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ASHTON RANCH WEEKLY DISPATCH

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE RANCH, AN "A" RATED SCHOOL

Greetings Mustang Families and happy Friday,

This month marks my three-year anniversary at Ashton Ranch, and I couldn't be prouder of the growth and success we've achieved together. Thanks to the dedication of our students, staff, and families, our school has been recognized as an A-rated school – a testament to the hard work and commitment of our entire community.

I am also honored to announce that I have been selected as the principal for Willow Canyon High School for the 2025-26 school year. While I will deeply miss my current role, I am excited for this new opportunity to continue serving our students in a new capacity. I am confident that our school will continue to thrive under the leadership of our current assistant principal, Dr. Romero, who will be stepping in as the new principal.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership in making Ashton Ranch an exceptional place for our students to learn and grow. I look forward to finishing this year strong and celebrating more successes together!

I hope you have the most amazing weekend. Take time to be kind and as always - PROUD to be a Mustang!

Ms. Parachini, PROUD principal

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 all who made basketball (boys and girls), soccer (boys and girls) and cheer teams! Games times and locations will be announced soon.

## More From Officer Moore

Hello Mustang families!

This week was a great week of growth. As the year progresses, we have noticed an uptick in behaviors. This is not abnormal as the school year grinds on, however, when the behaviors rise to a level above and beyond the school handbook I like to speak with families directly. Please partner with us and have the check in conversations with your student so that if there are ongoing issues, we can address them before they become a bigger issue than just the school handbook.

Finally, to all parents who pick up and drop off at the school please be mindful of your speed in and around the school during both times. The speed limit is 15mph, there is heavy foot traffic during these times with kids in the bike lane and sidewalks, so it is important you watch your speed.

Thanks again for all your help and dedication to keeping our campus safe! Have a wonderful weekend.

Thanks again
Officer Moore #2255
SRO Ashton Ranch Middle

## ACADEMICS

The countdown to AASA is now!

### ARTS

Don't forget to mark your calendars for the Festival of the Arts on March 8, 2025.

Good luck to our band and orchestra who will be competing in the ABODA festival next month.

Upcoming Events
 DUSD Honor Band Concert Feb 22
 Student Town Hall Feb 24
 Gifted conference Feb 21
 AASA testing - April

#### CAMPUS REMINDERS

In this section we address student behavior concerns that we see happening or increasing in numbers on campus. We want to ensure we are providing the best environment fore student safety and education for our students.

Eating in the buildings is prohibited except in designated areas such as cafeteria and courtyard and at designated times such as breakfast and lunch. Students are bringing or purchasing snacks and eating in classrooms and hallways which has an impact on the cleanliness of our campus. We will ask students to dispose of food/drink items that are being consumed in undesignated areas and/or during undesignated times. Thank you.

You can find the Student and Parent Handbook online.

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