

The Glen Staff - 2010



We are thrilled to have **EMMA KUHL** join us at The Glen for her first summer. Emma is currently a student at Ohio State University studying International Studies and French. She loves to dance and has a lot of experience including eleven years with the Toledo Ballet and three years with the Ballet Theater of Toledo. She also has experience in jazz, hip-hop, Broadway, and contemporary dance. Emma has taught many cheerleading clinics and dance classes over the past few years. She is involved in many organizations including the Golden Key International Honor Society, International Affairs Scholars, and the Rotract Club. We cannot wait for Emma to come to camp as a dance instructor and use all of her experience to show our campers a move or two!

Twenty-one year old **LAUREN WATT** joins us all the way from Scotland for her first summer at The Glen as a swim instructor. She has been a certified lifeguard for 3 years and loves to swim. Recently, she has been teaching children to swim and helping them to improve water confidence and stroke technique. When not swimming, Lauren enjoys sailing and playing volleyball. She is working to become a Physical Education teacher and loves working with children of all ages. Lauren is looking forward to coming to America and working with our campers on becoming amazing swimmers.



MARISA ROSS joins us from Sabetha, Kansas for her first summer at The Glen. Currently, Marisa is a student at The University of Kansas majoring in Secondary Education. Having spent the last five years as a lifeguard and swim instructor, Marisa is looking forward to teaching our campers to swim this summer. She also loves the arts, and music has been a huge part of her life. She was in show choir as well as concert choir, and went to state with her solos. Not only does Marisa swim and sing, but she is quite the tennis player as well and went to state her senior year in high school. Marisa is looking forward to a great experience at camp this summer!

MEGAN HENNING joins us for her first summer at The Glen as one of our waterski instructors. Currently, Megan is a student at St. Norbert College in Wisconsin majoring in International Studies with an emphasis on Africa. She has been skiing for the past 10 years and is the secretary of the Waterski and Wakeboard club at St. Norbert College. We are thrilled Megan is able to join us this summer, and we know she will share her passion for skiing with all of our campers as they learn to reach their goals this summer.



We are so excited to have **ALYX SLOTKY** with us at The Glen this summer. Decatur is like a home away from home for Alyx as this will be her 11th summer at camp, and she can't think of a more amazing place to spend her summers! Currently, Alyx is studying Elementary Education and Child Studies at Vanderbilt University in Nashville. Working at the ski dock is her favorite thing to do, and she is so excited to help our campers get up around the lake this summer.

We are thrilled to welcome **KATIE SIMEON** from St. Louis, Missouri to The Glen for her first summer as a waterski instructor. Currently, Katie is a sophomore at Baylor University in Texas majoring in Biochemistry and minoring in Business and Spanish. Katie grew up going to overnight camp in Missouri and started as a camper at the age of 7 years old. Katie is the Vice President of her waterski team at Baylor and has a great deal of experience teaching others to ski. She loves working with children and can't wait to help our campers experience "walking on water" this summer.



We are thrilled to have former camper, CIT, and Junior Counselor, **RACHEL SLOTKY** with us at The Glen this summer as one of our waterskiing instructors. Currently, Rachel is a senior at New Trier High School, and is looking forward to graduating this spring. She can't think of a better place to spend her summers as this will be her 10th summer at camp. We are so excited for Rachel to share her passion for camp and waterskiing this summer with our campers.

KATE SLOMAN joins us from England for her first summer at The Glen as one of our sailing instructors. Kate is quite the sailor! She has been in the Sea Cadet Corp since the age of 11 and at 16 years old became the Junior Divisional Leader. In this role, she planned and delivered lessons to cadets aged 10 and 11. Not only does Kate have her Dinghy Sailing Instructors Certificate, but she is also a qualified Expedition Leader and has taught children camping and navigation skills. Kate has competed in sailing events at a national level and participated in The Tall Ships Race in 2008. When not sailing, Kate loves to play piano and go hiking in the mountains. We are sure that Kate will be amazing with all of our future sailors this summer!



Twenty-two year old **ALICE BURTON** is joining us for her first summer all the way from Australia! Alice is no stranger to canoeing. She started canoeing at the age of 13, grew up around rivers and lakes, and would often take her family canoe out. Besides canoeing, Alice enjoys mountain biking, snowboarding, surfing and waterskiing. She loves the outdoors and the simple things in life. We are so excited to welcome Alice to The Glen!

Twenty-Four year old **STEPHANIE KLUMPP** returns to camp for her third summer at The Glen. Stephanie graduated from Albion College in Michigan and just finished her first year at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo where she is working on her Master's Degree in Education. At camp, you will find Stephanie out on the basketball courts, doing what she does best! Stephanie has played on teams for ten years and was voted captain of her varsity team, as well as her team at Albion College. This year, Stephanie has an added role as our Jr. CIT supervisor at The Glen and The Grove. She is so excited to get back on the courts with all of our campers this summer!





Twenty-one year old **RACHEL RIDEOUT** joins The Glen as a Lacrosse and Climbing instructor for her first summer. Currently, Rachel is a junior at Michigan State University and is the captain of her women's Lacrosse team. She is majoring in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology and hopes to go into medicine. She played Lacrosse throughout her high school years, and her senior year went to the championship. We are thrilled to have Rachel join us this summer and teach our campers how to play lacrosse!

Let's give a warm welcome to twenty-one year old **ABBY SPENCE** from Three Rivers, MI to The Glen for her first summer as one of our volleyball instructors. Abby just graduated from Albion College with a degree in English and Elementary Education. She has played volleyball for the past eight years, and continues to play in college. She also enjoys playing basketball, canoeing and kayaking. As an elementary education major, Abby has worked in schools with children of all ages. In her free time, Abby enjoys running, watching movies and reading. We are thrilled to have Abby show our campers how to bump, set and spike the ball this summer!



The Glen welcomes twenty-three year old **AMANDA TAYLOR** from Utah as one of our very talented gymnastics instructors. Currently, Amanda is a student at Southern Utah University and is majoring in Math Education. She started at the early age of 5 as a gymnast and competed on a team for one year. Amanda has a great deal of experience in teaching gymnastics to children of all ages. In her free time, Amanda enjoys camping, four wheeling, snowboarding, mountain biking, and being in the outdoors. We know she will fit right in at camp!

We are so excited to welcome back 24 year old **ROBIN GARITY** from Crystal Lake, IL for her third summer at The Glen. We are thrilled to announce a new role that Robin will be taking on this summer at camp as our Glen Program Assist. Robin has been with us for the last two summers as a Glen counselor and gymnastics instructor. We are happy to say, that in this new role, Robin will still be a Glen counselor, and continue to make sure our girls have the most incredible and fun summer. Currently, Robin is studying at Northern Illinois University, and will be starting her final year after camp ends this summer. She will graduate in 2011 with a degree in English and a minor in Psychology. After graduating, Robin plans to teach English abroad, perhaps in Japan. She loves to read in her free time, and just got back from her first trip to Australia to visit some great friends she made while at camp! She's SO excited to be spending another summer at camp. Welcome back, Robin!





The Glen is very excited to have twenty-two year old **LIZ NIKIEL** back at camp for her third summer. Liz just graduated from Northern Illinois University and has a degree in Elementary Education. After spending a great summer back at camp, Liz is looking forward to finding a teaching job. An avid artist, Liz has studied art for as long as she can remember; including a course in college that teaches its students “how to teach art.” In her free time, she has enjoyed creating art pieces to give as gifts, and has so many wonderful new and exciting ideas for camp. We are so excited to have Liz back this summer in the arts and crafts shed with all of her creative ideas!

A warm welcome to twenty-one year old **McKENZIE ALLEN** from Indiana to The Glen! McKenzie will be starting her senior year at Purdue University this fall. She is an elementary education major, and when she graduates, she wants to enroll in Teach for America. Fine Arts and Crafts has always been a passion for McKenzie which is why you will find her teaching our campers in the art shed this summer. She loves art so much that she has even been involved in art competitions. When not being creative, McKenzie enjoys running, playing all sports, and traveling. We are looking forward to McKenzie inspiring our campers to be creative this summer.



We are so excited to welcome back **TRACY BRELOWSKI** to The Glen for her third summer! Tracy just graduated from Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, MI with a degree in fine arts and an emphasis in photography. When she’s not behind the camera, she loves being active and playing sports, especially Tennis. Tracy returns to the courts this summer as one of our amazing tennis instructors! She started playing tennis her freshman year in high school after her friends begged her to join the team. She’s so glad she did, and by her senior year, she earned the title “1st Team All-State” for MHSAA Division 4, along with regional and conference medals. At Western Michigan, Tracy has played Club Tennis and competed in the Intramural Tennis League where she won 1st place for Women’s Doubles. Tracy is so excited to be back on the courts this summer at camp!

AUSTYN ERICKSON joins The Glen for her first summer from Trevor, WI as one of our horseback riding instructors. Currently, Austyn is finishing her freshman year at The University of Findly in Ohio majoring in Equine Science and plans to major in business and Spanish as well. No stranger to horses, Austyn started riding at the age of 10, was able to buy a horse, and has worked with a trainer ever since. She is lucky to continue having riding instruction every day at college as well. Austyn has volunteered at a Midwest Therapeutic Riding program to help teach children with special needs how to ride. She rides English style, jumps and has traveled to many horse show competitions. We are so excited for Austyn to teach our campers how to ride and share her love of horse with them.



ALEXA BERTOLINI joins us this summer from Georgia as one of our very talented horseback riding instructors. Currently, Alexa is a sophomore at The University of West Virginia. She is majoring in Anthropology as well as Pre-Law. Alexa started horseback riding at the age of 8, and has done both Western and English. Alexa owns her own horse, and has shown Hunter Jumper at the national level. She even started an Equestrian team at her High School which ended up going to nationals. Alexa is looking forward to an amazing summer and can't wait to share her passion for horses with our campers.

We are so excited to welcome **RACHEL SPENCER**, from the United Kingdom, to The Glen this summer as a climbing instructor. Currently, Rachel is studying Adventure Sports at University, and has done both indoor and outdoor climbing. She loves working with children, both motivating and inspiring them. Rachel comes from a big family, and has many interests including gymnastics, swimming and kayaking. We are so excited to have Rachel as part of our team this summer at camp.



Twenty-one year old **SUZANNE FLOWERS** is headed to The Glen for her first summer from Tyrone, Georgia. Currently, Suzanne is a student at Georgia State University majoring in Photography. Suzanne grew up going to camp, and loved it so much that she wanted to work at one to help give campers the most amazing memories. The last two summers, Suzanne enjoyed working at an overnight camp in Georgia. When Suzanne is not studying, she enjoys climbing every week and of course taking lots of pictures. We are so excited to have Suzanne help our campers climb to the top and ring our bell this summer!

We are so excited to have former camper, CIT, and Junior Counselor, **ALEX BERGLAND**, back at camp with us for another summer at The Glen as one of our climbing instructors. This will be Alex's 7th summer in Decatur, and she can't think of a better place to spend her summer. Currently, Alex is a student at Hinsdale Central High School in Illinois. When not in school, Alex volunteers at The Hinsdale Hospital in the ER and the oncology ward. She loves to horseback ride, enjoys fencing, and loves to snowboard.



After taking a summer off from camp, twenty-one year old **ELLE BRADLEY** returns for a second summer at The Glen. All the way from Australia, she is looking forward to another summer in Decatur where she will be teaching our campers Outdoor Living Skills. She is so excited to share her ideas with our campers including a game she plays in Australia called "Bush Art." Our campers will also get to go on some fun scavenger hunts using compasses, maps and clues. Of course, she also has some great new recipes to share with everyone next summer as well. Welcome back, Elle!

We want to give a warm welcome to twenty-one year old **TAL ZAID** from Israel for her first summer at The Glen. Tal will be teaching riflery as well as doing Hebrew tutoring. During Tal's military service, she underwent training in general tank warfare and using rifles. During the last 16 months of her service, Tal instructed soldiers in general education, handling and firing rifles. Tal enjoys reading, watching movies, traveling and photography. She is so excited to come to America and spend her summer at camp teaching our campers how to hit the target!





The Glen welcomes twenty-two year old **JESSICA MIROGLOTTA** from Ohio to the Arts and Crafts Shed this summer! Jessica just graduated from Miami University in Ohio and majored in Art Education. She enjoys all aspects of art including ceramics, fine arts, and arts and crafts. In her free time, Jessica enjoys making her own artwork, reading and writing. We are excited for Jessica to share her passion and creativity with our campers this summer.

Twenty-two year old **MICHELE GOTTLIEB** from California will be joining us at The Glen for her first summer as our Videographer. Michelle recently graduated from Chapman University in Colorado with a degree in film productions and a minor in business. Her dream job would be producing travel documentaries as she loves the outdoors and traveling. When not behind the camera, Michelle enjoys snowboarding and just being in the outdoors. We are so excited to have Michelle with us this summer so she can capture all the amazing things that our campers are experiencing while at camp.

