KINE GRAD SPOTLIGHT Class of 2018

Sara Pyke



Sara is the senior student therapist for the Women's Rugby team and volunteers for Kinderskills. Sara has exemplified professionalism and has been an excellent mentor for the junior students. Sara is as hardworking as they come, she is diligent and is extremely passionate about the well being of the members of the team.

Kathleen Newcombe



Kathleen has been a S.M.I.L.E. volunteer throughout her four years here at Acadia. Kathleen holds a respectively high GPA and has been a Human Physiology TA for the past two years. She volunteers at the Wolfville Nursing Home, Hanna Miller Memorial Tournament and coaches the sledge hockey team in Kentville.

Michele Delfino



Michele volunteers at the Wolfville Nursing Home, helped organize J.O.Y. (Just Older Youth) and runs an afternoon exercise class for the residents! Michele also volunteers for Kinderskills and is a Saturday S.M.I.L.E leader. Michele also has a competitive GPA, is a TA for two classes and works at the Acadia Sport Therapy Clinic.

Maddie McDonald



Maddie has been a volunteer for the S.M.I.L.E program throughout the past four years, she is currently a TNT leader and a Friday night instructor. Maddie also volunteers weekly at the Wolfville Nursing Home and with the Autism Social Group. Maddie holds a respectable GPA and is a TA for two core Kinesiology courses.

Lauren Holmes



Lauren is the senior student therapist for the Women's Basketball team and is a TA for two kinesiology courses (including biomechanics). She volunteers with SMILE and Cardiac rehab while maintaining a high GPA.

Paetra Addison



Paetra has been involved in the S.M.I.L.E. program for all four years and is currently the Friday night Adult SMILE Student Director. Paetra is also present during all other program days at SMILE just to lend a hand. Paetra also volunteers with Kinderskills and is the Vice President of Synchronized Swimming Nova Scotia.

Carson Halliwell



Carson dedicates his time to Smile, Cardiac Rehab, and a Research project with Scott Landry. Carson is a TA for Biomechanics and is always willing to go above and beyond what is expected in regards to school work and helping others.

Courtney Dill



Courtney is a member of the Exercise Science and Training Practicum. Courtney volunteers as a strength and conditioning intern for the Women's Rugby team and Acadia Performance Training. Courtney also works to improve her personal training client's quality of life and fitness levels while conducting an independent study.