



August 2024

THE RANCH ROUNDUP

Principal: Kaitlin Gretkierewicz

Assistant Principal: Jessica Neill

Important Dates

Meet the Teacher Night

8/1

5:00-7:00 PM

First Day of School

8/5

Early Dismissal

8/7

2:00 PM

Athletics Meeting

8/28 4:30 PM-5:00 PM

Booster Club

8/28 5:00 PM-6:00 PM

Bahama Bucks Fundraiser

8/28 2:00 PM-8:00 PM

Curriculum Night

9/19

4:30 - 6pm

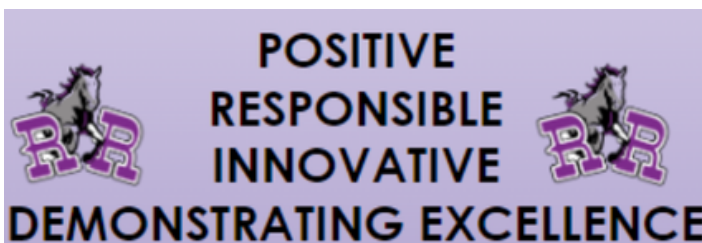
A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL, DR. G

We are so excited to welcome you to Rogers Ranch STEM Academy this school year. It promises to be a year of academic growth. Please join us on Thursday, August 1st, between 5:00 and 7:00 p.m. for Meet the Teacher Night. This event will begin in the gym, where class lists will be posted. Additional information in the gym will include registration for transportation (for families in the transportation zone), Food & Nutrition department, Kids Club, Touchstone Health Services, spirit gear sales and how to receive a driveline number for parent pick-up.



MUSTANGS RIDE WITH P.R.I.D.E

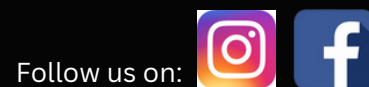
Our first day of school is Monday, August 5th. The first bell will ring at 8:20 a.m., and the final bell will ring at 8:30 a.m. (this will be the bell schedule for the entire school year). It is critical that students arrive on time each and every day to maximize their learning in the classroom. Late students must go through the front office to get a tardy pass. On the first day of school, families will NOT be allowed onto campus. The exception is that our Kindergarten families can walk their student(s) to the DOOR of their Kindergarten classroom for the FIRST week of school ONLY. The Kindergarten gate is located on the South side of campus.





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MORNING ARRIVAL



NEW!

BOOSTER CLUB & ATHLETICS MEETING 8/28

Superintendent Dr. Jeff Sprout will provide important updates on the state of the Laveen Elementary School District at our Booster Club meeting on 8/28 at 5:00 in the library. Before this meeting at 4:30, there will be an athletics meeting for all parents of 6-8 students participating in Fall Sports (co-ed softball and boys basketball.)

Athletic physical forms will be available on Meet the Teacher Night on the 2nd floor lobby near the elevator.

SCHOOL YEAR UPDATES FOR 4TH & 5TH GRADE

This school year, RRSA's fourth and fifth grade will be departmentalized. This means that students will have four different teachers specializing in a content area (Reading/Writing, Math, Science, and Social Studies). We are thrilled to provide this opportunity for students to continue their academic growth.

ARRIVAL & DISMISSAL

Arrival: We have two locations that you can drop students off:

1. South lot-students will walk around to the front gate
2. Front lot

In either location, we are asking that parents **pull all the way forward** to help the flow of traffic in the morning. The “please pull forward” signs will be located at both locations to assist families in adhering to our safety expectations.

Dismissal: The front gate will not open until the bell rings at 3:30 PM daily. We do ask that parents refrain from going up to the double gate doors so that we can open the gate promptly. Please see the photo of the safest spot to stand while waiting to pick up students at the front gate.

We will continue to block off the front lot at 3:10 following self-contained dismissal. Please park on the street to pick up students, as many are walkers, and this ensures their safety.

AFTERNOON DISMISSAL



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Meet the
TEACHER

Thursday, August 1st

5:00–7:00

First Day of School–
Monday, August 5th

8:30am

Sign up for Parent Square



Register for bus transportation



Review the student handbook



Support RRSA through tax credit donations



Download the PBIS Rewards parent app.



Download the Busquest app. for bus riders



Fundraiser Calendar



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AUG

28

2 PM - 8 PM



SEPT

18

4 PM - 7 PM



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OCT

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2 PM - 7 PM



NOV

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COMING
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9 AM - 11 PM



JAN

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10:30 AM - 10 PM



MAR

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4 PM - 7 PM



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2 PM - 7 PM



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*Indicates Booster club meeting will be held at
fundraiser location from 5-6pm