



Mark Kelting
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Mark Kelting started teaching and coaching in Gillette in 1984. He coached junior high sports until 1997 when Orville Hess hired him as the high school pole vault and triple jump coach. In 1998, he took over as head track coach and head indoor track coach. Since that time, the Camel boys have won nine State Championships (including six in a row), two Runner-Up titles and fifteen Regional titles. His girls indoor track team won four State Championships and the boys two. Mark has been WCA Boys' Outdoor Track Coach of the Year eight times, Girls' and Boys' Indoor Track Coach of the Year six times, and NHSACA Region VII Coach of the Year twice.

Mark feels honored to have coached the wonderful Gillette student athletes for the past 31 years. He knows none of these honors could have happened without the support of his beautiful wife Maureen; his sons Tanner and Taylor (who were part of five championships); his parents Erling and Yvonne; and his brother David and his wife Carrie. A huge thanks goes out to the Athletic Director Cliff Hill, long-time assistant coaches Tom Krogman, Steve Oldenburg, Tom Holm, Ron Kline, Steve Mischke, Shelly Stremcha, Tanner Kelting, Joe Moerkerke and his great coaching friends from around Wyoming.