

The twenty years of coaching expertise that safeties coach Jason Hagerty brings to Horizon make him a tremendous asset to the Horizon football program. Having coached many players who continued on to the professional level, Hagerty's philosophy of player accountability and sportsmanship, paired with a vast insight into the game, is a proven recipe for success.

Coach Hagerty was a wide receiver and safety at Chaney High School (Youngstown, OH), where he and his team earned three league titles. Hagerty also played outfield for the Cowboys, whose baseball club continued to win the league title for four years. Hagerty earned his bachelor's degree from Youngstown State University and then got right to work as a coach: Volney Rogers Junior High, Chaney High School, the 12u program with Ridge Army, and Mountain Ridge High School have all benefited from the wealth of knowledge he imparted to his players, as evidenced by the seven league titles won during his tenure. Though he stays busy as a coach, his playing days aren't behind him—Hagerty is a two-time national champion and a four-time All-American USFTL adult flag football player.

Hagerty has been married to his wonderful wife Nicole (an ASU professor of Education) for 22 years, and they have three children: Hannah, Jacob, and Jayson, who joins him on the Huskies coaching staff. Golf and travel are among his preferred pastimes—if he's not in Arizona, he's certain to be on a beach somewhere.