

PONY EXPRESS

Character Leadership Attitude Scholarship Service

Principal Mrs. Celeste Scallion

WEEK AT A GLANCE:

March 9:



March 10 :

A Day

Prom Ticket Sales Begin

March 11:

B Day

March 12:

A Day - Late Start

March 13:

B Day - Office Hours

March 14:

A Day

UPCOMING EVENTS:

March 15:

Jazz Band - Club Blue

March 17:

Juniors CAASPP/CAST Testing Begins

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Bronco Families,

As we move further into March, we want to take a moment to express our deepest gratitude to our parents and school community for partnering with us in shaping the character, leadership, attitude, scholarship, and service of our students. Your support and commitment play a vital role in their growth, and we appreciate you walking alongside us as we navigate the challenges and triumphs that come with this journey.

This week, our Nomination Convention took place, and we are excited to announce our class officers for the 2025-2026 school year. Congratulations to our newly elected student leaders—we look forward to the positive impact you will bring to our campus next year!

Today marked the final round of our highly anticipated Scholar Bowl, with 2NDone claiming the 2025 championship title! This year's competition was filled with mind-bending facts, quick thinking, and impressive displays of knowledge. Congratulations to our winners and to all the students who participated—you made this a battle of wits to remember!

Meanwhile, students continue meeting with their counselors to refine academic plans and select courses for the fall of 2025. We encourage all students to take full advantage of these meetings to ensure they are set up for success in the coming year.

Our state testing season will officially begin on March 17th. We ask for your support in ensuring students arrive on time to school each day and, if possible, avoid scheduling appointments during school hours. A well-rested and prepared student is a successful one, and we appreciate your help in creating the best testing environment for all.

Looking ahead, prom tickets go on sale this coming Monday for "A Night in Rio" at the Santa Anita Racetrack. Juniors and seniors can purchase tickets [online](#) or in person through the VMHS bookkeeper. For those interested, a shuttle service will be available for an additional fee—please visit our website for full details. We can't wait for a spectacular evening of celebration!

Don't forget—this weekend marks daylight saving time! Be sure to set your clocks one hour ahead so we can all take advantage of the extra daylight as we push toward the final stretch of the semester.

As always, we wish our Bronco students and families an amazing weekend. Enjoy the time with your loved ones, and we look forward to seeing everyone back on The Ranch next Monday!

With gratitude,

Mrs. Scallion

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Principal
Vista Murrieta High

BNN Announcements: [March 3](#) | [March 4](#) | [March 6](#) | [March 7](#)

America's Most
SPIRITED HIGH SCHOOL



Assistant Principals

Brianna Burow
Lloyd Dunn
Carl Galloway

Rosa Velardez
Tammy Waddleton

Assistant Principal Athletics

David Smola

Activities Director

Shannon Kush

Useful Links:

[VMHS Website](#)



REMINDERS

A/B CALENDAR

A/B Schedule for March 10 - 14

10	11	12	13	14
A	B	A	B	A

March 12 - Late Start

March 13 - Office Hours

LEADERSHIP APPLICATION

The ASB and Senate applications are NOW open for current high school students (applications for current 8th graders will be available beginning March 24th). We invite all students interested in joining ASB or Senate to submit the Leadership Application by Friday, March 28th.



LEARN MORE

PROM TICKETS

Tickets go on sale Monday!



LEGACY TILE

The "Leave a Legacy" tile project offers a unique opportunity to show your support for the school while making your memories a lasting part of the VMHS Performing Arts Center.

Purchase on the [Webstore](#) or in person with a Bookkeeper for \$50 by March 29.



CAREER FAIR



If you're interested in a career in a military, fire science, law enforcement, health science career or trade school, visit the [East Hall Counseling Office](#) for a permission slip for the upcoming career fair at Murrieta Mesa High School. Transportation provided.

Where: Murrieta Mesa High School

Date: Wednesday, March 19

Time: 10:30AM - 12:30PM

Space is limited to 100 spots - first come, first served.

CLUB BLUE - A NIGHT OF JAZZ

A Night of Jazz and Java

SATURDAY MARCH 15TH

7:00 PM VMHS MPR

DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 PM

This event will sell out so purchase soon!

PURCHASE

MVUSD



Murrieta Valley USD

Salutes our Military Parents

as we celebrate Month of the Military Child

CALLING ALL MILITARY PARENTS!

Join us for a morning of connection, community, and appreciation!

Enjoy a delicious continental breakfast, explore valuable resources, collect cool swag for your military child, and enter to win exciting raffle prizes!



Tuesday, April 8, 2025



9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.



District Support Center - Board Room
41870 McAlby Court, Murrieta, CA 92562

RSVP

Click [\(here\)](#) by
March 21st **OR** visit
our district website



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COUNSELING



Ms. Valenzuela
AVID & A
East Hall



Mrs. Padilla
EL & B - Cal
East Hall



Mr. Tyler
Cam - Ger
West Hall



Mrs. Osorio
Gi - Low
West Hall



Mrs. Candaele
NCAA & Li - Or
West Hall



Mrs. Ponce
Os - Se
East Hall



Ms. Hill
Sh - Z
East Hall



Mrs. Burrow
Assistant Principal
East Hall



Mr. Bennett
School Psychologist
Grades 10 - 11 / W115



Mrs. Mendoza-Blid
School Psychologist
Grades 9 & 12 / W115



Mrs. Talarzyk
School Social Worker
A - L / W112



Mrs. Gonzalez
School Social Worker
M - Z / W121

2024-25

CAASPP/CAST TESTING



Juniors,
CAASPP/CAST
testing kicks off
Monday, March
17, during your
subject period!
The first two
weeks focus on
English—get
plenty of rest and
be ready to do
your best!

SENIORS

SENIOR RESOURCES

HERFF JONES

IF YOU PURCHASED EXTRA CLASS OF
2025 SENIOR GEAR FROM HERFF JONES
TASSELS, FRAMES, OR HOODIES.

PLEASE STOP BY THE TRADING POST
AND PICK UP YOUR ORDERS NOW!



Extra
GRADUATION
tickets

- Seniors receive 6 complimentary tickets.
- Extra graduation tickets are \$15 each, with a max of 10 extra

Available online or with a bookkeeper.
Available while supplies last!

SATURDAY,
MARCH 22, 2025
9 AM - 2 PM

ATTEND OUR ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE FOR
NEWLY ADMITTED STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES!

Make connections and have your questions answered by current students, staff, and even some of your future professors. Join us for a day focused on the CSUSM student experience. This event is your first opportunity to put on your Cougar Blue and take steps toward being an official CSUSM Cougar this fall. [CSUSM.EDU/COUGARBLUEDAY](https://csusm.edu/cougarblueday)



FAFSA

DEADLINE EXTENDED

Applications for FAFSA have been
extended to April 2nd.
Don't forget to apply!

APPLY

Need help with college applications,
scholarships, or financial aid?
Visit the library for assistance
from Cal-SOAP!

CHP TEMECULA EXPLORERS



MARCH 11, 2025
STARTS AT 6:00 P.M.

27685 Commerce Center
Drive Temecula, CA 92590

[Click here for additional information](#)

WESTERN STATES CARPENTERS

BUILD BETTER FUTURES



MARCH 22ND, 2025

10064 Old Grove Road,
San Diego, CA 92131

Register here!

A liability waiver signed by a parent will be required
for students to participate in hands-on activities.

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