



SCHOOL NEWS

RANCHO GABRIELA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The Rattler Report

March Principal's Message

Dear Rattler Students and Families,

It's hard to believe that March is already here. The warm weather is arriving and the end of the year madness is right around the corner.

Read Across America week will be held March 4-8. Throughout the week we will have spirit dress days, District and community guest readers reading to classes and a Family Literacy Night. We hope you can join us on Thursday, March 7th for Family Literacy Night! We will have fun reading games and activities for the entire family from 4:30pm-5:30pm

If you have a child entering Kinder next year, please come to our Kindergarten Showcase on Tuesday, March 12 at 5:30 pm! This is a great opportunity to take a tour, meet teachers, review the curriculum, register your child, & more! Please spread the word to your neighbors with kids entering Kinder next year too!

As a reminder we have our spring break from March 18-22. Classes will resume on Monday, March 25. We hope you can join us for Rancho Gabriela Spirit Night at Surprise Stadium on March 29. Come watch the Royals play the Dodgers! (details on page 2)

Lastly, The BIGGEST arts event of the year is coming soon! Mark your calendars for March 9th from 10-3pm at Valley Vista High School as students from across our great district sing, dance, play, create, paint, and so much more! Our very own choir will be performing at 1:30 on Stage D. Admission is FREE!

Thank you for continuing to choose Rancho Gabriela as your child's school. We are so appreciative of all the support our families provide each day.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Charleen Mattingly
Principal

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Save the Dates!

3/4- 3/8 - Read Across America Spirit Week

3/5 - Spring Picture Day

3/7 - Literacy Night

3/6 - PTSO Meeting
4:15 pm in the Library

3/8 - End of 3rd Quarter

3/9 - Dysart Festival of the Arts 10:00 am - 3:00 pm
Valley Vista High School

3/12 - Kindergarten Showcase 5:30 pm

3/12 - Hungry Rattlers Night @ Sonic (on Litchfield)
5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

3/14 - Governing Board Meeting
6:00 pm - District Office

3/15 Field Day

3/18 - 3/22 - Enjoy Spring Break - No School

3/20 - School Spirit Night - Spring Training Game
6:05 pm - Surprise Stadium

Rancho Gabriela is a collaborative community
dedicated to high levels of learning for ALL students!

All means ALL!

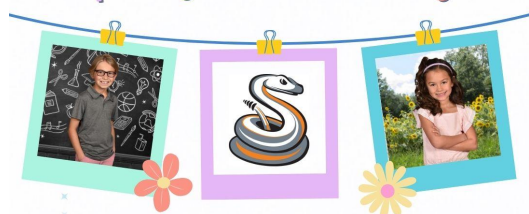


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Spring Picture Day!



TWO WEEKS AFTER PICTURE DAY CHECK YOUR
CHILDS BACKPACK FOR PROOFS TO ORDER
YOUR PORTRAITS ONLINE



Rancho Gabriela School Spirit Night Surprise Stadium

Join your friends and family from Rancho Gabriela at School Spirit Night at the Ballpark with the Los Angeles Angels and Kansas City Royals - Wednesday, March 20th at 6:05 p.m.!

You must pre-purchase your school spirit tickets through this link. The ticket offer will not be available to be purchased at the Box Office. Gear up and be ready to represent your Rancho Gabriela Rattlers school pride! Don't wait, availability through this link is limited. Secure your seats today! [Click here for tickets.](#)

HUNGRY RATTLER NIGHT!

Eat and Give Back to
Rancho Gabriella Elementary
TUESDAY, March 12th, 2024 from 5pm-8pm
13924 N. Litchfield Rd, Surprise, AZ 85379
40% of your sales benefit Rancho Gabriella Elementary!

Must order and pay through switchboard or drive thru. Order Ahead not available for fundraising supporters.
MUST SHOW THIS FLYER TO YOUR CARHOP TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR FUNDRAISER.

Read Across America Week and Literacy Night

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Spirit Week Dress Days

Monday: Goodnight Moon - Pajama Day.

Wear your most comfy school appropriate pajamas! No slippers!

Tuesday: Siegfried's Smelly Socks - Sock day, wear silly or mismatched socks (also Spring Picture Day)

Wednesday: Grace for President - wear Red, White and blue or dress like a President.

Thursday: Leopold's Birthday - What do you want to be in the future. Dress for your future career.

Friday: Oh, the Places You Will Go - Dr Suess Day! Wear vacation or college destination shirt

March

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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4 1:45pm Early Release	5 Spring Picture Day	6 PTSO Meeting 4:15 in the library	7 Literacy Night 4:30 pm-5:30pm	8 End of 3rd Quarter
Read Across America Week				
Pajama Day No Slippers	Sock Day - Wear silly or mismatched socks	Wear red, white and blue or dress like a President	Dress for your future career	Wear vacation clothes or college shirt
11 1:45pm Early Release No Preschool Classes today	12 5:30pm Kinder Showcase Night Hungry Rattler Night at Sonic on Litchfield 5-8 pm	13	14 6pm Dysart Governing Board meeting	15 Field Day-wear PE clothes & sunblock
18	19	20	21	22
Spring Break - No School				
		RGES Spirit Night - Spring Training Game Royals vs. Dodgers		
25 1:45pm Early Release	25	27	28	29