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## **Sam Blalock Continues as RB High Coach**

This afternoon, Tuesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, Rancho Bernardo High School Principal Paul Robinson, Athletic Director Peggy Brose, and Baseball Coach Sam Blalock met with PUSD Superintendent John Collins regarding the matter of Coach Blalock's release as head baseball coach for RB High School. This was the first opportunity for the group to meet, as all parties were not in town until today.

Superintendent John Collins said, "In our conversation this afternoon, we were able to openly discuss what has transpired over the last few days and to dispel rumors that have circulated. We all agreed that it was unfortunate that we were unable to have this meeting immediately following last Wednesday's announcement."

"At our meeting we confirmed our collective commitment to make the best decision in the interest of our students. As a result of this meeting, I can affirm that Sam Blalock remains the head coach of the Rancho Bernardo High School Baseball program," said Superintendent Collins.

RB High Principal Paul Robinson said, "I apologize to the community for the concern and confusion this has created. I am pleased we finally had a chance to meet on this matter and resolve the issue."

Coach Blalock said, "There were miscommunications and misunderstandings we were able to clarify at today's meeting. I am pleased that I will be continuing as head baseball coach at RB High."