

I am extremely excited to be the head football coach at Rancho Mirage High School. The opportunity to open a brand new high school has truly been an honor.

I was born and raised in a small rural community in Northeastern Montana. I graduated from Malta High School, in Malta Montana in 1999. Located 60 miles south of the Canadian border we had a population of around 2,000 people in my town. I was a 3 sport athlete, playing football, basketball, and track. After high school I played 5 years of college football and graduated with a Bachelors Degree from Montana State University – Northern in K-12 Physical Education and Health Enhancement. In 2007, I completed my Masters Degree from California State University San Bernardino in Educational Administration.

In 2005, I was hired by Palm Springs Unified School District to teach Elementary PE at Edward L. Wenzlaff Elementary in Desert Hot Springs. I taught there for 4 years, and then transferred to Desert Hot Springs High School where I taught 4 more years. This will be my 9th year teaching for PSUSD. I currently teach Freshman PE and weight training.

In 2004, my coaching career began as a Graduate Assistant at Montana State University – Northern where I coached Linebackers. When I was hired by the PSUSD, I began my high school coaching career at DHSHS as an assistant varsity coach. My second year I became defensive coordinator. In 2009, I became the head football coach at DHSHS, and held that position for 4 years before transferring to Rancho Mirage High School. This is my 11 year of coaching. I have coached basketball and track and field as well.

As we enter into our second year as a Varsity Football program, I am extremely excited that we will return every starter from last season. History will be made as we will have our first class of seniors. The players are working extremely hard in the weight room and on the field in anticipation for this upcoming season. We look to compete for a De Anza League Championship. Go Rattlers!