OHIO HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION STATE CLINIC

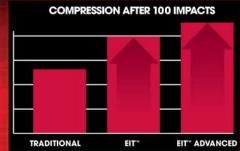




2011

HYATT REGENCY HOTEL - DOWNTOWN COLUMBUS
THURSDAY, JAN 20TH - SATURDAY, JAN 22ND







OHIO HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION

Dear OHSBCA Member, 1/20/11

Welcome to the 2011 **OHSBCA State Coaches Clinic:** "America's Game". The Ohio High School Baseball Coaches Association has become the 2nd largest high school coaches' association in the country. Coaches, national speakers, and vendors from all over the country feel that the Ohio High School Coaches Association Clinic is one of the best in the entire country. One of my favorite quotes comes from one of this year's clinicians; John Cohen from Mississippi St. John speaks all over the country at not only big national conventions, but small ones too. He said, "Looking forward to seeing you at the clinic. You guys are first class and run an incredible clinic." My hope is that you will feel the same after this weekend.

I would also like to take time to welcome you to the Hyatt Regency, "Downtown Columbus", and our home for the next few days. What an outstanding and first-class setting for one of the premiere high school coaches' clinics. Please feel free to let any of the OHSBCA Board members or I know if we can personally help or assist you in any way this weekend while here at the clinic, or throughout the year. We, the board, wish to be the best representation of all our members' coaches and their concerns.

This weekend's lineup consists of great speakers from all over the country. I thank each and everyone of you speakers for agreeing to come speak and promote this great game of baseball. I hope you take the opportunity to listen and gain some insight from these well-respected speakers. The key to any clinic is to pick up on "one thing" that makes the clinic worthwhile. I hope you find that "one thing" this weekend. "America's Game" is a great way for each of us to prepare and get excited about the upcoming season. The following coaches will be presenting this weekend:

Joe Jordano, Pitt
Butch Thompson, Mississippi St.
Larry Sudbrook, St. Bonaventure
John Cohen, Mississippi St.
Greg Beals, Ohio St.
Mike Birkbeck, Kent St.
Paul Hesse, Mt. Union
Grant Trenbeath, Arizona Diamondbacks
Tim Mead, Walsh
Russ Gladish, The Total Athlete
Guy Simmons, Richland College
Bret Butler, Pitt Bradford
Nick Wesihepl, Notre Dame College
Brian McGee, Lake Erie College

I would like to take this time to encourage you to check out our web site. Mike Yinger has done an outstanding job keeping this updated and very useful. The OHSBCA web site is: www.ohsbca.org.



Final two thoughts: I would like to take time to congratulate the Hall of Fame Class of 2011. What a tremendous accomplishment and honor for these first class gentlemen. Finally, special thanks to all of the board members before me that have been in my shoes, just following their example and lead has made this job easy to do. A special thanks to Rich Corvin, Jon Bennett, Dave Barrow, Ray Benjamin and most important, my family for allowing me to do this job.

In Baseball, Jerry Hites, 2011 Clinic Director, OHSBCA 1ST Vice President

OHIO HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION FACT SHEET – 2011

The purpose of the OHSBCA is to unify all baseball coaches in the State of Ohio, to promote high school baseball, to create an official line of communication with the Ohio High School Athletic Association (OHSAA), to foster higher standards of professionalism and ethics, and to maintain a strong contact with the national, state and local coaches organizations of baseball.

Membership: 1,500 coaches annually.

Dues: \$15 per year due by February 15th (payable to Treasurer)

Governing Body: Twenty six member Board of Directors and thirteen member executive board.

OFFICIAL ORGANIZATION FUNCTION/EVENTS:

- A. Annual Convention and Clinic: Held once per year at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Columbus, OH
- **B. Board Meetings:** Four times per year. Includes two meetings at the state clinic, a meeting at the Mizuno All-Ohio Series, and a meeting in October.
- **C.** Newsletters: No longer a paper newsletter all information posted on web site.
- D. OHSBCA Website: at www.ohsbca.org
- **E.** Mizuno All-Ohio Series: Held one week after the state tournament in June. The series honors eighty (80) graduated seniors and twelve member coaches in an 8-game tournament format. The event takes place at Paint Stadium in Chillicothe, Ohio.
- **F.** State Coaches Poll: Teams are rated in each of the four divisions five times each spring. Poll champions are recognized at the state clinic. There are thirty two (32) voting coaches in each division. Registration forms to vote and team discussion can be found on web site.
- **G.** All State Coaches Poll Team: The poll coaches in each division select an all-state team. All grade level of players is elegible. Each division selects an MVP and a Coach-of-the-Year. They are recognized by the wire services and are awarded a plaque at the annual convention.
- **H. Hall of Fame:** The HOF induction is the highlight of the awards banquet at the annual convention. The Board of Directors selects inductees. Nomination forms can be found on web site.
- **I. Scholarships:** All graduating senior students of member coaches with five years of continuing membership are eligible. They are presented during the awards banquet. Form found on web site.
- **J. Academic All-Ohio:** Selected annually and awarded certificates. Certificates are handed out at the following years convention. Forms can be found on web site.
- **K.** Service and Victory Awards: Service awards for coaches begin with the fifteenth year of membership and are awarded every five years thereafter. Victory awards begin at 100 and are awarded for every 100 victories thereafter. Certificates and plaques are awarded at the state convention.
- L. **Team Ohio:** The OHSBCA is a major financial benefactor for Team Ohio. Team Ohio is a team of high school all-stars from Ohio who will compete in the Heartland Classic. The Heartland Classic is an eight-state tournament held each year in Norman, Oklahoma, home of Oklahoma University.
- M. Past Presidents Hall of Fame: All former OHSBCA Presidents and Hall of Fame members are invited back for the Hall of Fame Banquet on Friday afternoon.
- **N. The Consultant** of the OHSBCA regularly attends all meetings of the OHSAA Board of Control in Columbus.
- O. The OHSBCA is sponsored by many corporations and also help sponsor our scholarship winners, Rawlings (official baseball- R100 tournament ball) and the (official uniform and batting helmet of the OHSBCA), Pukka (official cap of the OHSBCA), Mizuno (Sr. All-Star Game Sponsor), Miller Net (official net of the OHSBCA), Hoosier Bat (official fungo of the OHSBCA), Stabilizer/Klawog "dirt" (sponsor), Easton (official bat of the OHSBCA), MASA (official catalog of the OHSBCA), MysportsTeamDonation.com (sponsor)
- **P.** Assistant Coach of the Year Award coaches from each district is recognized as assistant coaches of the year at our state clinic banquet.

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2011 OHSBCA CLINIC AGENDA

HYATT REGENCY HOTEL, COLUMBUS, OHIO - JANUARY 20th - 22nd

	THURSDAY, JA		
12:00-2:00 PM:	Clinic Sessions held in the Regency Ballroom Board of Directors Meeting (Marion)		
2:00-7:30 PM:	Clinic Registration (Regency South Foyer - 3rd Floor of Hyatt)		
2:55-3:00 PM:	Welcome from Jerry Hites, Clinic Director (Regency Ballroom)		
3:00-3:25 PM:	Phillip Krouskop, 2011 Hall of Fame Inductee, "Outdoor Batting Practice Organization" (Regency Ballroom)		
3:30-3:55 PM:	Ken Gray, 2011 Hall of Fame Inductee, "Hitting the 'Mason' Way" (Regency Ballroom)		
4:00-4:25 PM:	Jeff Mielcarek, 2011 Hall of Fame Inductee, "Little Things to Improve Your Program" (Regency Ballroom)		
4:30-4:55 PM:	Jerry Herrick, Easton Bat Rep (Discussion on new bat regulations)		
5:00-10:00 PM:	Trade Show Open: Exhibit Halls (Delaware & Franklin Rooms)		
5:05-6:00PM:	Break-Visit Exhibitors		
6:00-6:45 PM:	Joe Jordano, Pitt "A Comprehensive approach to hitting" (Regency Ballroom)		
6:55-7:40 PM:	Butch Thompson, Mississippi St. "Controlling the Running Game & Throwing to Location" (Regency Ballroom)		
7:50-8:35 PM:	Larry Sudbrook, St. Bonaventure "Game Management and Practice Planning for All Levels" (Regency Ballroom)		
8:45-9:30 PM:	John Cohen, Mississippi St. "Wall Ball" (Regency Ballroom)		
9:40-10:25PM:	Greg Beals, Ohio St. "Hitting Mechanics" (Regency Ballroom)		
10:30-12:30PM	Smoker @ Crowne Plaza Information included at registration		
	FRIDAY, JAN	NUARY 21st	
7:30-10:30 AM	Late Registration (Regency South Foyer - 3rd Floor of Hyatt)		
8:00-8:50 AM:	Jerry Snodgrass, OHSAA, Rules Interpretation Meeting (Regency Ballroom)		
8:00-12:00 PM:	Trade Show Open: Exhibit Halls (Delaware & Franklin)		
9:00-9:45 AM:	John Cohen, Mississippi St. "Hitting Drills" (Regency Ballroom)		
10:00-10:30 AM:	Mini-Clinic (1st Round) Pick one session to attend		
	Mike Birkbeck, Kent St. "Pitching Skills and Drills" (Hayes)		
	Paul Hesse, Mount Union "Catching: The Complete Package" (Union AB)		
	Grant Trenbeath Field Maintenance, "What Every Coach Can Do" Arizona Diamondbacks (Fairfield)		
	Tim Mead, Walsh "How to Prepare an Indoor Practice" (Taft AB)		
10:40-11:10AM:	Mini-Clinic (2nd Round) Pick one session to attend		
11:20-11:50 AM:	DISTRICT MEETINGS/BOARD OF DI	-	
	*Central: McKinley	*Northwest: Union AB *East: Morrow	
	*Northeast: Hayes *Southeast: Knox	*SW (Dayton Area): Fairfield	
	*SW (Cincinnati area): Taft AB	5 W (Dayton Alca). I annote	
11:30-12:00 PM:	Hall of Fame, Past Presidents & Scholarship Recipients Reception (Regency North Foyer)		
12:00-2:15 PM:	Trade Show Closed (During Hall of Fame Banquet)		
12:00-2:15 PM:	2011 HALL OF FAME BANQUET (Regency Ballroom)		
2:15-6:30 PM:	Trade Show Open: (Delaware & Franklin)		
3:00-3:55 PM:	Russ Gladish, Total Athlete "Off Season Workout Drills" (Regency Ballroom)		
4:00-4:55 PM:	Guy Simmons, Richland College "A Mechanical Approach to Developing Control" (Regency Ballroom)		
5:00-5:55 PM:	Bret Butler, Pitt Bradford "Using your Pitcher as an Extra Defender" (Regency Ballroom)		
6:30-7:30 PM:	2010 State Champion Coaches and Coaches of the Year Forum (Fairfield) with open discussions		
7:00-8:00 PM:	Coaches Social (Fairfield)		
	SATURDAY, JA	ANUARY 22 nd	
8:30AM-11:00PM:	Kris Knapp, Ontario H.S Sports Medicine Seminar (Union D & E)		
8:30-10:30 AM:	Trade Show Open - Exhibit Hall (Franklin/Delaware)		
9:00-9:55 AM:	Nick Weishepl, Notre Dame College "How to Prepare for a Showcase" (Union A & B)		
10:00-10:55 AM:	Guy Simmons, Richland College "Hitting the Six Ball Theory" (Union A & B)		

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Brian McGee, Lake Erie College "Outfield Drills" (Union A & B)

Board of Directors Meeting (Marion)

10:00-10:55 AM: 11:00-11:55 PM:

12:15-2:30 PM:



OHSBCA President, Rich Corvin, Gallia Academy

Rich Corvin is currently the President of the Ohio High School Baseball Coaches Association, since January 2010. Rich is the Head Baseball Coach at Gallia Academy High School in Gallipolis where he also teaches Business Education. Coach Corvin has been a high school coach for 11 years. Corvin has been an active member of the OHSBCA for those eleven years and a part of the OHSBCA Board for the last 4 years. He began as a district representative from the Southeast District. During Rich's tenure on the board, his duties have included: (2010) Clinic Director-"Touch'em All", (2009) Exhibit Hall Director.

Coach Corvin is a 1990 graduate of Wellston High School, where he played for OHSBCA Hall of Fame coach Pat Hendershott. He also went on to play college ball at the University of Rio Grande graduating in 1993 and 2001. He also received his Master Degree in Intervention Specialist in 2005.

Rich has been married to his wife, Batina, for the past 14 years and they have two daughters, Tori (10), Courtney (6), and expecting their third child in April. They reside in Gallipolis, Ohio.

Welcome from OHSBCA President, Rich Corvin

Welcome to the 2011 Ohio High School Baseball Coaches Association Clinic. We are extremely proud of the members of our association, as we are currently the second largest state baseball coaches association in the country. Currently, we host the third largest clinic in the nation. Each of us should be very proud and thankful to be a part of such an "outstanding" organization and clinic.

Jerry Hites has done an outstanding job at planning this year's clinic with preparations beginning two years ago. Please show your appreciation to the board members and district representatives for all the hard work that they do throughout the year.

The board would like to remind you to visit the Exhibit Hall and support our sponsors. Rawlings is the official ball, helmet, and uniform of the OHSBCA, Mizuno our Senior All-Star Series sponsor, Pukka the official hat, Miller Net the official net, Hoosier Bat the official fungo, Stabilizer/Klawog the official dirt, Easton the official bat, MASA the official catalog, and MysportsTeamDonation.com.

Lastly, I would like to thank our host, the Hyatt Regency, and their staff. Enjoy your time here this weekend and good luck to you and your teams this spring.

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1956-Dick Boyd, Circleville

1957-Harold Potter, Oregon Clay

1958-Jack Moore, Walnut Ridge

1959-Elmer Houdashelt, Grove City

1960-Ron Disher, Toledo Scott

1961-Neal Nelson, Willoughby South

1962-Paul Bricker, Convoy Crestview

1963,64-Bob Davis, Tecumseh

1965-Dick Hopkins, Grandview

1966-Jerry O'Mori, Toledo Northwood

1967,68-Marion Allen, Logan

1969-Pepper DeMont, Niles McKinley

1970-Dick Hauch, Cincinnati Western Hills

1971-Howard Converse, Cincinnati Princeton

1972-Ed Quattro, East Cleveland Shaw

1973-Dan Brooks, Claymont

1974,75-Mike Burcham, Ironton

1976,77-Jack Johnson, Pickerington

1978,79-Bob Chapman, Fairmont East

1980-Jim Humpal, Lyndhurst Brush

1981-Howard Bozman, Lancster

1982-Hank Miller, Canton McKinley

1983-Joe Gilhousen, Canton Glenoak

1984-Joe Palazzo, Bishop Ready

1985-Mike Heinke, Northmont

1986-Dennis Hegarty, McDermont Northwest

1987-Ray Sharnsky, Gilmour Academy

1988-Tim Miller, Canton South

1989-Jim Stahl, Columbus Academy

1990-Van Peterman, Westerville South

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1995-Jim Dougherty, Hilliard

1996-Bob Neff, Canton McKinley

1997-Tim Saunders, Dublin Coffman

1998-Mike Mohner, Fairport Harding

1999-Scott Manahan, Bishop Watterson

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2000-Steve Little, Jackson

2001-Dan Gorbett, Galion

2002-Rod Lindsey, Warsaw River View

2003-Mike Ryan, Perry High School

2004-Jon Bennett, Granville

2005-David Burkett, Sandy Valley

2006-Jeff Mielcarek, Toledo Central Catholic

2007-Chuck Rinkes, Warsaw River View

2008-Philip Kuhn, Jackson City Schools

2009-Chris Smith, Ontario High School

2010-Rich Corvin, Galis Academy High School

2010-2011 Board of Directors OHIO HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION



Front Row: Chris Smith, Rich Corvin, Jerry Hites, Dave Hall, Frank Gamble, John Bennett, Mike Yinger, Jeff Keck, Middle Row: Scott Manahan, Ray Benjamin, David Barrow, Jeff Mielcarek, Kevin Yoder, Gene Bumgardner, Trevor Thomas, Tim Saunders, Matt Lattig, Back Row: Mark Thompson, Lee Day, Chad Jensen, Steve Norris, Dave Burkett, Not Pictured: Curt Karpinski, Bob Merritt

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The Ohio High School Baseball Coaches Association, with the second-largest membership in the United States, held its **7th annual "1st Pitch Recognition Night"** on July 25th at Huntington Park, home of the Cloumbus Clippers.

Chuck Rinkes, OHSBCA Past President, threw out the ceremonial 1st pitch. Chuck is the HS principal at River View H.S. The OHSBCA would like to congratulate Chuck and appreciate his time and dedication towards the OHSBCA.

Ohio High School Baseball Coaches Association

1st Pitch Recognition Night for 2008 President Phillip Kuhn

Saturday, August 6th vs. Syracuse Chiefs 7:05 PM

Reserved Seats \$7 per youth/senior \$10 per adult

Tickets are limited. Please complete the form below and return it to the Clippers office at the address below. Tickets <u>MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE</u> of game day. Purchased tickets may be left at will call. **ALL SALES ARE FINAL. NO REFUNDS ON UNUSED TICKETS.** If you would like the tickets to be mailed, please allow seven (7) business days. Faxed orders will be accepted. **NO COOLERS**, **CANS OR GLASS BOTTLES ALLOWED**. Please refer to our website for the rain policy.

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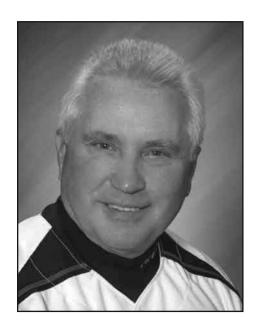
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2011 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE Ken Gray – Mason High School



Ken Gray is a 1966 graduate of Greenhills High School in Greenhills, Ohio. Ken lettered 4 years in baseball and 3 years in football at Greenhills. He graduated from Eastern Kentucky University with a Bachelor of Business Administration in 1970. Ken worked at Railway Express from 1966 to 1972. Mr. Gray decided teaching and coaching were in his blood, and he obtained a teaching certificate from Xavier University. He obtained a master's degree from Miami University in 1981. In 1966, Ken was selected to the WSAI High School Hall of Fame. In 1987, he was selected to Buddy Larosa's High School Hall of Fame. Ken has won numerous coaches' awards and in 1987 was the Cincinnati Post Coach of the Year.

Ken began his teaching and coaching career at Mason High School in 1972. Ken has coached baseball, football, cross country, golf and basketball at Mason. Ken has been the Head Coach of baseball, golf and cross country. Ken became baseball coach at Mason High School in 1975. In his 36 years as coach, the Comets have compiled 707 wins and 296 losses. In addition, they have won 14 conference titles, 16 sectional championships, 7 district titles, 7 regional appearances, and 1 regional championship. The 1987 squad was State Runner-Up.

All of the success Coach Gray and the Comets have enjoyed over the seasons has been attributed to outstanding assistant coaches and players at all levels. Coach Gray has been fortunate to coach with only two groups of assistants at the Varsity level in his 36 year tenure. Coaches Randy and Charlie Andrews served from 1981–2007, and there are the current coaches Curt Bly and Kyle Peters. Coach Gray has also had the privilege to coach outstanding student athletes at Mason with over 250 going on to play at the next level.

Coach Gray retired from teaching at Mason City Schools in 2008 after 36 years. Coach Gray continues to coach at Mason High School. He would like to thank the excellent administrators and athletic department staff he has been fortunate enough to work for at Mason City Schools. He is presently teaching a Senior Internship class at Little Miami High School.

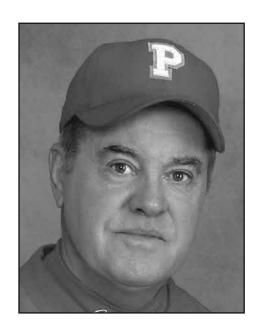
Coach Gray is the proud parent of three children: Brian, a graduate of Union College in Kentucky, Amie, a graduate of the University of Cincinnati and Brent, a graduate of Wright State University. Both of Coach Gray's sons played for him. Coach Gray resides on the Nicklaus Golf Course in Mason, Ohio and is an avid golfer.

PRESENTER FOR KEN GRAY Curt Bly

Curt Bly is currently in his 14th year of education, all in the Mason City School District. In 1997, Curt graduated from Capital University with a degree in english education and professional writing. Curt was also a 4-year starter for the Crusader baseball team. He received his Masters Degree in Curriculum and Instruction from the University of Cincinnati in 2003.

In his 14 years at Mason, Curt spent his first 8 years teaching 8th grade Language Arts. For the past 6 years, he has taught British Literature at Mason High School. In addition to serving on Coach Gray's staff for the last 13 years, Curt also coaches basketball for the Comets, entering this season as the varsity assistant. Curt resides in Mason with his wife Melissa and their 3 children, Brady, Corinne, and Gavin.

2011 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE Phil Krouskop - Perry



Phil Krouskop graduated from Perry High School in 1961. His graduation speaker was the legendary Woody Hayes. Philip attended Bluffton College from 1961-1965 and earned degrees in social work and psychology. He played both football and baseball and was fortunate to be part of two Bluffton College Hall of Fame teams.

He attended graduate school at The University of Pennsylvania from 1965-1966 and earned a Master's Degree in Education. After graduate school, he received a special education degree from Ohio Northern University. Phil began teaching at Perry High School in the fall of 1966. He was an assistant track coach for one year and started coaching baseball in 1968 and continued in that position until the end of 2007. He retired from teaching in 1998. Phil also coached 22 years of basketball at various levels, one year of football and one year of golf.

During his 39 years of coaching baseball, he accumulated 503 wins, 6 league titles, 24 sectional titles, 24 district appearances, 7 district titles, 7

regional appearances, 3 regional finals and 1 state appearance in 1998. During his tenure, he coached 80 first-team players and several all-state players, including 3 Mizuno All-Stars.

PRESENTER FOR PHIL KROUSKOP Dan L. Farler, Sr.

Dan L. Farler, Sr. a 1977 graduate of Perry High School, and a graduate of United Association of Plumbers and Pipefitters of North America. Dan played varsity baseball for Coach Krouskop. Dan has served as Assistant Varsity Baseball Coach at Perry High School for Coach Krouskop. Dan started Varsity Golf at Perry High School in 1997. Dan helped coordinate the youth baseball program and also started the youth basketball program. Also, Dan announced Perry High School football and basketball games.

Dan has been married to his wife Mary for 31 years and they have 3 children, Danny, David, and Shanna Marie. Danny and David are graduates of Perry High School and Ohio Northern University in Ada. Both sons received their Bachelor Degree in Mechanical Engineering and played for Coach Krouskop and Ohio Northern University. Shanna Marie is currently a sophomore at Lima Central Catholic High School, where she participates in volleyball, basketball, and softball.

2011 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE Jeff Mielcarek - Toledo Central Catholic High School



Jeff Mielcarek played high school baseball at Toledo St. Francis de Sales where his coach was OHSBCA Hall of Famer Coach Don Kober. He also coached alongside Coach Kober for three seasons. He earned his Bachelor of Arts in Business Marketing from the University of Toledo in 1985.

Jeff was hired as the varsity baseball coach at Toledo Central Catholic prior to the start of the 1987 season. During his 24 years at Central Catholic, his teams have achieved a record of 363-252 while playing in the Toledo City League while playing an extremely challenging non-league schedule during each season. The 363 wins at Central Catholic rank as the most baseball victories by a coach in school history. His teams advanced to the Regional Championship game twice in 1999 and 2000 and appeared in the District Championship game two other times. His teams have won the Toledo City League Championship two of the past three, seasons including last spring when his son pitched a complete game and was named the Series MVP. He has had 18 players go on to play Division I college baseball, and many others play small college baseball. He has also had two former players selected in the MLB Draft.

Jeff Mielcarek served as President of the OHSBCA in 2006. He joined the Board of Directors in January 2002 as a Northwest District Representative.

In addition to his baseball duties at Central Catholic and OHSBCA, Jeff has served as a Team Ohio coach for the past 13 years, and for the past 4 years he has served as the head coach and coordinator. He was selected to coach in the Mizuno All-Ohio Series in 1995. He has served as the President of the Metro Toledo Coaches Association and was one of three Toledo City League Coaches to establish the Toledo Fall Baseball League 13 years ago. The league started with four teams and just under 100 players and has grown through the years. He also serves as a District representative for ACME Baseball.

Jeff is employed by the Diocese of Toledo as the Director of Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) Athletics. He also officiates high school basketball games where he has worked both boys and girls regional tournament games and a girls state tournament game.

He is proud of what his players have been able to accomplish through the years and grateful for the coaches that he has been fortunate to have alongside of him, including many former players who have returned to help in both the spring and summer seasons.

Jeff and his wife Sally are the proud parents of son Travis (18) who is a freshman baseball player at Siena Heights.

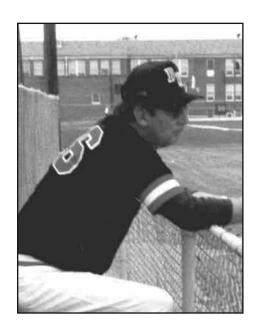
PRESENTER FOR JEFF MIELCAREK Bill Axe

Bill Axe came to Toledo Central Catholic High School in 1978 after five years in three different public school districts: St. Mary's, Minster, and Genoa. He graduated summa cum laude from the EW Scripps School of Journalism at Ohio University in 1973. He received a Master's Degree in Curriculum and Supervision from Wright State University in 1979 and a Specialist's Degree in Education Leadership from the University of Toledo in 1999.

In those 30 plus years, Bill has taught speech, English 9, 10, and 11, journalism, and communication. He was moderator of the yearbook and student newspaper. He has been a head coach in basketball, golf, and baseball and has done administrative work for over 25 years. He became the athletic director in 1986, and Jeff Mielcarek was his first coaching hire at Central Catholic.

Bill is president of the Northwest District Athletic Board, past president of the Ohio Interscholastic Athletic Director's Association (OIAAA), past president of the Wistert Chapter of the National Football Foundation, and vice-president of Arc in Lucas County.

2011 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE Richard Meyer – Buckeye Valley



Richard A. Meyer grew up in Holland, Indiana and graduated from Holland High school. He enrolled at Capital University and completed two years before enlisting in the U.S. Army Air Corp. After three years of service, he returned to Capital and graduated in 1948.

That fall, he began his teaching and coaching career at Radnor High School in Radnor Ohio, coaching baseball and basketball. After fifteen years there, Radnor was consolidated into Buckeye Valley High School, and he assumed the same position until his retirement in 1984, coaching for 36 years.

In his years as a baseball coach, his teams won 18 league championships, 3 district titles and compiled a 542-198 record without a losing season. His basketball teams recorded a 506-229 with 15 league titles and only 1 losing season. He was one of the country's few coaches to compile more than 500 victories in two different sports at the same school.

In addition to outstanding high school baseball records, he also started the summer league at Radnor and the baseball diamond was named for him in 1976. It is still in use for summer leagues. He began the Ashley American Legion Team, winning 20 district championships and 1 state championship.

After coaching high school, he spent 18 years as an assistant baseball coach at Ohio Wesleyan University, before his failing eyesight forced him to end his long, successful career.

His many awards include: National High School Sports Hall of Fame, Buckeye Valley Hall of Fame, Ohio High School Basketball Coached Hall of Fame, Capital University Varsity "C" Merit Award, and the induction into the Ohio Wesleyan Athletic Hall of Fame.

His coaching philosophy was "take what's available and make them winners." His coaching passion was baseball. He was modest and unassuming and was sometimes surprised that he received so much recognition. His favorite professional baseball team was the St Louis Cardinals. A lifelong member of the Lutheran Church, he married Suzanne Penry in 1954, and they had one son, Mark. They never moved from the Radnor area. Richard passed away 4/28/08 and is remembered fondly by many former players and coaches.

PRESENTER FOR RICHARD MEYER Roger Ingles

Roger Ingles begins his sixth year as athletics director at Ohio Wesleyan University. Under Ingles's guidance, Ohio Wesleyan won North Coast Athletic Conference all-sports championships during the 2006-07, 2007-08, and 2008-09 academic years. On a national scale, Ohio Wesleyan has enjoyed similar success, improving its finish in the NACDA Learfield Sports Directors' Cup standings in 4 of Ingles's first 5 years as athletics director.

Ingles served as Ohio Wesleyan's baseball coach for 22 seasons. His teams totaled 15 NCAA Division III postseason appearances and 8 NCAC championships. He posted a career record of 645-322-8, a winning percentage of .666. Ingles's teams won at least 20 games during each of his last 20 seasons.

In addition to serving as Ohio Wesleyan's head baseball coach, Ingles also has been an assistant coach in football and women's basketball, helping both of those teams win their first NCAC championships.

Ingles began his coaching career in 1980 as an assistant at Morral Ridgedale High School in Marion. He became an assistant coach at The Ohio State University in 1982. A native of Columbus, Ingles is a 1980 graduate of Ohio State. He has a bachelor's degree in education and a master's degree in sports management.

OHSBCA Hall of Fame

The OHSBCA Hall of Fame was established in 1972. Since that time, ninety-seven individuals have been so honored. This year, four more inductees will enter the hall. The Hall of Fame induction is held in conjunction with the OHSBCA annual clinic. It is the highlight of the award's luncheon. Induction into the Hall is based on individual's accomplishments on the field, service to the OHSBCA, and ambassadorship towards the game of Baseball in the State of Ohio.

The OHSBCA Hall of Fame is located in the lobby of the St. John's Arena on the campus of The Ohio State University.

Class of 1972

Harold Potter- Oregon Clay (NW) Marty Karow- Ohio State Les Scarr- Barberton (NE)

Class of 1974

Paul Nore-Western Hills (SW) Mark Stewart-Beavercreek (SW) Neal Nelson-Willoughby South (NE) Ed Rennow- Athens (SE) Marion Allen-(SE)

Class of 1975

Bob Davis- Tecumseh (SW)
Dick Hauck- Western Hills (SW)
Jim Murray- Dayton Stebbins (SW)
Joe Bowers- Lima Senior (NW)
Garold Parrot- Deshler (NW)
Lou Brunswick- Coldwater (NW)
Jack Ryan- Bishop Hartley (C)
Bob Addis- Euclid (NE)
Hank Miller- Canton McKinley (NE)
Jim Bittengle- Shadyside (E)

Class of 1976

Ron Brookey-Dayton Meadowdale (SW) Vince Chickerella-Linden Mckinley (C) Dick Shine- Cuyahoga Falls (NE) Augie Bossu- Benedictine (NE) Fred Heinlen- Shaker Hts. (NE) Lou Carson- Portsmouth East (SE)

Class of 1977

Jim Humpal- Lyndhurst Brush (NE) Dick Finn- Ohio State Don Kelly- Rocky River (NE) George Caso- Fairview (NE)

Class of 1980

Fred Brideweiser- Fairless (NE) Bob Wren- Ohio University

Class of 1981

Howard Conserve- Princeton (SW)
Bob Baird- Genoa (NW)
Dave Koblentz- West (C)
Fred Nocera- Whetstone (C)
Bill Sadler- Westerville South (C)
Milo Ratkovich- Akron Kenmore (NE)
John Nese- Steubenville Cath. Central (E)

Class of 1982

George Sosobee- Hudson (NE) Dave Young- Tallmadge (NE) Robert Smith- Riverside (NE)

Class of 1983

Bob Chapman- Fairmont East (SW) Brick Long- Rossford (NW) Roy Bates- Northwestern (NE)

Class of 1984

Luke Izer- Sandy Valley (NE)

Class of 1985

Jim Hardman- Piqua (SW) John Anspach- Cuyahoga Falls (NE) Don Neff- Unioto (SE)

Class of 1986

Dick Prince- Elida (NW) Don Black- Parkway (NW) Mike Burcham- Ironton (SE) Jim Jordan- Marietta (SE)

Class Of 1987

Ray Sumpter- Bryan (NW) Jim Stahl- Columbus Academy (C)

Class of 1988

Frank Cozze- Worthington (C) George Hamric- Hamiliton Township (C)

Class of 1989

Bernie Hovan- Nordonia (NE) Dick England- Lancaster (SE)

OHSBCA Hall of Fame (cont.)

Class of 1990

Don Colussi- Colerain (SW) Jim Shamel- Coshocton (E)

Class of 1991

John Nelson- Fairfield Union (C) Tim Miller- Canton South (NE)

Class of 1992

Richard Kandik- Oregon Clay (NW) Marion Delaney- Maple Heights (NE) Paul Serra- Euclid (NE)

Class of 1993

Mike Cameron- Cincinnati Moeller (SW) Jerry Federele- Cincinnati Elder (SW) Joe Gilhousen- Canton Glen Oak (NE)

Class of 1994

Gary Yeatts- Fairfield (SW) James Gerfen- Ridgedale (C) Joe Neff- Newark (C) Don Thorp- Hebron Lakewood (C)

Class of 1995

Jim Glauer- Crestline (NW) Richard Termeer- OHSAA Richard "Lefty" Hall- St. Clairsville (E)

Class of 1996

Tim Engleka- Centerville (SW)

Class of 1997

Joe Palazzo- Bishop Ready (C) William Schmidt- Ashtabula St. John (NE) Art Massey- Cuyahoga Heights (NE)

Class of 1998

Bob Costello- Vandalia Butler (SW) Frank Gamble- Massilon Perry (NE) Dean Harrah- Jewitt-Scio (E)

Class of 1999

David Ewing- Walnut Ridge (C) Rob Rose- Toledo Whitmer (NW) Ken Selby- Cincinnati Western Hills (SW)

Class of 2000

Don Kober- St. Francis Desales (NW) Fred Meier- Oak Hills (SW)

Class of 2001

Richard Fishbaugh- Otterbein College Mike Mohner- Fairport Harding (NE) Vince Pellegrini- McDonald (NE)

Class of 2002

Dan Bowling- Hamiliton (SW)

Class of 2003

Rich Arbinger- Toledo Start (NW) Bob Brenning- Urbana (SW) Dave Klontz- Heath (C)

Class of 2004

Dan Kern- Miller City (NW) Jim Leininger- Ayersville (NW) Tim Saunders- Dublin Coffman (C) Ray Sharnsky- Gilmour Academy (NE)

Class of 2005

Chris Hardman, Ottawa Hills (NW) Dennis Hegarty, Northwest (SE) Scott Manahan, Bishop Watterson (C) Dennis Woods, Lake Catholic (NE)

Class of 2006

Dan Gorbett, Galion (NW) Doug Miller, Canton Cent. Cath. (NE) Dean Schuler, Valley (SE) Bill Slinger, St. Xavier (SW)

Class of 2007

Fred Heatherington, Steubenville (E) Pat Hendershott, Wellston (SE) Greg Inselmann, Patrick Henry (NW) Bruce Stall, Versailles, (SW)

Class of 2008

Phil Callaghan, Dublin Scioto (C) Rick Gold, Piqua (SW) Curt Karpinski, Elyria (NE) Mike Ryan, Perry (NE)

Class of 2009

Jack Branon, Wheelersburg (SE)
John Dickerson, OHSAA
Robert Haegele, Westerville North (C)
Tom Randall, Kenton Ridge (SW)
John "Spark" Sankal, Eastlake North (NE)
Tom Schreck, Wynford (NW)

Class of 2010

Dave DiDonato – Indian Valley (E) Jim Dougherty – Hilliard Davidson (C) Mike Schumm – Parkway (NW) John Tipton – Portsmouth (SE)

2010 O.H.S.B.C.A. HANK MILLER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Each year the Board of Directors selects several individuals to be awarded our "Hank Miller Memorial Scholarship". An eligible applicant must be a graduating son or daughter of a coach who has been an OHSBCA member for a minimum of five consecutive years. This year 21 worthy students have been awarded a \$1,000 scholarship. Hank Miller, Canton McKinley High School, was inducted into the OHSBCA Hall of Fame in 1975. Hank was a teacher of Industrial Arts and Vocational Carpentry for 39 years. He retired from Canton City Schools in 1989. He coached many sports including tennis, golf, basketball, but football and undoubtedly baseball were his favorites. He was a World War II veteran who served in the Marine Corps. Hank graduated from Canton Township High School (Canton South) in 1942 and earned his college degree from Ohio Northern. His coaching career started at Mogadore High School with coaching stints at Louisville, Canton Lincoln, Canton McKinley, and Glen Oak High Schools. Hank was a lifetime member of the National Education Association. Hank was President of the OHSBCA in 1982. He officiated basketball and served as recreational director for the city of Louisville. Hank is a member of the Greater Canton Amateur Sports Hall of Fame and the Ohio Northern University Athletic Hall of Fame. He was founder of the Hank Miller High School baseball series.



AUSTIN BAUMER, MINSTER HIGH SCHOOL - Austin is the son of Tim and Marge Baumer. During high school, Austin played Football, Basketball, and Baseball. He lettered 3 years in Football and Baseball, 1 year letter winner in Basketball. Austin was All-State Honorable Mention in Baseball as a senior. Austin was an Honor Student and a member of the National Honor Society. Austin is currently attending Xavier University and majoring in Business Finance.



MICHAEL BELL, WESTERVILLE SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL - Mike is the son of Matt and Sue Bell. His father, Matt, is a teacher and Head Baseball Coach at Beechcroft High School. In high school, Mike was a member of the National Honor Society and was a four year Academic Award Recipient. He was the Sports Editor for the student newspaper. Mike played baseball for one year and football for four years. He was a two year starter and earned 2 Varsity letters in football. During his senior year, he was a Captain and earned distinction as an Ohio Capital Conference Scholar Athlete. Mike is also an Eagle Scout. He is currently attending Capital University where he is on the football team. He is majoring in Chemistry-Pre Med.



MAREDETH JULE BIDWELL, FORT FRYE HIGH SCHOOL - Maredeth is the daughter of Sonny Bidwell. While a student at Fort Frye High School, Maredeth was a representative in Student Council for four years. She was the President of FCCLA her senior year. During her senior year, she was also the editor for the school newspaper. Maredeth was active in the school drama for two years and was inducted in the International Thespian Society, and Spanish Honor Society. Maredeth played softball, ran cross country and track while at Fort Frye. Maredeth is currently enrolled at Marietta College pursuing a certificate in Leadership and majoring in Adolescent/Young Adult Education-English concentration area.



KYLE DENNISON, **BUCYRUS HIGH SCHOOL** - Kyle is the son of Jay Dennison. Kyle attended Bucyrus High School where he earned 12 varsity letters. Kyle was a first team all-conference selection in football both as a defensive back and quarterback, second team All-district QB. He threw for a 1000+/rushed for 1000+ senior year. Basketball was a second team all-conference selection. Baseball, was selected first team all-conference, all-district and second team All-Ohio. Kyle is attending Heidelberg University majoring in education. Kyle is also a member of the football team. He was recently was sworn into the Army Reserves and will head off to basic training at the end of March in Missouri. After returning from basic training, he will continue his studies at The Ohio State University.



HANNAH DOUGLAS, NORWALK HIGH SCHOOL- Hannah is the daughter of Wes Douglas. While in high school she was a member of the volleyball team (4 years), student council 2 years, cheerleader 2 years, yearbook committee. She is currently attending Cincinnati University studying Early Childhood Education.



COURTNEY ECHSTENKAMPER, WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL - Courtney is the daughter of Mark and Carrie Echstenkamper. Her father is the head baseball coach at Independence High School. At Wellington High School, Courtney was a four year letter winner in soccer, 1st team All-League/All-County, was the team's Most Valuable Player and served as captain her senior year. She also lettered two years on the softball team and was captain her senior year. Courtney was a member of the National Honor Society, Civil War Club and Students Against Destructive Decisions. She was ranked fourth in her class. Courtney is also a National Champion in Skills USA competition in the field of Basic Health Care. Courtney is a freshman at Malone University where she is majoring in nursing.



KATIE EPP, LEBANON HIGH SCHOOL - Katie is the daughter of Ron and Julie Epp. She attended Lebanon High School. Katie participated in soccer for 4 years while at Lebanon High School. She was a member of the National Honor Society, Art Club, Teen Tutor, Future Business Leaders of America, Spanish Club, Lebanon Student War Zone Club, and the Lebanon Year Book Staff. Katie received the Scholastic "L" Award and the GWOC Scholar Athlete Award. She was also on the Lebanon High School Honor Roll all four years. Katie is currently attending the University of Kentucky pursuing a degree in Marketing. She is also a member of the Pi Beta Phi Sorority.



SAM FONDRIEST, TUSCARAWAS CENTRAL CATHOLIC - Sam Fondriest is the son of Jeff and Chris Fondriest of Dover. A 2010 graduate of Tuscarawas Central Catholic, he served as vice president of his junior class, was sports editor for the school newspaper and was elected as team captain of the Saints football, basketball and baseball teams. He lettered 3 years in basketball and football, and helped the Saints reach the state football playoffs in 2009. In football, Sam was named 1st Team Inter Valley Conference, 1st Team Ohio Region 23, and was an Honorable Mention All Ohioan. Sam was a 4 year letter winner for his father, Jeff, in baseball. As a senior, he led the Saints to the DIV Regional Tournament. Sam was named Inter Valley Conference Player of the Year, Eastern District DIV Player of the Year, and was selected 1st Team All-Ohio. He also played in the Mizuno All Ohio Series. Sam is a Freshman at Walsh University, where he is a member of Coach Tim Mead's Cavalier baseball team. He plans to pursue a career as a special education teacher and baseball coach.



COREY HITES, FAIRPORT HARDING HIGH SCHOOL - Corey attended Fairport Harding High School where he played baseball, golf, and basketball. He was twice named co-MVP of the Chagrin Valley Conference for baseball; 4 time all county for divisions 2,3,and 4; as well as being selected to the Mizuno All-Ohio team and Team Ohio for the Heartland Classic. Corey is currently attending Northwestern Preparatory School and in June of 2011 will be attending the United States Air Force Academy where he plans to major in Political Science. Corey is the son of Jerry and Amy Hites.



KATIE HUESMAN, DUBLIN JEROME HIGH SCHOOL - Katie is the daughter of Chris Huesman, Head Baseball Coach of Dublin Jerome High School in Dublin, Ohio. Chris has been a member of the OHSBCA for the past twenty years. He has served on the Board of Directors for the OHSBCA and been Past-President of the Central District Baseball Coaches Association. Katie graduated from Dublin Jerome High School with Summa Cum Laude honors. She was a member of the National Honor Society. She also received the Dublin School District Employee's Scholarship, University of Dayton Presidential Scholarship, and the Central District Baseball Coaches Association Scholarship. Katie also served as Editor-in-Chief of the school newspaper, The Nerve. Katie was a member of the Volleyball and Softball teams at Dublin Jerome. Katie is currently attending the University of Dayton and majoring in Communications and Journalism.



RILEY THOMAS KILGORE, OAK HILLS HIGH SCHOOL - Riley Kilgore is the son of Tom and Cheryl Kilgore. Riley's father is Tom Kilgore, head baseball coach at Milford High School. Riley is a 2010 graduate from Oak Hills High School. During his tenure, he earned five varsity letters while playing soccer and basketball. As a soccer player, Riley was team captain, was awarded all-league and all-district honors, and was presented the Highlander award and team MVP from the coaching staff. As a basketball player, Riley received the Bob Sears Award. Riley's athletic, academic, and service accomplishments were recognized by coaches and faculty by becoming the recipient of the Archie Griffith Sportsmanship Award during Senior Night. He was also the recipient of the Cincinnatus Scholarship from the University of Cincinnati, J.F. Dulles Scholarship, and the Dick Hauke Scholarship. Riley graduated in the top 7% of his class. He was an active member in National Honor Society and Captains Council. He also mentored and tutored several elementary students in the Oak Hills Local School District. Riley currently is enrolled in the College of Engineering at the University of Cincinnati. He plans to enter a career in Chemical Engineering, and work specifically with Alternative Energy.



JAYNA KUBUSKE, LAKE HIGH SCHOOL - Kayla Marcus, daughter of Jim and Tina Marcus from Bergholz, Ohio. She was a four year letter winner in cheerleading and softball. She was a 3 year letter winner in competition cheerleading. She was involved in Student Council, Beta Club, Spanish Club, Ruriteens Club, Ski Club, and National Honors Society. She was also the Class Treasurer for 2 years, Beta Club Vice President, and National Honors Society Treasurer. In softball was awarded 1st team OVAC, 1st team Eastern District, Scholar Athlete Award, 1st team All Valley, 2nd team All- State, 1st team Buckeye 8. She also made the Eastern District and OVAC All star teams. Her future endeavors are attending Walsh University to continue her softball career and major in Early Childhood Education.



ANDREW J. KUBUSKI, ELYRIA CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL - Andrew is the son of Tom and Marti Kubuski. Andrew is a 2010 graduate of Elyria Catholic High School. Andrew was a 2 year letterman in basketball and a 4 year letterman in baseball while at Elyria Catholic. His baseball honors include: 1st Team All Lorain County-4 years, 1st Team All North Coast League-3 years, 2010 Lorain County Player of the Year Division III, 2nd Team All Ohio Division III-2010. Andrew was selected to play in the Mizuno All Ohio Series, the Northeast Ohio Baseball Coaches All-Star Game at Progressive Field, and the Lorain County Baseball Coaches All-Star Game. He was a volunteer for the Special Olympics in Lorain County for 4 years, Christmas on Campus at Elyria Catholic High School, St. Mary's Food Kitchen and CYO basketball. Andrew is currently a freshman at Bowling Green State University and a member of the Falcon Baseball Team. He is majoring in education and would like to be a teacher and coach.



MORGAN LAUMANN, OAK HILLS HIGH SCHOOL - Morgan is the daughter of Chuck Laumann. While attending Oak Hills High School, she was actively involved in Student Government, National Honor Society, Captain's Council, SALT (Student Athlete Leadership Team), Partners Club, Art Club, School Newspaper (The Tartan), and Cheerleading. Morgan received Honor Roll status, the Academic "O" Award, and attended the Anthony Munoz Leadership Foundation. She also participated in teacher's aide, tutoring, guest speaking at elementary schools, Kenzie's Closet, MS Society, ALS Assocation, and was an instructor at local youth cheer camps. Morgan currently attends the University of Cincinnati where she is majoring in Communications. She is also a cheerleader for the Bearcats Football and Men's Basketball Teams.



TAYLOR LEMLEY, SOUTHERN HIGH SCHOOL - Taylor is the son of Ryan Lemley. He was a 2010 graduate from Southern High School. Taylor played several sports in high school which included football, basketball, baseball and track. He was a member of 2 district championship baseball teams and was a regional qualifier in the shot put in 2010. Taylor also won several awards as a football player. In 2007 he was selected honorable mention all district. In 2008 he was selected 1st team all TVC, 1st team all-district, honorable mention all state and a member of the OVP super 25 football team. In 2009, Taylor was selected 1st team all TVC, 1st team all-district and honorable mention all-state. Taylor is currently a freshman at Marietta College majoring in early childhood education. He is also a defensive lineman on the Marietta College football team. Once he finishes college he hopes to attend graduate school and be a graduate assistant in a football program. Taylor would eventually like to be a teacher and a football coach at the high school level.



ALEXYS LONG, NEWCOMERSTOWN HIGH SCHOOL - Alexys attended Newcomerstown High School. While at Newcomerstown, she participated in many clubs and activities, such as Relay for Life, Student Council, Class Secretary, Leadership Team, National Honor Society-junior and senior year, Prom Committee-junior year, and Mentoring Program. Alexys was elected 2009 Homecoming Queen. Alexys also ran track and was captain for 3 years. She was the Inter-Valley Conference 100 meter champion her sophomore and junior year, the 200 meter champion her junior and senior year. She was also awarded the Newcomerstown Athlete of the Week in September 2009 and May 2010. As a cheerleader, Alexys cheered at Cheerleaders of America Nationals in 2007 and was awarded the leadership award her junior year. She was Cheer Captain for Football and Basketball her senior year. Her future plans are to obtain a registered nursing position at the Ohio State Medical Center in the obstetrical department and then travel the world and volunteer as a missionary nurse. Alexys is the daughter of Kevin and Donna Yoder.



KAYLA MARCUS, EDISON HIGH SCHOOL - Kayla Marcus, daughter of Jim and Tina Marcus from Bergholz, Ohio. She was a four year letter winner in cheerleading and softball at Edison High School. She was also a 3 year letter winner in competition cheerleading. She was involved in Student Council, Beta Club, Spanish Club, Ruriteens Club, Ski Club, and National Honors Society. She was also the Class Treasurer for 2 years, Beta Club Vice President, and National Honors Society Treasurer. In softball was awarded 1st team OVAC, 1st team Eastern District, Scholar Athlete Award, 1st team All Valley, 2nd team All- State, 1st team Buckeye 8. She also made the Eastern District and OVAC All star teams. Her future endeavors are attending Walsh University to continue her softball career and major in Early Childhood Education. Her father Jim is assistant baseball coach at Edison High School.



TRAVIS MIELCAREK, CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL - Travis is the son of Sally & Jeff Mielcarek. His father is the head baseball coach at Toledo Central Catholic. Travis served as a team captain and was named second team All-City and All-District after his senior baseball season while also being named the MVP of the Toledo City League Championship Series. He graduated with a GPA of 4.60 which ranked him 5th in his class of 221. He was a member of the National Honor Society, a Regents Scholar and a member of the school's prestigious Insignis Society. He also participated in soccer and basketball during his freshman and sophomore years. He is currently playing baseball at Siena Heights University where he is majoring in Sports Management and Marketing.



CAMERON O'REILLY, SYLVANIA SOUTHVIEW HIGH SCHOOL - Cameron participated for 4 years varsity baseball, and 2 years varsity basketball. He was selected 1st team all district, 1st team all league, honorable mention all district(basketball), all academic team (basketball). Cameron also was an honor roll student while at Sylvania Southview. He received the Presidential Fitness award. Cameron is currently attending the Ohio State University. Cameron is the son of Mike O'Reilly.

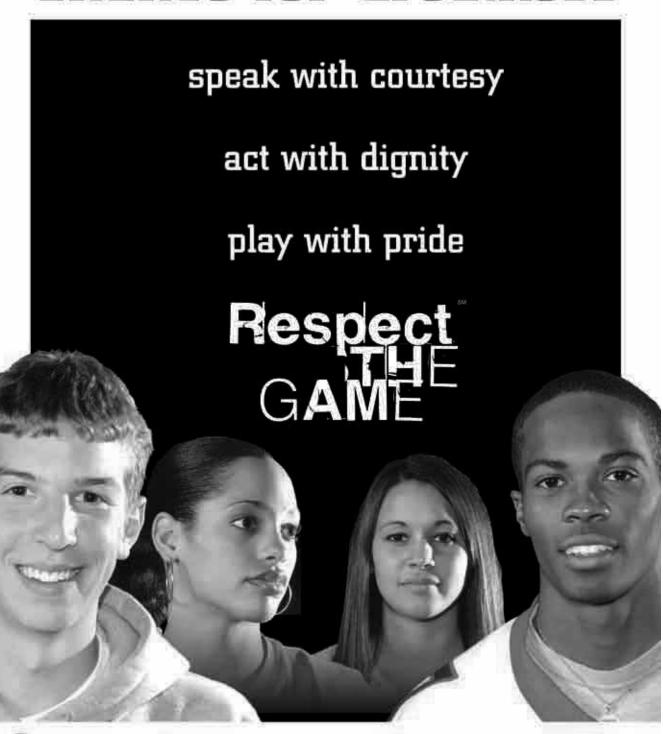


KATIE REISER, ELMWOOD HIGH SCHOOL - Katie is the daughter of Kyle and Kelli. Her father is the Baseball Coach at Elmwood High School. Katie is currently attending Kent State University where she is majoring in Early Childhood Education and minoring in Coaching. She is also a member of the track team at KSU. Her high school accomplishments include four time Suburban Lakes League Champion in the 100 & 200 meter dash and two time league champion in the 400 meter dash. Katie was also the three time Suburban Lakes League Performer of the Year in Track and Field. She is the Elmwood High School record holder in the 100, 200, and 400 meter dashes. Katie qualified for the indoor state meet in 2008, 2009, 2010. In 2010 She won 2nd in the 60 meter dash and 5th in the 200 meter dash. She is also the 60 meter state record holder and was ranked 20th nationally. She qualified for the outdoor state track meet in 2008, 2009, and 2010. In 2010, Katie was State Champion in both the 100 and 200 meter dashes. Katie was also a part of student council for two years at Elmwood.



BRIAN SHARNSKY, GILMOUR ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL- Brian is the son of Ray Sharnsky. In high school, at Gilmour Academy, Brian was a four year letter man in football, and played defensive end and center. Brian was named an All Sun All Star and played in the East vs. West All Star game. He was a three year letter man in baseball and was a pitcher and first baseman, but had to sit out his junior year of baseball due to shoulder surgery. Brian spent his first year of college playing football at John Carroll University. At JCU, he was able to make the Dean's List in both the fall and spring semesters, and received an award for excellent student-athlete achievement. Brian now attends Elon University. He is a double major in Accounting and Finance with a minor in Mathematics. Brian is also in an Honors fraternity called Beta Alpha Psi for Accounting students.

Every Moment is a Chance for Greatness







Ask That You Respect the Game

JOE JORDANO

Head Baseball Coach, University of Pittsburgh Thursday 6:00 PM - "A Comprehensive approach to hitting" (Regency Ballroom)



Seven Post-Season Appearances 2010 Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame 2010 Chuck Tanner Collegiate Manager of the Year 2010 ABCA East Region Coach of the Year 2009 Mercyhurst College Hall of Fame

Excellence. Integrity. Passion.

Three words to describe one of the most successful all-time coaches at Pitt, 14th-year Pitt skipper, Joe Jordano. Hired by Steve Pederson to lead the Panthers on November 15, 1997, Jordano began a rebuilding project that has delivered an unprecedented amount of growth, productivity and success over the past 13 seasons. In 1997, the Panthers, only three years removed from a conference title, were slipping within the ranks of the powerful Big East Conference and were in need of a new direction and vision. Jordano stepped in and engineered an incredible turn-around in just one season as he molded the Panthers into a significant presence over the past 13 seasons. Pitt has won over 350 games, been nationally-ranked, sent numerous players to the professional ranks and established itself as a force in the highly-competitive Big East Conference during his tenure. In 2010, Jordano helped guide the Panthers to arguably the best season in program history, posting a 38-18 record, including an 18-9 mark in Big East play, the most wins ever during the conference season. Pitt had the nation's most dangerous lineup, finishing second in batting average (.363)

and fifth in runs scored (9.5 per game) en route to shattering five team records and tying another. Each player in the starting lineup hit at least .320 while three batted over .400, the first time ever in Pitt history. The Panthers also earned their highest ranking (19th) by Collegiate Baseball and broke into the Baseball America rankings for the first time ever (24th) during the course of the year. Jordano was recognized for his team's success by being named as the inaugural Chuck Tanner Collegiate Manager of the Year. The accolades continued to pile on following the season as the Panthers had seven players receive All-Big East honors, including four All-Big East First Team members, both program bests. Three players were drafted, including junior third baseman Joe Leonard who was Pitt's highest draft pick in 25 years after he was selected in the third round by the Atlanta Braves. Leonard, named the 2010 Big East Player of the Year, earned All-America honors Louisville Slugger, Ping! Baseball and ABCA/Rawlings and was also named the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association District 1 Player of the Year. Jordano also earned his seventh-career coach of the year accolade after he was named the 2010 American Baseball Coaches Association East Region Coach of the Year. That was not the only honor for Jordano in 2010 as he was also inducted to the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame - Erie Metro Chapter on June 22. "Last season was very special," commented Jordano. "Not only our on-field accomplishments, but the unwavering commitment our team showed every day. Our level of expectation has been raised. This group has set a standard that we all look forward to reaching in the future and we are very excited to get started." Of course there is great excitement as we prepare to enter a new chapter of Pitt Baseball with the opening of the Petersen Sports Complex which includes a state-of-the-art baseball stadium. "The benefits of the new ballpark are already paying dividends. Our program signed one of its most heralded recruiting classes this past fall. These individuals will be a part of the exciting new venue with the first pitch scheduled for Opening Day 2011. We simply cannot wait." There have been many highlights over the past 13 years including a trip to the Big East Championship game in 2005. From 2002-2005, Jordano put together the best four-year winning stretch in the program's 97-year history, capturing a total of 143 wins, including 36, 36, 38 and 33 during the stretch. The 38 wins in 2004 and 2010 tied for the second-most victories in a single season. The 2004 season also saw the Panthers make a return visit to the Big East Championship in Somerset, N.J. The accolades were numerous. In addition to Jordano being named Big East Coach of the Year, P.J. Hiser was named Player of The Year, Nick Evangelista was named Co-Pitcher of the Year and Negrych was named Rookie of the Year. Both Hiser and Negrych garnered All-America honors. The Big East also named Ben Copeland, Tom Cashman and Bryan Spamer to the All-Conference squad. Over the course of Jordano's career, over 50 players have played professional baseball, in addition to 10 All-Americans and countless All-Conference and All-Region selections. Jordano's overall record of 649-428-2 (.602) ranks him among the top 50 active Division-I coaches, Jordano has earned the respect of some of the top collegiate coaches in the country. LSU Tigers Head Coach Paul Maineri states, "Joe Jordano is without a doubt one of the finest college baseball coaches in the country and a man I admire very much. He has done a remarkable job with the program at the University of Pittsburgh. While I was coaching at Notre Dame and in the Big East, I always enjoyed the competition with the Panthers because we knew Pitt would always be well prepared, play hard, and play with a great deal of enthusiasm. I always attributed this to the way Joe handled his team and the competitive fire that he possesses. It seemed his teams always took on his personality, as they played the game with a lot of confidence and had a lot of fun. We had some tough losses to Pitt through the years; however, every time we lost to them I walked away from the game feeling that Pitt deserved to win because they outplayed us." One of the top college programs in the country today is Vanderbilt University. Its head coach Tim Corbin is also a Jordano fan. "Very seldom do you come across a coach on the other side of the field that you truly respect, admire and like....Joe Jordano is that coach. He is a coach that can relate well with young people and get the very most out of them - that has been very apparent at Pittsburgh. Although he is a friend, I consider him one of the best baseball coaches in the country." "I am proud of what we have accomplished. However, our work is not nearly finished. My staff, players and I look forward to taking this program to the next level and continuing the building of a great baseball program that will be in place for a long time," Jordano states. That trend of rebuilding has been a trait of Jordano in his coaching career. His first position was at Mercyhurst College in Erie, Pa. The NCAA Division II School did not have a strong baseball tradition and Jordano inherited a team that had won only nine games the previous season. However, the success began immediately for Jordano and did not stop for 10 consecutive seasons. During his 10-year reign on the Hill, Jordano's numbers speak for themselves: 283 wins against only 118 losses; six post-season appearances; two conference championships in his two years in the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference; 30 All-Region players; four All-Americans; and several players in professional baseball. Upon leaving Mercyhurst, Coach Jordano was the winningest coach in Mercyhurst College history and was ranked sixth all-time active winningest coaches in the D-II baseball history at the time of his departure. On May 17, 2009, Jordano was inducted into the Mercyhurst College Hall of Fame.

Jordano was also named the GLIAC Coach of the Year twice and was the Louisville Slugger NCAA DII Independent Coach of the year in 1995. In his last four years at Mercyhurst, Jordano's teams finished with a gaudy 128-31 record with four consecutive NCAA regional appearances. During his stay, Jordano also served on the NCAA DII National Baseball Committee and served as a chairman of the North Central Baseball Region. While at the University of Pittsburgh, Jordano has served on the NCAA Regional Advisory Committee as well as President of the Big East Coaches group for four years, 2000-04. This past year, Jordano was elected again to serve as President of the Big East Coaches group and currently is Chair of the American Baseball Coaches Association College Playing Rules Committee. Jordano has been honored by groups over the past several years for his contributions to baseball. In 2003, he was named "Baseball Man of the Year" in Erie, Pa. - his hometown, for "appreciation for his lifetime support and devotion to baseball on the local and collegiate levels." Following the 2004 season and the Big East Coach of the Year award, Jordano was recognized by the Team Pittsburgh Group of Erie and was also awarded an Honorary Lifetime membership to the San Francisco Bay Area Pitt Club. Academically, Jordano has been extremely successful graduating his players. Since 1998, 94 percent of his players who have completed their eligibility have earned a University of Pittsburgh Degree. The Panthers have garnered 36 All Big East Academic Awards as well as the Most Improved Team GPA in 2008. Jordano emphasizes this importance from the outset. "Our commitment to Academic Excellence occurs in the first few minutes of meeting with a prospective baseball player. The nucleus of what we do is to educate. Along with the World-Class degree from the University of Pittsburgh, our players have the opportunity to participate in one of the best, most productive baseball programs in the East." The future is bright for the Panthers under Jordano's leadership. "I very much look forward to being a part of this program for quite some time. I have a deep passion for the University and its leadership. Chancellor Nordenberg and Mr. Pedersen have given our entire athletic program an opportunity to be the best we can possibly be, both in the competitive arena as well as in the classroom. This is a special place." Jordano received his bachelor's degree from Westminster College, where he was a stellar four-year letter-winner and All-District performer in baseball for the Titans. He also obtained his master's degree in athletic administration from Slippery Rock University. Jordano resides in Cranberry Township with his wife, Michell, and sons Matthew (12) and Joseph (11), daughter Sophia (3) and his faithful golden retriever, Babe.

A Comprehensive Approach to Hitting Joe Jordano, Head Baseball Coach, University of Pittsburgh Thursday 6:00 PM (Regency Ballroom)

- General Philosophy
- Mechanics
- The Big Three
 - 1. Ahead in the Count Approach
 - 2. Two-Strike Approach
 - 3. Situational Approach
- Tying it all together
- The Goal
- Execution

"Most people miss the great part mental outlook plays in this game."

Billy Martin

BUTCH THOMPSON

Assistant Baseball Coach, Mississippi St. University

Thursday 6:55 PM - "Controlling the Running Game & Throwing to Location" (Regency Ballroom)



Butch Thompson, a native of Amory, Miss., is in his second year on coach John Cohen's Mississippi State baseball coaching staff.

Thompson, in his ninth season of coaching in the Southeastern Conference, coaches Mississippi State pitchers and works closely with recruiting. He joined the MSU coaching staff in June 2008 after having coached the previous three seasons at Auburn.

One of his first pitching pupils at Mississippi State, rookie left-hander Nick Routt, earned freshman All-American and SEC All-Freshman honors after leading the 2009 Bulldog pitching staff in wins, strikeouts and innings pitched. The 18-year coaching veteran is regarded as one of the nation's top pitching instructors. He has a strong familiarity with baseball in the state of Mississippi.

Thompson prepped at Amory (Miss.) High School and later starred as a pitcher at ICC for coach Roy Cresap in 1989 and 1990.

He continued his baseball career the next two seasons at NAIA power Birmingham-Southern, where he helped lead the Panthers, coached by for-mer Mississippi State assistant Brian

Shoop, to back-to-back Southern States Conference championships. Daron Schoenrock, who would later serve as an assistant coach at State, coached the pitchers on Shoop's BSC staff.

It would be the first of Thompson's three career affiliations with Shoop and the Panthers baseball program in Birmingham. He launched his coach-ing career as pitching coach and top assistant to Scot Patterson at Huntingdon College in Montgomery, Ala., then returned to his alma mater, where as an assistant coach he was reunited on the BSC staff with Shoop and Schoenrock from 1994 to 1996. During that span the Panthers won a pair of con-ference crowns and in 1995 advanced to its first NAIA World Series berth.

Thompson left BSC briefly to serve as head baseball coach at Jefferson State Community College in Birmingham in 1997. While at JSCC he was honored as the Regional Tournament Coach of the Year, the ABCA Alabama Junior College Coach of the Year and the Southeast Region Coach of the Year after guiding JSCC to a 39-21 mark, the AJCAA Region 22 State Championship and a third-place finish in the NJCAA Division II World Series.

He returned to Birmingham-Southern as Shoop's top assistant the following season, beginning a four-year run during the most successful span in BSC baseball history. The Panthers won 196 games and four TranSouth Conference championships and made three consecutive appearances in the NAIA World Series. BSC's 2001 team posted a school-best 55-11 mark and captured the NAIA National Championship.

In 2002 Thompson joined the Southeastern Conference baseball coaching family, beginning a four-year term as pitching coach and recruiting coordinator at the University of Georgia under head coach David Perno. Georgia's 2003 recruiting class was ranked 10th nationally and UGA won the 2004 SEC title and advanced to the NCAA College World Series. He continued his SEC affiliation at Auburn following the 2005 season, serving as pitching coach and recruiting coordinator on the staff of Tom Slater. Each of his three recruiting classes at Auburn was ranked among the nation's top 18, including a No. 5 national ranking in 2007.

In eight seasons as a pitching coach in the SEC (since 2001), Thompson has coached 21 pitchers that have been selected in the Major League Baseball draft.

Thompson, honored as the 2006 Fellowship of Christian Athletes SEC Coach of the Year, has shared his expertise as a featured speaker at numerous baseball coaching clinics throughout the Southeast.

He earned a bachelor's degree in history at BSC in 1992 and completed a master's degree in sports administration at UAB in 1996. He is married to the former Robin Ashe of Birmingham, Ala., and they are the parents of three daughters --- Anna, 11, Olivia, 9, and Madelyn Gail, 5

Coaching Career

- 1993: Assistant Coach, Huntingdon [AL] College
- 1994-96: Assistant Coach, Birmingham-Southern
- 1997: Head Coach, Jefferson [AL] State
- 1998-2001: Assistant Coach, Birmingham-Southern
- 2002-05: Assistant Coach, University of Georgia
- 2006-08: Assistant Coach, Auburn University
- 2009-present: Assistant Coach, Mississippi State University

WHAT DOES COMMAND DO FOR A PITCHER?

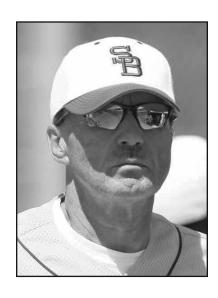
Controlling the Running Game & Throwing to Location Butch Thompson Assistant Baseball Coach, Mississippi St. University Thursday 6:55 (Regency Ballroom)

- Health (20 pitches per inning) (last year our freshmen averaged 24.9 pitches per inning) (creates efficiency without begging for it)
- Confidence (comes from skill acquisition skills to develop command)(focus stats)
- Fewer Coaches (keeps things simple)
- Allows you to PLAY (others have confidence in you skill gets you here, command creates opportunities)
- o The Count is everything (mlb, our ahead behind and early) (puppet or puppeteer) (focus statistics first pitch strikes, 3 ball counts, whip, ahead-behind-early)(come up with your own)
- o Defensive engagement (want you on the field)
- Softens contact (hard, soft, swing and miss. Once command is achieved that's the green light goal)
- Allows you to throw a BALL (or a pitch out, expansion)
- o It makes the plate larger (smaller misses gets more calls and swings)
- Reduces Big Innings (87% of big innings involve a walk, hbp or error)(big inning defined as 3 or more runs)
- Focus on the situation (instead of mechanics hitter what's important now)

LARRY SUDBROOK

Head Baseball Coach, St. Bonaventure University

Thursday 7:50 PM - "Game Management and Practice Planning for All Levels" (Regency Ballroom)



OVERALL RECORD: 546-551-7 (26th Season) HIGHLIGHTED ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 2000 & 2006 Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year
- 2004 Atlantic 10 Champions
- 2004 NCAA Tournament berth
- 33 A-10 Academic All-Conference Selections
- 29 A-10 All-Conference Selections
- 17 Seasons of 20+ Wins

A-10 RECORD: 236-272

- 14 Professional Players
- 12 Winning Seasons
- 10 MLB Draft Picks
- 8 A-10 Championship appearances
- 2 A-10 East Division titles

A blend of talent, experience and a blue-collar work ethic makes LARRY SUDBROOK one of the most successful and respected head coaches in the Atlantic 10 Conference.

Sudbrook's main goals each year for his program remain unchanged: provide his student-athletes with the best possible experience and field teams that challenge for the Atlantic 10 championship. Over his 25 seasons at St. Bonaventure, Sudbrook has built a program which consistently meets those goals.

A two-time A-10 Coach of the Year recipient, Sudbrook has accumulated 546 wins over his illustrious coaching career, making him far and away St. Bonaventure's all-time winningest coach. Win No. 500 was extra special for Sudbrook, as his youngest son Cory picked up the save in the Bonnies 4-2 win over La Salle on May 5, 2008.

Overall, Sudbrook has led the Bonnies to 17 winning seasons, eight berths in the Atlantic 10 Tournament, two Atlantic 10 East division championships and an A-10 Tournament title in 2004. St. Bonaventure finished third or better in the East in eight of

the 10 years in which the A-10 played with two divisions and the Bonnies are just one of three teams in the conference to advance to the postseason tournament in at least four of the last seven years.

The start of the 2010 season marked an end of a decade in which the Bonnies were one of the conference's premiere teams under Sudbrook. St. Bonaventure accumulated 264 wins over the 10-year span, including 10 consecutive years of 20 or more wins and eight winning seasons. The program's seven winning seasons in A-10 regular season play were the second-most in the league, while their six A-10 postseason appearances ranked third among the conference's 14 teams.

From 2006-08, Sudbrook guided St. Bonaventure to three-year program records of 83 wins and 47 Atlantic 10 victories. The Brown and White advanced to the A-10 Tournament in each of those three seasons, making them one of just three A-10 teams to accomplish the feat.

In 2006 and 2007, senior Brian Pellegrini became only the second player in conference history to capture consecutive Atlantic 10 Player of the Year honors. Over his career, Pellegrini set four program single-season records and six career records. Thanks to his development during his four years under Sudbrook, the Willoughby, Ohio native became the first All-American in program history and was selected in the 12th Round of the Major League Baseball Draft by the Houston Astros.

Sudbrook's remarkable run of achievements continued in the 2006 campaign. After he led the Bonnies to a school record 18 Atlantic 10 wins (18-8) and a second place finish in the first year of the 14-team conference, Sudbrook was voted the Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year by his peers. The Bonnies finished 29-21 overall and were runners-up in the A-10 Tournament. The year was not without adversity, though, as Sudbrook's club had to overcome the loss of two of its top starting pitchers, Brian Pellegrini and Mike Proctor. Pellegrini, however, was able to play in the field and put together another amazing season that was capped by A-10 Player of the Year honors. Pellegrini, Joe Rizzo, Matt Agostinelli and John Zinnicker were all named to the All-Conference team while John Zinnicker was later drafted by the Toronto Blue Jays.

The 2004 season was the most successful year in school history. Sudbrook guided a young Bona club to the school's first Atlantic 10 Championship and first NCAA Tournament berth. Seeded fourth out of six teams in the A-10 Championship, the Bonnies rattled off four consecutive victories, including a pair over top-seeded Rhode Island. The finale was a 3-2 decision over Rhode Island in the championship game. St. Bonaventure went on to play No. 3 Miami to a hard-fought 6-3 decision on the Hurricanes' home field in the NCAA Regionals. Even while playing as many as four freshmen in the starting lineup, the Bonnies finished 29-22 overall and 14-7 clip in the A-10. Among the players Sudbrook helped develop were All-Conference shortstop Eric Wilson, who graduated in 2004, and outfielder/pitcher Brian Pellegrini, who was named a Louisville Slugger Freshman All-American by Collegiate Baseball, as well as a second team All-Conference choice.

In 2002, Sudbrook guided St. Bonaventure to the A-10 East crown and a school record 30 overall wins and a then-record 16 conference victories. Three of his players, outfielder Mike Rapacioli, pitcher Kyle Johnson and infielder Mike Sedor, were named to the All-Conference team.

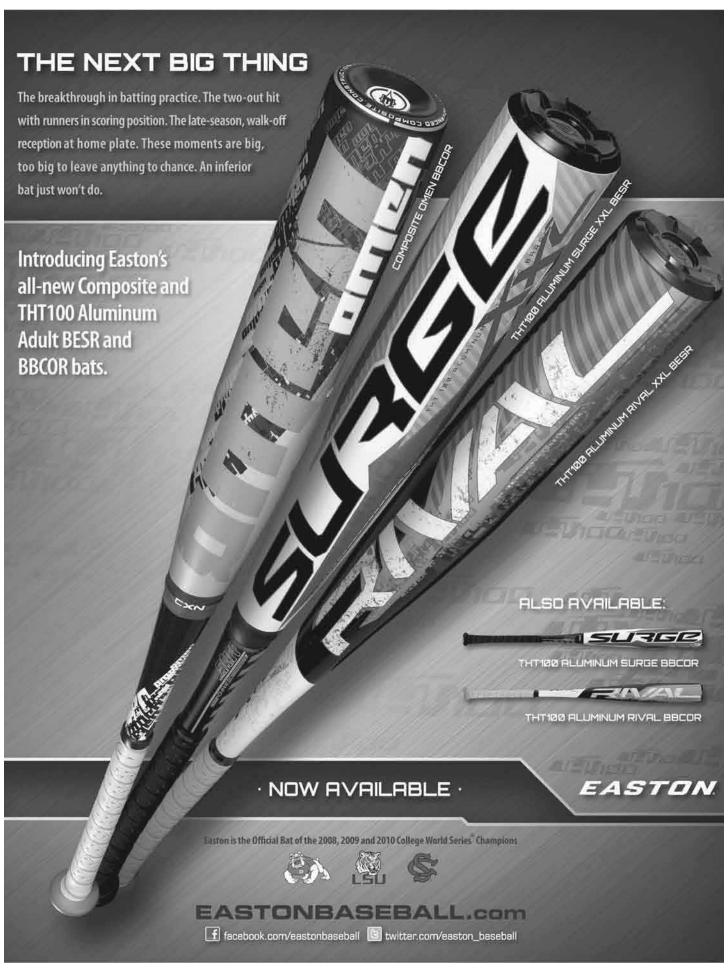
Sudbrook was named Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year in 2000 after leading the Bonnies to their first A-10 East Division Championship and 13 conference wins. The Bonnies also qualified for the A-10 Tournament in 1994 and 1995.

Individual player development has also been a staple in Sudbrook's coaching resume. Over his 25 seasons as skipper, 14 St. Bona players have moved on to the professional level, including nine players that were selected in the MLB Draft. Most recently was shortstop Jesse Bosnik, who the Los Angeles Dodgers drafted in the 13th round in June. Sudbrook has developed 29 All-Conference players, three Freshman All-Americans, two NCAA statistical champions, two A-10 Player of the Years, an A-10 Pitcher of the Year and 19 A-10 statistical leaders.

Sudbrook's players also achieve off the field, as the Brown and White have placed a student-athlete on the A-10 Academic All-Conference team in 20 of the 26 years of the teams existence for a total of 33. In 2008, senior Randy Moley became just the second player in A-10 history to win the conference Student-Athlete of the Year award in back-to-back seasons ('07 & '08). Moley was also a three-time *ESPN The Magazine* All-District honoree and in 2008 culminated things by making the Academic All-America first team. In 2000, junior shortstop Mark Evers and senior outfielder Jason Milleisen were named GTE/CoSIDA Academic All-Americans – the first in program history. Shortstop Eric Wilson was named to the Academic All-District team in 2002, 2003 and 2004.

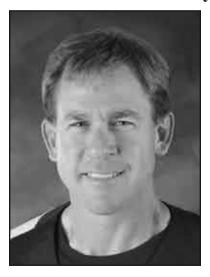
Prior to coming to St. Bonaventure, Sudbrook guided Fairport (Ohio) High School to four sectional titles in five seasons. As a player, he was a two-year letterman at Lakeland (Ohio) Community College before graduating from Kent State University.

Sudbrook and his wife, Beverly, have two sons, Shane and Cory. Shane was a four-year letter-winner at St. Bonaventure and followed his father's footsteps as an assistant coach for three seasons. Cory completed his fourth season in a Bonnies' uniform this past year and now joins his father on the bench as an assistant coach.



JOHN COHEN

Head Baseball Coach, Mississippi St. University Thursday 8:45 PM "Wall Ball" (Regency Ballroom) Friday 9:00 AM "Hitting Drills" (Regency Ballroom)



John Cohen, regarded by many as one of college baseball's top offensive tacticians, is in his second year as head baseball coach at Mississippi State University. He was introduced as MSU's 16th head baseball June 7, 2008, exactly 18 years to the day after leaving Omaha, Neb., and the 1990 NCAA College World Series following his final game as a Mississippi State player.

Cohen's return to Starkville, Miss., and Dudy Noble Field in 2009 completed a success-filled and fast-paced circle that began when the Tusca-loosa, Ala., native first joined the Baseball Bulldog family as a player in 1987.

He returned to Mississippi State seasoned with 17 years of collegiate coaching experience, nine years as a collegiate head coach, the previous five as head coach at Southeastern Conference Eastern Division rival Kentucky.

The Bulldog skipper, an All-Southeastern Conference outfielder during his playing career at Mississippi State, sports a 346-226-1 coaching mark (.605) entering his 11th season as a collegiate head coach in 2010.

In his previous coaching assignments at Missouri (1992-97), Northwestern (La.) State (1998-2001), Florida (2002-03) and Kentucky (2004-08), Cohen has been associated with teams that piled up 555 wins and earned five NCAA postseason advancements.

His prowess as one of the nation's top young hitting instructors has mounted with each step along the way in his coaching career. But It took on national proportions in 2006 when, in his third season at Kentucky, he guided the Wildcats to a remarkable worst-to-first finish in the rugged South-eastern Conference.

Continuing a trademark that has grown during his coaching career, Cohen is a highly sought-after featured speaker and clinician. He has criss-crossed the nation sharing his expertise at baseball clinics in 30 states, most recently at the annual 2010 American Baseball Coaches Association Convention held this January in Dallas, Tex.

And since arriving at Mississippi State, Cohen has maintained a full schedule of speaking engagements at alumni gatherings, civic organization meetings and at baseball banquets on a variety of levels throughout the Magnolia State and beyond. Cohen, 43, is married to the former Nelle Bashinsky, also from Tuscaloosa, Ala., and they have two daughters - Jordan Baker and Avery Lawson.

Wall Ball

John Cohen, Head Baseball Coach, Mississippi St. University Thursday 8:45 PM (Regency Ballroom)

- 1. It's Always Been There
 - a. "A Winner..."
 - b. Philosophy Versus Precision
- 2. Infield Economics
- 3. Pitching Practicality
- 4. Outfield Ingenuity

- 5. Catching Common Sense
- 6. Equipment
- 7. General Thoughts

Hitting Drills

John Cohen, Head Baseball Coach, Mississippi St. University Friday 9:00 AM (Regency Ballroom)

Finding Your Best Swing- 40 Drills in 50 Minutes

I. General Concepts of Drill Work

- A. Freedom of the Stride Foot
- B. When the Stride Foot Lands
- C. Shaft to Shoulder Position
- D. Throwing Energy in a Straight Line
- E. Focusing on the Middle of the Field

II. Warm up Drills

- A. Medi Ball
- B. Weighted Bat
- C. Fungo Throw
- D. Fungo Drill

III. Tee Drills

- A. General Thoughts
 - 1. Allows hitter to work alone
 - 2. Allows hitter to work in a restricted area
 - 3. Allows hitter to isolate certain parts of swing
 - 4. It can be fun
- B. Long tee middle out in up down
- C. Trigger Drills
 - 1. Lead Leg Lift
 - 2. Toe Touch Drill
 - 3. Vladdy
- D. Happy Gilmore
- E. Slash Tee
- F. Flex Knee and Elbows
- G Inside Outside Drill (w/lead leg lift, toe touch, vladdy)
- H. Back Heel off ground
- I. Helmet Drill
- J. Towel Tee Drill
- K. Double Tee
- L. Down hill
- M. Up hill
- N. Multiple Bat
- O. Blind Tee
- P. Veloci-Tee (Lead Leg, Toe Touch, Vladdy)

IV. Side Toss (Board Only)

- A. Middle, opposite, pull, up, down
- B. Down Hill
- C. Up Hill

V. Front Toss Drills

- A. Middle, opposite, pull
- B. Inside Out
- C. Bounce
- D. Alternative w/bounce
- E. Lead Eye Cover

GREG BEALS

Head Baseball Coach, The Ohio State University Thursday 9:40 PM "Hitting Mechanics" (Regency Ballroom)



COLUMBUS, Ohio – Somewhat stunned and speechless for a few moments: that was the reaction of the search committee with a charge of recommending a new baseball coach at The Ohio State University after Greg Beals introduced himself to the group. He spoke of families, including his personal family, his Athletics Department family and the family of young men he has developed as the head coach at Ball State University. He also spoke of his career in the sport as a player and coach, and his strong desire - no, make that passion - to be the next baseball coach of the oldest sport at Ohio State. The committee of Ohio State administrators plus senior baseball players Tyler Engle and Dean Wolosiansky then proceeded to learn much more about this Springfield, Ohio native who has bachelor's (1995; human movement studies) and master's (1999; sports administration) degrees from Kent State University. And it not only liked what it heard from Beals, but it liked the sincerity of his delivery, his enthusiasm for engaging various audiences – the surrounding community, alumni, the University as a whole and potential recruits – and his goal of taking Ohio State back to the College World Series. Beals, head coach the past eight years at Ball State and who led the school to three MAC West Division titles and the first MAC Tournament crown in school history, was named today to lead the Ohio State baseball program. He becomes

just the third head baseball coach at Ohio State in the last 48 years and the 11th in 127 years of baseball at one of the nation's most comprehensive universities.

"I can not tell you how excited I am about this opportunity," Beals said. "I look forward to donning the Ohio State Block 'O' cap and representing The Ohio State University. I have surrounded myself with great people – administrators, coaches and student-athletes – that I will be forever grateful to. Now I join an Athletics Department that embraces the motto 'You Win with People." Ohio State Associate Athletics Director Chris Schneider, the sport administrator for the program, announced the hiring. "Coach Beals has all the attributes we were looking for in a head coach," Schneider said. "He has achieved success as a head coach, he is a proven recruiter, he is a developer of talent and he is extremely passionate about developing student-athletes in all aspects of their lives. "Plus, head coach at Ohio State was a dream position for him and his deeds supported that fact: he accepted the position on the spot when we offered it Wednesday evening. He did not need to give it any more thought."

Beals, named "best game coach" in the MAC in 2009 by Collegebaseballinsider.com, led Ball State to a 243-202 record in his eight seasons as coach with three seasons of 36-or-more victories. After setting the school record for a first-year coach with 36 wins in 2003, Beals led the Cardinals to consecutive 38-win seasons, including an NCAA Regional appearance in 2006 – Ball State's first NCAA Regional since 1969 – in addition to MAC West Division crowns in 2003, 2005 and 2009. His 2006 team knocked off top-seed Kentucky in the NCAA Lexington Regional for, perhaps, the school's greatest victory on the diamond. His teams were 2-2 vs. Ohio State. His abilities as a recruiter – in terms of finding and then developing talent – have yielded most impressive results. He has watched 21 of his Ball State players get selected in the Major League Baseball First Year Player Draft, including four players in 2006 and three players in both 2009 and 2010.

Beals has been a collegiate coach for 17 years. Prior to his position at Ball State, he was an assistant coach for nine seasons at his alma mater, Kent State. He was a part of three Golden Flash teams to make an NCAA Regional – 1994, 2001 and 2002 – and three that won MAC championships. He also worked with 21 players who would sign professional contracts and 17 who would be named to the MAC all-academic team.

Beals, who spent three seasons in the New York Mets' farm system after his playing career at Kent State, attended Kenton Ridge High School in Springfield, Ohio, where he played baseball under Coach Tom Randall, a member of the Ohio High School Baseball Coaches' Association Hall of Fame.

Beals and his wife Kathy, a four-year basketball letterwinner at Kent State, have three daughters: Kayla, Amber and Morgan. "Kathy, the girls and I look forward to getting entrenched in the University and the Columbus community," Beals said.

Hitting Mechanics

Greg Beals, Head Baseball Coach, The Ohio State University Thursday 9:40 PM (Regency Ballroom)

Hitting - Maximizing Contact

Philosophy: Video, Playing, Coaching, Listening M

Balance (head discipline)

Barrell Control Connection Extension

Dynamics: Back Spin

Principles:

Torque

Inside the Ball

Mechanics: Grip

Plate Coverage

Stance

Launch Position

Stride Bat Path

Point of Contact Follow Through

Drills: Tees

Front-toss Progression Front-toss (bounce)

One-hand Short Bat Fungos Game Plans



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MIKE BIRKBECK

Associate Head Coach/Pitching Coach, Kent State University Friday 10:00-10:30 AM "Pitching Skills and Drills" (Hayes)



Mike Birkbeck, a former major league pitcher was promoted to Associate Head in July, 2004 and is entering his 15th season as the Kent State University Golden Flash pitching coach.

Prior to coming to Kent State, Birkbeck spent 14 years playing professionally, his last 10 seasons at the AAA or major league level. He also spent parts of two seasons playing in the Japanese major leagues with the Yokohama Baystars in Yokohama, Japan.

In 2010, Birkbeck helped guide a retooled Golden Flash pitching staff to the Mid American Conference tournament championship as well as a bid to the NCAA Los Angeles Regional. The 2010 pitching staff featured three professional draftees; Kyle Hallock, Robert Sabo and Brett Weibley along with All M.A.C. selections SO. LHP David Starn, Sabo and MAC Tournament MVP JR. RHP Justin Gill

The Golden Flashes have now won four M.A.C. regular season titles, six M.A.C. tournament crowns and have appeared in 6 NCAA Regional Tournaments during Birkbeck's tenure, including ten championships in the last eleven seasons. In those 14 seasons, KSU is averaging 35 wins per year and have now won 30 or more games in a season twelve consecutive campaigns.

Birkbeck has worked with 30 athletes who have been drafted or signed into professional baseball. Four of his former hurlers, Matt Guerrier '99 (Twins), John VanBenschoten '01 (Pirates), Dirk Hayhurst '03 (Padres) and Andy Sonnanstine '04 (Devil Rays) have all appeared in the major leagues. In addition, he has mentored 20 All-MAC, 11 All MAC tournament, 9 All-Region and 5 All-American honorees.

Several Flash pitchers have broken single-season or career pitching records under his guidance. 2007 saw RHP Jason Seelman author the best single season ERA in Kent history, allowing 3 earned runs in 33 innings for a .82 ERA. Other notable record setting performances include: Dirk Hayhurst '03, career innings (320.2) and career strikeouts (274) records; Ben Galbreath '02, career appearances (84); Dan Adams '00, who smashed the single-season (15), career saves mark (29) and single season appearances (31); and Andy Sonnanstine, single-season wins (11), single-season strikeouts (117) and single-season innings pitched (125) in 2004. In addition, the 2009 pitching staff established a new school record for strikeouts of 489.

Birkbeck assists in the evaluation and recruitment of pitchers and is directly responsible for the pitching staff's off season winter individual throwing workout programs. He also coordinates the Flashes winter and summer youth pitching camps and assists with the throwing portions of all other camps.

Coach Birkbeck is a member of the Orrville Sports Hall of Fame, University of Akron Sports Hall of Fame, Wayne County Sports Hall of Fame, the Richmond Braves 10th anniversary All-Diamond Team and Richmond's All-Century Team. In summer 2001 he also was inducted into the Greater Akron Baseball Hall of Fame and the Summit County Sports Hall of Fame.

Birkbeck, a 1985 graduate of Akron University with a degree in Business Administration/Marketing, was a four year letter winner, two-time captain, the 1982 Ohio Valley Conference MVP and an All-American with the Zips. He still holds the Akron career victories record with 24 wins and is also a member of the Ohio Valley Conference's All-Time team.

A native of Orrville, OH, Birkbeck, his wife Suzanne and son John, live in Plain Township, Canton, OH

Pitching Skills and Drills

Mike Birkbeck, Associate Head Coach/Pitching Coach, Kent State University Friday 10:00-10:30 (Hayes)

Pitchers Drills and Skills - Our Big 3 and 1 more

What: Flash Warmup Throwing Progression

Why: Fundamental Consistent Warmup Routine. Proper arm action. Hit the mitt. Play catch

every day.

How: Dry Reps, Wrist flips, From Release Point, One knee, Stationary, Rep, Slide Step, Step

Behind Rhythm.

What: Flash Knee to Knee 50' Flat Ground Shortbox

Why: Low intensity, high execution. Hit the Mitt. Touch and feel. Competition. Work

sequences. Self police.

How: From Combo Rep:

From Stretch (Slide Step and Full):

From Windup:

What: Flash Mound - Towel and Throwing Shortbox Progression

Why: Reinforce mechanics, rhythm, release point. Low intensity, high execution. Hit the mitt.

How: From L's, From Handbreaks, From Combo Rep, Slidestep, From Stretch, From Windup.

What: Flash 4 Corner PFP Drills

Why: Develop field awareness and defensive skills. Move feet/feed ear. Conditioner.

Improve pickoff moves.

How: Man in middle. Ball is always at homeplate. Roll ball-make call. Pickoff moves all the way around the horn.

PAUL HESSE

Head Baseball Coach, Mount Union College Friday 10:00-10:30 "Catching: "The Complete Package" (Union AB)



Paul Hesse enters his 15th season as head baseball coach at Mount Union. Three years ago, Hesse's Purple Raiders tied the school record for Ohio Athletic Conference wins in a season and made the four-team OAC Tournament.

Since taking over in 1997, Hesse has posted a career record of 267-258-3 (.509), placing him second in wins, games coached (528) and winning percentage behind only long-time Raider head coach Jack Rafeld. Hesse is one of only 11 coaches in the history of the OAC to have won more than 200 games.

During Hesse's tenure, seven school records have been either tied or broken. In 1999, the Raiders set season records in team batting average (.357), hits (503) and runs (384). They also set a school record for fielding percentage (.963). In 2000, more team records were set, including home runs (33) and stolen bases (86). The school mark of 23 wins, set in 1991, was tied in 2000 and again in Mount Union's 2006 run to the OAC Tournament. Since the OAC went to the current four-team playoff format in 1985, the Raiders have made nine appearances. As head coach, Hesse has led the Raiders to appearances in 1997-99, 2002 and 2006 with championship game appearances in 1999 and 2002. During the

Raiders' three-year tournament run from 1993-95, Hesse served as an assistant coach under Bill Ek.

Hesse began his coaching career during the summer of 1971 with the Suffield Warriors in the Portage County League. He continued his coaching career at various levels throughout the Akron, Canton and Alliance areas until the summer of 1996 when he took over the Raiders. He was active at his alma mater, Field High School, where he worked as an assistant from 1972-78 and head coach from 1981-83.

In addition to coaching, Hesse is involved with many organizations in the collegiate ranks. He currently represents the Mid-East Region on the American Baseball Coaches Association Division III All-American & the Coach of the Year Committee (2001-08). He has served as the national chair since 2002. Hesse has also served as a high school basketball official for 21 years with the Ohio High School Basketball Officials Association. In the summer of 2007, Hesse was inducted into the Greater Akron Baseball Hall of Fame in recognition for his 38 years of coaching and contributions to the high school summer league and collegiate programs.

Hesse earned a bachelor's degree in education in 1982 and received a master's degree in sport administration with a collegiate focus in 1986 from Kent State University. In addition to coaching baseball, Hesse serves as Mount Union's assistant to the athletic director as well as a class lecturer. He is a native of Suffield, Ohio and currently resides in Alliance.

Catching: The Complete Package Paul Hesse, Head Baseball Coach, Mount Union College Friday 10:00-10:30 (Union AB)

- 1. Quarterback or Facilitator?
 - 2. Communication Guru
 - 3. Stance
 - 4. Receiving
 - 5. Block/Recover
 - 6. Throwing Mechanics

- 7. Tag Plays
 - 8. Pops
 - 9. WP/PB
- 10.Drills/Repitition
- 11. Questions/Summary

GRANT TRENBEATH

Head Grounds Keeper, Arizona Diamondbacks Friday 10:00-10:30 "Field Maintenance: "What Every Coach Can Do" (Fairfield)



Grant Trenbeath has mastered growing and maintaining natural grass in a retractable roof environment as he enters his 13th season as the only Head Groundskeeper at Chase Field, the first MLB stadium built with that combination. Trenbeath has been a pioneer in handling grass in a retractable roof venue and has served as a consultant to other retractable roof venues in Major League Baseball, sharing his expertise on how to balance maintaining an aesthetically pleasing and safe playing surface with the need for fan comfort.

Trenbeath's continued dedication to his craft has not gone unnoticed. The Chase Field surface was ranked among players as the second best in the National League in a 2003 poll commissioned by Sports Illustrated. In 2006, he was also acknowledged for his efforts when he was selected by the Tostitos Fiesta Bowl Committee to serve as the Director of Grounds for the 36th annual Tostitos Fiesta Bowl and the first ever Tostitos BCS National Championship Game at the University of Phoenix Stadium in Glendale.

Trenbeath has worked in turf management for 16 years, spending three seasons with the Oakland Athletics' minor league affiliate in Medford, Ore., then joining the A's as head groundskeeper for their minor league complex and spring training for three seasons before joining the D-backs seven months prior to their inaugural season.

Trenbeath brings a player's perspective to turf management, having played baseball while attending Willamette University in Salem, Ore. Trenbeath, and his wife, Trina, and daughters, Annika and Téa, make their home in Chandler, Ariz.

Field Maintenance: What Every Coach Can Do Grant Trenbeath, Head Grounds Keeper, Arizona Diamondbacks

Friday 10:00-10:30 (Fairfield)

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TIM MEAD

Head Baseball Coach, Walsh University Friday 10:00-10:30 "How to Prepare an Indoor Practice" (Taft AB)



Walsh alumnus ('81) Tim Mead begins his 27th season as the Cavs' field general. The all-time leader in victories (557), Mead guided the 2009 Cavs to a 20-26 finish. In 2007, he led Walsh to 29 wins and their first trip to the NAIA World Series. After a 9-7 regular season finish in the AMC North, Walsh stormed their way through the NAIA Region IX Tournament, then hosted, and won the East Coast Super Regional to earn the World Series berth. At the series, the Cavs won their first game before being eliminated by Houston Baptist. In 2005, Mead led Walsh to the AMC North title and was named AMC North and Region IX Coach of the Year. He had previously directed Walsh to a school record 36 wins and the American Mideast Conference regular season championship in 2000, and was selected AMC and NAIA Region IX Coach of the Year. Mead also directed Walsh to the Mid-Ohio Conference title in 1991 and was named District 22 Coach of the Year. Walsh reached its only District 22 title game that year, and won a then school record 29 games. Mead's 1996 team also won 29 games and reached the MOC semifinals. Under Mead, the Cavs have qualified for post season play in 16 of the last 19 seasons.

In 2002, Tim served on the staff of the NAIA team that toured Czechoslovakia as an assistant to Sam Riggleman. He was inducted into the Greater Stark County Amateur Baseball Hall of Fame in 2001. In 2005, he concluded a seven-year term as an officer of the NAIA Baseball Coaches Association. In May 2006 he was inducted into the Allegany County (NY) Athletic Association Hall of Fame. The past two years, Tim has been selected to coach the Ohio High School Select team this June in Honolulu, at the King Kamehameha Baseball Classic. He is the third vice president on the American Baseball Coaches Association Executive Committee for 2009.

The Cavs' first class facilities are a direct result of Mead's fund raising efforts. The diamond features a new scoreboard, batting cage, press box and brand new dugouts.

A native of Andover, NY, Mead built a solid reputation on the field, earning letters in both soccer and baseball. Mead continued his excellence after enrolling at Walsh. He was a three-time All-MOC selection in soccer and was twice named All-District 22. The Cavs' Captain also received All-Ohio and Area IV honors. Mead was a pitcher on the diamond and was elected to the Walsh Wall of Fame in 1983.

Mead completed his 28th season as Walsh's head soccer coach this past fall. The all-time leader in coaching victories (297), Tim is recognized as one of the NAIA's finest coaches. He has been voted conference Coach of the Year six times and was tabbed Ohio Coach of the Year in 1993. His 1993 and 1994 teams won back-to-back MOC crowns and the 1993 team made Walsh's first and only NAIA National Soccer Championship appearance.

Mead graduated from Walsh ('81) with a degree in English and secondary education. He earned his master's degree in physical education from the University of Akron in 1982. He and his wife Cindy, a stand-out athlete at Walsh in volleyball and softball, and also a member of the Walsh Wall of Fame, reside in North Canton. The Mead's have three lovely daughters, Amanda, Alexandria and Jacqueline and a son, Jacob Avery



How to Prepare an Indoor Practice

Tim Mead, Head Baseball Coach, Walsh University

Friday 10:00-10:30 – (Taft AB)

1. Facilities - Make Use of What You Have

2. Priorities

- Set Goals alternate drills each day
- b. Practice must be challenging, enjoyable and organized
- c. Getting players to do what you want them

3. Pitching

- Mental preparation
- b. Body and arm warm-up
- c. Long toss
- d. Mechanics/Bendovers
- e. Location drill work
 - Wind Up
 - 2. Stretch glide step
- f. Progression to LIVE with hitters and umpires.
- Warm down / evaluate
- h. Film

4. Offense

- a. Mental preparation your philosophy
- b. Tee drills
- c. Drop drill
- d. 2 ball soft toss
- e. Wiffle balls
- f. Bunting drills
- g. Pitching machine
- h. Short toss
- i. Situational hitting/counts
- j. Live
- k. Evaluate/film

5. Infield Defense

- a. Mental preparation
- b. Body and arm warm-up
- c. Location catch
- d. Long toss
- e. Quick catch
- f. Ozzie's and short hops without glove and with glove
- g. Slow roller
 - 1. Glove hand
 - Bare hand
- h. Backhand
- i. 4 Corner
- j. Specific position drills
- k. Double plays
- 1. Fungo-safety
- m. Live
- n. PFP, PBP, Dirty Dozen

Situation baseball

- 1. Bunt coverage
- Steal coverage and tags
- 3. Rundowns
- 4. Relays and cutoffs
- 5. Pick-offs

6. Outfield Defense

- a. Mental preparation
- b. Body and arm warm-up
- c. Long toss
- d. Line drills
- e. Fielding ground balls
- f. Communication drill
- g. Wall drill
- Target throwing-hit cutoff

7. Catchers

- a. Mental preparation
- b. Body and arm warm-up
- c. Catch/Long toss
- d. Setting up and giving targets/Art of receiving
- e. Blocking fundamentals
- f. Throwing fundamentals
- g. Situational defense
 - 1. Fielding bunts
 - 2. Pop ups
 - 3. Force plays / tag plays
 - 4. Pitch outs
 - 5. Live reading and calling correct
 - 6. Infield practice taking charge

h. Working with pitches

- 1. Sets / Bullpen work
- 2. Live BP
- 3. Knowledge of staff, game situations
- 4. Getting ahead of hitters
- 5. Establish rhythm with pitchers

Base Running

- a. Your philosophy
 - 1. Straight steal must get a "jump"
 - 2. Delayed steal 2 shuffles
 - 3. Hit and run "flash"
 - 4. Infield single and flash
 - 5. Double

 - 6. 1st to 3rd
 7. 2nd to home
 - 8. 3rd to home
 - 9. Sacrifice bunt situations
 - 10. 1st and 3rd situations

Conditioning/Weight Room

RUSS GLADISH

Total Athlete

Friday 3:00 PM – "Off Season Workout Drills" (Regency Ballroom)



Graduated from Vermilion High '94

College: Lakeland Junior College '95-'96 Cleveland St. University '97-'98

Coaching:

Wickliffe Middle school '05; Mentor High Freshmen '06; Mentor Assistant Varsity '06

Private Baseball Instructor/Director

Started in '04 – current, presently at the Total Athlete

Travel Baseball Coach:

Cleveland Baseball Academy: 15u - '05; Cleveland Baseball Academy: 16u - '06; **Total Athlete:**

10u - '10 & 11u, 8u - '11

Off Season Workout Drills Russ Gladish, Total Athlete Friday 3:00 – (Taft AB)

Intro

- I. Who is Russ Gladish?
- II. Who is Total-Athlete and what service do they provide?
- III. What makes our program different from all others?

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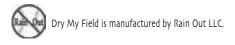
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OHIO HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION ASSISTANT COACHES OF THE YEAR AWARDS 2010

The OHSBCA Executive Board accepts nominations through the senior district representatives. Congratulations to these assistant coaches who have helped develop their respective programs throughout the year. Nominations for 2011 Assistant Coach of the Year will be due June 1, 2011 to your senior district representative.

Southeast - Jeff Doles (Unioto High School)

Jeff has been the assistant at Unioto High School for the past 10 years. He has been outstanding in coaching the infield in our program and has helped us to become a very respectable program in the Southeast district. He has also helped write grants that have enabled us to raise money that has allowed us to have one of the nicest fields in Southern Ohio. Jeff has worked camps here at Unioto over the years. He is a valued friend and assistant and has made a major difference in the development of the young men in our program.

Southwest - Jamie Conover (Lebanon High School)

Jamie began coaching at Lebanon High School in 1999 and has served as an assistant on the freshman and reserve teams as well as the head coach of both teams for the past 12 years. Coach Conover has also been involved in coaching several high school aged teams for Lebanon during the summers over the years as both an assistant and head coach. He has been a member of the OHSBCA for all 12 years, attending our state clinic each year. He is the proud father of 3 children. His oldest son Brodi attends Georgetown University in Washington DC, and also has another son Colton (senior) and daughter Taylor (sophomore) at Lebanon High School. His dedication and loyalty to Lebanon Baseball has been instrumental in our success.

Northwest –Tim Baumer (Minster High School)

Tim Baumer has been the varsity assistant coach at Minster High School for the last 16 years. All of those years, he has been an unpaid volunteer coach. Coach Baumer serves as Minster's first base coach, as well as conducts open gyms and has devoted countless hours to help turn our baseball field into a tremendous complex. During Coach Baumer's 16 years, the varsity has compiled a 263-131 record including 11 Sectional titles, 2 Midwest Athletic Conference championships, 4 Regional appearances, and a State runner-up finish. Head Coach Mike Wiss said, "In my 16 years as head coach, Tim has been by my side every moment of every game. He requires the status of a 'true and devoted friend' in all aspects of the phrase."

Northeast- Billy Gamble (Massillon Perry High School)

Bill is the varsity assistant coach at Massillon Perry High School, and has been for the last 9 years. Bill graduated from Perry High School in 1995 as a 3 year lettermen in football and baseball. Bill was All Federal League and All Ohio in baseball as a shortstop. Bill went to Erskine College in Due West, South Carolina, a DII school, and lettered 3 years in baseball. Bill was named 2nd team C-VAC All Conference his junior year and 1st team All Conference and Pre-Season All American his senior year. Bill has been his father's, Frank, number one assistant and was recently named Head Baseball Coach at Jackson High School in Massillon.

Central- Bo Cunningham (Dublin Coffman High School)

Bo Cunningham is the Assistant Baseball Coach at Dublin Coffman High School. He has been a part of the baseball program since 2002. As part of the staff he manages the JV Baseball Team and organizes the weightlifting program for all levels. Bo is also a teacher at Dublin Coffman High School in the Business Department teaching IB Business and Management and Personal Finance. Outside of education and baseball, Bo is an officer in the Ohio Air National Guard where he serves as Squadron Commander of the 179th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron. He deployed to Tikrit, Iraq in the Fall of 2009 in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

East- Jim Marcum (Edison High School)

Jim Marcum has been coaching baseball at Edison High School for 25 years and has been the pitching coach for the last 17 years. Through his tenure at Edison, he has coached teams that have went on to win 10 Sectional titles, 7 District titles, 2 Regional titles, and 1 Coaches Poll State Championship. His expertise and knowledge of the game have yielded strong pitching staffs that have had several players go on to pitch at the collegiate level.



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2010 State Tournament Champion Coaches



Division 1: Head Coach--Danny Allie, St. Edward High School (28-3)

Career coaching experience: 32 yrs. Number years at St. Edward High School: 3

2010 season record: 28-3 St. Edward career record: 75-14 Over-all record: 232-71

Program accomplishments:

2008 Cuyahoga River Baseball Conference Champion- first in school history

- 3 Sectional championship titles- '08 '09 '10
- 3 District championship titles- '08 '09 '10
- 2 Regional championship titles- '08 '10
- 1 Regional runner-up- '09
- 2 Division I State Championships-'08'10

Coaching Accomplishments

2010 Northeast Ohio "Coach of the Year" 2010 ABCA Northern Region "Coach of the Year"

2010 Season Highlights

The St. Edward Eagles won their last (25) games and a second Division I State title in three years. With all the pre season hype from seniors Stetson Allie, Alex Lavisky, and Ross Kivett the eagles lived up to their billing. This team was one that continued to get better throughout the season and stayed healthy. Even with its star power this team accomplished all its goals with a relatively young lineup. The eagles will be returning (6) starters and a solid pitching corp for the 2011 season.

I certainly would like to thank our principal Gene Boyer, president Brother Peter, and athletic director Paul Michalko for their continual support of our baseball program over the past three years.

My wife (Kim) of 28 years, daughters Brittani, Ashytn and sons Logan and Stetson - "thank you". Special thanks to "Happy" Dobbs and Nicole in the athletic office for all their support.



Division II: Head Coach - Craig Kyle, Jonathan Alder (34-0)

Years Coaching: 10

- 1 year as Head Coach at Jonathan Alder
- 3 years as Head Coach at Grandview Heights
- 5 years as Assistant Coach at Heath
- 1 year as Assistant Coach at Thomas Worthington

Career Record: 94-21

1 State Championship - '10

- 1 Regional Championship Title '10
- 1 District Championship Title '10
- 3 Sectional Championship Titles '07, '08, '10
- 1 State Poll Championship- '10
- 2010 Division II State Coach of the Year
- 2010 ABCA Midwest Regional Coach of the Year
- 2010 Maxpreps National Coach of the Year

Season Highlights:

Won Division II State Championship

Most wins (34) in a single season in Ohio High School Baseball History

Undefeated Season (34-0) which hadn't been done since 1994

Division II State Poll Champions

Scored the 8th most runs (353) in a season in Ohio High School Baseball

History

Allowed (53) runs the entire season

Team batting average (.404)

Ranked #13 in the Nation by Maxpreps

Ranked #17 in the Nation by USA Today

Ranked #10 in the Nation by ESPN

Season Summary:

Winning a state championship is a lifelong dream of every coach and player that has ever put on a uniform. Now that it's happen to us words can't describe how great of a feeling it is and how much it means to everyone involved with our program. The 2010 Jonathan Alder baseball team was made up of 18 competitors that dreamed of baseball greatness and "BELIEVED" that it could happen. As a coach or athlete you always strive to be recognized as the best in your sport. On June 6th 2010 we not only became the best but we achieved perfection, 34-0.

As any coach knows, you need to have talented players in order to be successful. Our 2010 team was full of talented players top to bottom that received numerous postseason honors. C Jacob Mahon, P Tyler Miller and CF Sean Fleming were all selected 1st eam All-Ohio and 1st team All-Central District. P Zach Maynard and 3B Graham Johnston were selected 2nd team All-Central District. SS Tyler Graber and 2B Nate Squires were selected Honorable Mention All-Central District. RF Nick Squires and 1B Vince Graber were selected 1st team All-Madison County.

I learned early in my coaching career to have a successful program you need to surround yourself with great people. I am truly blessed to have the finest group of assistant coaches in Jason Comer, Josh Tomlinson, Brett Glass, C.J. Williams, Mitch Koester and Seth Tenpenny. I thank them all for being such great friends, baseball minds, teachers and role models for the young men in our program. Without them we wouldn't have been able to reach the pinnacle of high school baseball this year.

Again I want to thank all my players and assistant coaches for making this dream season become a reality. Many people have asked me how winning a state championship and going undefeated was possible. I always give them the same simple but powerful answer "WE BELIEVED!"

ST. EDWARDS - DIVISION I CHAMPIONS



CONGRATULATIONS

JONATHAN ALDER - DIVISION II CHAMPIONS



CLEAR FORK - DIVISION III CHAMPIONS



CONGRATULATIONS

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2010 State Tournament Champion Coaches



Division III: Head Coach - Jeremy Riddle, Clear Fork (32-2)

Years Coaching: 5 Career Record: 88-54

3 Sectional Championship Titles - '08,'09, and '10

2 District Championship Titles - '09, and '10

1 Regional Championship Title - '10

1 State Championship - '10

Season Highlights:

Won first ever state championship Won 19 games by run rule, including the state championship Batted .416 as a team with 404 hits Scored 378 runs

We had six players from our '10 team continue playing baseball at the collegiate level: Brendan Liberti (Akron), Travis Hissong (Wright State), Jake Dickerson (Mt. Vernon), Mike Kochheiser (Mt. Vernon), Josh Kelley (Shawnee State), and Joe Staab (Heidelberg)

Winning a state title was truly an unbelievable experience. I was blessed with a group of kids that, since they were young, worked hard to achieve this goal. Many thanks go to the parents, coaches, fans, wives, and players that made this such an unbelievable season.. I can truly say the kids worked hard to get better every day and bought in to the team concept. This was a very special group of boys that acted as a family from day one.

I was fortunate enough to surround myself with many individuals that I trusted and learned from every day. Assistant coaches Shawn Ramion, Mike Longshore, Chris Krupa, and Glenn Weirich were all a huge part of everyday decisions and helping to make sure things were in place for a successful season. My philosophy has always been to surround myself with people that are knowledgeable and that I can learn from. Many thanks to everyone associated with Clear Fork Baseball and for your continued support. Also, I want to give a big thanks to Rusty Staab for the use of his indoor baseball facility, Hittsville. Last, thanks to the 13 guys that put aside personal agendas and focused on baseball, every single day, throughout the season. Your work ethic and dedication serve as an example to future colts.



Division IV: Head Coach - Bill Sturwold, Ft. Loramie (30-3)

Years coached: 18 Overall record: 343-146

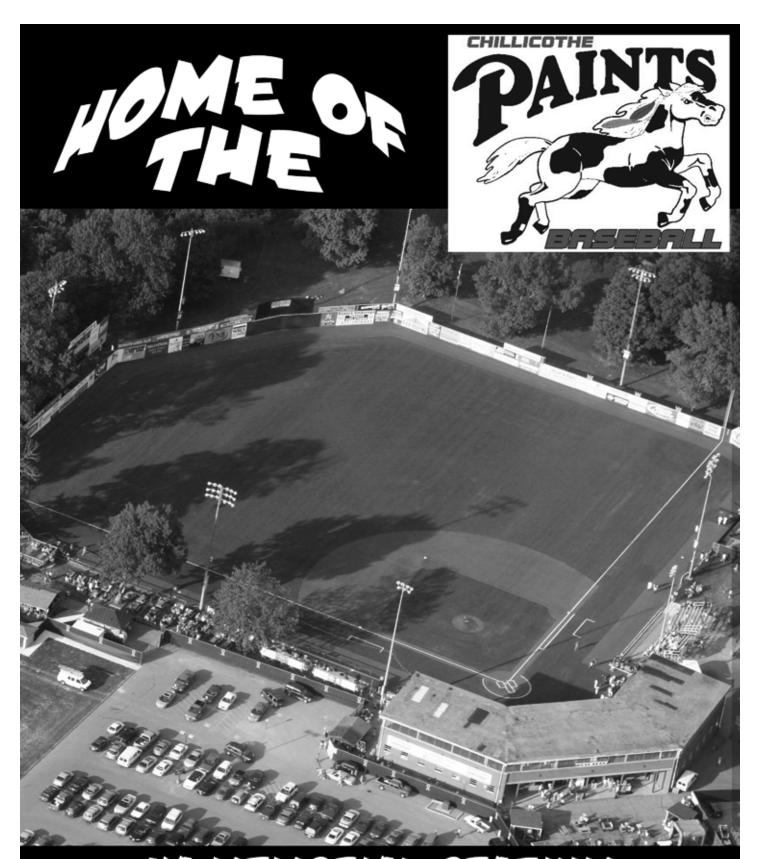
Season record: 30-3 (11-1) League champs

Ohio All Star Coach 2006 MVBCA Coach of the Year 2001 State Championships 2 Regional Championships 4 District Championship 9 Sectional Championships 12 League Championships 11 30 Wins (school record)

There are no words that can adequately describe the thrill of winning a state championship. I was blessed to have the opportunity to be a part of a special group of players and coaches who were able to realize that dream. The 2010 Ft. Loramie Redskins baseball team is a testament to never selling yourself short, concentrating on what you can control, keeping perspective, and sacrificing personal

goals for team success. Seniors Zach Eilerman, Mitch Raterman, Jake Boerger.and Brad Frilling all played with a calm confidence which was passed down to them from previous Ft. Loramie teams. Most notably the 2007 STATE CHAMPS.

I would like to thank my players, assistant coaches Mike Schieltz, Kevin Philpot, Nathan Bornhorst, Supt. Dan Holland, Principal David Worrel, A.D. Chad Wells, the town of Ft. Loramie and most of all my wife Carrie and son Troy. June 5, 2010 was a great day to be a Ft. Loramie Redskin.



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GUY SIMMONS

Head Baseball Coach, Richland College

Friday 4:00 PM – "A Mechanical Approach to Developing Control" (Regency Ballroom) Saturday 10:00 AM – "Hitting the Six Ball Theory" (Union A & B)



Guy Simmons comes to Richland College from Frank Phillips College in Borger, Texas. He took over a program at FPC that had not had a winning season in several years. Simmons turned the FPC baseball program around. In 2003, the Plainsmen went 31-20, the best record in school history. During his tenure the Plainsmen had two 30 plus win seasons and never less than 22 wins. Coach Simmons had 11 players drafted and more Division I signees than any other conference school. Every one of his players that graduated moved on to play at the next level.

Coach Simmons was a championship-winning Louisiana High School coach before taking over the Plainsmen program.

Coach Simmons earned both a bachelor's degree and a Master's in Education at Northwestern State University before launching his coaching career at Forrest Hill Academy. He moved on to Bolton High School before settling in at Westlake High School. In his first year at Westlake, Coach Simmons led his team to a district title, and he would go on to take his team to the playoffs in each season of his 12-year tenure. Westlake compiled a 215-109 record under Simmons, capped by a Louisiana state title in 1996. His overall coaching record is 484-412 and he looks forward to his 500th coaching victory during the 2011 Spring Season.

Coach Simmons is the author of two nationally sold videos by Coaches Choice Videos; Pitching "A Mechanical Approach to Developing Control" and Hitting "The 6 Ball Theory" He is also a highly sought-after clinic speaker.

A Mechanical Approach to Developing Control

Guy Simmons, Head Baseball Coach, Richland College Friday 4:00 PM – (Regency Ballroom)

THE PRELIMINARIES

Relaxation – Breathing is the key to effective control! Ball in Glove or Out – Does it matter? Placement on the Rubber – Angles, Angles, Angles

THE PITCHING MOTION

The Rocker Step – The enemy of control!

The Pivot Foot – The key to everything good that happens to a pitcher!

The Plate Side Leg Lift – Smooth and controlled!

Lift to Balance – The second enemy to control!

The Chin – The most important element!

The Path to the Plate – Creating direction.

The Landing Point – Where should it be!

Release Point – Look for consistency.

Follow Through – Get that anchor out of the water.

DRILLS TO DEVELOP CONTROL

ZONE PITCHING

Hitting the Six Ball Theory

Guy Simmons, Head Baseball Coach, Richland College Saturday 10:00 AM – (Union A & B)

THE PRELIMINARIES

The Grip – Do's and Don't's

The Power Base – What does it do for me?

Hand Position – Why the back foot is key!

The Power L - The elbows play a critical role!

Head and Eye Positions – What makes us see more efficiently?

THE STROKE

The Trigger - How much weight goes back? When do you trigger?

The Stride – What are the components? When and how far?

The Hip Fire – What is the purpose?

Torque – The power secret!

The Hitters Box – Why you do not throw your hands to the ball?

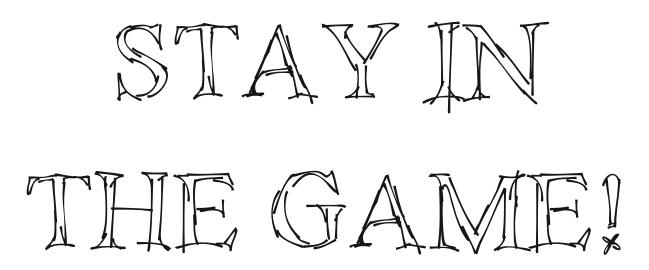
The Hand Release - Proper hand placement during the hitting process!

THE 6 BALL THEORY

The Differences Between the 1 Ball, 2 Ball, 3 Ball, 4 Ball, 5 Ball, and 6 Ball hitthers.

Getting to The Point – The difference between warning track power and hitting the ball out of the park.

The Finish - Where do the hands finish?



BRET BUTLER

Head Baseball Coach, Pitt Bradford

Friday 5:00 PM - "Using your Pitcher as an Extra Defender" (Regency Ballroom)



Head coach Bret Butler completed his 12th year (256-200-1) at Pitt-Bradford.

In 2010 the Panthers finished 19-20 overall and 12-8 in the Allegheny Mountain Collegiate Conference.

Butler has led the Panthers to AMCC Championships in 2001, 2002 and 2005, and two NCAA Division III Tournament berths.

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Degrees and Credentials:

M.A. Physical Education/Sports Administration, Kent State University 1997 B.A. Pre-law, Baldwin-Wallace

Using your Pitcher as an Extra Defender Bret Butler, Head Baseball Coach, Pitt Bradford Friday 5:00 PM – (Regency Ballroom)

l. Pick off's – foot work is everything

1st base, RHP/LHP 2nd base, both moves Inside move – you have to be theatrical Busby's – you have to be theatrical

||. Bunt Coverage – "Get your feet – Get a good grip"

1st base

2nd base

3rd base

Squeeze coverage:, P and 3B

Wheel play

Catcher bunt coverage to all bases, pitchers always back up at the plate.

III. On the bases

Get over's

1-6-3 DP's "DP's are a pitchers best friend and they paralyze an offense"

3-6-1 DP's

1-2-3 DP's

One hopper's

Recovery drills at the plate

IV. 1st and 3rd situations/duties

KRIS KNAPP, Med, L.A.T.

Ontario High School

Saturday 8:30 AM – "Sports Medicine Seminar" (Union D & E)



Kris Knapp M.Ed., L.A.T. - Directing the Pupil Activity First Aid Supervisor Permit for the OHSBCA again this year. He has been working as a Health and Physical Education Teacher at Ontario Local Schools for 23 years. He has also served as the Head Athletic Trainer for Ontario during this time. He currently is on the Schutt National Football Helmet Advisory board. Kris has been a part of the Coaches Pupil Activity pupil activity supervising courses for over 27 years. In addition Kris is an American Heart CPR instructor, OHSAA Wrestling Master Weight Certification Instructor, and has the capabilities to do the BCI/FBI background checks. Working with Kris at the Coaches clinic will be Mr. Brian Siddall. Brian Siddall, M.A., ATC/L is the Supervisor of Athletic Training Services at Fisher Titus Medical Center in Norwalk, OH. Brian is also a Master Assessor, OHSAA Wrestling Weight Certification Instructor and the Ohio School AED Program.

Also working with Kris is Mr. Aaron Brumit. Aaron G. Brumit, P.T., D.P.T, A.T.C. With over twelve years of experience as a physical therapist and a certification in athletic training since 1998, Aaron has a strong background in sports medicine, orthopedics, and sports rehabilitation. "My knowledge in sports medicine, exercise physiology, and kinesiology has allowed me to develop performance enhancement programs for many local athletes. I also specialize in helping individuals with disabilities maintain an active, enjoyable lifestyle through exercise prescription. "His clinical interests aren't limited to the sports and orthopedics arena. Aaron has a diverse background in treatment of neuromuscular disorders, geriatric care, and vestibular/balance rehabilitation. He brings both a wealth of education and experience to his clinical practice. A graduate of Ashland University with a B. S. in Biology and Certificate of Sports Medicine, he also received a B.S in Physical Therapy from Ohio University. He completed his Doctorate in Physical Therapy in August of 2007. Upon graduating from Ohio University, Aaron moved to the Mansfield area. He is married to Cheryl who grew up in Lexington and they have twin daughters, Lauren and Ashley, who are 4 years old. "I try to live the lifestyle that I promote, by being an avid cyclist, runner, and swimmer. I have been participating in duathlons and triathlons for over 6 years."



NICK WEISHEPL

Head Baseball Coach, Notre Dame College Saturday 9:00 AM – "How to Prepare for a Showcase" (Union A & B)



I am in my 8th year coaching college baseball, and 3rd as the head coach at Notre Dame College. In my 2nd season we posted the best record in program history and garnered 7 All-American Mideast Conference selections. I spent 3 years as the top assistant at Clarke College (Dubuque, IA), 1 year at University of Wisconsin-Stout (Menomonie, WI), and 1 year as an assistant at Notre Dame College before I took over the program. I also spent three years coaching in the Northwoods League, 2005 with the La Crosse Loggers and 2006-2007 with the Eau Claire Express. In my career I have coached over 30 guys who have signed professional contracts. My wife is Megan and we live in University Heights, OH.

How to Prepare for a Showcase

Nick Weishpel, Head Baseball Coach, Notre Dame College Saturdayday 9:00 AM – (Union A & B)

A three pronged approach on how prospects can prepare for a showcase...

- 1) What do the college coaches want to see?
- 2) What can HS coaches do to help their players prepare?
- 3) What should prospects do to prepare for a showcase?



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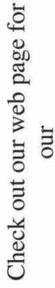
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BRIAN McGEE

Head Baseball Coach, Lake Erie College Saturday 11:00 AM – "Outfield Drills" (Union A & B)



Brian McGee is entering his fourth season as the Lake Erie College head baseball coach after being taking over the position in October 2007. In just three seasons, McGee has built a competitive program as his squads have improved significantly on the field, while undergoing the difficult transition from Division III to current active D-II status, and rewritten the school record books in the process.

Prior to his arrival, Lake Erie had never finished higher than seventh in the Allegheny Mountain Collegiate Conference (AMCC), but in his first year the Storm finished third in the league and won a school single-season record 17 games. The 10 AMCC wins were the most during the College's six years of AMCC membership. All told, the team set 20 school records and finished the season ranked in the top 100 among all NCAA Division III teams in five statistical categories, most notably home runs (25th), slugging percentage (40th) and batting average (89th).

That team earned its first postseason bid, advancing to the AMCC Tournament semifinals. McGee's players earned more conference accolades that season than in any prior

year, while receiving Eastern College Athletic Conference (ECAC) All-Star and American Baseball Coaches Association (ABCA) Rawlings all-region team honors for the first time in program history.

Moving up a level and competing as an independent provisional Division II team in 2009, McGee's squad just missed the 2008 team's win total, finishing with 16 wins and set or tied 41 different school records. Fielding a roster of primarily first-year players, McGee's charges overcame a slow start to play .500 over the second half of the season, including an 8-1 stretch that featured wins over Top-30 team Slippery Rock and regional foe Gannon.

In 2010, the Storm won a record 18 games and had two players - Ryan Rua and Brandon James - earn all-region second-team honors. The high point of the season came on March 28 when Lake Erie defeated Division I Cleveland State 19-4 on the Vikings home field.

Prior to coming to Lake Erie, McGee was the assistant varsity and head junior varsity coach at Greensboro College from 2003-07. He coached third base and instructed the Pride infield, leading that group to its best statistical performances in the program's history. In 2006, the Greensboro infield finished 12th in the nation in fielding percentage. McGee also served as the assistant director and facility manager for Greensboro's student recreation center.

His additional coaching experience includes serving as the head coach of the Lake Erie Monarchs of the Great Lakes League in the summer of 2006 and as an assistant for the Wilmington Sharks of the Coastal Plain League in the summer of 2004.

A native of Lorain, Ohio, McGee's coaching career began at Toledo St. Frances High School as a varsity assistant in the spring of 2001. The following year he served as assistant at the University of Toledo before getting his first head coaching job came at Lorain Catholic High School in the spring of 2003, where he led the team to its first regional appearance in over a decade and was named Lorain County Coach of the Year.

McGee is a 1996 graduate of Amherst Marion L. Steele High School and a 2000 graduate of Tiffin University, where he was a four-year letter winner and team captain for the Dragons. He earned his bachelor's degree in sports management from Tiffin before earning a master's degree in recreation and leisure studies from the University of Toledo in 2002.

Outfield Drills

Brian McGee, Head Baseball Coach, Lake Erie College Saturday 11:00 AM – (Union A & B)

Introduction

Before implementing any drill you must identify the needs of the TEAM/INDIVIDUAL and how you can best enhance that specific skill.

Breakdown what makes a good defensive Outfielder?

- 1. Athletic Ability
 - a. Arm Strength
 - b. Speed and Quickness
 - c. Coordination; "ability to make plays/catch the ball"
- 2. Baseball IQ and Instincts
 - a. Routes and Angels to the Ball
 - b. Knowing the Hitters Tendencies
 - c. Positioning and Awareness
 - d. Communication is Key

Where is the team or individual making mistakes?

Focus on what needs to be emphasized for that specific drill; "one thing at a time"

Use game like situations by building pressure, putting something on the line, etc.

Drills: (drills we have used to develop both the mental and physical skills)

*We like to build a competitive game like atmosphere, intensity, etc.

- 1. Long Toss arm strength and throwing program for outfielders
- 2. Agility Drills footwork, quickness, speed, and coordination
- 3. Everyday Skill Drills basic drills for mechanics and fundamentals
- 4. Live Batting Practice Drill routes and angles (w/infield)
- 5. Tween'er Drills communication, positioning
- 6. Live Situations baseball I.Q., skill set
- 7. Any Moment Drill pressure situation/confidence
- 8. OF Concentration Drill encompasses everything

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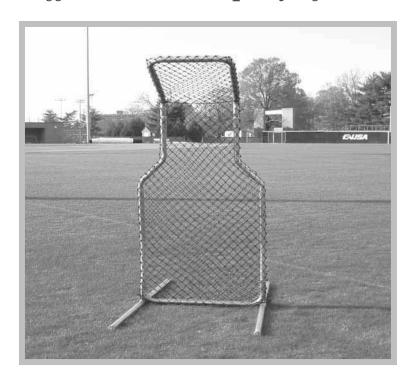


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State Coaches Poll 2011

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Five times during the course of the season the voting coaches of the state coaches poll rank the teams in each of the four divisions and select an All-Ohio team. This is a recognition of OHSBCA members, their teams and their players. Numbers of voters for each district are selected based upon membership in our state organization.

The voting coaches are scattered throughout the state so that it is the responsibility of each school's coach to promote his team and its players by contacting these voters.

Guidelines

- 1. 32 coaches vote in each division.
- 2. Coaches must be a member of the OHSBCA to vote.
- 3. Coaches are selected by their district representatives upon completing a voting application.
- 4. Any head coach who is interested in voting must complete an application and return it to the Poll Director or to his district representative Applications are available from the State Coaches Poll Director, or on line at www.ohsbca.org. starting in May each year
- 5. The number of coaches voting in a district will vary, determined by the number of OHSBCA member coaches in their respective district.
- 6. Coaches selected to vote will be notified at the state clinic and their names and emails, with hyperlinks will be published on the website. (www.ohsbca.org under Poll Teams/ Voters
- 7. The Poll will be conducted for **5 consecutive weeks**; ballots to be sent on **April 14, 21, 28, May 5, and 12.** All voters are being asked to vote online for the 2009 season.
- 8. Poll results will be submitted to our website ant www.ohsbca.org beginning April 19.
- 9. Coaches selected to vote will receive information on the voting procedures during the last week in March. If you are listed as a voter and have not been contacted by March 31, email me so that we may correct the problem
- 10. A **sixth ballot, on May 20st** will be the All-State, Coaches Poll Team Ballot.

Curt Karpinski State Poll Director ckarp@windstream.net



2011 State Coaches Poll

Listed below are the coaches that will voting in Divisions 1 and 2 for the 2011 Season They can be contacted by going to the website (www.ohsbca.org) where you will find email addresses and hyperlinks to each individual voter under "Poll Teams" / "Eligible Voters" You can go to the bottom of the list and "Contact All"

Division I Poll Voters

Division II Poll Voters

	Name	High School	Name	High School
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1	Frank Armeni	Geneva	Brad Barclay	John Glenn
2	Ray Benjamin	St. Charles	Kevin Bowdle	Urbana
3	Mike Brandyberry	Elyria	Jason Brandt	Waoajibeta
4	Tim Broskie	Whetstone	Scott Burke	Fairfield Union
5	Kent Drake	Fairmont	Doug Burtscher	Dover
6	Bill Dreisbach	Lakota West	Ted Busch	Firelands
7	Trent Dues	Vandalia Butler	Bruce Cahill	Tippecanoe
8	D.J. Eckhart	St. John's Jesuit	Joe Cheney	Bay
9	Brian Gamble	Mass. Jackson	Andrew Dennings	Belleview
10	Brad Ganor	St. Ignatius	Walt DeShields	West Branch
11	Tim Gerkin	St. Francis	Dennis Dever	Woodridge
12	Joe Gilhousen	Mass. Washington	Jeff Graffice	Alliance
13	Steve Gussler	Thomas Worthington	Fred Heatherington	Steubenville
14	Dave Hall	Perrysburg	Jeff Keck	Vermilion
15	Ray Hamilton	Lakota East	Mike Kirk	Clermont N.E.
16	Chuck Harlow	Northmont	Matt Koenig	Canfield
17	Tim Held	Moeller	Craig Kyle	Jonathan Alder
18	John Justice	Midview H.S.	Chris Lapish	Fairless
19	Mark King	Fremont Ross	Scott Manahan	Bishop Watterson
20	Dan Largent	Olmsted Falls	Tom Marker	Bexley
21	Allan McConihe	Amherst Steele	Pete Maus	Talawanda
22	Greg McClellan	GlenOak	Jeff Mielcarek	Tol. Central Cath.
23	John Mutch	Brecksville-Broadview Hts.	Justin Mulheim	Ravenna
24	Tim Murphy	North Olmstead	Tom Neubert	St. Francis Desales
25	Chris Newton	Anderson	Jason Rettinger	Ross
26	Steve Norris	Willoughby South	Doug Rutan	Benjamin Logan
27	Mark Pelfrey	Springboro H.S	Izzy Santiago	Padua
28	Tim Saunders	Dublin Coffman	Rob Schimmoeller	Oak Harbor
29	Mike Shade	Gahanna	Brian Sliwinski	Cleve. Benedictine
30	Tim Thomas	Pickerington North	Chad Spencer	Lima Shawnee
31	Mark Thompson	Elder	Tony Taylor	Unioto
32	Jon Wallace	Green	Jim Thrash	Marietta

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2011 State Coaches Poll

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"Eligible Voters"

You can go to the bottom of the list and "Contact All"

Division III Poll Voters

Division IV Poll Voters

	Name	High School	Name	High School
1	Ron Allen	Zane Trace	Milro Pora	Dalton
1	Kevin Baker		Mike Berg	Edon
2	Brett Brookhart	Waynedale Bethel	Brock Bergman Glenn Brown	Houston
3		Piketon		
4	Gene Bumgardner		Greg Bryant John Cannizzaro	Ironton St. Joseph Newark Catholic
5	Rocky Brunty David Burkett	Federal Hocking Tuslaw		Norwalk St. Paul
6		Waterloo	Jim Carper	
7	Jim Conley		Anthony Castronova	Ottoville
8	Jim Derrow	Wellston	Tim Dunn	Cin. Country Day
9	John Dorner	St. Henry	Phil Faires	Trimble Local
10	Mark Ectenkamper	Independence	Jeff Fondriest	Tuscarawas CC
11	Jeff Fisher	Bucyrus	Ray Frisbee	Mapleton
12	Dan Gorbett	Ontario	Tom Gibson	Hiland
13	Rob Gross	Ashland Crestview	Adam Hall	Ridgedale
14	Tim Hanlon	Brooklyn	Mitch Hirsch	Covington
15	Sean Hoover	Edison	Darren Hunt	South Central
16	Mitch Hoying	Sidney	Chad Jensen	Buckeye Central
17	Jeff Elmore	Garaway	Cory King	Columbus Grove
18	Chris Kitchen	Northeastern	Dave King	Lehman Catholic
19	Rick Kunkel	Ham. Badin	Scott Knox	Columbiana
20	Jack Kuzniczci	Madeira	Bill Lanphier	Cin. Christian
21	Randy Leach	River Valley	Don Lee	Warren JFK
22	Scott Loomis	Coshocton	Marc Lowther	Cuyahoga Hts
23	Doug Miller	Canton Central Catholic	Glenn Morse	New London
24	Larry Redwine	CHCA	Brian Perkins	Toronto
25	Jim Ruth	Galion	Dustin Pester	Miller City
26	Jared Stewart	Liberty Union	Mike Schumm	Parkway
27	Michael Sweeney	Chagrin Falls	Andy Singer	Fairview
28	Brian Thomas	Grandview Hts	John Slusser	Ridgewood
29	Trevor Thomas	Westfall	Shawn Sunderman	Patrick Henry
30	Steve Urchek	Pymatuning Valley	Thomas Pokorny	Newbury
31	Michael Wolf	Hillsdale	Chris Veidt	Whiteoak
32	Buck Workman	Northmor	Rick Woods	Southeastern
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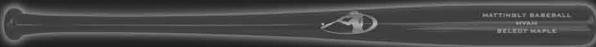
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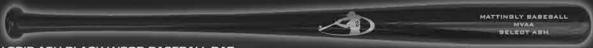
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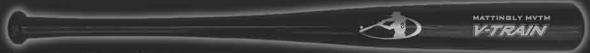
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Division IV Also	Toronto H.S. and	d coach Brian Perkins			
Division I	Coach of the Year Player of the Year	Tim Held, Cin. Moeller H. S. Jared King, Dublin Jerome H. S.			
Division II	Coach of the Year Player of the Year	Craig Kyle, Jonathon Alder H. S. Johnny Fasola, Walsh Jesuit H. S.			
Division III	Coach of the Year Player of the Year	Brian Harlamart, Coldwater H. S. Keith Wenning, Coldwater H. S.			
Division IV	Coach of the Year Player of the Year	Brian Perkins, Toronto H.S. Trever Gast, Arlington H. S>			

Past State Poll Champions

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	19	st Team All-Ohio	2nd Team All-Ohio				
Pitcher				Pitcher			
Whitehead	David	Moeller	SW	Mancusco	Mike	Brecksville-Broadview Hts.	NE
Martin	Eli	Tri-Valley	E	Lilley	Alex	Kettering Fairmont	SW
Thomas	Chris	Mass.Perry	NE	Korte	Brian	Cin. Elder	SW
Catcher		•		Schmenk	Alec	Perrysburg	NW
Beck	Tyler	Avon Lake	NE	Catcher		, ,	
Croak	Eric	Toledo St. John	NW	Bokor	Josh	Gahanna Lincoln	С
1st Base				Weir	Connor	Amherst	NW
Edward	Justin	Mount Vernon	С	1st Base			
Infield				Bekelesky	Thomas	Akron Firestone	NE
May	Jacob	Lakota West	SW	Infield			
Wills	Andrew	Lakota East	SW	Arovits	Alex	Lebanon	SW
Gamby	Kurt	Green	NE	Newman	Aaron	Toledo Start	NW
Chidemo	Selby	Cin. Elder	SW	Jamison	Eric	Western Brown	SW
Ward	Dan	Garfield Heights	NE	Barlow	Alex	Cin. Moeller	SW
Outfield		-		Outfield			
King	Jared	Dublin Jerome	С	Leytze	Michael	LaSalle	SW
O'Neill	Michael	Olentangy Liberty	С	White	Scott	Springboro	SW
O'Conner	Tim	Cin. Elder	SW	Wingertner	Corey	Mass. Jackson	NE
Eckstein	Michael	St. Charles Prep	С	Galland	Matt	Brecksville-Broadview Hts.	NE
Utility				Moore	Jordan	Springfield	SW
Sunderman	Robby	Moeller	SW	Woods	Ryan	Hudson	NE
POY							
King	Jared	Dublin Jerome	С	Utility			
Co-COY				Adams	Sam	Thomas Worthington	С
Held	Tim	Cin. Moeller	SW				
			Honorable Mention	Division 1 All-	-Ohic		
Allie	Stetson	St. Ed's	NE	Minton	Westley	Milford	SW
Bokar	Erik	Strongsville	NE	Morrisette	Kevin	Avon Lake	NE
Dezse	Josh	Olentangy Liberty	С	Neuschaefer	Jake	Elyria	NE
Huss	lan	Springboro	SW	Petry	Eric	Thomas Worthington	С
Isaacs	Dusty	Lebanon	SW	Pulito	Jon	Midview	NE
Lavisky	Alex	St. Edward	NE	Raymond	Tyler	Grove City	С
Lowe	Jonathan	Sidney	SW	Thamann	Kevin	Moeller	SW
Miller	Bryan	Brecksville-Broadview Hts	NE	Wetzel	Tim	Mayfield	NE



DIVISION II POLL TEAM

		1st Team All-Ohio				2nd Team All-Ohio	
Pitcher				Pitcher			
Kime	Dace	Defiance	NW	Varner	Seth	Clermont Northeast	SW
Drapcho	lan	Dover	E	Wisler	Matt	Bryan	NW
Miller	Tyler	Jonathon Alder	С	Koopman	Ryan	Tippecanoe	SW
Skulina	Tyler	Walsh Jesuit	NE	Catcher	,	11	
Catcher	, -			Townley	Jacob	Mans. Madison Comprehensiv	re NW
Mahon	Jacob	Jonathan Alder	С	Christopher	Mike	Woodridge	NE
Bogan	Mike	Wapakoneta	NW	Bartlett	Adam	Norwalk	NW
1st Base		Tapaneneta		1st Base	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	. To Train	
Zalanka	Rich	Perry (Lake)	NE	Berry	Ryan	Walsh Jesuit	NE
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Fasola	Johnny	Walsh Jesuit	NE	Maxwell	Colton	Zanesville	Е
Mezlak	lan	Lorain Clearview	NE	Grillo	Andy	Vinton Counv	SE
Dosch	Drew	Canal Winchester	C	Turner	Xavier	Sandusky Perkins	NW
Burkhardt	Kyle	Toledo Central Catholic	NW	Vollenweider	Sean	St. Francis DeSales	C
Toadvine	Derek	Kenton Ridge	SW	Outfield	Ocari	Ot. I failes Decales	O
Outfield	Delek	Remon Rage	344	Helland	Aaron	Defiance	NW
Dingess	Kyle	Gallia Academy	SE	Bouillon	Wes	Chillicothe Unito	SE
Fleming	Sean	Jonathan Alder	C	lacobucci	John	Indian Valley	E
Summers	Justin		NE		Kahl	Celina	NW
Ammar	Patrick	Marlington Walsh Jesuit	NE	Knapke Utility	Naili	Cellila	INVV
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Utility	Describes	Universe	SW	macker	Jonny	Delibrook	SVV
Gomes	Braydon	Urbana					
Kukwa	Anthony	Perry (Lake)	NE				
POY			NE				
Fasola COY	Johnny	Walsh Jesuit	NE				
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Kyle	Craig	Jonathan Alder	C	District 0 Att	Ob to		
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Aleshire	Evan	Wyoming	SW	Pugh	Trenton	Benjamin Logan	SW
Branisel	Taylor	Cleveland Benedictine	NE	Ridinger	Cody	Monroe	SW
Cooper	Brett	Canfield	NE	Rogers	Mark	Richmond Edison	E
Hastwell	Alan	Indian Creek	E	Siwek	Mike	Madison Comprehensive	NW
Hood	Chayse	Eaton	SW	Ulrey	Garrett	Highland Sparta	С
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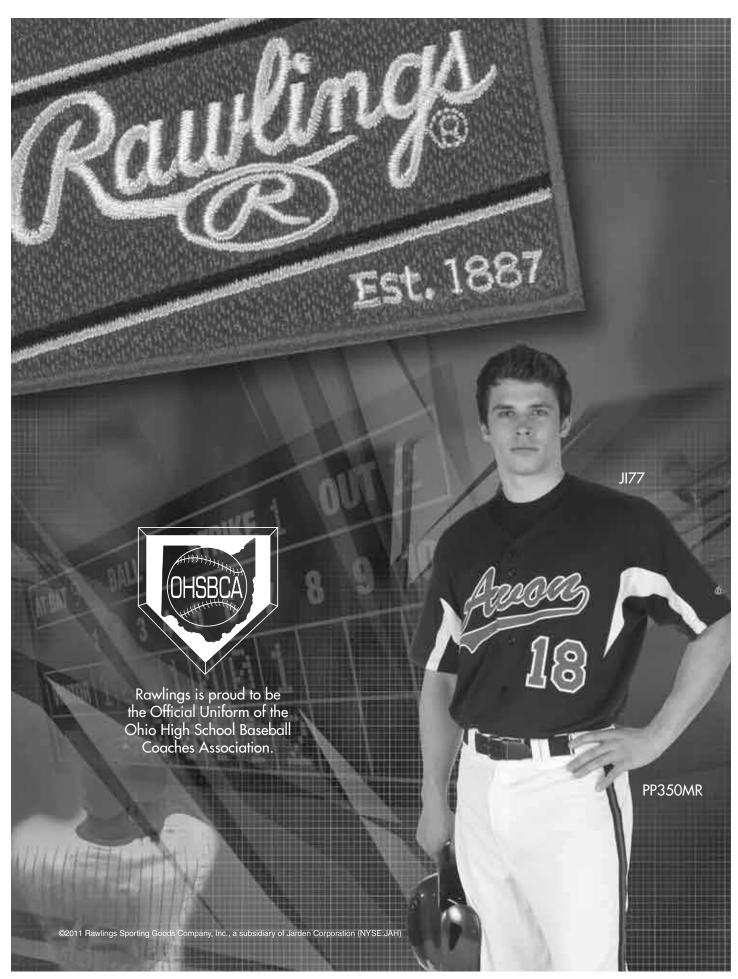
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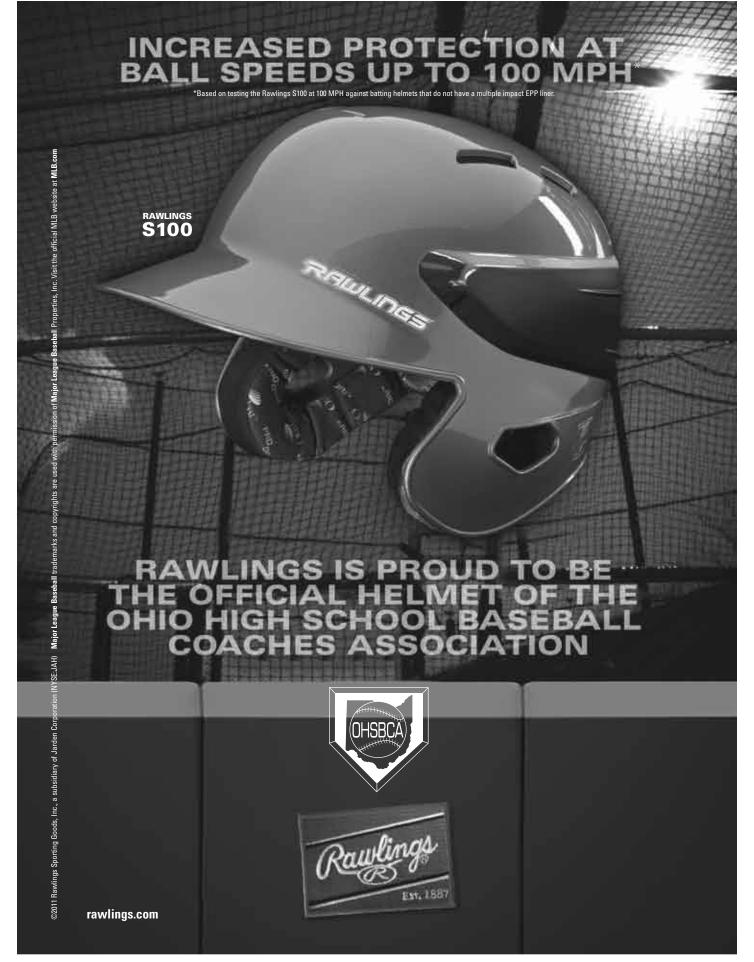
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Pitcher				Pitcher				
Suvak	Josh	Independence	NE	Smetana	Bryce	Berkshire	NE	
Wenning	Keith	Coldwater	NW	McKenney	Ethan	Tinora	NW	
Draper	Derek	Riverdale	NW	Wolfe	Zach	Westfall	SE	
Catcher				Catcher				
Kuzniczci	Cody	Madeira	SW	Divers	Kale	Edison (Milan)	NW	
Oesch	Aaron	Minford	SE	Darnell	Ryan	Wellston	SE	
1st Base				1st Base				
Ruhl	C.J,	Fredericktown	SW	Mescher	Patrick	Versailles	SW	
Infield				Infield				
Williams	Matt	Cin. Hills Christian Academy	SW	Siciliano	Anthony	Independence	NE	
Stone	Jeff	Cardington Lincoln	С	Fulk	Zack	Hillsdale	NE	
Thompson	Tyler	Federal Hocking	SE	Dennison	Kyle	Bucyrus	NW	
Thomay	Cal	Lutheran west	NE	Myers	Josh	Portsmouth	SE	
Outfield				Rothenbuhler	Reid	Elmwood	NW	
Liberti	Brendan	Clear Fork	NW	Outfield				
Frost	Shawn	Mount Gilead	С	Smith	Matt	Fredericktown	С	
Ernsberger	Marty	Ontario	NW	Westgerdes	Jason	St. Henry	NW	
Shomaker	Jake	Cin. Hills Christian Academy	SW	Kubuski	Andrew	Elyria Catholic	NE	
Utility				Dickerson	Jake	Clear Fork	NW	
Baker	Taylore	Canton Central Catholic	NE	Terwilliger	Eric	Anna	SW	
Hayes	Ryan	Dixie	SW	Utility				
POY				Rammell	Aaron	Coldwater	NW	
Wenning	Keith	Coldwater	NW					
COY								
Harlamart	Brian	Coldwater	NW					
			Honorable Mention	Division 3 All-C	Dhio			
Bukiewicz	Zach	Lucasville Valley	SE	Hinman	Jack	Chagrin Falls	NE	
Daniels	Brandon	Crooksville	SE	Kiser	Kyle	Pymatuning Valley	NE	
Elliott	Andrew	Wheelersburg	SE	Kremer	Brad	St.Henry	NW	
Farmer	Zach	Piketon	SE	Lloyd	John	Cin. Hills Christian Academy	SW	
Floravit	Micheal	Girard	NE	•		,		



DIVISION IV POLL TEAM

	15	st Team All-Ohio		2nd Team All-Ohio			
Pitcher				Pitcher			
Gast	Trever	Arlington	NW	Lammers	Rusty	Miller City	NW
Hites	Corey	Fairport Harbor	NE	Hoying	Justin	Fort Loramie	SW
Dearth	Donson	Fisher Catholic	С	Porter	Dave	Toronto	E
Catcher				Catcher			
Hogya	Mike	Fairport Harding	NE	Fridley	Will	Lehman Catholic	SW
Butler	Tyler	Toronto	E	Boerger	Jake	Ft Loramie	SW
Gordon	Joe	Houston	SW	1st Base			
1st Base				Garman	Michael	Toronto	Е
Price	Nick	New London	NW	Infield			
Infield				Ferrell	Ryan	Cincinnati Seven Hills	SW
Fondreist	Sam	Tuscarawas Central Catholic.	E	Huffman	Cory	Mohawk	NW
Spearman	David	Lehman Catholic	SW	Schieltz	Andy	Ft. Loramie	SW
Harless	Russell	Fairport Harding	NE	Tracht	Dan	Norwalk St. Paul	NW
Kettering	Sean	Malvern	E	Walker	Garrett	Fremont St. Joe	NW
Outfield				Outfield			
Neu	Kyle	Cincinnati Seven Hills	SW	Girod	Caleb	Lincolnview	NW
George	Luke	Patrick Henry	NW	Leininger	Jordan	Delphos St. Johns	NW
Burch	Luke	Berlin Hiland	E	Raterman	Mitch	Fort Loramie	SW
Mangas	Derek	Leipsic	NW	Yoder	Nathan	Fairview	NW
Vail	Christian	Lucas	NW	Utility			
Utility				Purpus	Craig	Minster	NW
Hovest	Brandon	Columbus Grove	NW	Walsh	David	Buckeye Central	NW
POY							
Gast	Trever	Arlington	NW				
COY							
Perkins	Brian	Toronto	E				
			Honorable Mention	Division 4 All	-Ohio		
Baumer	Austin	Minster	NW	Dietz	Max	Cincinnati Country Day	SW
Bergfield	Tyler	Delphos St. John's	NW	Eder	Anthony	Cuyahoga Heights	NE
Black	Josh	Southeastern	SW	Erwin	Tyler	Buckeye Central	NW
Blair	Peyton	Ironton St Joseph	SE	Mesker	Drew	Fort Jennings	NW
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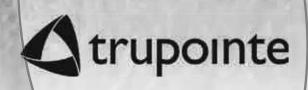
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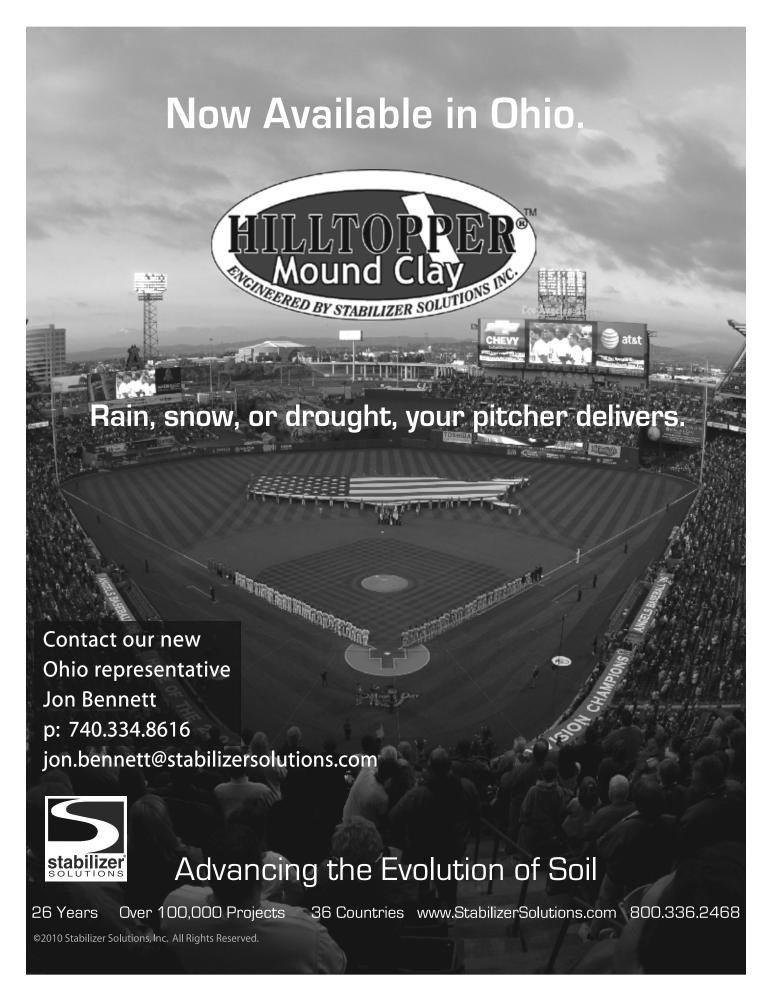
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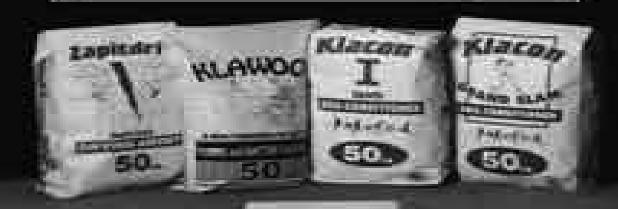
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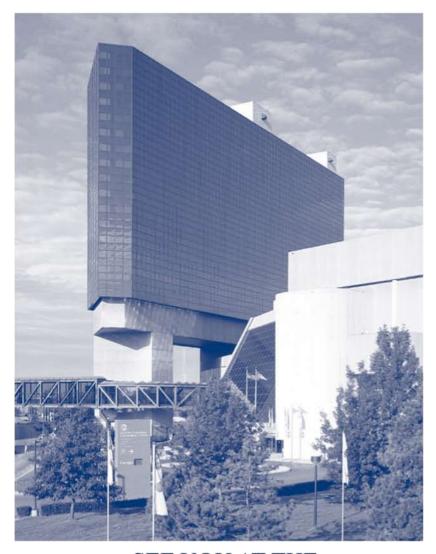


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