Building a Family With The Community



"You'll get further with sugar than you do with salt." -Erik Melgoza.

Alamosa High School Softball Coach Dominic Lomeli (Coach Dom) has done great things for the Alamosa community, and the Alamosa School District. Coach Dom was born to Sylvester and Tierra Lomeli in Roswell, New Mexico. He has three brothers: Xavier, Sylvester (Cheeto), and Alex. Having three little brothers was great for him.. He stays in touch with all three and is a mentor, along with a leader for them. From his early child hood to now he is successful on and of the field.

Coach Dom attended Dexter High School, where he played four years of varsity baseball. While in high school, he met his future wife, Tamara Lomeli. After graduation, he committed to New Mexico Military Institute, where he played baseball for two years and graduated with his associate's degree in Art. Dom then made his way to the San Luis Valley, where he played baseball at Adams State University for three years while earning his Bachelor's Degree in Kinesiology.

After graduating from college, Lomeli accepted the P.E teaching position at the K-2 Elementary School in Alamosa, where he is currently employed. Coach Lomeli started coaching at Alamosa High School approximately three years ago. His first coaching position was as the pitching coach for the Alamosa Varsity Baseball team.

In the fall of 2022. Coach Dom accepted the head coach position for the Alamosa Varsity Softball team. Here, he has led the Mean Moose to three consecutive regional playoff appearances. This last season, the Mean Moose were the first team in school history to make it to the State Tournament. Dom is doing an immaculate job of making the Alamosa Varsity Softball team well-known across Colorado.

Coach Dom most recently accepted an assistant coaching position for the Adams State Women's Softball team. He hopes to help the Grizzlies improve in many ways. He will start his job going into the spring season with the Grizz. Coach Dom is here to build a family with the community, this is only the start.

Coach Dom truly is the one person I look up to. He came into the program my sophomore year and has definitely been the one to leave a mark on Alamosa Softball.

-Kacey Hillis, Senior

77 Coach Dom is truly the best coach I have ever had. He treats everyone like family and guides the team in the right direction.

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-Jayla Quintana, Sophomore

Coach Dom is a great coach he pushes each and every one of us to be a better player. He also teaches our team how to play for each other at the competitive level.

-Gaby Castillo, Junior

This is only the beginning for Lomeli; he has high standards for himself and his teams. "Baseball and softball have allowed me to meet some of the best people and see some of the best sites. Since taking this job at ASU, I have realized that it is just starting, and I am excited to see where this journey takes me in the future. My priorities in life are always my family, being a husband and father and being an educator and coach. As a coach/educator, I aim to develop young men and women to be respectful and responsible adults who will be critical pieces in the community and change the world. I have always wanted to show kids like me that you can do anything and grow up to be whatever you want if you put the time in. There is little information on where I come from, so I have always wanted to be an example. I hope my athletes/students always know I genuinely care for them like my own and want nothing but the best, which is why I push them daily to achieve that. That is what has helped softball turn itself into a respectable program. We prioritize the family mentality and know through thick or thin that we have each other's backs, from the coaches to the players to the managers."