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Jason Mills selected as Interim Principal for Battle Mountain High School

Mills will serve for the 2021-22 school year

Eagle, CO – Eagle County School District announced today that Jason Mills has been selected as the Interim Principal for Battle Mountain High School (BMHS) in Edwards for the 2021-22 school year. Mills has previously served as the Head of School for Stone Creek Charter School, an independent K-8 school with three campuses across the county. Prior to that, Mills spent more than ten years with Eagle County Charter Academy serving in a variety of capacities, including Teacher, Team Leader, and Governing Board Director.

“We’re excited to welcome Jason to Battle Mountain High School and the Interim Principal role,” said Superintendent Philip Qualman. “He brings considerable leadership experience to this position and is eager to contribute.”

The interviewing process for this interim position included panel interviews involving representatives from all stakeholder groups a candidate will interact with as Principal, followed by community meet-and-greet opportunities. Community members were encouraged to provide written comments on candidates to inform the hiring decision. In the interviewing process, Mills noted that the school’s culture of learning is what drew him toward the available position and he is excited to continue to support their success.

“I am honored to join Battle Mountain High School’s legacy of cultivating a culturally diverse learning community with a focus on high standards and academic rigor while developing a strong sense of personal connection,” said Mills. “BMHS’s commitment to fostering a culture of engaged, creative, and connected learners is inspiring and I look forward to contributing to its collective success.”

Mills has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from the University of Georgia and a Master’s of Education (M.Ed.) in Leadership from Colorado State University. He also holds a Principal license and a Teacher license in Social Studies from the Colorado Department of Education, earned through coursework at Colorado State University.

Join us in welcoming Jason Mills as Interim Principal for Battle Mountain High School beginning in the 2021-22 school year.

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