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## New Boys' Soccer Coach for Bishop Ward High School

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**July 19, 2018 (Kansas City, Kan.)** – Bishop Ward High School is excited to announce that Mr. Tyler Heying will be the new Head Coach for the Boys' Soccer program. The 2018-2019 year will be Tyler's second year at Bishop Ward, teaching in the Science Department. Coach Heying took over as the Girls' Soccer Head Coach last year. Athletic Director, Mr. Mike Beaven commented, "Coach Heying is a great addition to the staff of Bishop Ward High School. We are excited that he is expanding his leadership role to include the Boys' Soccer Team."

Coach Heying attended St. Thomas Aquinas High School in Overland Park, Kansas. While there, he played on the soccer team for four years, being a part of two state championships and one national championship. After high school, he attended Kansas State University to study Biology and Secondary Education. During his time there, he played for K-State's men's club soccer team and coached

youth soccer. Coach Heying was the Boys' JV Soccer Coach last fall alongside Head Coach Art Conejo and Assistant Ramon Conejo '94.

Coach Heying remarked, "I have spent my whole life playing soccer and have enjoyed every moment doing so. That said, nothing compares to the excitement and passion I have for teaching the game of soccer to our student-athletes at Bishop Ward High School, and coaching them to excellence. Our students at Bishop Ward are blessed with such a supportive community and we are all blessed to have each of these students in our lives. I'm excited to be a member of the Cyclone Family and to coach the Boys' Soccer Team. I am looking forward to seeing these student-athletes grow into respectable and hardworking adults."

On behalf of the Athletic Department, Mr. Beaven also added, "We cannot thank Coach Art Conejo enough for his years of service to the team, to the Cyclone Athletic Department, and to Bishop Ward High School. He always gives 100% to the students and to Bishop Ward. His love for the sport and for the school has made the program what it is today. Not only did Coach Conejo teach the boys to be strong competitors and good teammates on the pitch, he taught them to be men of integrity with a strong work ethic."

The Boys' Soccer Team's first game will be in a Tournament at Bishop Miege High School on August 24 and 25. Their home opener on August 30, 2018, at 4:30p.m. versus Bishop Seabury Academy at Dorney Stadium, located at 16<sup>th</sup> and Armstrong, Kansas City, KS. For the team's complete schedule, please visit [www.crossroadsconference.org](http://www.crossroadsconference.org).

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