

Camp Benefits

- Individual videotaped plate work.
- Live two-man mechanics / base work.
- Situation / people management training.
- NFHS rules and mechanics instruction.
- One camp t-shirt.
- Coffee and doughnuts for breakfast & a lunch served on Saturday.

(Please alert us in advance if you have any food allergies or special dietary needs we need to be aware of.)

Camp Staff

Instructors at this camp bring more than 300 years of experience umpiring at the high school, collegiate and professional levels. More importantly, they are dedicated to making you a stronger umpire and helping you reach your officiating goals. The staff will not waste your time with “war stories.” Our **Camp Director** is **Bruce Doane Jr.**, Supervisor of Umpires for the Division II GLIAC, Division III MIAA, and newly named Coordinator of Umpires for the NAIA World Series. In addition, Bruce also assigns for both the MCCA and Crossroads League. Our **Chief of Instruction** is **Mark Uyl**, Executive Director of the MHSAA.

Other Clinicians

Ron Black	Jim Jackson
Dave Buck	Steve Linton
Mark Ditsworth	Brent Rice
Mike Duffy	Nick Sweeney
Tim Farwig	Scott Taylor
Cory Hinga	Dave Uyl

Camp Information

Dates: January 31st, 5 pm – 8 pm
February 1st, 9 am – 5 pm

Site: GRCC Ford Fieldhouse
111 Lyon NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49504

Registration: Saturday, February 1st
8 am – 9 am

Tuition: \$250.00 / per camper

New: If your group of 10 or more umpires registers for camp, EACH umpire will receive a \$25 discount on tuition.

FYI

To ensure quality instruction and a small student to teacher ratio, we will only accept the first 70 students. To guarantee your admission, please complete and return the registration form and \$100 deposit immediately.

Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Evening Phone: _____

Email: _____

Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL XXXL

A \$100 deposit must be sent with this form to hold your spot.

Make your check payable to:

Grand Rapids CC Athletic Department

and return it to:

Grand Rapids Community College
Attention: Bill Firm
143 Bostwick NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

About the Camp



Bruce Doane Sr. had a vision — to create a first-class training camp for amateur umpires. This vision has been a reality since 1991.

Bruce established this camp that now turns out over 100 umpires annually. It was his leadership that brought campers, instructors, players and administrators together to find common ground. That common ground was the betterment of amateur baseball through umpire improvement.

Bruce passed away at the age of 72. He is missed by the umpires he has trained and the baseball community he served. However, his legacy and vision will continue on through the continual improvement of amateur baseball promoted by the best umpire clinic in America — the Bruce Doane Sr. Umpire Camp.

Additional Camp Info

Equipment & Dress: Casual dress for Friday session. For the Saturday session, all campers should wear their uniform. Umpires should also bring their plate equipment.

Camp Questions

Please contact us using the information below if you have further questions regarding the camp.

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A Special Thanks to...

The Grand Rapids Community College baseball team coached by Mike Eddington.
Rich Fetchiet and Dick Runchey for their many years of service to the camp.

Visit our website at:

www.doaneumpirecamps.com

Check out the Ford Fieldhouse renovation project at:

<https://roundme.com/tour/229751/view/654662/>

2020 Bruce Doane Sr. Umpire Camp

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