



School News



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A Variety of Events

Spring is in full bloom at Serrano Elementary School with students engaged in a wide variety of events!

Serrano's robotics team has been meeting twice weekly in preparation for the robotics competition at the end of the month at Santiago Community College. Team members are eager to put their skills to the test and compete with elementary teams from across the district. Our track team is also fine tuning their skills as they practice each Friday after school for the upcoming Foundation Games.

The Serrano Eagles celebrated the joy and the importance of reading during Read Across America Week. The week culminated with the entire school participating in a read-together activity on the field—560 students and teachers all at the same time! On Wednesday of that week, students arrived at school carrying their favorite books and dressed as characters from their books! Students also participated in a week-long book swap—bring a book, take a book—each day at recess, when books were exchanged for more reading opportunities!

Each month, Serrano holds a school-wide Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math Challenge! Recently, students were given the task of engineering a bridge out of index cards that could hold the most weight. Students worked in teams to create their team bridges and explain their outcomes. It was great to see the wide variety of bridges being built in different classes. The future of engineering is taking place right here in our school!