



# Bonita Vista High School

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*“A Tradition of Excellence and Baron Pride”*

Dear Baron Community,

It is with humility, gratitude, and great excitement that I introduce myself as the new principal of Bonita Vista High School. On April 14, 2025, I was honored to be appointed by the Sweetwater Union High School District Board of Trustees to serve this wonderful school and community, one defined by its proud legacy of *“A Tradition of Excellence and Baron Pride.”*

Coming from my role as principal at Bonita Vista Middle School, I feel incredibly fortunate to continue working alongside the remarkable students, families, and educators who make this community so special. I am committed to leading with integrity, honesty, and respect—values that lie at the heart of the BVHS Mission Statement.

This upcoming school year marks my 21st year in education, all of which have been proudly spent within the Sweetwater Union High School District. I began my journey as an English teacher, serving mainly the Olympian High School community, before transitioning into school leadership. Over the past nine years, I’ve served as an administrator at Sweetwater High School and, most recently, at Bonita Vista Middle School. Each step along the way has reaffirmed my belief in the transformative power of education and prepared me to lead Bonita Vista High with care, clarity, and an unwavering commitment to student success (and continuous improvement in everything that we do).

As your principal, my goal is clear: to collaborate with our talented staff to ensure every student learns at high levels within a safe, supportive, and academically rigorous environment. Together, we will continue to prepare our Barons not only for high school success but for the opportunities that lie ahead in college, career, and beyond.

As we begin the new school year, I look forward to getting to know our senior Class of 2026 and to reconnecting with our incredible 11th-, 10th-, and 9th-grade students and their families. Together, we will continue to build upon the traditions, spirit, and excellence that define Bonita Vista High School.

It’s a great day to be a Baron!

Let’s go, Barons!

*Alexander Salazar*

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