

**Indiana Football Coaches Association
2023**

Dave Land “Coach of the Year”

Paul Loggan “Assistant Coach of the Year”



2023 Dave Land “Coach of the Year”

Kurt Tippmann

Fort Wayne Snider (5A)

Coach Tippmann completed his 15th year as the head coach of Snider High School with an overall record of 150 wins to just 37 losses. His 80% win percentage ranks as the 8th best in the state of Indiana for active coaches. In his 15 years as head coach, the Panthers have won 6 conference titles, 13 Sectional championships, 8 Regional titles, 3 Semi State titles and 2 State championships in 2015 and 2023. Coach Tippmann attributes the success of the Snider Football program to the best coaching staff in Indiana and a group of players that work hard and love football. Kurt is married to Martina, a 1990 Snider graduate and they have 3 sons, Hayden (Snider 2020), Jake and Sawyer. Jake and Sawyer were members of the 2023 State Championship team. Jake was the Mental attitude winner for class 5A.

2023 Paul Loggan “Assistant Coach of the Year”

Dave Neuenschwander

Adams Central (1A)

Dave Neuenschwander has been coaching varsity football at Adams Central for 29 years and has coached a variety of different positions both offensively and defensively. His expertise has been in offense and he has been instrumental in developing the offensive schemes for each week’s opponent. His coaching record is astounding. While at Adams Central, he has coached in and won 8 Conference Championships, 17 Sectional Championships, and 12 Regional Championships. He has also helped to win four Semi-State Championships and consequently coached in four State Finals. He was part of Adams Central’s 2000 state championship as well as AC’s last three consecutive appearances against Indianapolis Lutheran. This season was his last for he has decided to retire. He will be greatly missed by coaches and players.

2023 Coach of the Year in Each Class

1A - Dave Pasch, Indianapolis Lutheran

2A - Kyle Lyndsay, Fort Wayne Bishop Luers

3A - Todd Wilkerson, Heritage Hills

4A - Nate Andrews, NorthWood

5A - Kurt Tippmann, Fort Wayne Snider

6A - Russ Mann, Ben Davis

2023 Assistant Coach of the Year in Each Class

1A - Dave Neuenschwander, Adams Central

2A - Dan Vukovits, South Vermillion

3A - Kevin Tempel, Heritage Hills

4A - Lou Sipe, East Central

5A - Ryan Mohrman, Fort Wayne Snider

6A - Russ Sumner, Ben Davis