



Chris Yauch

Assistant Coach

Chris Yauch begins his twelfth season as an Assistant Coach for the Mustangs in 2016-2017. A 2002 graduate of MVHS, Yauch swam for the Mustangs for four years and was a three-year letter winner. He was a member of teams that won three Sectional titles in 1999, 2001 and 2002. In 2000-2001, he was a member of the team that finished second at the State Class AA meet. He also was co-captain and a key contributor on the 2001-2002 team and participated in the State meet as an alternate in the 200-yard medley relay. That team captured fourth place in Class AA at State.

Yauch just completed his seventh season as Assistant Coach for the Mustangs Girls' Swim & Dive team. Previously, he was an Assistant Coach of the North St. Paul HS girls' team. In addition to his coaching duties at Mounds View, he is the lead coach for the school-age group at the North Suburban Aquatics Club (NSAC), where many Mounds View swimmers train and compete in the off-season.

When not coaching, Yauch is a student at Hamline University where he is working on a Bachelor's degree in Physics and a Master's degree in education. He aspires to be a high school physics teacher in the Metro area and will begin student teaching in the fall of 2018. His wife, Kjirsten "KJ" Yauch supports him at many meets and events and also conducts yoga sessions for NSAC swimmers.