

2017 COACHING STAFF

VARSITY STAFF



Head Varsity Coach: Jim DiGuiseppe, Jr. (21st season)

Coach DiGuiseppe, Jr. is a graduate of Archbishop Wood High School. He is entering his 6th season as the Vikings Head Baseball Coach. He earned his B.S. from Delaware Valley University and M.S. from Villanova University. Coach “Dege” was a three-year starter at DVU. While playing for the Aggies, he was awarded Most Valuable Player and First Team All-Conference. Additionally, Coach played for Lansdale in the Perkiomen Valley League. During his tenure as the Vikings Head Baseball Coach, he has compiled an overall record of 80-31 (.721) and 45-15 (.750) in PCL play. Coach has guided the Vikings to 3 straight District 12 AAA Championships (2014, 2015 & 2016), Division Championships in 2014 & 2015 and the PCL Championship in 2015. The Vikings have made 3 Pennsylvania State playoff appearances over the last 5 years. Coach was awarded Southeastern Pennsylvania Coach of the Year in 2015. He was named the 2014 & 2015 Philadelphia Catholic League Coach of the Year. Coach was named head coach of the 2013 PCL Carpenter Cup team, after serving as assistant coach from 2008-2012. He currently serves as General Manager for the PCL franchise. He is a Business Teacher at Bucks County Technical High School and the Owner/Director of Underground Baseball & Field of Dreams Baseball Camp, Inc. Coach is married to Beth and has 2 sons; J.P. and Dominic.



Assistant Varsity Coach: Jim DiGuiseppe, Sr. (27th season)

Coach DiGuiseppe, Sr. is a graduate of Cardinal Dougherty High School. He earned his B.S. from Temple University.

Coach “D” is a former head varsity coach for Archbishop Wood High School and was named the 2009 & 2010 Philadelphia Catholic League Coach of the Year, as well as the 2009 Bucks County Courier Times Coach of the Year. He has been a coach on the PCL Carpenter Cup staff from 2008-16.

He is a Health and Physical Education teacher at Neil Armstrong Middle School and the Co-Director of the Field of Dreams Baseball Camp. Coach is married to Christine for the last 44 years and has 3 children; Jim, Jr., Andrea and Christopher. He has 7 grandchildren; J.P., Dominic, Haley, Jackson, Audriana, Sophia and Sienna.



Assistant Varsity Coach: Dennis Murphy (2nd season)

Coach Murphy is a graduate of Father Judge High School. He earned his B.S. from DeSales University and M.S. from Holy Family University. He was a two-year starter in the infield at Judge, playing in the 1997 PCL Championship. He was named a NE Times All-Star. Coach went on to play infield on the DeSales team. Additionally, he played for LOMA in the Pennel League for 9 seasons.

He was the head varsity coach at Lower Moreland High School for 6 seasons and assistant coach at Father Judge for 7 seasons. He was an assistant coach on the SOL National/Bicentennial Carpenter Cup team in 2014 & 2015, winning the tournament in 2015 at Citizens Bank Park. Coach is a teacher at Lower Moreland High School. He is married to Karen and has 3 sons; Tommy, Patrick and Brendan.

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Assistant Varsity Coach: Matt McAllister (2nd season)

Coach McAllister is a graduate of Archbishop Wood High School. He earned his B.S. from West Chester University. While playing for Wood, he was a standout on the mound, in the field and at the plate. He was awarded first team All-Catholic as a pitcher and first baseman and a key member of the Vikings 2009 & 2010 Title teams. Coach "Mac" went on to be a standout collegiate pitcher at West Chester University and starting pitcher on their 2012 National Championship team. He currently plays semi-pro ball for Horsham in the Pennel League. He is an instructor at the Field of Dreams Baseball Camp and does private pitching instruction locally. He is a life-long Warminster resident.



Assistant Varsity Coach: Jason Osbeck (12th season)

Coach Osbeck is a graduate of Council Rock High School. He earned his B.S. from the University of Delaware. Coach was a letter winner as a catcher while playing for the Blue Hens and a member of their 1995 NAC Champion and NCAA Play-in team, 1996 NAC Champion and NCAA Midwest Regional team and 1997 America East Champion team. Coach "Oz" is a former assistant coach for Newtown American Legion and returns to Wood for his second stint on the Viking staff. He is employed by Healthcare Services Group. Coach is married to Mary Beth and has 2 children; Elizabeth and John.



Assistant Varsity Coach: Eric Rohrback (1st season)

Coach Rohrback is a graduate of Frankford High School. Currently, he coaches the Roslyn Bluehawks American Legion team and in the Philly Blue Sox organization. Additionally, he is the travel baseball commissioner for Roslyn. Coach Rohrback is a former assistant coach at Abington High School, Neumann-Goretti High School and has worked the Phillies Baseball Academy. He is an accountant at S.M. Collins & Associates. Coach is married to Katie and has 3 children; Colin, Mackenzie and Lucy.

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Head JV/Assistant Varsity Coach: Fred Reichwein (8th season)

Coach Reichwein is a graduate of Archbishop Wood High School. He has coached locally for many years, serving in both the Hatboro and Warminster Leagues. Coach is a former assistant in the Pennel League, having worked with the Warminster franchise. Coach lives in the Warminster area and has 2 children; Shyvonne and Freddy. He has 2 grandchildren.



Assistant JV Coach: Freddy Reichwein (2nd season)

Coach Reichwein is a graduate of William Tennent High School. Coach was a collegiate pitcher at Kutztown University. He pitched for Warminster in the Pennel League. Coach Reichwein has 2 sons.

FRESHMAN STAFF



Head Freshman Coach: Rob Bailey (4th season)

Coach Bailey is a graduate of Bishop McDevitt High School. He is entering his 3rd season as the Freshman Head Baseball Coach. He has coached AAU ball for Abington Baseball, CYO ball for St. Hilary's and in the Connie Mack League. His summer AAU teams have been success while participating in many tournaments. Coach is a successful business owner, running both Bailey Landscaping and the Tailgate BBQ in Glenside. He is married to Betsy and has 1 son



Assistant Freshman Coach: Ray Duckworth (12th season)

Coach Duckworth is a graduate of Archbishop Wood High School. He was an assistant coach for Newtown American Legion, after having spent several years as a coach in the Northampton and Newtown community leagues. He is self-employed as a HVAC contractor. Coach is married and has 3 children; Scott, Lauren and Sean. He has 2 grandchildren; Jake and Regan.



Assistant Freshman Coach: James Petrino (2nd season)

Coach Petrino is a graduate of Bristol High School. He was a three-year starter in the infield during his tenure as a Bristol Warrior. Coach earned his B.S. from La Salle University in Secondary Mathematics Education. He is currently a math teacher at Archbishop Wood High School.

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Head Athletic Trainer: Peter Fath (13th season)

Head AT Fath is a graduate of Great Neck South High School (New York). He earned his B.S from the University of South Carolina and M.S. from Temple University. He was an AT for the Gamecocks prior to coming to Archbishop Wood. AT Fath was recognized by the National Athletic Trainers Association (Research Excellence Award) for his Shoulder & Elbow Kinematics during an “Overhead Throwing Motion” in Collegiate Baseball Players.

In addition to working as our Head AT, he serves as a Technician for Temple University Orthopedics.



Strength & Conditioning Coach: Chris Meister (2nd season)

Coach Meister is a graduate of Archbishop Wood High School ('98), he was a three year team captain, accumulated 118 career high school wins, 3-time Philadelphia Catholic League Champion and 2-time High School National Prep All-American ('98-Champion, '97-4th). He went on to wrestle at Lock Haven University, until eventually transferring to Delaware Valley University his senior year, where he completed his collegiate wrestling career. During his college wrestling career, he won and placed in many open and collegiate wrestling tournaments throughout the country.

Coach graduated from Delaware Valley University with a degree in Business Administration - Finance. He also received his Master's degree in Real Estate Finance & Investments from The Johns Hopkins University, Carey School of Business, Edward St. John School of Real Estate in Baltimore, MD in 2010. He spent 10 years working in the in the private sector as a real estate professional, financing, trading and owning real estate investments, until 2013 when he left the corporate world to focus full-time on coaching CrossFit, Olympic weightlifting and wrestling.

In 2015 he was inducted into Archbishop Wood High Schools hall of fame for Athletics. He is still actively competing in wrestling and fitness competitions. He lives locally with his wife and children.