



Mike McLeod

When Mike McLeod was introduced on September 4, 1990, TCC had a rookie head coach, no facilities and a baseball program that had been dormant for 20 years. Fast-forward to 2020 and he boasts more than 1000 career wins entering his 31st season.

After fielding a club team in 1991, the Eagles began play in the NJCAA a year later. Since then, Mike has guided the Eagles to six Panhandle Conference championships and 11 trips to the FCSAA State Baseball Tournament. He has also been named Panhandle Conference Coach of the Year five times.

Mike coached the Eagles to arguably the greatest season in school history in 2013, winning 46 games en route to the conference championship and the program's first-ever No. 1 NJCAA ranking.

On March 4, 2020 a doubleheader sweep gave Mike his 1000th career victory - all with the Eagles – and he will carry a record of 1004-546-4 into the 2021 season.

A lifelong resident of Tallahassee, Mike graduated from Godby High School then pitched collegiately at Middle Georgia College and Florida State University. After a brief professional career as both a player and coach, he returned to FSU in 1982 and spent nine seasons as the pitching coach. Mike's coaching experience also includes an international opportunity in 2003 as pitching coach for USA Baseball's 18U National Team.

Mike's former players include six Major Leaguers, five All-Americans, and more than 240 who have continued their academic and athletic careers beyond TCC. In 2002, Mike was part of the inaugural class of inductees into the Eagle Athletics Hall of Fame.

Mike and his wife, Rose, a former FSU cheerleader, have two children and four grandchildren.

Watch the video presented at the 2020 Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony of Jim Hage speaking on behalf of Mike McLeod [HERE](#).