scholarships** to talented gamers.

For the complete article, please visit: <http://www.techedupteacher.com/why-we-need-to-embrace-esports-in-education/>

SAN TAN IS EXPLORING STARTING ESPORTS GAMING COMPETITIONS

We are starting an eSports team at San Tan. Parents and students are invited to an informational night on 8/23 at 4PM To learn more about the possibility of participating in the eSports program.

RoadRunner Recognition



James
Leon

FUTURE DREAMS

I am hoping to find a job in aviation, either as a mechanic or a pilot.

MY MOTIVATION

Everybody has been helpful and kind. They have always been very nice along the way. I really appreciate that teachers take the time to get to know us.

My family and friends are there for me. I also read the Bible, which helps.

STUDENT SHOUT OUT

I would have to say Dalton Friesen. He is a very hard worker and whatever he is doing or into, he is doing it very well.

HIGHLIGHTED iLEAD VALUE

Probably love -- it's just important to show love to all your family and friends. It helps them feel better no matter the situation.

SPIRIT GEAR

We are pleased to announce we have a way for you to order spirit gear. Please see below for each sport specific option plus one option for general spirit gear. All of these options are purchased directly through the vendor and sent to your home. Each item has a shirt style option, as well as color options to pick from. **All orders will need to be placed by Sunday, August 25th.** This will ensure they should arrive to you between September 3rd and September 12th, just in time for our HOME opener Varsity Tackle Football Game. GO ROADRUNNERS!!!!

To Order please visit:

[STCS Gear](#) [STCS Football](#) [Swim STCS](#)
[Volleyball STCS](#) [Color Guard STCS](#)
[Cheer STCS](#)

FLAG ADOPTION

Our San Tan Power Campus is looking for Patriotic Families that would like to adopt a Flag for our 2019-2020 Academic year. The adopted flag will be flown in front of our Power Campus for all Patriotic holidays with your family's name on it. Your families will be recognized at our Patriotic events as outstanding Americans.

Adoption Fee: \$30 (Paid to the front office)

TAILGATING EVENTS

Come join us for Friday Night Lights for varsity football home games. Activities include a live DJ , cornhole, kids zone, face painting, food vendors and more!

Sept. 13, 20, Oct. 18, & Nov. 1 @ 5:00 pm

Get Social with us! Please see our Facebook pages below:



Power Main Page— <https://www.facebook.com/STCSPowerCampus/>

Montessori Main Page— <https://www.facebook.com/SanTanMontessori/>

Athletics Main Page— <https://www.facebook.com/STCSAthletics/>