

Dear Mendon Board of Education,

After much thought and reflection, I'm writing to formally announce my retirement as the Head Varsity Baseball Coach at Mendon High School.

For the past 35 years, it has been my incredible honor to have coached this program. During this time, I have had the privilege of coaching over 850 games and celebrating more than 500 victories. While I'm proud of those accomplishments, the relationships I have gained throughout those years are even more important and gratifying to me.

Baseball has taught me the value of hard work, discipline and teamwork. I am deeply grateful to all of the players who trusted me as their coach, all of my assistant coaches over the years who stood beside me on the diamond and to the administrators who believed in our program year after year.

I feel that I'm leaving the program in good hands with Braxton Samson (8 Years as my Assistant Coach) and Michael Kettwich (12 Years as my Assistant Coach). I'm confident that its tradition of excellence will continue for many years with these two at the helm.

Thank you for the great memories, the victories and even the tough losses that shaped me along with my assistant coaches and players over these last 35 years. Coaching this program has been one of the greatest privileges of my life and I will forever cherish my time on the Mendon Baseball Diamond.

With sincere gratitude,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Glen Samson", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Glen Samson  
Head Varsity Baseball Coach  
Mendon High School