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Please enroll me for the Don Meyer Coaching Clinic. Enclosed is my check for \$125 in U.S. funds, made payable to Union University Confirmation Letter will include map and other detailed information.

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# DON MEYER

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**DON MEYER**  
**ONE MAN COACHING CLINIC**  
**SATURDAY, MAY 1, 2010**  
**UNION UNIVERSITY'S**  
**FRED DELAY GYMNASIUM**

# DON MEYER - HEAD COACH, NORTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY

10 seasons at NSU: 208-90 | Overall: 910-310

37 Seasons: 1st on all-time winningest NCAA college basketball coaches list



The Northern State men's basketball program is led by one of college basketball's most successful coaches, Don Meyer. With 37 years of head coaching experience, Meyer leads all NCAA men's coaches with 910 career wins. Meyer has been with the Wolves for ten seasons and has a record of 208-90 at NSU.

Meyer's journey to the top of the all-time career wins list took an unexpected turn last season when he was involved in a life-threatening car accident in early September while leading a caravan of players to a team retreat. The accident resulted in the loss of part of his left leg. However, despite that set-back and an 8-week stay in the hospital, Meyer returned to the sidelines for the duration of the 2008-09 season, leading the Wolves to their second straight appearance in the Division II national tournament in March.

Earlier in the season, Meyer made NCAA men's basketball history when he took over sole possession of the top spot of the career victories chart, passing up Bobby Knight's mark of 902 wins in the process. Meyer claimed his 903rd career victory on Jan. 10, 2009, leading the Wolves past the University of Mary 82-62 in front of 6,654 fans.

Meyer's difficult journey to the top garnered national media attention throughout the season. In July, he was nominated for and awarded the Jimmy V. Award for Perseverance at the 2009 ESPY Awards in Los Angeles.

Meyer led the Wolves to the program's second best record in school history in 2007-08, going 29-4 overall and taking second place in the NSIC with a 16-2 record. The only losses for the Wolves came at the hands of eventual National Champion, Winona State. The 2007-08 season also saw Coach Meyer climb the ranks of the NCAA all-time wins list. On January 19, 2008, an 87-78 win over the University of Mary gave Meyer his 879<sup>th</sup> victory and put him at second place among the best coaches in basketball history. A thunderous crowd of 5,454 watched Meyer accomplish the feat at Wachs Arena, and even more looked on with the game broadcast on local television throughout the Dakotas.

Prior to Northern, Meyer spent 24 years coaching NAIA I David Lipscomb University in Nashville, Tenn. There, he reached the 700-win plateau faster than any other coach in the history of college basketball.

Meyer's Lipscomb teams spent a decade winning more games than any other team in the country, averaging more than 32 wins per season for 10 years before his move to Northern. His 1989-90 team set a college basketball record with 41 wins. Meyer's Bison teams made 13 national tournament appearances, winning the NAIA National Championship in 1986. Meyer was named NAIA National Coach of the Year in 1989 and 1990, and was selected to the NAIA Hall of Fame at the age of 47. He also assisted coach Mike Krzyzewski with the Olympic Sports Festival South Team in 1983.

Meyer's name is respected nationally in the coaching ranks. In nine years, well over 10,000 coaches from all over the nation have attended the Don Meyer Coaches Academy. Meyer's featured speakers read as a who's who in the coaching ranks. In 2001, he brought the Academy to Aberdeen with Tennessee's Pat Summitt as keynote speaker. In 2002, John Wooden and Dick Bennett were featured in the academy. Tubby Smith and Jerry Krause will speak at the 2006 Academy.

Meyer also produces instructional books and a 30-tape series "Building a Championship Program" that has helped coaches at every level from high school to the NBA. Programs using the tapes include perennial Division I powerhouses Duke, Kansas, Wake Forest, North Carolina, and NBA franchises like the Utah Jazz and Seattle SuperSonics. He also built the summer Bison Basketball Camps into the most successful players' camp in the country, drawing 4,500 campers annually. During the past year, Meyer's coaches' and players' camps have been huge successes in Aberdeen.

Meyer received his first head coaching position in 1972 when he was hired by Hamline University in St. Paul, Minn. He spent three seasons there where he had a record of 37-41. Meyer took a program at Hamline that had a 30-177 record the six previous seasons. After a 5-20 record in his first season, Meyer turned things around, recording 16-10 and 16-11 records the next two seasons. Hamline reached the NCAA Division III Elite Eight in Meyer's last year with the institution. In the early years at Lipscomb, Meyer used the rules of the game to get the most talent out of his players. Often playing opponents who were bigger, stronger and faster than the Lipscomb athletes, Meyer's slow-down fundamental-style won many games. As the game and rules changed over the years, Meyer changed with the times to develop in his Lipscomb teams the most explosive offense in the nation.

## Information & Pricing

Advance Price.....\$100\*  
Staff of 3 or more.....\$90\*  
At the Door Price.....\$115\*

Includes T-Shirt and Lunch

\* scheduled topics are subject to change

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## Saturday, May 1

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. .... Registration  
9:00 - 9:30 a.m. .... Building a Philosophy of Coaching  
9:30 - 10:30 a.m. .... Building Your Team Defense  
10:30 - 11:30 a.m. .... Building Your Team Offense  
11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. .... Question & Answer  
12:00 - 1:00 p.m. .... Lunch  
1:00 - 2:00 p.m. .... Skill Development  
2:00 - 3:00 p.m. .... Special Situations  
3:00 - 4:00 p.m. .... Building a strong foundations for each day you coach  
4:00 - 5:00 p.m. .... Questions & Answers and Coaches Requested Topics