

Rick Grubaugh began his career in education teaching and coaching at Madison and Genoa High Schools before becoming Athletic Director at Columbus Scotus. Grubaugh coached State Championships in football, boys' basketball and girls track during his 14 years in Education. He also served as Alumni and Endowment Director in his 7 years at Scotus. He was a triple jump track official working the State Track Meet for many years.

Grubaugh was born into an Auction family and learned the call at a young age and conducted his first auction at 12 years old. Today Grubaugh Auction Service conducts approximately seventy-five auctions each year plus donates their services to numerous fundraisers. Grubaugh also owns RE/MAX Total Realty in Columbus where he is the Broker and oversees fifteen agents.

Grubaugh is active in the Nebraska Association of Realtors as an RPAC Trustee and a Federal Political Coordinator for the National Association of Realtors with Congressman Mike Flood. Grubaugh is a lifelong Husker Football Fan attending games since his elementary days. He is a huge Jaysker supporting Nebraska, Creighton, and all Nebraska schools. His daughter Jena lives in Bastrop Texas with her husband and two sons.