

El Monte Middle School Friday Focus

Every Student, Every Day, Find A Way ~ FAILURE Is Not An Option!

Principal Message – WOW! What a busy and fun week. Thank you to all of the staff members that dressed up for our Red Ribbon Week. School spirit is so important, especially this time of year. I am also thankful for the professional development training that we received from Jeff Zwiers on Wednesday. I know that those days can feel long because we are so busy in our classrooms, but the information was so important! I was so impressed with the follow up conversations that occurred during PLC time and the thoughtfulness of implementing some of Jeff's incredible strategies. I want each of you to know how much I value you and how hard I see you working every day to better the education for our students. I also want to thank the teachers who came out and played Volleyball with Ms. Haro and myself during lunches. It was a hit and the students enjoyed themselves tremendously. **#TeamworkMakesTheDreamWork**

Athletic Report –The Lobo soccer teams are at it in full swing. The lady Lobos's had an exciting victory over Fowler on Tuesdays that went down to PK's. The boys soccer team had a tough week as they lost to Fowler on Tuesday and then lost a heartbreaker to Woodlake on Thursday that went down to PK's. Both team's will travel to Hanford on Tuesday and then will host Citrus on Thursday which should be a great match-up. Come out and support your Lobo Soccer Teams!!! **#GOLOBOS**

AVID Parent Evening – I would like to thank the entire AVID team for coordinating the parent evening for our AVID parents and students. The information that was shared with the parents was imperative to their child's success in middle school, high school, and beyond. Thank you to our AVID coordinator, Lupe Ibarra for creating the PowerPoint in English and Spanish, and to our AVID teachers Miss Gonazlez, Mrs. Valencia, Mr. Trevino, Mrs. Cruz, Mrs. Troncozo, Mrs. Villa, and Mr. Montemayor as well.

Pep Rally – A big shoutout to Miss Lopez and the leadership students for an awesome Pep Rally today! The school spirit was amazing! Big thank you to Miss Alvarado, Mrs. Villa, Mrs. Jimenez, Mrs. Connor, Mrs. Mendoza, Mrs. Valencia, Ms. Bitanga, and Mrs. Sanchez for participating in the crazy games! Thank you to the band and Mr. Perry for playing at the rally! School spirit is super important and I was impressed with the amount I saw this weekend.

Quote of the Week:

TEACH
encourage
instruct
MENTOR
PRAISE
influence
GUIDE
INSPIRE

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Upcoming Events:

- 10/31 – Soccer Game @ Pioneer
- 10/31 – PBIS Meeting @ 3:00 p.m. in Room 4
- 11/1 – LOBO Lunch @ 11:15 a.m.
- 11/2 – Soccer Game @ El Monte Vs. Citrus
- 11/2 – Fall Choral Concert @ OHS @ 6:30 p.m.
- 11/3 – Binder Check during Advisory
- 11/4 – Saturday School @ 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
- 11/4 – Orange Cove Band Review @ 8:00 a.m.

Photo Gallery

