

## **Ronald W. Geyer**

Born: November 25, 1953, El Paso, Texas

High School: Burges High School, El Paso, Texas

College: University of Texas at El Paso (UTEP) 1973 bachelor's degree in biology with a Teaching Certificate

University of Idaho 1978, Bachelor of Science in Wildlife - Fishery Resources

UTEP Secondary Teaching Certification 1979 - Science Composite and Physical Education

Eastern New Mexico University.1997 master's in education – education administration

## **Professionally**

From 1979-2020, Ron was teacher, coach, assistant principal at seven high schools.

- 30 years as a head basketball coach – Career – Boys (510-243) and Girls (56-28). One of two high school boys' basketball coaches to win over 200 victories at two high schools.
  - Ruidoso (4-39)
  - Deming (29-23)
  - Alamogordo (224-68)
  - Los Lunas (56-28) Girls
  - St. Michael's (253-113)
- 26 state playoff appearances
- 6 State Championships (Alamogordo 1990-1991, 1991-1992, & 1996-1997) (St. Michael's 2005-2006, 2006-2007, & 2011-2012)
- Five State Runner-up finishes (Alamogordo 1995-1996 & 1997-1998) (St. Michael's 2008-2009, & 2012-2013 & 2013-2014).
- Four State Third-Place finishes (Deming 1988-1989) (Alamogordo 1994-1995, 1999-2000, & 2000-2001)
- 18 Final Four appearances
- 1979-1981 Jefferson High School, El Paso, Texas
  - Head Boys' and Girls' Cross-Country Coach
  - Freshmen Boys' Basketball Coach
  - Teacher – Earth Science and Physical Science.
- 1981-1984 Ruidoso High School
  - 1981-1982 Assistant Boys' Basketball Coach
  - 1982-1984 Head Boys' Basketball Coach
  - 1981-1984 Assistant Football Coach
- 1984-1987 Alamogordo High School
  - Assistant Boys' Basketball Coach
  - Teacher – Biology and Physical Science
- 1987-1989 Deming High School
  - Head Boys' Basketball Coach
- 1989-2002 Alamogordo High School
  - 1989-1991 Assistant Boys' Basketball Coach
  - 1991-2002 Head Boys' Basketball Coach
  - Teacher – Biology and Physical Science
- 2002-2005 Los Lunas High School
  - Head Girls' Basketball Coach
  - Teacher – Biology, General Science and Ecology.
- 2005-2020 St. Michaels High School Santa Fe, New Mexico

- 2005 -2017 Head Boys' Basketball Coach
- 2005-2011 Teacher - Life Science, Biology, Physical Science, Environmental Science and PE.
- 2011-2020 Assistant Principal
- Other Jobs
  - 1972-1973 Geyer ~~Distributing Company, El Paso, Texas ...~~ Salesman & Warehouseman
  - 1976 May-June - Idaho Fish and Game Department, Clark Fork, Idaho Fish Hatchery Aid. Assisted in spawn taking, fish stocking, and general maintenance.
  - 1975 May-August & 1977 May-September Gila National Forest, Silver City, New Mexico Surveying Technician 1. Assisted in surveying for logging roads, trailer parks, and campgrounds
  - 1977 October-December Washington Water Power Company, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho ... Fisheries Biologist Aid. Assisted in salmon research. Work included food habit analysis, population estimation, and spawn taking.
  - 1978 September – May 1979 El Paso Public Schools, El Paso, Texas Substitute Teacher.
  - 1979 June-August Colvig Silver Camp, Durango, Colorado Boys' Counselor
  - 1980 June-August & June-August 1981 Rio Grande National Forest, Creede, Colorado Range Technician. Areas of work included wildlife habitat improvement, range improvement construction, trail maintenance, and fire control.

## Honors

- District Coach of the Year – 12 times
- State Basketball Coach of the Year – 3 times
- 2012 New Mexico Sports Hall of Fame Coach of the Year
- 2012 National Federation Sectional Boys' Basketball Coach of the Year
- 2012 National High School Athletic Coaches Association Coach of the Year finalist.
- 2012 Inducted into the New Mexico High School Coaches Associations Hall of Honor

## Community

- Youth Counselor, Zion Lutheran Church, El Paso, Texas (April 1980- May 1981). Youth Counselor. Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, Ruidoso, New Mexico (September 1981 - 1984).
- Featured speaker at coaching clinics:
  - Arizona High School Coaches Association
  - Eastern New Mexico University Basketball clinic
  - New Mexico High School Coaches Association – three times
  - New Mexico State University – Lou Henson Basketball Coaches Clinic
  - St. Michael's's Basketball Coaching clinic
- Volunteer Santa Fe Food Depot
- Volunteer drill instructor Santa Fe Pickleball Club

## Family

- Wife-Cindy Geyer
- Children- Wesley Geyer, Heidi Geyer, Erik Geyer, Aimee De Lora