

18-19 New MISD Coaches

Daniel Arlitt

(HS Assistant Principal, Assistant Football, Basketball & Track)

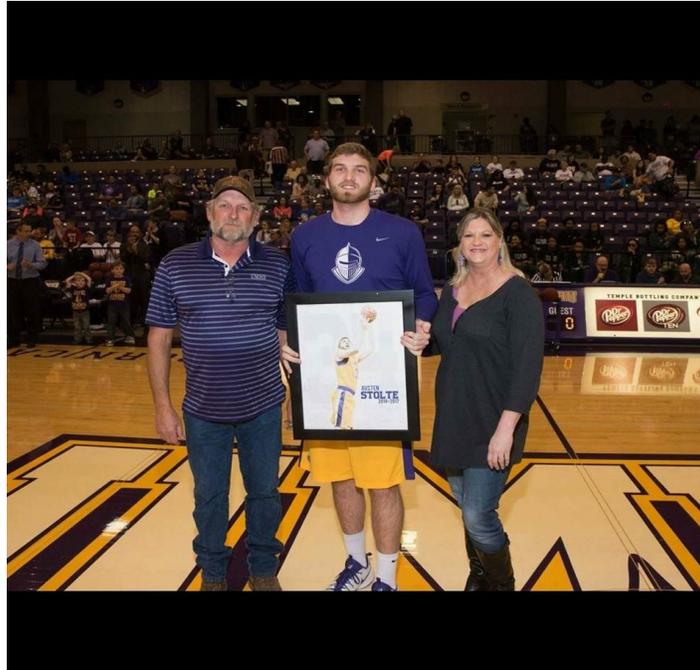


Coach Arlitt is excited about being part of the Moody ISD family. He has been working in the education business for 14 years as a science teacher and coach. Coach Arlitt has spent the past few years at Indian Springs Middle School in Waco ISD serving as the Boy's JH Coordinator and revitalizing that program. He attended Angelo State University, Wayland Baptist University, and The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor. He and his wife, Emily, have two boys Teague (9) and Troy (11).

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Austen Stolte

(6th Grade Math, Assistant Football & Baseball)



Coach Stolte grew up in Thrall TX with 5 other siblings, on a small farm right outside of Taylor. He graduated from Thrall High School where he played multiple sports and later attended The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor. At UMHB, he played basketball for 4 years where he holds the school record in blocks per game. Coach Stolte's has been a competitive person his entire life and sports have been a huge role in his development as a young educator. Ever since high school he knew he wanted to become a Teacher/Coach and he is beyond excited to have finally made it!

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Jonathan Christian

(HS ISS, OC Football & Head Girls Track)

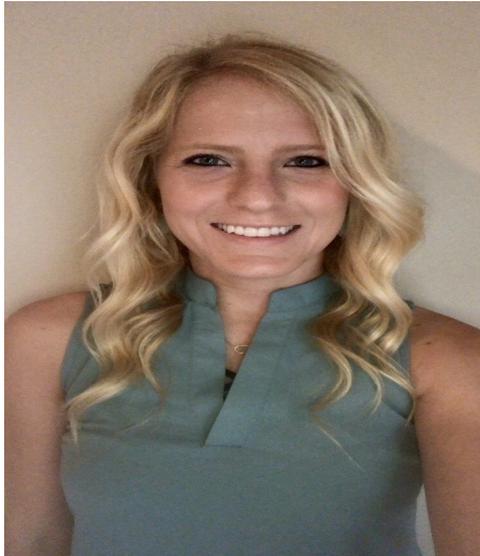


Coach Christian comes to Moody after 6 successful years at Waco High. This is his 19th year coaching. He began in Bay City where the Blackcats played in 4 state championships in 6 years. He then joined the Midland Lee Rebels; '98-'00 state champions. Following the 2000 state championship, he met his wife Kelly, a first grade teacher in China Spring, and they moved to Central Texas. During a 2 year stay at Evant ISD, where the Elks broke a 49 year playoff drought. While in Evant, Jon and Kelly gave birth to their first daughter, Alyssa, now a sophomore at China Spring. After a move to Killeen Ellison, where the Eagles made playoff runs 4 of 8 years, the welcomed twins girls, now 7th graders in China Spring. He is looking forward to making Moody a perennial power.

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Lauren Nichols

(HS Business, Associate Head Volleyball & Assistant Softball)



Coach Nichols graduated from Sam Houston State University with a Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology. In 2017-2018 she was the Head Volleyball coach at Rapoport Academy, and assistant basketball and track coach. She coached the first winning season for Rapoport volleyball in 2017 and improved morale, skill sets, and player participation. She has started a summer program that included weight training and open gym for all female athletes. Coach Nichols participated in multiple sports in high school and received All-State accolades in volleyball and softball. She is looking forward to being part of the Moody school district and community and am very thankful for this opportunity that she has been given. She is very excited to get the chance to work in such a successful program and will bring plenty of enthusiasm, determination and skills to Moody athletics.