

"Our"

Rancho

Santa

Fe



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Rancho Santa Fe, one of the most beautiful rural areas of the United States is dotted with citrus groves and eucalyptus forests.

The eucalyptus trees were first planted by the Santa Fe Railroad Company to provide wood for railroad ties. Fortunately eucalyptus wood was not practical for this purpose so Rancho is covered with these beautiful shade trees.

While the ranch has changed from agricultural to mainly residential, the rural feeling is still here.

In 1927 the protective covenant, governing architecture, landscaping, and land use, was established.

This has kept the Spanish feeling, and spaciousness we now enjoy.

For recreation, residents have their own golf course, tennis club, a new youth center, a riding club, and miles of scenic trails.

Our recently enlarged library has an excellent selection of books and has one of the best children's libraries in California.

Our Garden Club works toward the beautification of the ranch by planting trees and shrubs along trails and road. Their beautiful new building serves as headquarters for cotillion for "young dancers", many charity affairs, and important school functions.

Our Country Friends benefit many different charities.

Aside from these very pleasant facts, I really enjoy growing up here, and believe it is a good experience to live in such a natural area.