



Ty Jones

Ty Jones is celebrated as an extraordinary educator and leader whose dedication to the field of education and athletics has left a lasting impact across southern Idaho. Graduating from Twin Falls High School in 1983, Ty pursued higher education at Boise State University, where he earned his degree in 1989. His commitment to nurturing young minds and fostering excellence in sports has been evident throughout his distinguished career.

Ty's professional journey is marked by his extensive experience across six school districts in southern Idaho: Twin Falls, American Falls, Minidoka, Gooding, Hagerman, and Jerome. His versatility is exemplified by his tenure in every educational role imaginable, including teacher, coach, vice principal, elementary principal, and superintendent. This breadth of experience highlights his profound dedication to educational excellence and leadership.

Extracurricular activities have always been a cornerstone of Ty's career. He has coached a diverse array of sports, including basketball, football, golf, and track. His involvement extended beyond coaching to include serving as both the student council and cheerleading advisor. Ty's influence in these roles has shaped countless students, instilling in them values of teamwork, discipline, and perseverance.

Ty's contributions extend to the broader educational community through his active participation in numerous professional organizations. His involvement with the District IV Coaches Association, the Idaho Athletic Administrators Association (IAAA), and the Idaho State Coaches Association underscores his commitment to advancing the field of education and athletics.

In 2014, Ty was appointed as the Executive Director of the Idaho High School Activities Association (IHSAA). In this capacity, he served on several national committees for the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS), including a notable three-year tenure on the NFHS Board of Directors. His work at the national level further exemplifies his dedication to improving and advocating for high school athletics across the country.

Ty Jones is a true man of service whose career has been defined by his unwavering commitment to education, leadership, and student development. His impact is felt not only in the communities he has served but also in the broader educational and athletic landscapes. His legacy is one of exceptional service, inspiring leadership, and a profound dedication to shaping the lives of young people.