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Come Meet the New Principal of Barnes Butte Elementary

Meet and Greet next Monday, March 16th at 4:30pm

Crook County School District invites the public to meet Taylor Trautman, the new principal selected for Barnes Butte Elementary School. She replaces Jim Bates who will take over leadership duties at the new Steins Pillar, an adventure-themed elementary school to open in the fall of 2020.

Parents and students can learn about Trautman's background and her vision for Barnes Butte Elementary next Monday, March 16th. Doors open at 4:30pm. Attendees can ask questions and share their own thoughts, followed by an informal meet and greet with refreshments.

"Anytime there's a leadership change, we think it's important that parents and students have the opportunity to meet their new principal and become familiar with their leadership style," explained Superintendent Dr. Sara Johnson.

Trautman was most recently the associate principal at Illahee Elementary in Camas, Washington, and spent nine years as an elementary school teacher. She attended Central Washington University in Ellensburg, Washington, where she earned a Bachelor of Arts in elementary education and early childhood development, a master's degree in education administration, and a principal certification.

About Crook County School District

Crook County School District is a thriving, rural, growing district in Central Oregon, serving more than 3,000 students from all across Crook County. It is an organization with integrity, a model for educational success, and a recognized leader for excellence in helping students dream, learn, and succeed.

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