



Eric Ronan

Head Men's Tennis Coach

Sixth Season

Eric Ronan is in his sixth year as the head coach of the Youngstown State Men's Tennis program.

The Penguins have shown steady improvement during Ronan's tenure. In 2004-05, YSU won eight dual matches, the most by the program since the 1997-98 campaign.

In 2000, Ronan joined the Youngstown State Athletic staff in October and guided the men's team in their final year of competition in the Mid-Continent Conference in 2000-01. YSU began competition in the Horizon League in 2001-02.

He took over the men's program from women's head coach Michele Grim, who was the head coach of both squads.

Ronan has been the tennis director at the Canfield Swim and Tennis Club since 1993. He was a part of four team championships. While at Canfield, he was the president of their league for two years.

He was also a manager and a pro at the Boardman Tennis Center where he was in charge of the development of all the ranked junior players in the club. He was also in charge of training all new personnel.

He played tennis for Woodrow Wilson High School in 1978-1979 and at Cardinal Mooney High School from 1980-1981. He then continued his tennis career playing for Youngstown State from 1981-1983.