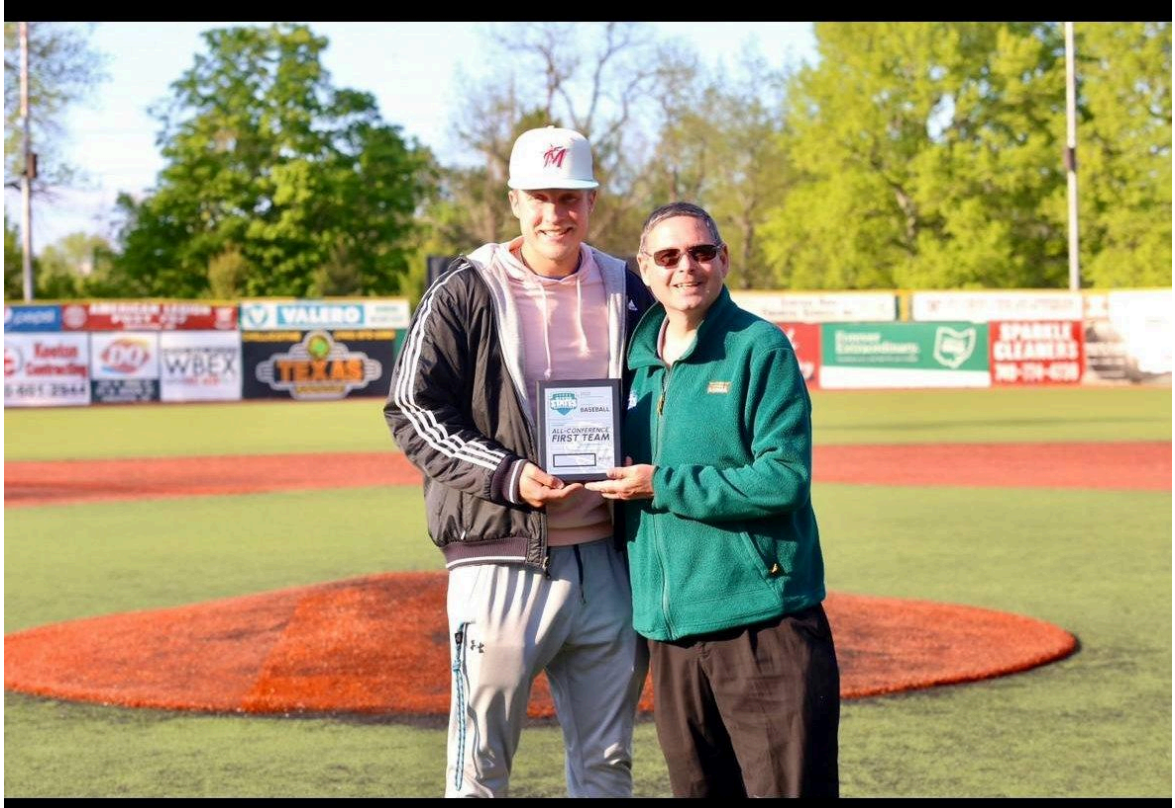


2025 Genesee Rapids Coaching Staff

Head Coach: Spencer Crane



The Genesee Rapids are excited to announce Spencer Crane as the Head Baseball Coach for the 2025 season. Currently, Spencer is a Graduate Assistant for the Ohio Christian University Trailblazers.

In 2023, he was named a first-team All-Conference player in the River State Conference and holds the home run record at his school. In 2024, Spencer received the Champion of Character award for being an excellent teammate and outstanding leader.

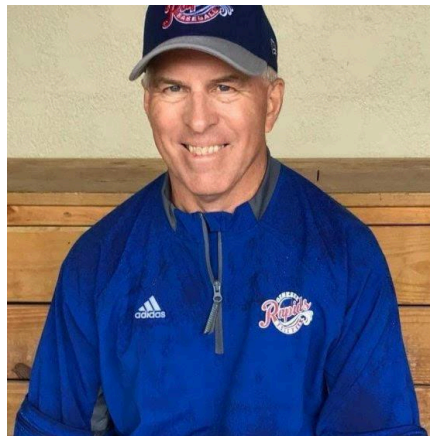
Having played two summers for the Rapids, Spencer experienced significant growth in his faith with Jesus Christ and is passionate about helping his players do the same.

Pitching Coach: Gary Puccio



The Genesee Rapids are excited to announce that Gary Puccio, a long-time Division 1 Head Coach and associate scout for the Seattle Mariners, will be joining Coach Crane's coaching staff. Coach Puccio is a seven-time Coach of the Year, including three honors at the Division 1 level. He specializes in helping pitchers reach their full potential. Coach Crane is thrilled to welcome his mentor to his coaching staff.

Assistant Coach: Bill Swanson



Bill Swanson, Belfast, NY, will return for his eleventh season with the Genesee Rapids. Coach Swanson is an Adjunct Professor and assistant baseball coach at Alfred State College in Alfred, NY. Bill was a batting practice pitcher for the Buffalo Bisons (AAA Toronto Blue Jays) for 13 years. In 2019 and 2021, he was the pitcher for the World Little League Home Run Derby in Williamsport, PA, where he was a lead instructor in the Little League baseball camps for more than a decade. Bill has also conducted baseball camps in Russia and Jordan.