

My name is Heather Barbour and I have been an Elementary Physical Education teacher for 11 years. I graduated from Kent State University, where I worked with many incredible professors and cooperating teachers. It was their example of involvement in professional development and OAHPERD that sparked my participation. I served on OAHPERD's Board of the Directors for 12 years in various Student Leader positions and on the Executive Committee for four years as the All-Ohio Representative and currently as Secretary. I have also coached club, middle school and high school volleyball teams. I am a mom to two boys and will be their PE teacher when they are school-age. This motivates me that much more to work on best-practice techniques and create a positive environment in the gym.

My name is Brock Evans and I have been teaching for 22 years and 20 of those years have been with the Mount Vernon City Schools system. I also taught high school multiple handicap and middle school health/physical education in Marion, Ohio. I graduated from Mount Vernon Nazarene College in 1999 with a bachelor's degree in Physical Education and Health with a minor in sports medicine.

I am very passionate about my job and working with youth. I was a member of the Ohio Department of Education Physical Education Standard Writing Committee which successfully wrote the first ever physical education standards for our state. Immediately following that committee work I was selected to be a team member to develop and write the assessments for the standards previously written. I am a youth wrestling coach and Crossfit coach as well.