



Erik Bakich

Head Coach
University of Maryland

- Erik became the 6th coach in the history of University of Maryland baseball.
- For 7 seasons he was at Vanderbilt.

- There he earned the reputation of being one of the best hitting coaches and recruiting coaches in college baseball.
- Bakich was a stand out player at East Carolina University.
 - Many coaches at the 2009 Bash asked if he could return for an encore performance.
 - Regarded as one of the young outstanding coaches, his hire at Maryland promises to raise the bar for the Terps.



Tom Griffin

Head Coach
Carson-Newman

- He begins his 6th season at the school
- The Eagles have been one of the leading Division II Teams in the nation the last 5 years.

- He is regarded to be one of the best catching instructors on the east coast.
- His instructional catching baseball video is one of the best produced.
- In 2007 he was the featured speaker at the ABCA Clinic in Orlando.

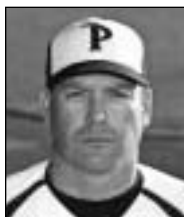


Eddie Smith

Assistant Coach
University of Virginia

- Eddie is in his 5th year as an assistant at UVA.
- He helped guide the Cav's to the 2009 College World Series

- Among his duties is working with the infielders and coaching 1st base.
- He played at Notre Dame and was an outstanding shortstop.
- Infield play and developing UVA type intensity during practice will be his focus at the Baseball Bash.



Sean Kenny

Pitching Coach
University of Maryland

- Named the pitching coach in 2009 at Maryland, Sean coached the pitchers at Pepperdine the last 6 years.

- During his time at Pepperdine he had 13 pitchers drafted by pro teams.
- His 2009 staff recorded 477 strikeouts a school record.
- Sean played 3 years in the New York Mets organization.
- He is regarded as one of the top pitching coaches in the country.



Tom Austin

Head Coach
Methodist University

- 31 Years of coaching experience has produced 960 wins at Methodist.
- The Monarchs have had 29 straight seasons of 25 victories or better.

- He is the 4th all time winningest coach in Divison III Baseball.
- His teams have advanced to the National Tournament 21 times.
- Playing baseball the Tom Austin way means pure fundamentals and playing smart.



Hal Bagwell

Head Coach
Ardrey Kell High School

- With a 27-8 record his team won the North Carolina 4-A State Championship.
- In 13 years of coaching in North Carolina he has posted 269 wins.

- His 1997 and 2008 teams were state runners up.
- Hal coached the USA 16 and under team to a championship in Venezuela.
- An outstanding clinician be sure to catch his presentations.



Barry Davis

Head Coach
Rider University

- In 5 short years he has led his team to the NCCA Tournament.
- Barry has been the NJCAA National Coach of the Year 4 times.

- Regarded by many as one of the rising outstanding young coaches in Divison I Baseball.
- In 2002 at Georgia Southwestern he was named NAIA Coach of the Year.
- Barry is one of the favorite clinicians at the Bash over the years. His information is always outstanding.



Ray Hedrick

Head Coach
Randolph Macon College

- In 6 years Ray has resurrected the Yellow Jacket Program and returned it to prominence in both the ODAC and the South Region.

- He has led his squad to 5 straight berths in the ODAC Preseason Tournament.
- Prior to his hiring at Macon he was the top assistant at UNC Pembroke.
- Hedrick has coached over 30 players that are now playing professionally.



Norbie Wilson

Head Coach
College of Albemarle

- After 26 years at First Colonial H.S. Norbie was hired to start the program at the college of Albermarle.
- Norbie is one of the winningest coaches in Virginia with 417 wins.

- His high school teams won 14 district, 7 regional, and one state championship.
- The 1993 squad was 28-0 a Virginia record.
- He has been a leader in high school baseball in Virginia for many years.

January 14, 15 & 16, 2010

2010 Baseball Bash Schedule

Thursday, January 14

7:00-8:00 p.m. **Registration**
8:00-9:00 p.m. **Drills and techniques for outfielders-Live Demo-Ray Hendrick-(RMC)**
9:15-10:15 p.m. **Components that should be in every practice and how to keep your players focused-Tom Austin (Methodist U.)**

Friday, January 15

7:30-9:00 a.m. **Registration**
9:00-9:50 a.m. **Developing your hitters through drills-Live Demo-Erik Bakich (UMD)**
9:55-10:45 a.m. **Drills and techniques for the catcher-Live Demo-Tom Griffin (Carson Newman)**
10:55-11:45 a.m. **Drills and techniques to improve baserunning-Tom Austin (Methodist U.)**
11:45-1:15 p.m. **LUNCH**
11:50-12:30 p.m. **LUNCH SPECIAL-How to incorporate a fundamental period into your practice-Hal Bagwell (Ardrey Kell HS)**
1:15-2:05 p.m. **Recognizing hitting faults and how to correct them-Erik Bakich (UMD)**
2:15-3:00 p.m. **Little things that win games-Barry Davis (Rider U.)**
3:15-6:35 p.m. **THE BASH**
6:40-7:10 p.m. **Two veteran coaches share ideas on team motivation-Hal Bagwell and Norbie Wilson**

Saturday, January 16

7:30-9:00 a.m. **Registration**
7:30-8:30 a.m. **Fellowship of Christian Athletes Breakfast**
9:00-10:25 a.m. **The Bash Extra Innings**
9:00-9:25 a.m. **Drills and techniques for infielders-Barry Davis (Rider U.)**
9:00-9:25 a.m. **Pregame infield and outfield what to accomplish-Hal Bagwell (Ardrey Kell HS)**
9:35-10:00 a.m. **See the ball-hit the ball; How the hitter recognizes pitches; What drills can help-Ray Hedrick (RMC)**
9:35-10:00 a.m. **Drills that get you out of a hitting slump-Tom Griffin (Carson Newman)**
10:10-10:35 a.m. **B.P on the field - getting the most out of this time-Hal Bagwell (Ardrey Kell HS)**
10:10-10:35 a.m. **Fielding ground balls - old school (funnel to midsection or new school (attack funnel to ear) Pro's and Con's-Barry Davis (Rider U)**
10:45-11:30 a.m. **Drills and techniques for the pitcher-Sean Kenny (UMD)**
11:35-12:20 a.m. **Correcting common pitching faults-Sean Kenny (UMD)**
12:30-1:15 p.m. **Rules Clinic**
1:15-1:30 p.m. **Raffle Drawing**

The Baseball Bash

3:15-3:35 p.m. **TEAM A**

- Stances, sign giving, framing, blocking for the catcher-Tom Griffin (Carson Newman)
- Marketing and promoting your H.S. program-Hal Bagwell (Ardrey Kell)
- How to help your players get recruited-Erik Bakich (UMD)
- Specialty drills for your middle infielders-Eddie Smith (UVA)

3:40-4:00 p.m. **TEAM B**

- Teaching pitchers how to create movement on the fastball-Sean Kenny (UMD)
- Correcting common faults of the infielder-Roy Hedrick (RMC)
- Help me teach my players to throw and catch properly-Tom Austin (Methodist U)
- Developing quick feet for the infielder-Barry Davis (Rider U)

4:05-4:25 p.m. **TEAM A**

- Helping your catcher to throw-Tom Griffin (Carson Newman)
- Establishing a hitting routine in the cage-What to do-Hal Bagwell (Ardrey Kell HS)
- Drills to develop the 1st baseman-Norbie Wilson (College of Albermarle)
- Ways of developing hands for the infielder-Eddie Smith (UVA)

4:30-4:50 p.m. **TEAM B**

- Pitcher's conditioning during the season during practice-Sean Kenny (UMD)
- Planning your practice-A checklist-Roy Hedrick (RMC)
- Team offensive drills inside-Barry Davis (Rider U)
- Rundowns made simple-Drills that make it work-Tom Austin (Methodist U)

4:55-5:15 p.m. **TEAM A**

- Plays at the plate-tag, force, bunt by the catchers-Tom Griffin (Carson Newman)
- Mass relay, cutoffs, communication, throwing routine-Hal Bagwell (Ardrey Kell HS)
- One coach-one assistant-how to keep players in the dugout focused-Norbie Wilson (Col. of Albermale)
- Footwork for the double play-2nd base and shortstop-Eddie Smith (UVA)

5:20-5:40 p.m. **TEAM B**

- Teaching pitchers the breaking pitches-Sean Kenny (UMD)
- Problem -My hitters are pull hitters-How do I get them to use the field?-Ray Hedrick (RMC)
- How to keep baserunners close at 2nd base-And how to relay signs to them-Tom Austin (Methodist U)
- Defensive drills inside-Barry Davis (Rider U)

5:45-6:05 p.m. **TEAM A**

- Catchers techniques to throw to 1st base, 3rd base, and 2nd base-Tom Griffin (Carson Newman)
- We can't bunt-How do we get better?-Hal Bagwell (Ardrey Kell HS)
- Infielders pre-pitch preparation (How and Why)-Norbie Wilson (Col. of Albermale)
- Creating intensity in practice the UVA way-Eddie Smith (UVA)

6:10-6:30 p.m. **TEAM B**

- Help my pitchers stop the running game-Sean Kenny (UMD)
- Defending the bunt and how to communicate-Ray Hedrick (RMC)
- Baserunner reals at 2nd base-groundballs, flyballs, reading the pitcher for steals-Tom Austin (Methodist U)
- Teaching a pickoff system with signals defensive signals-1st & 3rd, pitch location, outfield placement-Barry Davis (Rider U)

THE 2010 BASEBALL BASH

Location: *The Virginia Sports Complex Hotel Headquarters
- The Holiday Inn Express Hotel and Suites*

For twenty years the Baseball Bash has provided quality information at a reasonable price. With your support we have been able to bring in quality instructors who have always delivered. This year we were thrown a curve ball and lost our home. Like many of you we were forced to make adjustments. The Virginia Sports Complex stepped up to the plate and offered us a home. The Holiday Inn chipped in with a good rate plus free breakfast. All this is new but we promise that we will deliver an even better event. With the added space we are adding live demonstrations to the program. We believe this will be a great way to deliver the message. In addition the vendor space will be bigger for your enjoyment. The Complex also has a grille so refreshments and food will not be a problem. The hotel headquarters is in Ashland, Virginia convenient to many restaurants and pubs.

With all the new, we do promise not to abandon the old, the clinic has been designed to provide an outstanding agenda. The lineup has been handpicked to ensure that we knock our theme out of the park. This years Bash will explore drills and techniques in all facets of the game to help develop your players. With live demos, power point presentations, and coach demonstrations, you should be able to take home many new drills. Our second goal is to identify certain problem areas and give solutions. Coach Bakich and Kenny promise to identify and solve problems in the hitting and pitching areas. We have chosen Coach Bagwell and Wilson, two of the finest high school coaches to share their thoughts on how to improve your high school program.

Some new and some old, the Bash promises another outstanding clinic. We have purposely kept the price the same and lowered the lodging rate. We have not sacrificed in quality. Join us and start the 2010 baseball season with a home run.

Bill Pelot

Early Bird Special

Thursday, January 14, 2010

8:00 p.m. - 10:15 p.m.

RAY HEDRICK AND

RMC PLAYERS

LIVE DEMO

Tom Austin - A Must Hear topic

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THE BASEBALL BASH LOCATION

The Virginia Sports Complex
22182 Jefferson Davis Highway
Ruther Glen, VA 22546
Exit 104 - I-95

20 Miles North of Richmond, VA

*Area for live demonstrations
Large Exhibitor Area
Food Available at the Complex*

Clinic Directors

Bill Pelot (Retired) - Louisa County High School, Virginia
Grant Odell - Deep Run High School, Richmond, Virginia
Bobby Stratton - Hanover High School, Virginia

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Accommodations

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\$79.00 Special Bash Rate \$79.00

Available Only Until January 2010

Price Includes Free Breakfast

Registration Form

January 14, 15 & 16, 2010
Pre-Registered \$60.00
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One Day Only \$45.00
Students \$20.00

*Reservation for F.C.A. Breakfast
Saturday - \$5.00 per coach*

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