

COME JOIN THE FUN! GOOD THINGS ARE HAPPENING AGAIN AT CAMP ALGONQUIN!

**Join me in welcoming back our Co-Camp Directors
Chris Haffler and Mark Offitto
And our Arts & Crafts Coordinator
Rhonda Swiderski**

Chris will assume the role of Co-Camp Director. Chris is in his third year teaching elementary school in Hackensack, NJ. Prior to teaching he was a site coordinator for a before and after school program in River Vale, NJ for four years. He also holds many years of camp counselor experience. Chris received his B.A. in American Studies with a K-6 and 5-8 social studies teaching certifications from Ramapo College in 2009. He is currently a student at Ramapo College in the M.A. Special Education program will be graduating in May 2016. Chris is excited to spend the summer making Camp Algonquin an excellent program.

Mark will assume the role of Co-Camp Director. Mark currently works full time as a Physical Education and Health Teacher at Lyndhurst High School. Mark has been a LHS for the past 4 years. In his 4 years at LHS, Mark has held the position of Head Freshman Boys Basketball Coach, as well as the Head Junior Varsity Baseball Coach. With a strong background in Physical Education, as well as a strong affinity for activity and sport, Mark has many attributes to bring to Camp Algonquin to make it a fun and safe environment for all who attend. With the assistance of Chris, and a great group of camp counselors, Camp Algonquin is sure to be one of the finest summer camps in the area. The staff looks forward to welcoming new and returning campers!

Rhonda has a Bachelor's of Science in Elementary Education from SUNY Oneonta and a Master's of Science in Reading from CUNY Lehman. Rhonda grew up on Long Island, where she spent nine years teaching 5th and 6th graders in various districts in New York. After raising two boys, this year Rhonda returned to the classroom as a full time sixth grade teacher at Lincoln School in Nutley, NJ. Rhonda comes to us as a mom with a ton of crafting experience and as a creative educator. Rhonda resides in WCL with her husband Keith, and their sons, Michael and Brendan.

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