

STAFF DIRECTORY

What's Poppin'?



BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF CABARRUS COUNTY



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My favorite holiday traditions involve meals with my family.

Most people are surprised to know that I have been skydiving!

VALERIE MELTON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

LARRY HATHCOCK FINANCE DIRECTOR

Joe would like the super power of mind reading. He is inspired by anyone who has to work harder than the average person to complete tasks we would normally take for granted. Joe's spirit animal is an elephant because he wishes he had their memory. His favorite holiday tradition is eating fattening food and watching "Home Alone."

Listen to your elders' claims that wearing a ballcap all the time will make you go bald.

> Larry is in charge of the Club's payroll, budget, and other finances. Larry is a long time Cabarrus County resident and started working at the Club in 2008. He has spent 30 years in the accounting field and is a Certified Internal Auditor. He

has a BS Degree in Accounting from UNC-Charlotte.

JOE HABINA DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS

If Valerie could choose a super power it would be the ability to

withstand heat and not sweat. She believes the people are the greatest strength of our organization and in fact it's the staff that inspires her because of how hard they work. Her spirit animal is a goat because they scream and faint and if she were a

> crayon she would be wild watermelon.

Did you know, I have two miniature donkeys?!

Amy assists the Finance Director in all accounting and systems functions including payroll, human resources, insurance administration, grants and data system management. Amy joined the Club in 2016. She is a graduate of NC State University with a BA in Biological & Agricultural Engineering and a minor in Finance. Amy has many hobbies, including fishing, hunting, gardening and knitting.

Jeff's super power would be the ability to fly and his favorite emoji is the crying laughing face. Jeff is inspired by his dad's work ethic, honesty, and ability to always put his family first. His spirit animal is a wolf because it's NC State's mascot (his alma mater). This is also the reason if Jeff were a crayon he would be the color red.

AMY HURLOCKER Accounting director

My hidden talent is juggling!

I enjoy decorating, walking, and spending time with friends & family.

MARY WILDER Marketing & Communications director Mary is in charge of fundraising campaigns, including special events, social marketing, and direct mail. She also manages the donor database and the Club website. Mary joined the Club in 2010. A graduate of Peace College, Mary is a native of Concord and a former Keystone Club member.

JEFF GREEN SPECIAL INITIATIVES DIRECTOR

My favorite holiday is Thanksgiving. Good food, family and football!

MARK TRACY Director of Program Development Mark would want the super power of healing people. He believes the greatest strengths of our organization are the staff, facility, and opportunity to serve. A golden retriever is his spirit animal because he is calm, loving, loyal, and happy - he says, "If I had a tail, it would always be wagging." Mark is inspired by his wife's strength, kindness, and sincerity. If Mark was a crayon he would be the color mac & cheese.

Jon would want the super power of mind reading and his favorite emoji is the hugging one. He believes the strengths of our organization stem from the supportive and inclusive environment among our staff. Jon's dad inspires him because he spent the better part of his life sacrificing for his family. Jon says he is his hero. Jon's spirit animal is a tiger because of his love for Clemson and his strong-willed and driven personality. If i were a crayon, I'd be orange. Go Tigers!

> JONATHAN HELMS GRANT DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

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Emily is from Buffalo, NY but now resides in Highland Creek. She worked at the Club from 2003-2007 and rejoined our team in 2020. She is most inspired by those that succeed in spite of the cards they have been dealt. Her favorite tradition is that she and her daughter get a new pair of matching PJs every year and take silly photos in front of the tree.

Courtney is a Concord native, but spent a lot of her adult life in Austin, TX. She would like to have the super power of flying (to avoid traffic and see the world). Courtney is inspired by children, especially those in foster care. She says they are so resilient. Courtney's spirit animal is a dog because they are loyal, comforting, and usually a little goofy.



COURTNEY RILEY ACCOUNTING MANAGER

I love my sweet pup, Kuechly!

BAILEY SCHADLER Grants Manager

Bailey says the greatest strength of our organization is how closeknit our staff is. If she could have any super power she would want to be able to transport herself, and if she were a crayon she would be the color green. Bailey says her mom inspires her because "she is the strongest, most positive, selfless and kindhearted person she knows." Her favorite family traditions involve cookouts and her spirit animal is a dog.

If Alaina could choose a super power she would want to have the ability to stop time. Her favorite emoji is the side eye one and her spirit animal is a cow. Her favorite family tradition is Easter sunrise service on the beach every year and if she were a crayon she would be the color blue.



My guilty pleasure is watching TikTok.

Ciara manages all aspects of the front desk, including member registration and payments. She also serves as receptionist and manages the member tracking database for attendance and program evaluation. Ciara earned a Bachelor's Degree in Communication, Public Relations from Appalachian State University. She joined the club in 2019. Ciara is a Concord native and Cherry Lemon Sundrop fanatic.

CIARA GENTRY MEMBERSHIP MANAGER

Thelma 's dream super power would be to read minds or thoughts of others. She believes the greatest strength of our organization is the ability we have to make changes in a child. Thelma's spirit animal is an owl because of it's curious nature and capacity to see beyond what meets the eye. If Thelma were a crayon she would be the color purple because it represents creativity, peace and devotion.

> RODNEY MASON Program Director II

My favorite holiday tradition is eating as a family and talking about our childhood.

Most people call me "Coach Breezy"

Breezy believes one strength of our organization is being able to offer a place for kids that may not have one of their own. His favorite family traditions are reunions and his spirit animal is a wolf. Breezy is inspired by anyone who gives their time to children. His favorite emoji is the fire one and his favorite color is red, "the color of love." If Breezy could choose any super power he would have the ability to go back in time to correct mistakes.

THELMA WILLIAMS PROGRAM DIRECTOR II

I have been working at the Club for over 45 years!

JIM HELMS Senior Program Director

ALEC FORNEY Program Director I Jim has been with the Club since 1972! He is the founder and director of the Keystone Program. Jim has impacted the lives of thousands of teens over the years. Many of these teens have returned to serve on the Board at the Boys & Girls Club.

John is from Salisbury, NC and currently resides in China Grove. He earned his BA is Social Studies and achieved a Minor in History. John supervises the "Junior Unit" (K-2nd grade) in the Afterschool and Summer Programs. He says success is setting goals and making a difference is someone's life. John loves spending time in the Rocky Mountains and Lake Tahoe!

Travel more and go see the world!

JOHN DAVIS ATHLETICS & CAMP DIRECTOR

Fun Fact: I have been attending the Club since I was 5!

Alec would want the super power of time traveling and his favorite emoji is the crying laughing emoji. He believes team-work is one of the greatest strengths of our organization. Alec is inspired by his mom who has always been there for him. "Without the Boys and Girls Club, I wouldn't be the person I am today!" His spirit animal is a lion and his favorite colors are purple and gold! ECU!

I am inspired by our children. It is a blessing to mentor those who need it.

CHERI HOWARD Program Director I

JEFF KIDD Facility Manager If Cheri could have any super power, it would be the ability to fly. Her favorite emoji is the crying laughing face and if she were a crayon she would be the color royal blue. She believes spreading love and building relationships are some of the greatest strengths of our organization. Cheri's spirit animal is a lion because of her courage and ability to take charge.

Renee is inspired by her kids everyday. She says they inspire her to be better than the day before. Renee would choose the super power of superhuman speed and her spirit animal is a phoenix because it represents new life and her life has taken many turns to overcome obstacles.

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My favorite family tradition is traveling every spring with my family.

RENEE MCCULLOUGH PROGRAM DIRECTOR I

Florida is one of my favorite places to travel!

Jeff has been the building and maintenance supervisor at the Club since 2008. Jeff is responsible for the overall upkeep of the property, including the Club's athletic fields. Occasionally, Jeff takes time out of his schedule to serve as a substitute bus driver in our Afterschool Program.

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DAWN SMITH

Dawn is a Concord native and attended Concord High. She went on to further her education at NC A&T. She has been with the Club since 2006 and loves meeting new people and working with the kids. Dawn has three children of her own.



SHRREE WILKIE

Shrree is from Landis and attended A.L. Brown High School. She has worked at the Club since 2006. Shrree loves interaction with the children and meeting new staff!



ANNETTE MASON

Annette is a Concord native and works as a Special Program Coordinator for the Club. If she had one super power it would be to end all poverty. She says one of the Club's greatest strengths is its ability to reach a diverse group of children.



MARY BETH JONES

Mary Beth is from China Grove and currently resides in Mount Pleasant, NC. She has been with the Club for 13 years! She says that success is a long journey that starts with small steps taken with a positive attitude.



VONETTA WALKER

Vonetta is a Concord native and attended Northwest High. Her super power would be to save many people. and she is more inspired by her grandmother. If she were a crayon she would be the color purple.



GEORGIA LEE

Georgia is originally from Michigan but currently resides in Concord. Her favorite family tradition is cooking holiday meals and her favorite place to be is the mountains.

































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Valerie



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