

Jared Mull - Director

Jared was born and raised in Transylvania County. He graduated from Southern Wesleyan in 2008 with a B.S. degree in Recreation. He then went on to High Point University where he received his M.S. Degree in Recreation Management. Jared oversees the department's budget, staff, strategic planning, and capital improvement projects.

Food - Mexican

Hobby - Fantasy football, Tar Heels, Carolina Panthers

Other - Spending time with his wife Jennifer, kids Madelyn and Samson, and his boxer Max



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Mandi Bentley - Recreation Manager

Mandi Bentley was born and raised in Transylvania County and has always had a passion for youth and special events. Mandi worked for the department for 7 years as a program coordinator until becoming Recreation Manager in 2018. Mandi oversees all programs and supervises recreation staff at Silvermont and the Recreation Center.

Some of Mandi's favorite things are:

Food - Steak

Hobby - Paddleboarding

Other - Spending time with her husband Bill, and her two twin boys Walker and Peyton



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Brenda Skeffington - Recreation Program Coordinator

Brenda is a New Hampshire native and moved to Transylvania County in 2011. She received a B.S. degree in Physical Education from Springfield College and a M.S. Degree from the US Sports Academy. Brenda oversees the senior center activities, Silvermont mansion rentals, and tennis court rentals at Silvermont.

Some of Brenda's favorite things are:

Food - Ice Cream

Hobby - Walking the beach, hiking, biking

Other - Coaching and training in youth volleyball



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Dale Griffin - Recreation Program Coordinator

Dale Griffin was born and raised in Transylvania County and has been with the department in either a part time or full time role for 26 years. Dale also spent time working at Coats American. Dale graduated from Appalachian State with a degree in Mathematics. Dale is in charge of youth sports including basketball, girls volleyball, flag football, and start smart sports. Dale also is in charge or assists with various summer camps at the recreation center.

Some of Dale's favorite things are:

Food - Seafood

Hobby - Basketball and any other sport

Other - Spending time with family and his pets



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Chase Lance - Recreation Program Coordinator

Chase Lance was born and raised in Brevard, NC. Chase graduated from Brevard College in 2010 with a B.S. degree in Business with an emphasis in Sports & Event Management. Chase leads and assists with youth and adult athletics, summer camps, and Transylvania Youth Council.



Food - Pizza and Wings

Hobby - Sports and weight lifting

Other - Hanging out with friends

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