
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 week we tackled AASA reading in all grade levels. Next week we will have AASA testing for math. We have been going over testing protocols and behavior expectations. Did you know if students disrupt the testing environment or have their phones out during testing their test could be invalidated? Please remind your students of the importance of this test and support us in helping our students grow. Additionally, be sure that students get a good night's rest the night before testing, eat a good breakfast the day of testing and bring a fully charged chromebook. Do your best Mustangs and make us PROUD.

We have some amazing events coming up this last quarter of the school year. Mark your calendars for Color Wars, Future 5th Grade Night, 8th grade promotion and more!

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-DETERMINATION

ARTS, ATHLETIC, ACTIVITIES & ACADEMICS

ATHLETICS

Games are in full swing. Check our social media for times and locations. Please remember our parent/spectator code of conduct. We always represent Mustang PROUD!

ARTS

High school programs are performing through the end of the year. Check out your student's high school's schedule to support the arts.

SRHS: Band Concert April 29

VVHS Summer Choir Camp - see social media

Upcoming Events

AASA testing - math is next week

No school April 18

ACADEMICS

AASA Testing Dates:

Math: April 15, 16

We will be running an alternative schedule to accommodate testing. School hours will not be impacted.

Want to help your student prepare for AASA? Check out these resources from Arizona Department of Education:

[AASA Sample Tests, Tutorial and Student Readiness Tool](#)

8th grade summer learning iSchool opportunities - please see our ParentSquare and social media info for options and requirements.

More From Officer Moore

Happy Friday mustang families,

As a reminder for students walking home after school, the door-to-door program is still in place and there should be no stopping or hanging out at the Ashton Ranch HOA park adjacent to the school. If you are a resident of Ashton Ranch and have access to the park, we ask for your student to walk home first and come back after release has been completed to avoid fights and issues at the park.

Thank you for the support to keep students safe. Have a wonderful weekend.

Thanks again,

Officer Moore #2255
SRO Ashton Ranch Middle

CAMPUS REMINDERS

Did you know that every month we hold Town Hall meetings for students to bring forth concerns from their perspective? Last month's Town Hall brought forth the issue of students not following the school values and expectations regarding eating in the designated areas and leaving trash behind.

This week we focused support of our student concerns with reminders of where to eat and keeping our campus clean. If the courtyard and playground areas are not kept clean students will have to eat in cafeteria only.

I am so PROUD of our students for taking Ownership of our campus!

You can find the [Student and Parent Handbook](#) online.

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