Coach

Brian Seva

Title: Head Coach

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Coach Brian has been coaching for 25+ years, the last 11 years on the dirt. It's what he loves to do. So many life lessons are learned through sport and the opportunity to have a positive impact on every player is a privilege. He focuses a lot on the mental game. He believes that the confidence to play free and not fear making a mistake is a superpower.

His softball coaching journey at Five Cities in Loomis coaching rec, Coach Brian started the Screaming Eagles B (select) program and coached that for 4 years. In 2018 he moved to LTG where he built the 2022 team and finished with the 2023 team. After 6 years coaching the Granite Bay High School Varsity team and one year as an assistant to legendary coach Darci Brownell at Sierra College, He took over the Yuba College Softball program in July 2023.

In his first year at Yuba, the team went 22-16 and was the GVC conference champion in its first year in the conference. That team produced four 1st team and three 2nd team all-conference players. This includes All State player Faith Epperson (Sacramento State), who led the state in stolen bases and All North player Jerzie Brown. Both finished inside the top 10 in batting average. The 2024 team owned the 8th ranked offense in the state. He feels the Yuba area is talent rich in softball and can support a powerhouse in the state.

Hi teams have won numerous tournaments at the local and

national level. The following are some of the major accomplishments of his teams:

- 2016- 7th USA 12uB Western Nationals
- 2017- 7th USA 14uB Western Nationals
- 2018- 4th USA 14A Western Nationals
- 2018- Granite Bay SFL Champs
- 2019- 3rd USA 14A Nationals
- 2019- 9th 14u PGF Platinum Nationals
- 2021- 5th 16u Colorado Fireworks Power Pool
- 2021- 13th 16u PGF Premier Nationals
- 2022- 5th 16u Colorado Fireworks Power Pool
- 2022- 3rd PGF Premier Nationals
- 2023- Granite Bay SFL Champs
- 2023- 5th 18u Colorado Fireworks Power Pool
- 2024- GVC Champions

Coach Brian played basketball at Gavilan College in Gilroy, Ca. He was a high school boys' basketball coach for 7 years as well as coaching numerous other youth sports along the way. He fell in love with the game of softball while coaching his daughter's teams the past 10 years. His daughters Hailey (Senior-Southern Oregon) and Avery (Sophomore- Santa Clara), son Benny (13), and wife Amie are his best friends.

Karlee Coughlin- Assistant Coach

Karlee Coughlin graduated from Sutter Union High School in 2016 playing on varsity So.-Sr. year. She received MVP Award her Freshman, Sophomore, and Senior year. Her junior year she received Offensive Player of the Year. Earned All-Area First Team her Junior and Senior year. After high school, Karlee earned an athletic scholarship to Southern Oregon University where she earned 2017 Gold Glove and 1st Team All-Collegiate Cascade Conference. She transferred to Minot State University she earned 2nd Team All Northern Sun in 2019 and Intercollegiate Conference and became the 5th All-Time leading hitter in Minot State History. Unfortunately, COVID ended her career in 2020. While in Minot, ND she coached a travel team and coached at a local high school. In 2021, she coached at Sutter Union High School. Karlee started 3G Softball providing private softball lessons. 530-682-8927 Cell

Robert Johnson- Assistant Coach

Robert Johnson will be entering his 5th year as an assistant coach on the Yuba College softball staff. He has coached 2 MVP's, 7 First Team All-Conference and 7 Second Team All-Conference players. Coach J has been coaching softball at the recreation, high school and college level for 33 years. Robert has also coached high school basketball for 27 years and 7 years with the Yuba College women's program. Coach J has been on the staff of 2 conference championships. championship BVC basketball 0 n e and one GVC softball championship. Coach J is a retiree of the State of California, a father of 3 adult children and grandfather of 2. For the past 29 years, Coach J has spent his free time playing baseball in the Sacramento Men's Senior Baseball League. He has traveled to San Diego, Las Vegas and Phoenix Arizona for tournaments.