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Announcing Interim Principal at Laurelhurst, Alyson Brant

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Dear Laurelhurst Community,

I am pleased to announce that Alyson Brant will be elevated to interim principal at Laurelhurst K-8 School for the 2021-22 school year.

She succeeds Olgamar Amor, who served as Laurelhurst principal since 2019. We wish Principal Amor the best in her new role as principal at Bridger Elementary School.

As most of you know, Alyson served as Laurelhurst's assistant principal the last two years. She is a dedicated, collaborative education leader who is committed to helping every student reach high academic standards in a caring, inclusive and rigorous learning environment.



Alyson Brant

Alyson is an experienced principal who, before coming to Laurelhurst, was principal for eight years at Alder Creek Middle School in the North Clackamas School District. In that role she helped develop, support and promote the district's dual language Spanish immersion program for middle schools, and she facilitated the development, articulation and implementation of a shared vision of learning to eliminate the opportunity gap.

During 13 years as an administrator in the North Clackamas district, she also served as assistant principal at Clackamas High School and in the district's Secondary Programs department, first as associate director, then director.

Alyson earned a Bachelor of Arts in History from Saint Mary's College and a Master of Arts in American History from the University of Virginia, and she holds Initial and Continuing Administrative Licensures from Portland State University.

Please join me in congratulating Principal Brant on her new role.

Shawn Bird, Ed.D.

Deputy Superintendent, Instruction & School Communities

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