

CRAIG KYLE

TITLE: Head Baseball Coach

SCHOOL: Jonathan Alder High School

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BIOGRAPHY:

Craig Kyle is entering his 7th year as being the head baseball coach at Jonathan Alder HS. He has 15 years overall of HS coaching experience, including 9 years of being a head coach. He spent 1 year as an assistant coach at Thomas Worthington HS, 1 year as an assistant coach at Bexley HS, 4 years as an assistant at his alma mater Heath HS, 3 years as the head coach at Grandview Heights HS and the last 6 years as the head coach at Jonathan Alder HS.

His overall career head coaching record is 210-52. During his tenure at Jonathan Alder his teams have compiled a record of 150-31. His teams have won 4 league championships, 5 district championships, 4 regional championships, 2 state runner-up and 1 state championship in 2010 where his team finished 34-0.

Kyle has been named the Mid-State League Coach of the Year, MOAC Coach of the Year, D2 Central District Coach of the Year, Columbus Dispatch Coach of the Year, D2 State Coach of the Year and the ABCA Regional Coach of the Year. In 2010 his Jonathan Alder team that went 34-0 and won the state championship finished ranked #13 in the USA by Max Preps and #17 in the USA by USA Today.

Kyle is a Health and Physical Education teacher in the Jonathan Alder School District and is also an assistant football coach.

A native of Heath, OH, Kyle attended Heath HS where he played for and coached with legendary hall of fame coach Dave Klontz. He graduated from The Ohio State University in 2002.

Kyle and his wife, Michelle have 1 child, Austin and reside in New Albany, OH.