

# WINTER 2024 NEWSLETTER



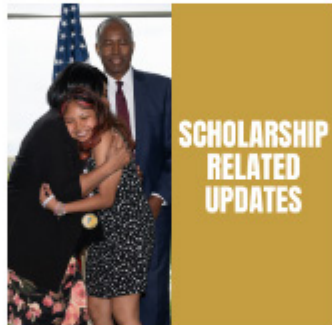
It's been an exciting winter season here at the CSF! 2024 Carson Scholarship Applications are in, judging has commenced, new staff members have been added to our team, we re-launched the CSF Hall of Fame, new reading rooms opened and more! Keep reading for all the details; we don't want you to miss a single thing.

## 2023 CSF Wrap Up



In 2023, the Ben Carson Reading Project surpassed over 4 million dollars invested in creating literacy-enriched environments for children to develop their reading skills...

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The applications are in! The deadline to submit an application for a 2024 Carson Scholarship or the Carson Scholars Recognition Program was January 12, 2024...

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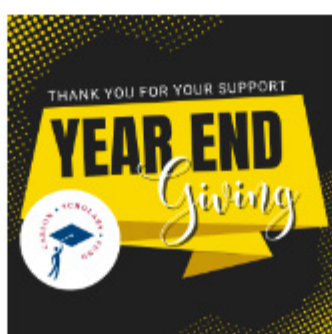
Aaanand Mehta is a dynamic 2023 Carson Scholar from Phoenix, AZ who is committed to improving the lives of others by means of melding his talents and passions...

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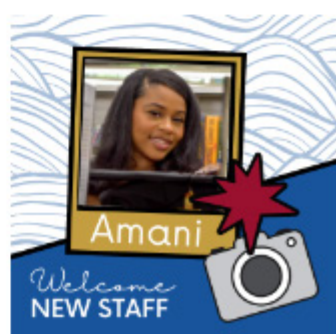
Jen is thrilled to be back on the Carson Scholars Fund (CSF) team as its new executive assistant, having formerly served as scholarship and communications coordinator. Jen believes...

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Reflecting back on year end giving season. This year, the charitable momentum reached new heights at the CSF with compelling initiatives – a generous \$20,000 match & an additional \$5,000 challenge...

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Amani is the new reading room coordinator at the Carson Scholars Fund and is excited to help children discover a love for reading. She is dedicated to bringing new ideas and creativity...

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## PLUMOSA SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS



CANDY CARSON'S READING ROOM OPENING DAY EXPERIENCE

Another huge first!! The Plumosa School of the Arts is the first and only place in the United States to have a reading room established in honor of dedicated chapter founders by their husbands!

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## THE MIDLAND-5



CANDY CARSON'S READING ROOM OPENING DAY EXPERIENCE

Cheers filled the balmy autumn air as one approached Burnet Elementary! Burnet Elementary was the chosen host school for the celebration of the opening of five reading rooms in the city...

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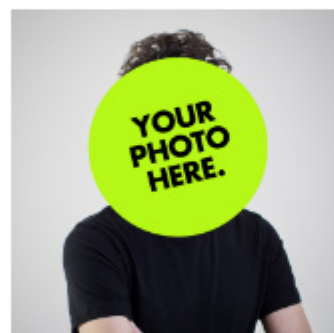
## SEMINOLE TRAILS ELEMENTARY



CANDY CARSON'S READING ROOM OPENING DAY EXPERIENCE

Each reading room is very special in its own way! And Seminole Trails Elementary has several special statistics about its Think Big Reading Room to celebrate! It also has the distinction of being...

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