Gulas resigns from post

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When the YSU baseball team takes to the field next year, there will be a new coach guiding the Penguins' fortunes. Greg Gulas, baseball coach for the Penguins announced Saturday that he would be stepping down from the position.

Gulas compiled a 26-61-1 mark over the two years that he was at the helm. Gulas was only the second baseball coach in YSU history, succeeding the legendary Dom Rosselli after Rosselli retired from post at the end of the 1985 season.

"A 26-61-1 record is not a glorious record," Gulas said. "We had a few big wins but the losses became harder to take."

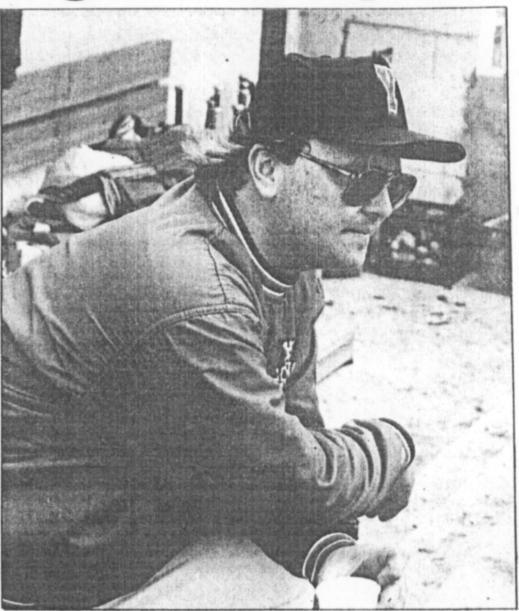
As of now no new coach has been named, but Gulas advised, "They should fill the position shortly. This is a prime recruiting time that can make you or break you."

Gulas' announcement came after YSU's contest with Cleveland State on Saturday.

"I let the players know before the ballgame of my decision," Gulas said. "I wanted them to hear from me rather than from someone else."

Gulas will continue in his position as Sports Information Director. "In a full time way now," Gulas added.

"This ballclub has a strong nucleus for next year," Gulas said. "Whoever gets the job next year I wish well to. Next season is the last in the OVC for YSU. There will be only three



Stepping down: Former YSU baseball coach Greg Gulas announced his resignation as coach this past weekend.

teams in the Northern Division. The top two teams will advance to the OVC playoffs. I hope YSU is one of those two teams."

Gulas added, "I honestly felt it was time for the program to have a new leader. I've been contemplating the decision for some time."

"I do want to thank Mr. (Joseph) Malmisur (athletic director) for the opportunity to coach the YSU baseball team. I've always dreamt of being a

coach on the collegiate level. Mr. Malmisur gave me the chance. For that I'll be eternally grateful to him," Gulas said.

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