

Our School

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any anniversary is a special occasion, but a fiftieth for a beautiful place like Rancho Santo Fe is something truly special.

Rancho Santo Fe isn't my home town, but two years ago we moved into its school district and began attending classes. I discovered what a unique relationship the school held in the community. It seems to be a hub in a wheel. For instance, just a few weeks ago, the middle school had a clean-up project where teachers and students, through the community, picked up trash, raked, etc...

Often school programs are held on the village green, such as the annual Christmas sing, assemblies, and the younger children's halloween parade.

Rancho Santo Fe is a friendly town. Everyone I have met here has been kind to me. This certainly is true about the

school. It has a "togetherness" feeling, from the principal right down to the students.

Our principal, Dr. Rowe, seems to know everyone, and always greets the students as we go by. We must enjoy his work for he gives us a sense of pride in ourselves and our school.

The teachers really care, and take time with you. They have a lot of enthusiasm which helps us enjoy learning.

Most of the students are polite and thoughtful to each other.

There are many fun assignments and varied activities. We have an Instructional Media center where we learn research skills. There is also a library next to the school, which is very handy.

As for the grounds, they are well kept for.

I don't know about you, but I'm proud of our school. I've really learned to appreciate it, and feel that the things I have recieved here will help me all my life.