



## **Brian Vossen**

### **Head Football Coach**

### **Lakeville North High School**

I just completed my 16<sup>th</sup> season coaching football for the Panthers and my 9<sup>th</sup> as the head football coach.

I am a **Lakeville High School graduate** from the class of 1998. I earned my teaching

degree in mathematics while playing football at Mankato State University. I spent three years teaching at Century Middle School before moving to the high school.

I joined Larry Thompson staff as an assistant defensive line coach and worked under him for 2 seasons. I was fortunate to be on staff my first season when he led the Panthers to a 14-0 state championship season. The schools split one year later and I stayed at Lakeville North to coach under Mike Zweben. I served as the linebackers coach for two seasons before becoming the defensive coordinator.

Mike Zweben stepped down after five seasons and I was hired as the head football coach in 2010. With the tireless work of my football staff and our outstanding student athletes we have competed in every state tournament since 2011. We lost the prep bowl in 2012, and fell short in each of the other 7 seasons.

This past season we completed a **13-0 season with Lakeville North's first state championship in football**. I am extremely proud of the record we have held in my 9 seasons as a head football coach for Lakeville North. But, I am far more proud to represent this community as its head football coach and have the opportunity to influence student athletes in our community the way I was influenced.

Our success has been largely due to talented young men that believed in the culture that we established throughout Lakeville North High School.

None of this is possible without a supportive family. I have been married to my wife, Lindsey, for 15 years. We live in Lakeville with our two children, Joelie (12) and Leo (7). A huge part of the foundation of our program stems from the three lessons I raise my children by:

- 1. Find a way to Win at Everything we do!**
- 2. Never Quit**
- 3. Love Others**

**I look forward to sharing how I got to this point, the things I have learned along the way, and my hopes for the future of Lakeville.**