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Tarkanian Basketball Academy
2730 S. Rancho
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Hours of Operation
Monday-Saturday: 8am-10pm
Sunday: 11am-10pm

History

Jerry Tarkanian retired this season after 43 years as a head basketball coach. He won more collegiate games than any other coach (990), and finished his career with the sixth most career wins and the sixth highest winning percentage (79.6%) in NCAA Division I history. He averaged 25 wins a season as a Division I head basketball coach.

Tarkanian took 17 teams to the NCAA tournament. His teams made it to the "Sweet 16" thirteen times, to the "Final Eight" seven times and made four Final Four appearances. His 1990 UNLV team won the National Championship by the largest margin in NCAA history (30 points). Tarkanian coached UNLV for 19 years, winning 82.9% of his games. His last ten teams at UNLV averaged 31 wins per season.

He left UNLV in 1992 with the highest Division I winning of all time.



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Parent Comments

"The Tarkanian Basketball Academy is the best thing that's happened to Las Vegas youth basketball in years! TBA is one of the best run youth basketball programs that we've ever been involved with. Our son Jordan has been playing on the 7th and 8th grade Shark's team, skillfully coached by Brian Sitter, for over a year now and TBA has far exceeded our expectations!"

Carole Hattar (Son Jordan)

Danny Tarkanian was a two-time all-state basketball player for Bishop Gorman High School before playing for the Runnin' Rebels from 1981-1984. He was a two-time academic All-American, and two-time all-conference player for the Rebels and left school as the all-time leader in assists and steals. He was drafted in the 7th round of the NBA draft by the San Antonio Spurs. For seven years Danny was the assistant coach for his father at Fresno State.



After graduating from the University of San Diego as a two-year letterman, **George Tarkanian** started his coaching career as an assistant coach at Antelope Valley College. He has been a head coach for eight seasons in the California Junior College ranks, compiling a record of 219-69. He took three teams to the final eight, two to the final four, and one team to the State Finals. He is currently the Head Coach of the Communitiy College of Southern Nevada.





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