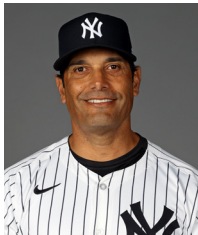




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MANAGER

NICK ORTIZ

BATS: RIGHT

THROWS: RIGHT

HEIGHT: 6'2"

WEIGHT: 225 LBS

BORN: JULY 9, 1973

RESIDES: Caguas, PR

YEARS WITH NYY: 5

DID YOU KNOW?: Ortiz collected over 1,200 hits across 15 seasons playing Minor League Baseball in affiliated and independent leagues from 1991-2007.

On January 26, 2024, the New York Yankees announced Nick Ortiz as the 19th manager of the Hudson Valley Renegades. Ortiz begins his first season in the Hudson Valley in 2024, returning for a second stint with the Yankees organization after spending the past four seasons as the Quality Assurance Coach for the San Francisco Giants. Before serving on Gabe Kapler's staff in San Francisco, Ortiz served a dual role for four seasons in the Yankees system, serving as an Amateur Scout covering Puerto Rico and a Minor League coach. He was an assistant coach for Rookie-level Pulaski in 2016, and managed GCL Yankees West in 2017 and 2019 and Pulaski in 2018. His Pulaski roster featured six future Major Leaguers on it, including former Renegades Oswald Peraza, Everson Pereira, Ezequiel Duran and Luis Medina.

In addition to his Major and Minor League coaching experience, Ortiz has coached and managed in the prestigious Puerto Rican Winter League for the Gigantes de Carolina and the Cangrejeros de Santurce, a league in which he played in for 16 seasons (1991-93, 1996-2007 and 2012) and was a six-time All-Star.

He began his coaching career after a 15-year playing career in Minor League Baseball, playing all four infield positions in the Boston, Montreal, Cleveland, Los Angeles-NL, Kansas City, Chicago-NL, and Yankees organizations. Ortiz also played for the Puerto Rican National Team in 2010 at the Central American and Caribbean Games. He was drafted in the 34th round of the 1990 First-Year Player Draft by the Red Sox out of Cidra High School in Cidra, Puerto Rico.

Over his 12 seasons in affiliated baseball, Ortiz batted .260 with 202 doubles, 23 triples, 52 HRs and 414 RBIs in 1,060 career games, and was a Texas League Mid-Season All-Star with Wichita in 2000. In three seasons playing in the independent Atlantic League with Bridgeport, Long Island, Somers et and the Road Warriors, he hit .281 with 23 HRs in 333 games.

Ortiz comes to the Hudson Valley with a connection to the Renegades, having served on the Giants staff for four years with former Renegades manager Craig Albarnaz, who guided the Gades to the 2017 New York-Penn League Championship. He is the fourth Renegades manager in four years under the Yankees affiliation, following **Dan Fiorito** (2021), **Tyson Blaser** (2022) and **Sergio Santos** (2023).

Ortiz and his wife, Rosalie Hernandez, have two children, Christian and Alexandra. Ortiz also has a daughter, Gabriella. A native of Puerto Rico, Ortiz and his family make their offseason home in Caguas, PR.



NICK ORTIZ MANAGERIAL RECORD

YEAR	TEAM	LEAGUE	RECORD	FINISH	ORGANIZATION	PLAYOFFS
2017	GCL Yankees West	Gulf Coast League	32-27	3rd	Yankees	None
2018	Pulaski Yankees	Appalachian League	32-36	4th	Yankees	None
2019	GCL Yankees West	Gulf Coast League	22-27	4th	Yankees	None
MiLB CAREER (3 years)			86-90 (.489)			

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PITCHING COACH

SPENCER MEDICK

BATS: LEFT

THROWS: LEFT

HEIGHT: 6'3"

WEIGHT: 220 LBS

BORN: May 23, 1991

RESIDES: Chandler, AZ

YEARS WITH NYY: 3

DID YOU KNOW?: While working for Driveline Baseball, Medick published several articles on training and nutrition for the facility's website in addition to his training duties.

Medick returns to the Renegades for his second season with the Renegades and third in the Yankees organization. He previously served as the Renegades pitching coach in 2022, and spent 2023 as the pitching coach for the FCL Yankees. Before joining the Yankees, he worked as a throwing trainer at Driveline Baseball, a data-driven baseball player development center in Kent, Washington from 2019-22. Prior to joining Driveline, he was the lead throwing trainer at Prime Sports Performance, an athletic training facility in Glen Arm, Maryland from 2018-19.

He began working at Prime Sports Performance after finishing a four-year professional career as a left-handed pitcher. Medick pitched for the AZL Diamondbacks in 2014, going 3-0 with a 1.17 ERA (30.2 IP/4 ER) and 32 K in 15 relief appearances. He then spent three seasons playing independent baseball in the Frontier League with the Southern Illinois Miners (2015), Joliet Slammers (2015-16, 18) and Evansville Otters (2018).

He embarked on his professional career after pitching collegiately at Hampden-Sydney College (2010), Polk State College (FL) (2011), and Elon University (2012, 13). He graduated from Elon with a bachelor's degree in business administration and management.



HITTING COACH

RICK GUARINO

BATS: RIGHT

THROWS: RIGHT

HEIGHT: 6'0"

WEIGHT: 185 LBS

BORN: August 16, 1982

RESIDES: Jonesboro, AR

YEARS WITH NYY: 3

DID YOU KNOW?: Guarino ranked seventh in his graduating class at Bishop Kerney High School and was a member of the National Honor Society.

Guarino enters his first season as the Renegades hitting coach, and his third in the Yankees system. He spent 2023 as the Hitting Coach for Single-A Tampa and served in the same capacity for the FCL Yankees in 2022. Before joining the Yankees, Guarino coached collegiately for 11 years, most recently as the hitting coach and recruiting coordinator at Arkansas State University (2018-21), and before that at the University of Tennessee at Martin (15-17), Young Harris College (13-14) and at his alma mater, the University of Arkansas at Little Rock (11-12). Throughout his collegiate coaching career, his teams finished at or near the top of their respective conferences in most offensive categories. While at Arkansas State, he mentored former Renegades infielder Kyle MacDonald.

Before beginning his coaching career, Guarino played professionally for six seasons from 2003-08. He was selected by the Colorado Rockies in the fourth round of the 2003 First-Year Player Draft out of UALR, and hit .263/.334/.392 in 358 games, reaching as high as Triple-A, and also played one season with the Calgary Vipers of the independent Golden Baseball League in 2009, helping lead the team to a championship. A New York native and graduate of Bishop Kearney High School in Rochester, Guarino was a two-year starting catcher and outfielder at the University of Maryland, Baltimore County, before finishing his collegiate career at UALR. He earned his bachelor's degree in liberal arts from UALR in 2012 following his playing career.



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DEFENSIVE COACH

ZAK WASSERMAN

BATS: LEFT

THROWS: LEFT

HEIGHT: 6'6"

WEIGHT: 225 LBS

BORN: August 30, 1990

RESIDES: Cincinnati, OH

YEARS WITH NYY: 1

DID YOU KNOW?: While playing in the minor leagues, Wasserman was a teammate of pitching coach Spencer Medick, and played for manager Nick Ortiz.

Wasserman begins his first season in the Yankees system in 2024, joining the Renegades as a Defensive Coach primarily working with outfielders and implementing the team's baserunning program. He comes to the Yankees after serving as an Assistant Coach at Xavier University in 2022 and 2023, helping the team to the 2023 BIG EAST Championship and an appearance in the Nashville Regional Finals in the 2023 NCAA Tournament. Prior to joining the Musketeers, Wasserman was the head baseball coach at Lake Michigan College from 2018 through 2022, overseeing one of the best offenses in NJCAA Division II.

He began coaching after a four-year playing career, including stops with the AZL Diamondbacks (2014) where he was teammates with Renegades pitching coach Spencer Medick, the Windy City Thunderbolts of the independent Frontier League (2014-16), and in the Yankees system with Rookie-level Pulaski (2016), where one of his coaches was Renegades manager Nick Ortiz. Wasserman graduated from the University of Louisville in 2013 with a bachelor's degree in sports administration and a minor in history after a standout career as a two-way player for the Cardinals. He earned his master's degree in organizational leadership from Trine University in 2020.



DEFENSIVE COACH

DEREK WOODLEY

BATS: RIGHT

THROWS: RIGHT

HEIGHT: 5'8"

WEIGHT: 230 LBS

BORN: January 14, 1971

RESIDES: Tampa, FL

YEARS WITH NYY: 2

DID YOU KNOW?: In addition to serving as the head coach of Defiance College from 2007-22, Woodley was also the school's Athletic Director starting in 2019.

Returning to the Renegades for his second season as a Defensive Coach, Woodley embarks on his second season in the Yankees organization. In 2023, he primarily worked with Renegades catchers, coached baserunning and served in-game as the first base coach. The Renegades stole 185 bases in 2023, the second-highest total in team history.

Prior to joining the Yankees organization in 2023, Woodley was a decorated college coach with over 300 wins to his credit, spending 15 years as the head coach at Defiance College, where he ranks second on the Yellow Jackets' all-time wins list and served as Athletic Director from 2019-23. Woodley has 30 years of coaching experience at the college level under his belt, including a dozen years at Bethany Lutheran College first as an assistant and then a head coach, and at Manchester University.

Woodley was a two-time Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Coach of the Year honoree (2013 and 2019), and his student-athletes were successful on and off the field, garnering 66 All-HCAC selections and 32 Academic All-HCAC honorees. In addition to his coaching and administrative background, Woodley worked as a part time scout for the St. Louis Cardinals from 2000-04, and was a coach for Mankato in the prestigious summer collegiate wood bat Northwoods League from 2000-03.

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ATHLETIC TRAINER

ADARIC KELLY

BORN: December 1, 1992

RESIDES: Tampa, FL

YEARS WITH NYY: 2

DID YOU KNOW?: Kelly was drafted as a right-handed pitcher by the Toronto Blue Jays in the 20th round of the 2010 MLB Draft and spent four seasons (2011-14) in their organization, appearing in 73 games.

Kelly begins his first season as the Renegades Athletic Trainer, and his second season in the Yankees organization, having spent the 2023 season as an Athletic Trainer for the FCL Yankees. Born in San Nicolas, Aruba, Kelly attended Trinity Christian Academy in Lake Worth, Florida, and was drafted in the 28th round of the 2010 First-Year Player Draft by the Toronto Blue Jays as a right-handed pitcher. He played four seasons in the Blue Jays organization, reaching Single-A Lansing in 2014 and appearing in 73 career games.

Following his playing career, Kelly attended the University of Florida, where he served as an Intern Athletic Trainer for the Gators nationally-ranked baseball program before joining the Yankees in 2023.



STRENGTH & CONDITIONING COACH

DYLAN LIDGE

BORN: October 27, 1994

RESIDES: West Palm Beach, FL

YEARS WITH NYY: 2

DID YOU KNOW?: Lidge's twin brother, Ryan, was a catcher in the Yankees minor league system from 2017-2019 and has played for the Chicago Dogs of the American Association since 2020.

Lidge begins his first season with the Renegades and second in the Yankees organization as a strength and conditioning coach in 2024. He spent the 2023 season as the Strength and Conditioning Coach for the Single-A Tampa Tarpons. Before joining the Yankees, Lidge served as a strength and conditioning coach at Cressey Sports Performance, a high-performance training facility for athletes located in Florida. He also spent time as an assistant baseball coach at Dominican University in River Forest, Illinois in 2020 and worked as an instructor at Fattfiro Zone Baseball, Playball USA and GrandeFit in the Chicagoland area.

Lidge earned his bachelor's degree in kinesiology at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign in 2017 and his master's degree in kinesiology with a concentration in biomechanics from the University of Illinois at Chicago in 2021. He interned with the University of Illinois at Chicago strength and conditioning department, and also served as a teacher assistant.



VIDEO ASSISTANT

DANNY ALTHOFF



ADVANCE SCOUTING ANALYST

DEVIN CLEMENTI



CLUBHOUSE MANAGER

RYAN SHUTE



MANAGERIAL HISTORY

YEAR	MANAGER	RECORD
1994	Doug Sisson	37-37 (.500)
	Sisson Totals	37-37 (.500)
1995	Bump Wills	47-27 (.635)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>0-2 (.000)</i>
1996	Bump Wills	32-44 (.421)
	Wills Totals	79-71 (.527)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>0-2 (.000)</i>
1997	Julio García	35-40 (.467)
	García Totals	35-40 (.467)
1998	Charlie Montoyo	50-26 (.658)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>0-2 (.000)</i>
	Montoyo Totals	50-26 (.658)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>0-2 (.000)</i>
1999	Edwin Rodriguez	42-34 (.553)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>4-2 (.667)</i>
	Rodriguez Totals	42-34 (.553)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>4-2 (.667)</i>
2000	Dave Silvestri	23-52 (.307)
	Silvestri Totals	23-52 (.307)
2001	Dave Howard	39-37 (.513)
2002	Dave Howard	26-49 (.347)
2003	Dave Howard	37-37 (.500)
2004	Dave Howard	39-33 (.542)
2005	Dave Howard	31-43 (.419)
	Howard Totals	172-199 (.464)
2006	Matt Quatraro	31-43 (.419)
2007	Matt Quatraro	34-42 (.447)
	Quatraro Totals	65-75 (.464)
2008	Joe Alvarez	40-35 (.533)
	Alvarez Totals	40-35 (.533)
2009	Brady Williams	38-37 (.507)
	Williams Totals	38-37 (.507)
2010	Jared Sandberg	39-36 (.520)
2011	Jared Sandberg	37-39 (.487)
2012	Jared Sandberg	52-24 (.684)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>4-2 (.667)</i>
	Sandberg Totals	128-99 (.563)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>4-2 (.667)</i>
2013	Mike Johns	38-37 (.507)
	Johns Totals	38-37 (.507)
2014	Tim Parenton	46-30 (.605)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>1-2 (.333)</i>
2015	Tim Parenton	39-37 (.513)
2016	Tim Parenton	47-27 (.635)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>2-2 (.500)</i>
	Parenton Totals	132-94 (.584)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>3-4 (.429)</i>

2017	Craig Albarnaz	44-32 (.579)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>4-1 (.800)</i>
	Albarnaz Totals	44-32 (.579)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>4-1 (.800)</i>
2018	Blake Butera	45-30 (.600)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>2-2 (.500)</i>
2019	Blake Butera	43-32 (.573)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>1-2 (.333)</i>
	Butera Totals	88-62 (.587)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>3-4 (.429)</i>
2021	Dan Fiorito	71-49 (.592)
	Fiorito Totals	71-49 (.592)
2022	Tyson Blaser	71-59 (.546)
	Blaser Totals	71-59 (.546)
2023	Sergio Santos	70-62 (.530)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>2-3 (.400)</i>
	Santos Totals	70-62 (.530)
	<i>Playoffs</i>	<i>2-3 (.400)</i>



Tim Parenton managed the Renegades to three straight winning seasons from 2014-16. He passed away from cancer at age 61 in October 2023.

WINNINGEST RENEGADES MANAGERS

BY WINS...

1.	Dave Howard	172-199
2.	Tim Parenton	132-94
3.	Jared Sandberg	128-99
4.	Blake Butera	88-62
5.	Bump Wills	79-71
6.	Dan Fiorito	71-49
	Tyson Blaser	71-59
8.	Sergio Santos	70-62
9.	Matt Quatraro	65-75
10.	Charlie Montoyo	50-26
11.	Craig Albarnaz	44-32
12.	Edwin Rodriguez	42-34
13.	Joe Alvarez	40-35
14.	Brady Williams	38-37
	Mike Johns	38-37
16.	Doug Sisson	37-37
17.	Julio Garcia	35-40
18.	Dave Silvestri	23-52

BY WINNING PERCENTAGE...

1.	Charlie Montoyo	.658
2.	Dan Fiorito	.592
3.	Blake Butera	.587
4.	Tim Parenton	.584
5.	Craig Albarnaz	.579
6.	Jared Sandberg	.563
7.	Edwin Rodriguez	.553
8.	Tyson Blaser	.546
9.	Joe Alvarez	.533
10.	Sergio Santos	.530
	Bump Wills	.527
12.	Brady Williams	.507
	Mike Johns	.507
	Doug Sisson	.500
	Julio Garcia	.467
16.	Dave Howard	.464
	Matt Quatraro	.464
18.	Dave Silvestri	.307

