

Carl Reed named next football coach at De Smet Jesuit

The former staple at Lutheran North is one of the most successful and engaging coaches in the St. Louis area



ST. LOUIS — De Smet football has a new head coach, and he's a familiar name to St. Louis high school football fans.

In a big move, De Smet has hired former Lutheran North head coach Carl Reed as its next head coach.

Former De Smet Head Coach Robert Steeples left for a job on the NFL's Minnesota Vikings coaching staff at the conclusion of the 2020 high school season.

Reed will look to keep up the recent success from the Spartans, who won the class 6 state title in 2019, and were the runners up in 2020.

As a player, Reed won a state title in high school at **Hazelwood Central** and played at Austin Peay State University. Prior to coaching at Lutheran North, Reed coached at University City and **Hazelwood West** High Schools.

COMMUNITY NEWS

SUMMER CAMP

Register today for a positive, healthy and fun summer camp experience

Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater St. Louis (BGCSTL) is excited to be able to bring area kids and teens another summer of friends, activities and exploration, the way only Boys & Girls Clubs can. You can be assured that the club is operating in accordance with all health and safety protocols and will continue to do whatever it takes to give your child the best summer experience possible.

BGCSTL offers one of the most affordable, comprehensive, extended, high quality summer day camp programs in the St. Louis region. Summer campers, ages 6-18, are exposed to a variety of learning and participate in educational, recreational and social activities as well as field trips, social recreation and cultural activities on-site and in the community. Camps also includes a nutritious breakfast and lunch.

Campers will find trained and professional camp staff who will listen and guide them throughout the summer plus opportunities for creativity, sports and recreation, swimming, teen and STEM programs, music studio, and new this year (Esports, an organized form of competitive tournaments with video games where players face teams. Or, most commonly, a multiplayer online video game competition).

Summer campers who are interested in writing, producing or singing will enjoy the Music Studio program led by Grammy Award-winning producer/songwriter Alonzo "Zo" Lee. Students will be fully engaged in the songwriting/ recording process and create a song from start to finish.

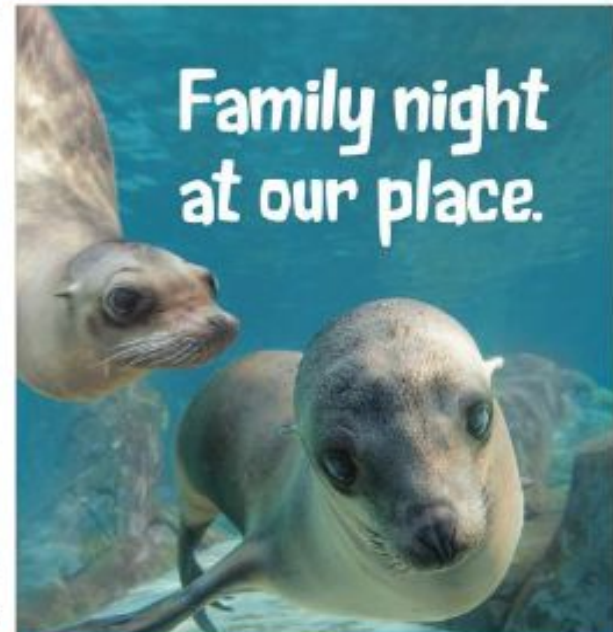
While youth who aspire to become coders, graphic designers, 3D animators or game developers will have access to the newly-opened Best Buy Teen Tech Center at our Herbert Hoover Club. The center is an interactive and innovative fully equipped space with everything needed to engage youth ages 12-18 with STEAM activi-

ties including a music studio, 3D printer, t-shirt press maker, coding stations, state of the art computers, monitors and virtual reality headsets.

New to the BGCSTL family of Clubs is the Mathews-Dickey Club as well as Boys & Girls Club of Bethalto. Many of the Boys & Girls Clubs are also open and offering daytime support (in person/virtual), virtual learning hubs, after school programs, virtual mentoring and more. Basketball programs have also started at the Herbert Hoover and Mathews-Dickey Clubs. To find the club nearest you, visit www.bgcstl.org or call 314-335-8000. Limited spots available.

CAMP LOCATIONS:

Adams Park Club 4317 Vista Avenue 314-633-7900 Ages 6-16 Dates: June 14 – Aug. 6 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Southeast Middle School Club 918 Prigge Road 314-335-8300 Ages 10-15 Dates: June 14 – Aug. 6 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Hazelwood East High School Club 11300 Dunn Road 314-335-8360 June 14 – Aug. 6 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ages 13-18	Mathews-Dickey Club 4245 N Kingshighway Blvd June 14 – Aug. 6 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ages 6-18 314-382-5952	Riverview Gardens Club 174 Shepley Drive 314-335-8276 June 14 – Aug. 6 Ages 6-12 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Boys & Girls Club of Bethalto 324 E. Central St. Bethalto, IL 62010 Phone 618-377-6030 Dates: June 14 – Aug. 6 Times: TBD	Hazelwood Elementary School Club at Larimore 1025 Trampe Ave. Dates: June 14 – Aug. 6 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ages: 6-12, elementary students 314-335-8350	Herbert Hoover Club 2901 North Grand Blvd. Dates June 14 – Aug. 6 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ages 6-16 314-335-8000	O'Fallon Park Club June 14 – Aug. 6 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. 4343 West Florissant 314-932-1371	Teen Center of Excellence 9200 West Florissant 314-335-8240 June 14 – Aug. 6 Ages 10-18 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.



Family Fun Friday Nights

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May 14 – August 13
Friday Nights, 5 – 7 p.m.

This summer, kick off Prairie Farms Dairy Summer Zoo Weekends with Family Fun Friday Nights at the Saint Louis Zoo! With specialty food and drink options and free entertainment, the Zoo is the perfect place to have a safe night out with the family. And, don't forget to come back on Saturday when we're open late all summer long. See you at our place! Masks, social distancing and reservations are required. For more information, visit stlzoo.org.