

# Cordova Times

Cordova Elementary School - September 2022 - Issue 1



## Keeping Up with Cordova

Here Mikell Lawler and Trynitee Green interview Dr. Sharon Spearman about the vandalism that happens here at Cordova and what we could do as a community to prevent this from happening. Click on the picture to watch the full video:



## Sunny or Rainy, Which Is It?

By: Isabella Meneses

Arizona has had a lot of precipitation this past month. Though the weather has been a little bipolar it's been pretty cloudy.

There have been tons of floods in parking lots and roads. The dictionary definition for flood is "a rising and overflowing of a body of water especially onto normally dry land". Floods are normal in Arizona even if we are a natural sunny state. Usually our temperature is in the 90-100 so it's usually sunny. I wonder what the weather will be like next month?

## ¿Soleado o nublado cual es?

Arizona ha tenido mucha lluvia este último mes. Aunque el clima ha sido un poco bipolar, ha estado bastante nublado. Ha habido toneladas de inundaciones en estacionamientos y calles. La definición del diccionario para inundación es "un aumento y desbordamiento de un cuerpo de agua, especialmente en tierra normalmente seca". Las inundaciones son normales en Arizona incluso si somos un estado naturalmente soleado. Por lo general, nuestra temperatura está en los 90-100, por lo que suele ser soleado. Me pregunto cómo estará el tiempo el próximo mes?

## Cordova Creative Corner

Cordova Garden: [click the picture](#)



# Cordova Events:

## Eventos de Córdoba

By: Andrew Montano and Samantha Salas

Why do we celebrate Labor Day? This year, Labor day falls on Monday September 5. It is a federal holiday and it pays tribute and honor to American workers. For us though, it means a 3 day weekend and no school on Monday September 5th.

**DON'T Forget:** Every Wednesday is Early Release Wednesday (ERW): Students are released at 12:50.

Cordova mid-terms (progress reports) are scheduled for Friday, September 2. Friendly reminder: Turn in all your work or before you know it the end of the quarter will sneak up on you.

It's KONA Ice time again, October 2 from 9:30-1:00, don't forget to bring your money and your cup.

End of Quarter 1 is October 7, report cards are issued on October 27. Please check on your students progress and encourage them to always do their best at school.

Times flies when you are having fun; Fall break is around the corner, students and are off and school is closed on October 10-14th.

Parent teacher conferences are scheduled for October 27th & 28th.

There will be a Parent/Teacher Organization (PTO) meeting on September 22nd from 3:30 till 4:30; encourage our parents to attend either in person or via [Webex](#)

October 6, 2022 from 4:30-6:00 pm is Family Literacy Night, it a a family game night where teachers will supervise a game and help with directions and playing the game.

"Labor Day." Wikipedia, Wikimedia Foundation, 1 Sept. 2022, [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Labor\\_Day?scrllybrkr=b3b98d97](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Labor_Day?scrllybrkr=b3b98d97)

# Cordova Elementary PTO News

By: Giselle Castro, Perla J.H. Romero & Alphonsina Kubunga

click on the picture to see the interview with Ms. Becker about the PTO

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## Weather Forecast

By: Annieah Aquino

September 2022

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
				1 85°-106°F	2 86°-106°F	3 87°-109°F
4 86°-109°F	5 87°-110°F	6 85°-108°F	7 85°-109	8 83°-97°	9 80°-99°F	10 79°-99°F
11 79°-99°F	12 79°-99°F	13 82°-85°F	14 78°-98°F	15 81°-84°F	16 90°-95°F	17 77°-98°F
18 89°-94°F	19 77°-97°F	20 76°-97°F	21 79°-93°F	22 75°-96°F	23 79°-92°F	24 81°-92°F
25 78°-87°F	26 74°-95°F	27 73°-95°F	28 77°-85°F	29 73°-94°F	30 72°-94°F	

## Weird Facts!

by: Thin Thin Way and Jesus Villavazo



An image of an immortal jellyfish

## DID YOU KNOW?

Dogs can be allergic to humans! Yes, they indeed can be allergic to us. Just like how we can be allergic to certain dogs or just dogs in general. This is called the human dander allergy. Dogs can be allergic to our cells that float around. Though they are microscopic, our skin cells, as well as our dogs, float around and we inhale and breathe that in. The inhalation of human dander is the cause of dogs getting allergic reactions to humans.

Jellyfish are basically immortal! Well, specifically this one species of jellyfish called the immortal jellyfish, scientifically known as *Turritopsis dohrnii*. These jellyfish are basically immortal because they can revert back to the earliest stage of life, a polyp. They use a process called transdifferentiation to turn back into a polyp. These jellyfish may have even lived longer than dinosaurs, who knows!

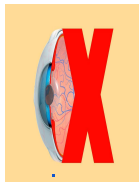
### Here are some more weird facts!

- The most leaves ever found on a clover is 56.
- The tooth of an elephant weighs around 9 pounds
- Cows give more milk when they listen to music.
- The U.S. government gave Indiana University \$1 million to study memes.
- You can swim through the veins of a blue whale.
- Chips were made by accident.
- Cotton candy was made by a dentist

## Weird Fun Facts!

By: Manuel G. Orellana & Azul M. Aguilar

- The cornea is the clear part of the eye that covers the pupil and other parts of the eye. Cartilage and the cornea are the only types of tissue in the human body that do not contain blood vessels.



- Bees can sting other bees usually if they feel threatened or are protecting their territory. In other words, you're not the only one who's scared of getting stung by bee.
- Shrimp have their heart in their heads.
- Some fish have legs and they are called *Ambystoma Mexicanum*. It makes them very unusual because they are very rare and only in tropical and subtropical oceans and marine environments.
  - Some Facts About You!
- Without saliva, we would not be able to taste anything.
- The entire surface of your skin is replaced every month, which put another way means you have about 1,000 different skins in your lifetime.
- The longest nerve of the body runs from the spinal cord to the toes of the body. This is known as the sciatic nerve.

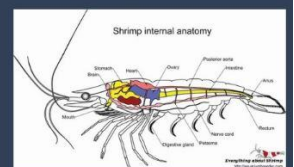
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## Weird Facts Of The Month

Did you know a shrimp has his heart on his?

Yes, shrimps do have their hearts on their heads.



Did you know some fishes have feet?



Yes, some fish do have legs, you can go and see these astonishing fishes at saltwater aquarium.

# September Lunch Menu

Compliments of Jazzlyn A Vargas & Saray Davolos

## September lunch menu

### September 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<b>1</b> Sliced Apples Honey Bun Goldfish Grahams	<b>2</b> Roasted Chickpeas, Ranch	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Labor Day	<b>6</b> Applesauce Cup Whole Grain Tiger Bites	<b>7</b> Whole Grain Heartzel Pretzels Sliced Cucumber	<b>8</b> String Cheese Sliced Apples	<b>9</b> Whole Grain Baked Crunchy Cheetos Cali Mixed Fruit Cup (Peaches & Pears)	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Whole Grain Blueberry Lemon Crispy Bites String Cheese	<b>13</b> Fresh Baby Carrots Taco Hummus	<b>14</b> Vanilla Yogurt Fresh Banana	<b>15</b> Sliced Apples Honey Bun Goldfish Grahams	<b>16</b> Roasted Chickpeas, Ranch	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> Peach Applesauce Cup Whole Grain Tiger Bites	<b>20</b> Sliced Apples String Cheese	<b>21</b> Whole Grain Heartzel Pretzels Sliced Cucumber	<b>22</b> Fresh Strawberries Vanilla Yogurt	<b>23</b> Whole Grain Baked Crunchy Cheetos Cali Mixed Fruit Cup (Peaches & Pears)	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> Whole Grain Blueberry Lemon Crispy Bites String Cheese	<b>27</b> Sunbutter Fresh Baby Carrots	<b>28</b> Fresh Banana Vanilla Yogurt	<b>29</b> Sliced Apples Honey Bun Goldfish Grahams	<b>30</b> Roasted Chickpeas Ranch	

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## Child Nutrition News

By: Lilly Chavarria

Breakfast for kids in school the kids can have a option for breakfast they can have breakfast or not have breakfast the kids that have breakfast they have to get a milk and breakfast and a fruit.

For lunch the kids have a option is they can have school lunch with milk or they can have a bag lunch with milk or they can bring there's own lunch.

## Did You Know

In 2018 Cordova ES served whole grain rich foods during all of the meal sessions (breakfast, lunch, snack)

Fiber in foods can help lower blood sugar and cholesterol and helps promote proper digestion.

## Cordova Student Council

Here we have two interviews with Ms. Snyder 4th grade teacher who sponsors our Cordova Student Council: click on the pictures to watch.

By: Erikya A. Beltran, Aminah Jones, Eva Delfin, Eleaszar P. Ruiz and Lesley Ortiz

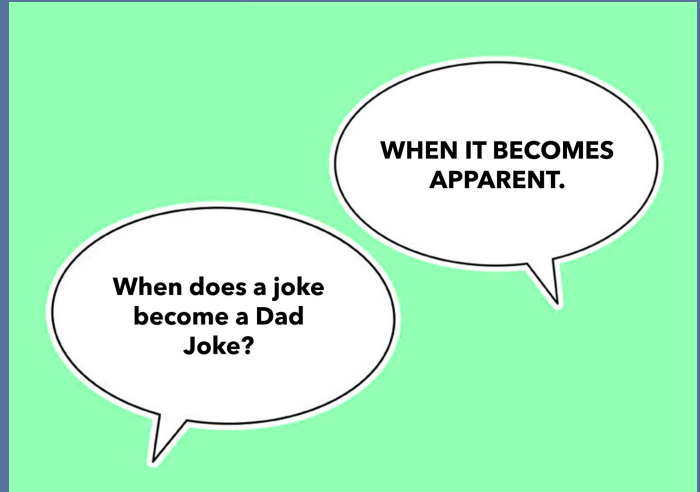
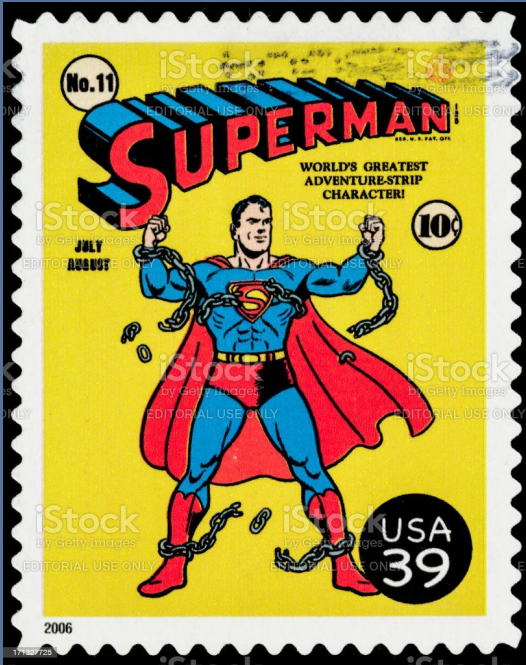


# Cordova Fun Corner:

By: Lyla Gomez-Solis & Randy Quintero Gonzalez

Did you know that Sudoku is a puzzle that was made in 1979. The objective of the game is to win by filling in the blank squares with numbers 1-9, you have to use different values or unique numbers to win the game.

5	3		7					
6		1	9	5				
	9	8				6		
8			6					3
4		8		3				1
7			2					6
	6				2	8		
			4	1	9			5
				8			7	9



# Comic Book Facts:

By: Lyla Gomez-Solis & Randy Quintero Gonzalez

The most popular type of comic books are superhero comics. One of the most popular superheroes is Superman! Exam was the #1 sold superhero comic book in history, it sold over 8.2 million copies in 1991.

Have you heard, With Claudia and Annieah

Have you heard, you're taller first thing in the morning?

Have you heard, Dolphins sleep with one eye open each night?

The sentence "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog." Contains every letter in the English language.

During each summer, the Eiffel Tower gets bigger.

The ocean produces about 70-80% of the worlds oxygen!

Have you heard that you typically breathe out of one nostril at a time?

To share random things you didn't know might brighten your day!

that's enough weird facts of the month for today! Stay Tuned for October's Newsletter topics that include; A cloud can weigh more than a million pounds!

# Dad Joke Corner:

By: Lyla Gomez-Solis & Randy Quintero Gonzalez

- Singing in the shower is fun until you get soap in your mouth..... Then it becomes a soap opera (ha ha)
- Knock -Knock..... Who's there? Noble! Noble who? No Bell
- I sold our vacuum cleaner because it was collecting dust.



# National Sports

## Sport Fact

By Daron & Jesus Colin

The worst types of injuries in football: MCL SPRAIN, The meniscus tear and the ACL tear.

Basketball preseason:

- . Kevin Durant will be having another season with the Brooklyn Nets.
- . Patrick Beverley was traded to the Los Angeles Lakers.
- . The first game of the 2022-2023 NBA season will be on October 28th.
- . Trade rumors including Donovan Mitchell his trade destination will be Miami or New York the New York Knicks are looking to try to get Donovan Mitchell.

Credit: to ESPN

**GOOOOOOOOALLL!**



Cristiano Ronaldo has scored 807 career goals, making him the highest ever goalscorer in the history of men's soccer. In my opinion he's the Best soccer player.

Ronaldo began his senior career with Sporting CP, before signing with Manchester United in 2003, aged 18.

Author: Jonathan Daniel Estrada Ayala

## Volleyball Facts

BY VIVIANNE AGREDANO

The game of Volleyball is so unique because, first and foremost the teams try to make the ball touch the ground on the opponent side. All other major American sports allow the player either to hold or pause with the ball during the game action.



## Arizona Cardinals Spotlight

BY: Ervin Payan Bustamante

Kyler Cole Murray is an American football quarterback for the Arizona Cardinals who is part of the NFL (National Football League), Murray played college football at Oklahoma State, where he won the Heisman Trophy as a junior. Murray was selected first overall quarterback by the Cardinals in the 2019 NFL Draft.

GAMES	NEWS	STANDINGS	PLAYERS
NFL Preseason Cardinals 23 Titans 26	Final Sat, Aug 27 	Chiefs Cardinals	Sun, Sep 11 1:25 PM 
Cardinals Raiders	Sun, Sep 18 1:25 PM	Rams Cardinals	Sep 25 1:25 PM
Cardinals Panthers	Oct 2 1:05 PM	Eagles Cardinals	Oct 9 1:25 PM
Cardinals Seahawks	Oct 16 1:05 PM	Saints Cardinals	Oct 20 5:15 PM
Cardinals Vikings	Oct 30 10:00 AM	Seahawks Cardinals	Nov 6 1:05 PM
Cardinals Rams	Nov 13 1:25 PM	49ers Cardinals	Nov 21 5:15 PM

# Sports

## 2022 GOLDEN STATE CHAMPIONS!



BY: Fernando Gamez

The Golden State Warriors are an American professional basketball team based in San Francisco. The Warriors compete in the National Basketball Association, as a member of the league's Western Conference Pacific Division. The best player on the Golden State's career scoring leader, the only unanimous MVP in NBA history and the turbocharged engine of a team that made five consecutive NBA Finals, winning three championships so in conclusion the best player on the Golden State Warriors is Stephen Curry ( fun fact his real name is Wardell Curry).

### DiamondBack Record

By: Vincent Zavala

In 1999 The Arizona Diamondbacks had their best season because their season record was 100-63, even though they lost to the New York York Mets in the National League Division Series. Here are there top 5 best seasons for the Arizona Diamondbacks since 1998:

1. 1999 -100-63
2. 2002 -98-64
3. 2011 - 98-68
4. 2017 - 93-69
5. 2001 -92-70

# JOKE OF THE DAY

Why did the toilet paper get stuck on the road?  
it got stuck in the crack

By- Jayden Robles & Alexa Meistrell

Why did the monkey cross the road?  
he wanted bananas 🍌

BY- Giovoni Meistrell & Jose valencia

Why do celebrities keep cool?  
It's because they have many fans. 🙌😊

By: Kristel Diaz Ledesma

Did you hear about the kidnapping at school?  
It was fine he woke up.

By- Ruby Trevino

What did the cannibal say when he was eating a clown?  
He said it tasted funny 😏

By: Jorge Rivera

Why did the criminal wear blue gloves? Because he was caught RED handed 🐼🐼🐼🐼🐼🐼

By: Jorge Rivera

## RIDDLES

What starts with an A and ends with an D?

I can grow and grow, sometimes I can grow larger than 7 feet! I sprout edible and delicious things! And I can also can be found in the wildlife! I need tons and tons of nutrients! What am I?

Stay healthy and have a great day!

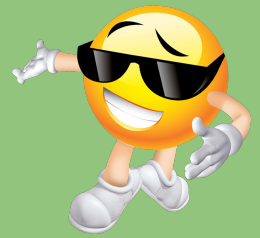
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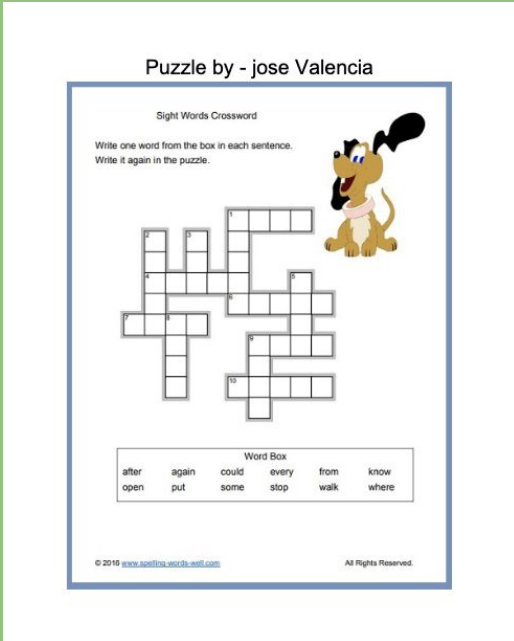
In 2001, even though they had their worst season record, they won The World Series There worst season ever for the Diamondbacks was in 2004 with a record of 51-111 which was the worst record of franchise History. From 2001-2004 their Head Coach Bob Brenly who helped get them a World Series win in 2001. The best Arizona Diamondback player of all time was Randy Johnson who played for the Diamondback from 1999-2004, were her also won the World Series MVP Award in 2001 as the best pitcher. So Diamondback fans, let's see if they can full off a better record or maybe get to another World Series. Stay tuned to see more news about the Diamondbacks!



# Cordova Creative Corner CCC Cordova students Joking Around



Click Graphic to view video:



JOKES  
ON YOU

Joke by Antonietta Brown:  
What tea is hard to  
swallow?:reality.



## Do Field Trips Benefit Students?

By Estuardo Garcia Santizo

Students love field trips! We need to question why schools don't schedule a lot of field trips. One common elementary school field trip is going to the zoo. Some research has shown that students have gained more knowledge from field trips. If students are exposed to learning by going to a museum or a zoo. When students are given the opportunity to see, touch and learn from primary sources, they tend to have a better understanding of the topic they are studying in school.

Field trips level the playing field for students in lower socio-economic demographics. Schools have the opportunity to expose those students to worldly things to allow them to experience learning. To summarize field trips allow all students to experience learning rather than sitting in a classroom listening and learning. It is more engaging and the outcomes are positive.

