

Paul McDonald ~ Wisconsin Boys



Paul McDonald Minnesota Boys Coach The name “McDonald” is synonymous with Minnesota basketball. Paul played four seasons for his father, Bob McDonald, at Chisholm High School, winning two state titles while helping the Bluesteaks to a four-year record of 98-8. Paul left Chisholm for the college game (Nebraska and So. Dakota State) before starting his coaching career at the high school level in Cotton and Tower-Soudan.

He recently retired after his 29th season as head coach at Vermilion Community College, where he’d captured state, region, and district Coach of the Year honors. Paul, who had more than 500 career wins at Vermilion, was a two-time finalist for the NJCCA National Coach of the Year award. He’s sent nine players to D1 basketball teams, has coached fifteen All-Americans and has qualified for 23 straight State Tournaments, which is a record.

Paul is currently a St. Louis County Commissioner.