

Pool Staff 2024

Meet The Crew!

Andrew Giuliano

Pool Director

Hi, my name is Drew Giuliano and this will be my 6th year as the Pound Ridge Pool Director. Throughout the year I am a Gym Teacher at Fox Lane High School along with Head Coach of the Fox Lane High School Varsity Football Team. I can't wait for another amazing summer in the Ridge!



Nick Blade

Assistant Pool Director

Hello Pound Ridge! My name is Nick Blade and this is my first year at the Town of Pound Ridge. Throughout the year I am a competitive swim coach at the New Canaan YMCA Caimans. I completed my degree and swam for Southern Connecticut. In the past I was the director of Silver Sand Beach Club in East Haven. I am excited to become a part of the PR Community!



Abbie Brady

Assistant Pool Director
Camp Aquatics Director
Assistant Swim Coach
& Lessons Instructor



Hi! My name is Abbie Brady, I am a BCSD alum and am about to go into my junior year at the University of Alabama! This year will be my 6th year working at the Pound Ridge Town Pool! For the past 2 years I was one of our pools head guards, and last year was my first year apart of the Pound Ridge Swim Team coaching staff! I am so excited to continue my position as a swim coach for another year, as well as start 2 new positions at the Pound Ridge Town Pool/Camp! This year I will be your Assistant Pool Director in addition to your new Camp Aquatics Director! I am so excited to see so many of you again this summer, as well as meet so many more of you and your kids, it's going to be a great summer!

Hi! I am Molly Henry, I grew up in Pound Ridge and swam on Pound Ridge Swim & Dive for 12 years. Currently, I am a Special Education Teacher at Danbury School District. I swam at West Conn for 4 years. While competing on the West Conn swim team, I was a 2X silver medalist in the 50 Freestyle at the Little East Conference Championships. This will be my 6th year coaching Pound Ridge Swim Team and 3rd year as the director of Swim Lessons. Go Dolphins!!

Molly Henry

Director of Swim Lessons
Water Safety Instructor
Assistant Swim & Dive Coach



Kennedy New

Head Guard & Lessons Instructor



Hi my name is Kennedy New and I have been working at the Pound Ridge pool for the past five years going on six! I am currently a head guard and a swim instructor here. I also work at multiple camps during the summer and a preschool during my free time in the winter. I am very well versed in childcare and love helping kids learn how to swim or further their technique. I was a swimmer for the Dolphins for a few years so getting to see the kids I teach go on to join the team and race is really heartwarming. I am currently a student at the University of Delaware where I am pursuing a degree in Psychology and Criminal Justice. On campus I am a part of the Rugby team and hold two executive board positions. I am very excited for another great summer at Pound Ridge Town Pool and hope to teach your kids how to become stronger swimmers!

Carmelia Zuniga

Head Guard

Hi! I'm Carmie! This is my second year as Head Guard and this is my 5th summer working at the Pound Ridge Pool. I am a rising sophomore at Villanova University where I am studying environmental studies and political science. I live in North Stamford, Connecticut and graduated from Greenwich Country Day School. I am looking forward to another great summer!



Mikaela Parker

Head Guard



Hi! I'm Mikaela! This is my first year as a head guard and my 3rd year working at the Pound Ridge Pool. I am beginning her freshman year at Ohio State University this fall, where I will be studying communications. I am from South Salem, NY and am graduating from John Jay High School! I'm super excited for another awesome summer!

Trevor Fraioli

Head Guard

Hey, my name is Trevor Fraioli! I am a Fox Lane graduate going into my junior year at the University of Miami and this will be my third summer at the Pound Ridge pool. I am excited to start this summer as one of our new head guards! Last summer was my first year helping out with camp swim lessons and it quickly become one of my favorite parts of working at the pool. I have enjoyed watching campers evolve not only as swimmers but as people through our camp lessons, and I am so excited to continue working with past and new campers this summer in my new position! It's going to be a great summer, I can't wait!



Melissa Farella

Head Swim & Dive Coach



Hi! This will be my 12th year coaching the Dolphins! I am the Town of Pound Ridge's Recreation Leader. I swam on the Dolphins for 12 years. I have coached New Canaan Caimans, Storm Aquatics, Westchester Aquatics and Fox Lane High School Varsity Swim. I can't wait for my 24th year as a Dolphin, GO DOLPHINS!

Hi! I'm Liam. This is my fourth year as a Dolphins coach but I've been a member of the team since I was a 6 and under. I was a PRES and FLHS graduate and recently completed my BS in environmental science at the University of Vermont. In September, I will be attending NYU to obtain my masters in environmental science. I am so excited to be back for another summer with the Dolphins.

Liam DuVally

Assistant Swim & Dive Coach



Sophia Coppola

Assistant Dive Coach



Hi! My name is Sophia Coppola, I go to Fox Lane High School, and will be a junior in the fall. I have been on Pound Ridge Swim and Dive since I was in first grade and also dive for the Fox Lane High School team. I used to swim for the BGNW Marlins, but am currently diving for Whirlwind in New Canaan! I cannot wait for this season. Go Dolphins!