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Long-time Lancer assistant **Brian Holstrom** took over the top job after **Jerry Zander** moved back to the Seattle area. Holstrom coached Salpointe to his first victory, a 67-50 win over Rincon.

Rincon struggled after **Kevionte Alexander** went down with a sprained ankle near the end of the first quarter, down only 15-10 at the time.

Alexander's 5 points in the quarter stood as the team's leading number until **Asha Esprit** scored his sixth point with 1:55 left in the second quarter. **Michael Bernal** finished with 8 points to lead Rincon with seven players scoring between 4 to 6 points.

Meanwhile, Salpointe was led by **Shawn Soelter** who drained four out of five 3-pointers as part of his game-high 14 points. **Talbott Denny** added 13 and **Cory Carver** and **Cameron Denson** each had 9.

Still, Salpointe could only build a 34-23 lead at the half. Rincon lost the use of **Fred Cox** who fouled out of the game early and **Dylan Hidalgo** who went down with an injury also.

Salpointe's biggest lead was 53-32 with about a minute left in the third quarter but Rincon got within 58-46 with 4:48 left in the game despite being shorthanded but Salpointe went on a 9-4 run to end the game.