

THE COMMUNITY



Our District is located in the scenic Sierra Foothills, 60 miles northeast of Sacramento, 12 miles west of Grass Valley in the communities of Lake Wildwood, Penn Valley, Smartsville and Rough & Ready. The climate is mild with definite seasonal changes. Our supportive community is actively involved in the production and promotion of various community events including the arts, music, drama, and sports. Numerous recreational, outdoor and seasonal activities are available in the foothills and nearby Sierra Nevada Mountains. Tahoe/Truckee is just one hour away. The School Site Councils, Parents Clubs and the Roots & Wings Educational Foundation, as well as parents, volunteers and others play an active role in our schools. We are a socio-economically diverse community which strongly supports education. This is an ideal place to live, work, and raise a family, while enjoying a rural lifestyle.



THE DISTRICT

Ready Springs and Pleasant Valley school districts consolidated to form the ***Penn Valley Union Elementary School District*** on July 1, 2014.

Our Schools:

Ready Springs School - houses TK-8 (470) students
Located at 10862 Spenceville Rd., Penn Valley, CA
95946

Vantage Point Charter School - an independent study school, serving K-12 (45) students.
Located at 10862 Spenceville Rd., Penn Valley, CA 95946

Williams Ranch School - houses K-5 (250) students
Located at 14804 Pleasant Valley Rd., Penn Valley, CA 95946



The District's 41 certificated staff members, two site administrators, Superintendent, and approximately 48 classified employees, including part-time aides, are dedicated to quality education for all children. The instructional program is designed to meet the diverse needs of our students through a rigorous academic program. To that end, numerous supplemental, special and categorical programs are provided in addition to the charter school.