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New Boys' Varsity Lacrosse Coach for The Covenant School

The Covenant School is pleased to announce that Mr. Joe Dewey has accepted the position of Head Varsity Lacrosse Coach.

After earning All-American honors at Upper Arlington High School in Ohio, Dewey went on to play lacrosse at UVA under Dom Starsia, and graduated in 2009. Selected by his teammates to win the Tom Rixey Award for spirit and inspiration, he was a solid contributor to the team's success for four years, winning the 2006 NCAA National Championship his first year. Coach Dewey formerly worked with Athletes in Action, an international sports ministry for college athletes, and currently is a pastoral intern at a local church.

"We feel blessed to have Coach Dewey join us at Covenant," comments Athletic Director Doug Smethurst. "His background, both in lacrosse and in his desire to see young men grow in maturity, character, and leadership, will be a huge strength to our program and School. We could not be more excited about the spring season."

"I am honored and excited to have been given the opportunity to Coach the lacrosse team at Covenant," notes Dewey. "The Covenant School has a strong tradition of excellence on and off the field, striving to form virtuous student-athletes. It is my desire and privilege to continue that tradition with the boys' lacrosse program at Covenant."

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