

PONY EXPRESS

Character Leadership Attitude Scholarship Service

Principal Mrs. Celeste Scallion

WEEK AT A GLANCE:

February 10:
A Day

February 11:
B Day
Scholar Bowl 2

February 12:
A Day - Late Start
Incoming Parent Night-Virtual

February 13:
B Day - Office Hours
Scholar Bowl 3

February 14:
No School - President's Day

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

February 14 & 17:
No School - President's Day

February 20:
Advanced Coursework Program
Night (Virtual)

February 20:
Drama Musical - Addams Family

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Bronco Families and Students,

What a fantastic week on The Ranch!

We are so grateful for the incredible support from our students, families, and staff as our Broncos continue to meet and exceed milestones in this second semester.

To our amazing seniors - congratulations on presenting your Senior Culminating Projects this week! It was truly inspiring to hear about your future plans and know that, in some way, we have contributed to preparing you for success beyond the blue gates of VMHS. Your hard work, dedication, and ambition are shining examples of what it means to be a Bronco!

Last night, we welcomed both current and incoming families at our very first Rodeo, and by all accounts, it was a huge success! It was incredible to see the excitement of our future Broncos blending with the wisdom and experience of our current students. The energy was electric, and we can't wait to officially welcome our newest Broncos next year!

Today, we kicked off the first round of Scholar Bowl, a schoolwide battle of the minds where our students put their trivia knowledge to the test in hopes of earning scholarships, prizes, and, of course, the ultimate title of 2024-25 Scholar Bowl Champions! The competition is fierce, and we can't wait to see who comes out on top!

As you can see, there is never a dull moment at VMHS! Every day, we remain laser-focused on meeting the unique needs of our students and building their capacity for the next level of success. We are so proud of each and every one of you!

Enjoy a well-deserved weekend, Broncos! See you back on The Ranch next week.

With Bronco Pride,

Mrs. Scallion

Principal
Vista Murrieta High School

BNN Announcements: [Feb 3](#) | [Feb 4](#) | [Feb 6](#) | [Feb 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 February 10 - 14

10	11	12	13	14
A	B	A	B	H

February 12 - Late Start

February 13 - Office Hours

February 14 - No School:
In observance of President's Day

MVUSD NEWS

LCAP SURVEY

Your Voice Shapes Our Goals

The Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP) survey for 2025 is officially open and will close this Friday, February 7.

This is a vital opportunity for parents, students, and staff to provide feedback that helps shape the future of our schools. Feedback from our educational partners is critical to creating an LCAP that fully addresses the strengths of our schools while identifying areas that need attention.

Thank you!

Murrieta Valley Unified School District

Start your day with TK!

All Four-Year-Olds

We are Now Enrolling for Transitional Kindergarten.

Students who turn 4 by 9/1/25
can enroll in TK for the
'25-'26 school year.

Scan to Enroll Today!



Come meet our team!



SAVE THE DATE!

PTSA PRESENTS

COFFEE WITH THE *Principal*

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

8:45 - 9:45 AM

VMHS LIBRARY

**CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFO
AND DISCUSSION POINTS.**



VMHS DRAMA

COMING SOON

February 20-22

February 27- March 2nd
7:00 p.m.

General Admission:
\$13

VMHS students
w/ASB: \$10

Tickets available through
GOFAN

Vista Murrieta High School Drama:

A C. L. A. S. S. Act

Presents:

FEBRUARY 20-22 +
FEBRUARY 27-MARCH 2ND
@ 7PM



SENIORS

SENIOR RESOURCES



June 1st, 2025

**\$350 All day
park hopper**

Purchase online or at
the bookkeeper

CHARACTER, LEADERSHIP, ATTITUDE, SCHOLARSHIP, SERVICE.

COUNSELING



Ms. Valenzuela
AVID & A
East Hall



Mrs. Padilla
EL & B - Cal
East Hall



Mr. Tyler
Cam - Ger
West Hall



Mrs. Osorio
Gi - Lew
West Hall



Mrs. Candaele
NCAA & Li - Or
West Hall



Mrs. Ponce
Os - Se
East Hall



Ms. Hill
Sh - Z
East Hall



Mrs. Burow
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

INCOMING FRESHMAN PARENT NIGHT

Class of 2029 Broncos

Wednesday, February 12 | 6pm - 7pm



This is a virtual event.

Join VMHS Counselors for insights on
Course Selection Process, academic
programs, FAQs and more.

TEAMS LINK

ADVANCED COURSEWORK NIGHT

Thursday, February 20 6:00 P.M.
THIS IS A VIRTUAL EVENT

Join the VMHS Counseling team to explore the various Advanced
Coursework Programs offered at VMHS, including Advanced Placement
(AP), Dual Enrollment, and Career and Technical Education (CTE) with
Community College Articulation.

CLICK HERE FOR MEETING LINK

ARMY CAREER FAIR

**MEET YOUR ARMY
CAREER FAIR**

March Air Reserve Base
February 12
11:00A.M. -3:00P.M.



Please come to the West Hall Office
to pick up a permission slip!

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Click below for upcoming
opportunities for all students.

*Community
Service Hours*

*Forms are to be turned into
student's counselor*

DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS

Dollars for Scholars is now open!
Apply now until February 28th

APPLY

INSTRUCTIONS

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

FAFSA

Students planning to enroll in
Summer 2025 courses at a college
AFTER graduation must submit the
2024-25 FAFSA application to receive
Financial Aid, in addition to the 2025-
26 FAFSA for Fall 2025 courses.

If your student intends to commence
courses in Fall 2025, they will only
need to apply for the **2025-26 FAFSA**
that is **NOW OPEN**.

APPLY

For information on FAFSA
Application Support Night on
February 19th,
please click **HERE**.

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