

V. RBI Summer Camp Staff

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The Professional coaching staff at RBI Baseball Camps and Clinics rivals that of any program in the country. Coaches have experience playing and/or coaching at the professional, collegiate, and high school level. All RBI coaches are hand picked to ensure the highest quality of instruction regardless of the participant's ability level. Each staff member is committed to providing each participant with a safe and enjoyable experience while learning the best in baseball skills. Our entire staff is committed to the RBI mission of effectively providing young people of all ages with the skills that guide them toward success both on the baseball diamond, and throughout life, teaching the importance of individual responsibility, teamwork, and a positive attitude towards everyday life.

*Each staff member has had a full background check as well as a full CORI/SORI check done by the state.

Summer Camp Directors

- **Paul Rappoli, Owner & President, RBI Baseball Academy**
 - Paul attended Xaverian Brothers High School in Westwood, MA where he was a Boston Globe All-Scholastic in 1989. He spent 1989-1997 as a member of the Boston Red Sox organization. In 1994 Paul played in the Arizona Fall League where he was teammates with basketball superstar Michael Jordan as well as Red Sox superstar Nomar Garciaparra. Paul served as Executive Vice President & General Manager of the Hit Dog Training Center from 1999-2003. He is currently President of Rappoli Baseball, Inc., "RBI", a company dedicated to teaching young people of all ages the proper fundamentals of baseball while stressing the importance of individual responsibility, teamwork, and a positive attitude towards everyday life.

- **Chris Welch, General Manager, RBI Baseball Academy**
 - Coach Welch graduated from Bridgewater State College in 2001. Chris earned a Bachelor of Science in Operations Management. While as a starting pitcher for Bridgewater, he helped lead the Bears to NCAA regional berths in 2000 and 2001. Chris was a four year All-New England selection by the NCAA. During college Chris was a member of the Manchester Silkworms of the New England Collegiate Baseball League. After college Chris was signed to a professional contract by the Johnstown Johnnies of the Frontier League. Chris is currently a member of the Easton Huskies of the Cranberry League.

- **Joe Breen, Director of Operations, RBI Baseball Academy**
 - Joe was a three-sport captain at Swampscott High School before earning his BA in psychology from Stonehill College. During his time as a pitcher at Stonehill he helped lead the team to 3 Northeast-10 Final Fours. As a captain in his senior season, Joe ranked in the top 3 in the NE-10 in wins, saves, and appearances as a starter and closer. Joe has been a pitcher on the Swampscott Sox of the semi-professional North Shore Baseball League since 2002. During his successful pitching career with the Sox, Joe has broken the single season record for wins in a season twice with 10 in 2006 and 11 wins in his 2008 campaign. Coach Breen is currently in his 4th season as an Assistant Coach for his alma mater, Stonehill College.

- **Pat Boen, RBI Camp Director & Head Baseball Coach, Stonehill College**
 - Coach Boen has been the Head Baseball Coach at Stonehill College in Easton since 1998 and has amassed over 300 victories in just over a decade. Pat was named Northeast-10 Coach of the Year in 1999, 2000, and 2006 in addition to being named 2000 New England Division II Coach of the Year. A native of Brockton, MA, Boen was a standout shortstop on the Stonehill diamond from 1986-1989, and was also the starting point guard for Stonehill's basketball team who won the 1988-89 Northeast-10 Championship. Coach Boen is a member of both the Brockton High School and Stonehill College Hall of Fame and currently lives in Mansfield, MA with his wife and four children. Pat is also very involved in the Mansfield Youth Sports scene.