

Monterey Ridge E.S.S.



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IMPORTANT DATES:

Sunday, Nov. 1...
Daylight Savings Time Ends!
"FALL" back 1 hour!

Wednesday, Nov. 11...
School & ESS CLOSED!
Veteran's Day Observance

Mon. – Fri., Nov. 16 – 20...
Parent/Teacher Conferences,
School dismissal 12:45
every day...ESS OPEN until
6:00 pm!

Mon. – Fri., Nov. 23 – 27...
School & ESS CLOSED
Thanksgiving Week!

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!

STAFF UPDATE – Since the beginning of the school year, we have bid fond farewells to our college bound staff: *Miss Amber, Miss Kristin, Mr. Luke & Miss Karina*. In addition, we also said goodbye to *Miss Sylvia* and *Miss Sarah* (who have been with us for quite awhile), as they pursue other opportunities. We wish all of them good luck and much success!

We are very happy to welcome *Mr. Matt* (Program Aide) back with our team! And lastly, we are pleased to welcome *Miss Beth* (Sub Program Aide for 3rd grade), *Miss Marisa & Miss Jennifer* (high school aides) to the MR ESS team. Welcome everyone...we are glad you're here!!

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

➤ **PARENT CONFERENCE WEEK:** School dismissal during the week of Nov. 16-20 will be 12:45 every day! ESS will be open 6:30-6:00 each day. If you are currently utilizing ESS on a full time or PM only contract, this week is included in your monthly tuition. For AM or Wednesday only participants, you will need to register for this week. Cost is \$15.00 per day. Questions? Please ask or email us!

➤ Did you know you can make your ESS payments online? **Just log on to:** <http://firstlinemerchant.com/PUSD/ess/htm>. Please make your payment by the 15th of the month and avoid a \$20.00 late charge! You can pay by electronic check, credit card or debit card. There is no service charge.

➤ As a reminder: ESS operating hours are 6:30 am to 6:00 pm. If you pick up your child/children anytime after 6:00 pm you are considered **LATE!!! You will be charged \$1.00 per minute/per child after 6:00 pm as stated in our ESS program policies.**

WELCOME... "My name is Johneen Gregg and I am the new Director of ESS, replacing Leslie Granger who just recently retired. As the parent of a former ESS student and high school assistant as well as being the grandparent of a current ESS student I am thrilled to be part of a program that continues to serve our students in a positive environment that provides not only quality care but also one that enriches and enhances their development. I have been an integral part of Poway Unified for 23 years having served as a teacher, assistant principal and elementary principal, and hope to bring that background into my new position. As I continue to learn more about all the facets such a broad program entails, I will be looking toward your expertise as parents in ESS to help guide and facilitate my goals for our continued growth. Please feel free to contact me at jgreeg@powayusd.com or 858-748-0010, ext. 2933. I am looking forward to the opportunity to meet you!"



Johneen Gregg
Director ESS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Gigi P., Chaitali C., Ehren M., Claire A., James H., Ashley S.,
Sam T., Grant T., Tanner W., Catelyn D., Andrew F.,
Bocar H., Harrison H., Sean L., Joe H., Chloe K.,
Emma K., Bella K., & Debbie N.

