

## NOD7BCA BASKETBALL COACHES CLINIC

DATE: Thursday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018  
TIME: 6:00-9:00 PM  
LOCATION: Delta High School (605 Taylor St, Delta, OH 43515)  
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### **Brooks Miller, Trine University; Topic: Zone Offense**

Coach Miller has been the head coach at Trine U. since 2011 and has more than 16 years of collegiate basketball playing and coaching experience, including serving as a graduate assistant coach to Bob Knight, who ranks third on the all-time NCAA Division I wins list. Miller's seven-year career as head coach at Trine U. has included **seven consecutive** top-4 MIAA finishes which culminated in **seven consecutive** trips to the MIAA tournament. Trine U. has posted an overall record of 105-78 under Miller's guidance including a 57-41 mark against MIAA foes. In 2015-2016, Trine U. **set a school record** for most wins in the NCAA Division III era in a season at 18 wins. Additionally, Trine U. has also set the **MIAA record for free throws percentage** in a conference season at 85 percent in 2014-15 and **have lead the MIAA** in that category five of the last seven seasons. The Thunder's defense has been a staple of success as it has **led the MIAA** in overall scoring defense four of the last five seasons as well as holding opponents to a conference best 42.1% from the field in 2018.

### **Dick Crowell, Bowsher High School, Retired; Topic: Nuggets and Wrinkles: Past to Present and Defensive Transition**

All Coach Crowell ever wanted to be was a basketball coach. In the 4th grade his teacher got so upset with him drawing plays on his papers, that she called a parent's conference in an attempt to solve the problem. In 1966, he got his chance, when he became the 8th grade coach at Jefferson Junior High School in Elyria. The dream had come true. Once again, a superior questioned how anyone in his right mind could take 8th grade basketball so seriously. The next stop was at Lakewood High School as the varsity assistant for two years. In 1968, he became the head coach at Kirtland High School. While at Kirtland, the teams took **two trips to Regional tournaments** and he was named **East Suburban Coach of the Year** in 1972, and was selected to coach the **North team in the annual Ohio North-South game** then held in Marion. After KHS, he took the job at Brush High School in Cleveland for two years. In 1974, a phone call from a good friend in Toledo changed his life. Soon after, he became the coach at Bowsher High School where he coached until 1994. While at BHS hiestams reached the **District tournament** on numerous occasions. In 1977, BHS won the **Blue Division in the Toledo City League**. At the time was one of the premier leagues in Ohio. During those 20 years Dick was named **Northwest Ohio and District 7 coach of the year**. He was also inducted into the **District 7 and Bowsher Halls of Fame**. Dick is not only proud of all the players who went on to play college basketball, but also those who ventured into many walks of life and have become successful in their chosen fields. Dick and his wife Sally of 51 years have lived in Springfield Township for 44 years. They have two sons. Jeff: 48 and Todd: 46.

### **Joe Pechota, Siena Heights University; Topic: Secondary Fastbreak and Transition Drills**

Coach Pechota is entering his seventh season at Siena Heights U. He has 25 years of coaching experience at the Division I, II, III and NAIA levels. Coach has been the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference Men's Basketball Chair for four years. Siena Heights has been **Top-**

**10NAIA** in the following categories over the past four years: scoring defense, rebounding margin, and defensive rebounds per game. Pechota came to Siena Heights after seven seasons as the head coach for Brescia University. Brescia appeared in **two consecutive** Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference finals. Prior to coaching at Brescia, Pechota was at Indiana-Purdue-Fort Wayne where he graduated from assistant to associate head coach to interim head coach during his six seasons at IPFW. He was also an assistant at Ferris State for one season and at Alma for three seasons.

### **CLINIC INFORMATION**

The NOD7BCA Clinic is an on-the-court clinic and has been designed to be beneficial for boys and girls coaches of all levels. Each clinician will utilize Coach Joe Pechota's Siena Heights Universities Men's basketball players as their demonstrators.

Please enter Delta High School through door #17. Registration tables will be in the hallway. Coaches who pre-register should fill out the enclosed pre-registration form and mail it, along with their registration fee to:

- Derek Sheridan, NOD7BC Clinic Director
- 1524 Charmaine Drive, Toledo, OH 43614

**Registration Information**

**Pre-Registration Cost:** (Boys' & Girls' coaching staffs are separate)

- High School Coaches: \$30.00 for 1 coach or \$60.00 for HS coaching staff
- Middle School/AAU/CYO Coaches: \$20.00 per coach or \$40.00 for MS coaching staff

**At-the-Door Registration Cost:** (Boys' & Girls' coaching staffs are separate)

- High School Coaches: \$40.00 for 1 coach or \$80.00 for HS coaching staff
- Middle School/AAU/CYO Coaches: \$30.00 for 1 coach or \$45.00 for MS coaching staff

**Pre-Registration Form**

\*Boys' & Girls' coaching staffs should register separately\*

\*Contact Info is requested for Emergency Contact Only\*

HEAD COACH'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE No.: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTENDING COACHES NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_

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SCHOOL/ORGANIZATION NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE CIRCLE: High School Coach      Middle School Coach      AAU/CYO Coach

PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE LINE – IF PRE-REGISTERING:

- I am the only coach from my high school staff attending (\$30.00) \_\_\_\_\_
- I am bringing members of my high school coaching staff with me (\$60.00) \_\_\_\_\_
- I am the only coach from my middle school/AAU/CYO staff attending (\$20.00) \_\_\_\_\_
- I am bringing members of my middle school/AAU/CYO coaching staff (\$40.00) \_\_\_\_\_

**MAKE CHECKS OUT TO:**

District VII Basketball Coaches Clinic  
C/O Derek Sheridan  
1524 Charmain Dr.  
Toledo, OH 43614

***\*INCLUDE YOUR REGISTRATION FORM WITH YOUR CHECK\****

***\*If both boys' & girls' coaches from the same school are attending; one check can be issued, but please register separately\****