

SUNRISE DRIVE C.A.R.E.



STEM & C.A.R.E.

This year we are incorporating STEM and STEAM into our days at CARE. STEM involves Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics while STEAM includes Art. The kids have participated in Early Release CARE classes and after school clubs that all revolve around STEM/STEAM that include waterslides, zip lines, balloon science and more!

I had the opportunity to attend the 2016 Arizona Statewide Out-of-School Time Conference at the Phoenix Convention Center. I attended two STEM workshops and a rocket building workshop that I am very excited to bring to the kids! These workshops are not only informative but hands on and FUN!



Important Dates

CARE CLOSED

November

* 11th Veteran's Day

* 23rd – 25th

Thanksgiving Break

December

* 26th – 30th

Winter Break

CARE Events

December

* Gingerbread Family Night

Thursday 8th
6:00 – 8:00pm

* Parent's Drop & Shop

Friday 16th
6:00 – 8:00 @
Sunrise CARE

CFHS Steel Drum Band

During the half days and full CARE days we filled our time with STEM projects, group games and a visit from the Catalina Foothills High School Steel Drum Band!

Dr. Tina Walton and the band played for us in the Kiva on Wednesday October 12th. The kids enjoyed dancing to songs like "Jume in de line", "Oye Como Va" and more! We had a conga line, the worm and many other dances that the kids either taught each other or got to try out themselves!

Thank you CFHS Steel Drum Band!! We hope to have you back soon to CARE!

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Parents, children, and teacher had the opportunity to make and fly paper airplanes at the Lights on Afterschool Event on October 22nd.



LIGHTS ON AFTERSCHOOL

On October 20th afterschool programs across the country participated in Lights on Afterschool. This country wide event's purpose is to "shine a light" on the importance of afterschool programs in conjunction with children's learning along with their educational and social impact on students.

We invited parents and school staff to tour our program and view the STEM demonstrations from early release CARE classes and other various STEM projects. We had two hands on demonstrations where participants could make and test their own paper airplane and build and test sling shots.

Bridgett Walters and Tyler Smith presented and demonstrated their hover board that they made during our half days. In order to work on the hover board they needed to participate in the early release Balloon Science class. They were invited to present at the October FFO meeting and will be presenting at the November Kiva.



Staff STEM Team Building

Staff participate in STEM team building challenges at our monthly staff meetings that we will later challenge the kids with.



CFHS Steel Drum Band

The kids dancing in a Conga Line to music from the Catalina Foothills High School Steel Drum Band.



Fall Break

The children are experimenting with glue, water, pumpkin and borax to make pumpkin pie slime. It smelled just like pumpkin pie... but you can't eat it!

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