

Welcome Back!! It was wonderful to see so many of you at our Summer BBQ. I hope that you and your family have enjoyed a wonderfully relaxing and leisurely paced summer filled with lots of family fun. As summer concludes and we begin to look at the new school year, a certain excitement begins to build. It's one of my favorite times of year! We are all eager to get started and look forward to all the wonderful learning opportunities we will share. The staff has been preparing learning experiences that will encourage and develop your child's thinking. Our theme for this year is "This is Our Year" to make Sunset Ridge the very best school.

We have been working through the summer to prepare for an outstanding school year. The school has added two portables to help provide much needed space for art and psycho-motor. The entire school has been painted and we are ready to shine.

Sunset Ridge would like to welcome our new Superintendent, Wendy Tukloff and new Associate Superintendent, Davide Celoria to our district. They have also been working hard over the summer months to make sure that the Pacifica School District continues to provide your children with a 1st rate education.

The PTA has also been organizing and planning events to support the academic program. Your active support and cooperation, combined with our professional efforts, will ensure an outstanding educational experience for your children!

Start your support now by making appointments after school or during breaks. Students need to be in school to benefit from the instruction. Please avoid taking extended vacations during school time. We currently are losing 5 instructional days due to the budget cuts. We need students to be in school as much as possible so they can benefit from everyone's hard work.

We are proud of Sunset Ridge and the hard work that everyone does to provide a superior education to the students and the wonderful sense of community that makes Sunset Ridge special. I am always available to speak with you. Please feel free to call me at 650-738-6687 or email me at ecundiff@pacificasd.org. By working together we can truly make the entire community shine. This is our Year!!!

-Ellie Cundiff, Principal