



**WANT TO BE A HEAD COACH? START AS GIANTS’ DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR**

There must be something in the water at Giants Stadium. An incredible five former defensive coordinators of the New York Giants are now head coaches in the NFL – **BILL BELICHICK** (New England Patriots), **JOHN FOX** (Carolina Panthers), **MIKE NOLAN** (San Francisco 49ers), **BILL PARCELLS** (Dallas Cowboys) and **MARTY SCHOTTENHEIMER** (San Diego Chargers).

“The Belichicks, Parcellses and Schottenheimers helped create a standard that people like me and John Fox worked to live up to,” says Nolan, the new coach of the 49ers. “Going back to when **TOM LANDRY** was in charge of the Giants’ defense, there is an expectation level of performance and responsibility to the past.”

Coach Fox couldn’t agree more.

“You are aware of the great defensive tradition that exists with the Giants from the time you arrive. It is part of the mindset of the organization,” says Fox.

“As a result, all of us have been associated with outstanding defenses and awarded the recognition that follows.”

The five former defensive coordinators of the New York Giants who are now NFL head coaches:

COACH	CURRENT TEAM	COORDINATOR WITH GIANTS
Bill Belichick	New England Patriots	1985-90
John Fox	Carolina Panthers	1997-01
Mike Nolan	San Francisco 49ers	1993-96
Bill Parcells	Dallas Cowboys	1981-82
Marty Schottenheimer	San Diego Chargers	1977





