

Kurt Hasenstein (Glenbrook South High School)

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Kurt Hasenstein coached at Glenbrook South for 34 years until retiring in June 2024. He coached both boys; cross country and boys' track and field teams the entire time, primarily as the head coach. In track and field, his team won two Sectional Championships and were fifth at the IHSA State Meet in both 2021 and 2022. He coached athletes to at least 34 IHSA State Meet medals, including four individual State Championships. Under Kurt's leadership, Glenbrook South has hosted numerous dual, triangular, and quad meets, and at least one indoor and two outdoor invitationals each season. Kurt and

Glenbrook South are frequent host to the IHSA Sectional Meet. He created the Glenbrook South Faculty Fitness called "Titan Your Tummy." IHSA officials frequently ask to work his meets. From the late Al Carius, What stands out well above these achievements has been the profound positive **[effect]** Kurt has had on countless young lives throughout his tenure."

