

Brian Clay

Junior Varsity Running Backs Coach

Junior Varsity Quarterbacks Coach

Coach Clay is joining the football staff at Naples High for his first year in Florida, but he is no stranger to coaching football. After graduating from Wittenberg University (Ohio), he coached football and taught math at Hamilton Township High School for three years. He then moved back to Michigan to be closer to family and taught math for 28 years with East Grand Rapids High and Middle Schools, also where he met his amazing wife of 27 years, Terri. Coach Clay was on the football staff for 25 seasons at East Grand Rapids High before coaching the past four seasons at Forest Hills Northern High School. After “semi-retiring” from teaching in the Michigan Public School system in June of 2018, he and Terri moved into their home in sunny Naples, Florida this past March. The Clays have two children still residing up North in Michigan. Their daughter, Lindsay, 25, is living in Kalamazoo and is flourishing in her job as an event planner in a retirement community. Austin, 20, is starting his junior year at Northern Michigan University in Marquette in the state’s wonderland upper peninsula. Coach Clay feels so blessed to have been invited to join the Golden Eagle Family, and he is excited to have the opportunity to coach the awesome young men at Naples High.