

IVY HALL CLUBHOUSE

STAFF BIOS 07-08

Carol Verzani (Site Director) Carol has been with the Buffalo Grove Park District for ten years. Prior to coming to the Park District she worked for Lutheran General Hospital for 18 years. She has been married for 26 years to her husband John and they have two children, Michael, age 19 (a freshman at Harper College) and Christina, age 15 (a sophomore at Buffalo Grove High School). During the summers, Carol works as a coordinator for Day Camps and Camp Connection. When Carol is not working, she enjoys spending time with her family and friends, mentoring newly diagnosed breast cancer patients through the American Cancer Society, listening to music and singing.

Brenden Fitzgerald (Assistant Site Director) This is Brenden's third year at CLUBHOUSE. Brenden likes CLUBHOUSE because he enjoys being a positive influence on the youth of today. Aside from his job at CLUBHOUSE, Brenden works as a realtor. He enjoys outdoor sports like wakeboarding, snowboarding and camping.

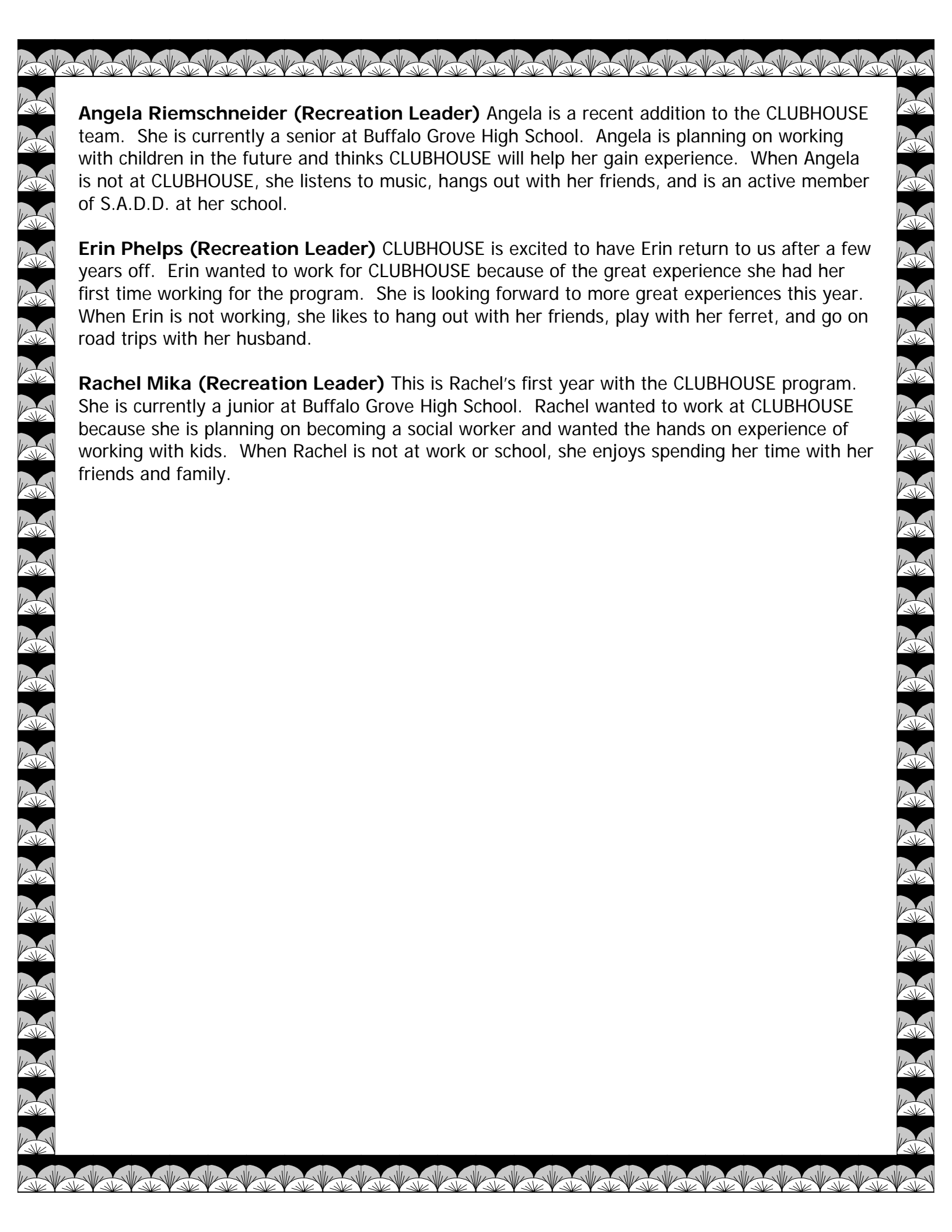
Vince Rhine (Assistant Site Director) This is Vince's third year at Ivy Hall CLUBHOUSE. He was promoted this year from Recreation Leader to Assistant. Vince really enjoys CLUBHOUSE because of the fun and exciting atmosphere. In his free time, he likes to play sports, hang out with friends, and watch the Cubbies.

Kaitlyn Kovacevich (Recreation Leader) Kaitlyn is new to the CLUBHOUSE team this year. She is currently a junior at Buffalo Grove High School. Kaitlyn wants to be a preschool teacher, and she is hoping that her experiences at CLUBHOUSE will help her in her future goal. When she is not working, Kaitlyn likes to baby-sit, run, and stay active.

Lois Lash (Recreation Leader) Lois is a veteran to CLUBHOUSE having worked here for ten years. Lois thinks CLUBHOUSE is an excellent program to be working for, and she enjoys being with the children and hopes that she adds something to their lives. In her spare time, Lois enjoys traveling, reading, and playing Mahjongg.

Katie Martin (Recreation Leader) This is Katie's first year with CLUBHOUSE. She is a junior at Buffalo Grove High School. Katie wanted to work for CLUBHOUSE because she wants to help kids understand different things in life, and teach them the rights and wrongs. When Katie is not at CLUBHOUSE, she likes to hang out with her friends and family.

Michael "Nikko" Paoulos (Recreation Leader) Nikko has just started with CLUBHOUSE this year. He is currently a sophomore at Harper College. Nikko is interested in being an administrator in the Education field, and hopes that CLUBHOUSE will help him on his way. In his free time, Nikko likes to play soccer, the guitar, write music, and run.



Angela Riemschneider (Recreation Leader) Angela is a recent addition to the CLUBHOUSE team. She is currently a senior at Buffalo Grove High School. Angela is planning on working with children in the future and thinks CLUBHOUSE will help her gain experience. When Angela is not at CLUBHOUSE, she listens to music, hangs out with her friends, and is an active member of S.A.D.D. at her school.

Erin Phelps (Recreation Leader) CLUBHOUSE is excited to have Erin return to us after a few years off. Erin wanted to work for CLUBHOUSE because of the great experience she had her first time working for the program. She is looking forward to more great experiences this year. When Erin is not working, she likes to hang out with her friends, play with her ferret, and go on road trips with her husband.

Rachel Mika (Recreation Leader) This is Rachel's first year with the CLUBHOUSE program. She is currently a junior at Buffalo Grove High School. Rachel wanted to work at CLUBHOUSE because she is planning on becoming a social worker and wanted the hands on experience of working with kids. When Rachel is not at work or school, she enjoys spending her time with her friends and family.