



# Arizona Center for Afterschool Excellence

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**Register for the  
2013  
AZ Afterschool  
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October 15, 2013

## the @fterschool advisor

Dear Melanie,

Attend content-rich, strategy-filled **professional development workshops** on behavior management, literacy, STEM, program management, junior high programming and **more** at the November 2nd

**Arizona Afterschool Conference &  
Awards of Excellence Luncheon**

Take advantage of multiple **networking opportunities** to meet and gain valuable insight from peers in the afterschool field and celebrate the successes of the **Awards of Excellence nominees!**

**The deadline to register is  
Friday, October 25!**

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**School's Out, Make It Count! Announcing the Arizona Quality Standards for Out-Of-School Time Programs!**



New Arizona standards are being launched this week at three events in Phoenix, Tucson and Flagstaff. The standards are designed as a **framework** for out-of-school time programs, parents, school districts, funders and policymakers to

## **Check Out the 2013 AZ Afterschool Conference Workshop Descriptions!**

### **Afterschool in the News**

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Last-minute questions about the upcoming **Afterschool Conference, Awards of Excellence Luncheon**, or any of our other **fabulous events and efforts?**

#### **Contact us**

We love hearing from you!

### **Connect With Us**



- make informed decisions
- strive toward continuous program improvement
- develop a common language
- invest in quality programs
- and improve outcomes for Arizona children and youth

We invite you to **review** and **adopt** the standards. Copies of **School's Out, Make It Count: Arizona Quality Standards for Out-Of-School Time Programs**

and a **quality checklist** aligned to the standards are available in **English and Spanish** for distribution to staff, parents, and school administrators.

Please contact **Melanie McClintock** to request your copy!

### **Phoenix City Council Elections Nov. 5th!**

Elections for **Phoenix City Council districts 4 and 8** will be held this November. Voters can cast their ballots at voting centers on the following dates:

- Saturday Nov. 2, 10 am - 4 pm
- Monday Nov. 4, 9 am - 6 pm
- Tuesday Nov. 5, 6 am - 7 pm

**How you vote will have an impact on afterschool issues affecting local children!**

Before you vote, view candidate's responses to the **AzCASE Phoenix City Council Candidate Afterschool Questionnaire**

For more information, [click here](#)

The Conference is only **three weeks** away! We look forward to seeing you all on **November 2nd!**

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Sincerely,

**Melanie, Franny, & Angelica**

The AzCASE Team

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