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Cyndi Canada, Site Supervisor

Cyndi began working for ESE as the Site Supervisor at Mohawk Trails in 2007. Prior to working for Carmel Clay Parks and Recreation she spent 13 years working for the YMCA in their before and after school programs, 8 of them as the Site Director at Mohawk Trails. She loves camping and hiking, especially in the fall.

Fun Fact: Cyndi and her husband recently opened a coffee roasting business, Wood Warbler Coffee, to raise funds for conservation.



Mikayla Hazelwood, Assistant Site Supervisor

Mikayla began working for ESE at Mohawks Trails as a Kid Counselor during the 2015-16 school year. She was promoted to Head Counselor in January 2019. This is her first year working as the Assistant Site Supervisor. The past two summers she has worked at “Boys Rock! Girls Rule!” and she loved it. Miss Hazelwood is looking forward to directing another play this year at ESE!

Fun Fact: Mikayla can do a thumbs up with her big toe!



Trey Brown, Head Counselor

Trey started working for TM ESE in February of 2017. This is Trey’s first year at Mohawk Trails as a Head Counselor. In his free time, he likes to watch and make movies, play the guitar, and go on spontaneous road trips. He has gone to Cedar Point, Kings Island, Clifty Falls State Park, Louisville, Cincinnati, and Kelley Island!

Fun Fact: Mr. Brown is a movie director and plans to start a movie production company.

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Devin Strauss, Kid Counselor

Devin recently moved to the Indy area in December from beautiful Colorado. He has previously worked as a camp counselor at the YMCA. He is a big kid at heart. He enjoys bringing out the best in children he is around.

Fun Fact: Devin loves playing any sport, cooking, and lounging with kitty named Mimi.



Haley Lipps, Kid Counselor

Haley has returned back to ESE for her third school year. She currently attends IUPUI as a junior and is studying to become a Social Worker. Haley has a bearded dragon named Hank.

Fun Fact: Haley will be working in New York this summer as a Camp Counselor!



Maria Pellegrino, Kid Counselor

Maria began working for ESE at Mohawk Trails during the 2018-19 school year. She is currently a senior at Carmel High School and loves working with kids. Maria also enjoys traveling.

Fun Fact: Maria lived in Spain this past summer for 6 weeks.

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Ella Curtis, Kid Counselor

Ella began working for ESE at Mohawk Trails during the 2018-19 school year. She loves making bracelets and going to the mountains. During ESE, she enjoys craft clubs and being with the kids.

Fun Fact: Ella loves to ski.



Hannah Cunningham, Kid Counselor

Hannah began working for ESE during the 2018-19 school year as a Kid Counselor at College Wood and is looking forward to being at Mohawk Trails this year. She is a senior at Carmel High School. Hannah is very excited to meet some new kiddos and build relationships with them!

Fun Fact: Hannah is doing cadet teaching here at Mohawk Trails this year.



Colin Taylor, Kid Counselor

Colin began working for ESE during the 2015-16 school year. Outside of work he enjoys going to Indy Car races, Pacers games, and hanging out with friends.

Fun Fact: Colin's role model is Indy Car driver James Hinchcliffe.

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Molly Crosby, Kid Counselor

Molly is starting her first year with ESE. She is a sophomore at Carmel High School. The past four summers Molly worked in the IMPACT program for SCS. She loves working with kids.

Fun Fact: Molly has a huge Bernese Mountain dog named Murphy



Oliva Turi, Kid Counselor

Olivia began working at Mohawk Trails during the 2015-16 school year. During the past few summers she has worked at Play On and Boys Rock Girls Rule! Olivia is a senior at IU and even works at a Preschool.

Fun Fact: Olivia is studying to be a teacher.



Morsal Rasouli, Kid Counselor

Morsal began working for ESE as a Kid Counselor at Mohawk Trail during the 2010-11 school year. During the summers she worked at "Boys Rock! Girls Rule!" camp. Morsal graduated from Indiana University with a Biology degree and a Psychology minor. She is looking forward to seeing everyone back this school year.

Fun Fact: Morsal is continuing her education to get another degree.

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Victoria Schuster, Kid Counselor

Victoria began working for ESE as an Inclusion Facilitator during the 2012-13 school year. Victoria enjoys being outdoors, cooking, crafting and spending time with her sisters. She is married with two beautiful children.

Fun Fact: Victoria has two businesses; Three of Spades and Tiger Lily Tea Events



Sharon Rusk, Kid Counselor

Sharon began working for ESE during the 2015-16 school year as a Kid Counselor. Before starting at Mohawk Trails she worked for 14 years at the YMCA in their before and after school programs. She is a widow, has one daughter and 2 grandchildren. She loves to travel and has been to 10 countries. She loves animals and does lots of dog sitting.

Fun Fact: Sharon did catering for 15 years!



Brennan Turi, Kid Counselor

Brennan began working at Mohawk Trails during the 2015-16 school year. He is a graduate from Carmel High School and is attending The Ohio State University. When he was very young he moved to Carmel from New Jersey. Brennan plays both guitar and drum set.

Fun Fact: Brennan has played soccer since he was 5 years old.

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Divya Pathak, Kid Counselor

Divya is returning to ESE after a five year gap. During that gap she graduated from college and worked in consulting. Divya loves music, taking walks and science. She can also play the piano.

Fun Fact: Divya is a self-taught (very amateur) guitar player.



Nate Robbins, Kid Counselor

Nate is starting his first year at ESE. He loves to play basketball and Frisbee in his free time. Nate use to help coach at a basketball summer camp, Indiana Basketball Academy. Before joining Mohawk Trails he worked at Regal 17.

Fun Fact: Nate is adopted from Guatemala.



Amanda Maddox, Kid Counselor

Amanda is spending her 3rd year working at ESE after taking one year off to work in the field as a social worker aka Life Skills Coach. Amanda received her Bachelors of Social Work at IUPUI.

Fun Fact: Amanda is expecting her first grandchild in March.

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