



**Edward "Mike" Murphy
Muskegon High School (Retired)**

"Mike", as he would like to be called, started his basketball coaching career at Grand Rapids South High School in 1953. He stayed there until 1964. During that time, his teams won 161 and lost only 56 games, for a winning percentage of .74%. Included were 7 League, 5 District, and 4 Regional Championships.

He then moved to Muskegon High School and coached until 1978. His success continued, winning 154 games and losing 81. Championships continued to follow him with 7 League, 8 Districts, and 1 Regional. Mike's overall record of 315 wins and 137 losses gave him a winning percentage of over 70%.

Mike received several Coach of the Year awards from the Grand Rapids City League and the Lake Michigan Athletic Conference. He has served on many committees throughout his career. Among those were the MHSAA Rules Committee and the Officials Selection Committee.