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New Head Football Coach Named for Murray High School

December 20, 2011, Murray, Utah – A new head football coach has been named for the Murray High School team with Mike Richmond announced to fill the position.

“We are excited to name Mike as head football coach for Murray High School. He has worked with youth in our community for many years with great success, and has an impressive background of involvement in football, both as a player and as a coach,” says Dr. David Dunn, Murray High School principal. “We are looking forward to our upcoming season with his leadership of our program, and his continued involvement in our community.”

A graduate of the University of Utah, Richmond comes to the Murray City School District with excellent recommendations from pros at the collegiate and professional level of football, along with strong community support. He was a four-year letterman as a quarterback at the U of U, and has spent many years coaching in various capacities. Having played at a Division I collegiate level, he knows the game and its various strategies at a very high degree, and has a proven ability to share that knowledge on a clear and practical level.

Mike Richmond lives in Murray, and has two children currently enrolled in the Murray School District. He is a successful businessman who finds this a great opportunity to give back to the high school ranks by sharing his knowledge and passion of the game to provide a positive athletic experience for Murray students. Richmond comments that, “I take great pride in not only helping young men become better football players, but also to become better human beings.”

Coach Richmond will begin his coaching duties at Murray High School during this current school year.

Under the direction of the Murray Schools Board of Education, the mission of the Murray City School District is to work in partnership with the community in the education of youth in a changing society. Dr. Steven Hirase is superintendent and chief executive officer of the Murray City School District; Mr. Darrel Pehrson is president of the Murray Board of Education.

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