



David Kerns is the Superintendent of Snake River School District. He has previously served as Principal of Snake River Middle School and Rockford Elementary. Mr. Kerns also serves as the District's Federal Programs Director.

Mr. Kerns attended Utah State University and graduated in Secondary Education and Spanish in 1983. He then taught school from 1983 until 2002. He obtained a Masters Degree in Administration in 2002 and completed his Education Specialist Degree in 2010, both at Idaho State University. He has served as the High School Principal in Aberdeen and also served as the Superintendent of Clark County School District in Dubois, Idaho. Mr. Kerns is currently working at the dissertation level on a Doctoral Degree in Educational Administration.

Mr. Kerns is married to his wife, Susan. They have three girls, Sarah, Tory, and Katie. He enjoys working with computers and researching family history. He also enjoys reading Science Fiction as well as working on another advanced degree in Education at ISU.



Ray Carter is the Principal of Snake River High School. He also served previously as the Assistant Principal for 12 years. Prior to coming to Snake River, he served as an Assistant Principal and Athletic Director at a high school and junior high for several years in New Mexico. During his tenure in education he has taught courses in Social Studies, Health, Physical Education, Driver Education, and Study Skills. Mr. Carter has spent many years coaching both young men and young women in volleyball, track and field, and basketball.

Mr. Carter has a Bachelor of Arts degree from BYU in Provo. He received his graduate degree from the University of Montana. Although a native of New Mexico, he spent much of his life in Washington DC, Anchorage Alaska, several different places in Utah, Montana, and South Africa. He is now, a proud Idahoan. Similar to what Paul Maclean said in A River Runs Through It—"...oh, I will never leave *Idaho*, brother".



Rich Dunn is the Dean of Students at Snake River High School. Rich graduated with his Bachelor of Arts degree in Physical Education from Idaho State University in 2005. While attending ISU, he was elected Student Body Vice President and was chosen to serve as the College of Education Senator. He then worked as a Graduate Assistant while receiving his Masters Degree in Athletic Administration from Idaho State University.

Rich has been with Snake River for the past 8 years. He has taught Physical Education, Health, History and Social Studies at the Junior High as well as Elementary Physical Education. He has enjoyed success in coaching over the past 18 years. He has won a State Championship in all three sports he coaches: Football, Girls Basketball and Baseball.

Rich has been married for 17 years to Snake River alumni Kambrel. They have three children: Camdyn, Macki and Boston.

Rich is very excited for his new role as Dean of Students at Snake River High School and looks forward to serving the students and community of Snake River.



Bryce Salmon is the Principal of Snake River Junior High. He was previously the Principal at Riverside Elementary from 2010 to 2015. He obtained his Associates Degree in Arts and Sciences at Ricks College and his Bachelors of Arts Secondary Education- Spanish and Biology at Idaho State University. He then obtained his Masters in Education in Educational Leadership, also at Idaho State University.

Mr. Salmon firmly believes that educators are deeply involved in "saving the world". One of his favorite quotes about the importance of education is from Thomas Jefferson who said, "light and liberty go together." He is also excited about helping students develop essential 21st Century skills in the Snake River School District.

Mr. Salmon and his beautiful wife, Kerilyn, have been blessed with five wonderful children. Mr. Salmon loves the outdoors, sports (especially hockey), and Spanish Literature.



Dean Bonney became Rockford's principal in August 2013 and is now also Principal of Snake River Middle School this year. Mr. Bonney joined the Snake River School District in 1997 and spent 16 years as the Assistant Principal and Principal at Snake River High School. Prior to that, he was a Spanish teacher and coach for 6 years in California, and 5 years in Wyoming.

Mr. Bonney received a Bachelor's degree in Spanish from Brigham Young University, a Master's degree in Education from Azusa Pacific University, and a Master's degree in Educational Leadership and Supervision from the University of Southern Mississippi.

Mr. Bonney has been married to his wife Kori for 34 years and they are the parents of 3 children, Chelsea, Richie, and Jamie, who are all proud graduates of Snake River High School. They are also the grandparents of 8 grandchildren and love spending time with family.

Mr. Bonney loves the Snake River School District and is excited to be the principal at both Rockford Elementary and the Middle School. Middle School and Rockford teachers and students are the best in the District, and he feels fortunate to work with them on a daily basis.



Janae Petersen was named the Riverside Elementary Principal in 2015. Mrs. Petersen joined the Snake River School District in 2005. She spent the years as a third and fourth grade teacher at Riverside and Rockford Elementary. Prior to that, she was an elementary teacher at the Blackfoot Charter Community Learning Center teaching second through fifth grade from 2002-2005. Mrs. Petersen received her Associates Degree in General Sciences at Ricks College and her Bachelors of Science in Elementary Education at Idaho State University in 2002. She then received her Master's degree in Educational Administration in 2015 from Lamar University in Texas.

Janae grew up in Pocatello, Idaho. She has two children who attend schools in the Snake River School District. She loves spending time with her family, watching movies, and going on trips with her family. She also loves to white water raft because she worked as a white water raft guide on the Salmon River.

She has loved teaching and is excited to start this new adventure as a principal at Riverside Elementary. Mrs. Petersen feels fortunate to work and communicate with wonderful and supportive staff members and patrons.



Jane Reynolds is the principal at Moreland Elementary and has been serving in that position since 2007. Jane spent 2 years as a half time teacher of 4th grade and half time principal at Riverside Elementary from 2005 to 2007. Mrs. Reynolds received her Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education from Idaho State University in 1991. She was hired at Snake River Middle school in 1991 as a 6th grade teacher where she taught for 12 years serving as team leader, math curriculum building leader and head teacher. Mrs. Reynolds was blessed with 2 children who were raised here and graduated from Snake River High School.

Mrs. Reynolds received her Master's degree in Educational Administration in 2003 from Idaho State University. Jane is a graduate of Snake River and has spent all but 3 years of her life in this community. She spent one year in Provo, Utah obtaining her Cosmetology license and one year in Laie, Hawaii attending BYU-Hawaii and working at Turtle Bay Hilton in the hair salon. After receiving her Master's degree in 2003, she moved to St. George, Utah where she was hired as a reading coach to teach 1st grade and 5th grade special literacy classes. That very spring, she was called and told there was a Principal position open in Snake River.

Mrs. Reynolds realized Snake River was HOME to her and was elated to come back and be a part of a great community and school district. She loves the staff and students at Moreland and is excited to be a part of this district and its educational progress.