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We also welcome our new Principal, Mr. Jensen, and look forward to the strengths he will add to our school and community.

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We also want to Welcome, Shelly Gottfredson, Asst. Principal

Ms. Gottfredson is currently engaged, has 4 children, 1 step-daughter, 4 sons-in-law & 12 grandkids! She grew up in Logan, UT and raised her kids in Ephraim, UT. She loves to travel, take road trips, is an avid reader, loves to knit & crochet, have lunch with friends and LOVES Shutterfly memory books.

She went back to school when her kids were in school. She started at Snow College and earned her Bachelors from SUU along with her Masters. She earned her Admin from USU. She was a classroom teacher for 17 years and has now worked in admin. for 10 years. Middle school is one her LOVES and is happy to be here at ERMS. Welcome, Ms. Gottfredson!!
Meet this year's Ambassador Advisors

**Kimberly Rider**
- Grew up in Ivins, UT
- Enjoys reading the Lord of the Rings series by JRR Tolkien
- Likes reading, hiking, drawing and cooking

**Emily Dayton**
- grew up in West Jordan
- enjoys reading mysteries, biographies and autobiographies
- Likes horse riding, shopping, watching basketball, and chasing her 1 year old son around!

Applications for PTSA Ambassadors can be found in the main office
Due date for the application is Sept. 4th in the main office

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Upcoming Events:

- **25th year anniversary** – more info to come later
- **Sept 4** – PTSA Ambassadors applications due
- **Sept 25 & 26** – Parent Teacher Conferences
- **Oct. 10** – ERMS Reflections entries due
- **Oct 14-18** – Ribbon Week
- **Oct 14** – Spirit Night Chic-Fil-A
- **Oct 31** – Goblin Chase (morning) & Fall Festival (afternoon)

Elk Ridge is celebrating it’s 25th Anniversary!
More details to come....
shirts and other paraphernalia available in the office for purchase