DAVE WASSINK Kalamazoo Christian High School

Dave has spent his entire 28-year coaching career at Kalamazoo Christian. His first job was with the freshman team which he coached from 1971 through 1976. He took over Christian's varsity team in 1976 and held that position until he retired after last year's season. Over the 23 years as head coach his teams won 374 and lost 168 which earned him four BCAM Varsity Century Club awards.



Included in the 374 wins Dave coached were nine League, eleven District and six Regional Championships. His team made it to the Final Four four times, winning one State Championship in 1984 and State Runner-Up in 1998-99.

Dave has been a BCAM board member for 17 years. He has served as BCAM president as well as serving as chairman of the boys' All-Star Selection Committee and chairman of the Scholarship committee since 1990.

Included in his many coaching honors are AP Coach of the Year in Class C in 1984, BCAM Regional Coach of the Year five times, BCAM Class C State Coach of the Year in 1983-84 and 1998-99 and finished his coaching career as BCAM's boys' Overall Coach of the Year for the 1998-99 season.