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ASHTON RANCH WEEKLY DISPATCH

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE RANCH

Greetings Mustang Families and happy Friday,

This week we had benchmark testing for ELA and math. The preliminary scores we have received so far shows that our students are growing! We are super excited to see our final results and how our Mustangs are performing.

Next Thursday is Halloween. Students are allowed to wear costumes as long as they are in good taste, in dress code and do not include any masks, face paint or weapons/simulated weapons of any kind. Furthermore, we will be hosting a Mustang Monster Mash during both lunches for students who are in good standing, have passing grades and less than 10 absences. If you would like to donate any prepackaged snacks or prizes please drop off in the front office. Thank you!

PTSA held a meeting where our vacant board position was filled. We are 100% official and off to a great start. Thank you to Mr. Hoge, Ms. Rhodes, Ms. Bow, and Ms. Bartlett for all your dedication and service!

Thank you for your trust in us as we work daily to serve our students.

Now more than ever, take time to be kind and as always - PROUD to be a Mustang! - Ms. Parachini, prinicpal

MISSION: ASHTON RANCH MIDDLE SCHOOL CULTIVATES A CULTURE OF STUDENT SUCCESS.

VISION: ASHTON RANCH MUSTANGS WORK
TOGETHER TO DEVELOP A SAFE, CARING
ENVIRONMENT TO MEET HIGH EXPECTATIONS FOR
ALL.

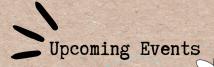
PROUD VALUES: POSTIVITY-RESPECT-OWNERSHIP-UNITY-DETERMINIATION

ARTS, ATHLETIC, ACTIVITIES & ACADEMICS

Athletics

Congratulations to our baseball and softball teams. Both teams made the playoffs with softball making it into the quarter finals.

If you are interested in participating in winter sports please register through Athletiks as tryouts are coming up.

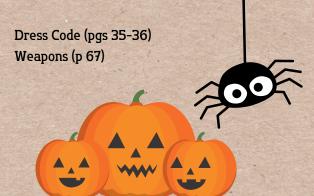


Oct 30 Spelling Bee
Oct 31 Mustang Monster Mash
Oct 28 - Nov 8 Canned Food Drive
Nov 4 Kona Ice
Nov 11 Veterans Day - No School

HANDBOOK FOCUS OF THE WEEK:
DRESS CODE & WEAPONS

With Halloween coming up next week and students being allowed to wear costumes to school that are within the district policy, please review the Student and Parent Handbook for dress code and weapons policy/guidelines. When choosing a costume, please make sure it is in good taste and falls within our values.

You can reveiw the handbook regading student behavior expectations and their definitions. You can find the <u>Student and</u> Parent Handbook online.



ACADEMICS

High School counselors will be on campus Monday, Oct 28, to go over course selection with our 8th grade students. They will return in December for 8th grade students to choose their electives for next year. Please take time to go over the course handbook with your students so that they make the best selections for their interests and college/career pathway.

More From Officer Moore

Hello Mustang families, I hope testing went well this week! As we get closer to Halloween I wanted to remind everyone to stay safe and go in groups if you can. As exciting as trick or treating is, there are still vehicles on the roadway! Wear or bring something that is reflective or carry a flashlight/glowsitck to be seen in the dark. Remember, parents always test the candy first!

As a reminder, during drop off and pick up the speed limit through the school zone is 15 mph so please watch your speed. We have unfortunately had a student get hit recently, and takes minimal speed to cause a lot of damage. Let's all do our part to stay safe!

Finally, please do not drop your student off in the roadway at a crosswalk or block a lane of traffic to wait for your student to walk to your vehicle during school release. This is dangerous, causes traffic issues, and is a traffic violation.

I hope you all get some well deserved rest this weekend and enjoy the cooler weather to come!

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