



For Miller, Tupelo Is Home

TUPELO, Miss. — Now in his 11th year with the Tupelo Public School District covering two stints, Jason Miller has more than welcomed the challenges and embraces the victories the past two years as the activities and athletics director at Tupelo High School, his alma mater.

A lover of all things sports and hunting, he attended both Itawamba Community College and Delta State University, before starting his first job selling phone systems for a technology company.

He's quick to say THS is a special place to him, and for a number of reasons. For example, he loves to watch the growth of students from year to year, as well as the relationships built through teaching and coaching.

The main reason, though, it's where he met his wife, Shelley, when they were in the 10th-grade. And now with their three children — sons Davis (15) and Drew (11) and daughter Dylan (13) — they couldn't be happier.

During what little free time he has, you'll likely find him hunting, fishing or building projects. And if an opportunity arises for a quick trip to Rosemary Beach, it's fun in the sun.

As for a favorite food, it's french fries. Plain and simple.

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