

# Kim Burroughs

Coach, Teacher, Mentor, Leader, Motivator, Art Enthusiast, Ceramics Creator

## Middle/Upper School Art Teacher, Girls' Soccer Head Coach

**College:** UNC-Pembroke '77, BA in Studio Art

**Graduate:** UNC-Greensboro '88, MFA in Studio Ceramics; Med K-12 Art Education

### Coaching Experience:

Greensboro Day School: Head Varsity Coach: 1988-present

Greensboro Twister's Soccer Club: 1995-2009

Smith High School: Head Boys' and Girls' Varsity Coach: 1984-1988



### Playing Experience:

UNC-Pembroke: 1977

### Personal Bio:

Kim Burroughs, a Newton native, has been at Greensboro Day School since 1988. Graduating from UNC-Pembroke in 1977, he furthered his education with a Master's degree from UNC-Greensboro University in 1988. Burroughs played soccer on the collegiate level at UNC-Pembroke during his senior year. He moved to Valdese, NC and was hired to start a soccer and art program. He was considered the 'unofficial' coach at East Burke for a number of years however, because he was not a teacher, he could not be the official head coach. Kim then moved to Greensboro to start his MFA program at UNC-Greensboro and worked at the Soccer Shop during school. This was his introduction to soccer in Greensboro. He was then hired as the head girls' and boys' soccer coach at Smith High School.

Though Kim came to Greensboro Day School as a middle school art teacher, he found a passion on the soccer field in 1991, his 3<sup>rd</sup> year at GDS. During his 28 years as the head coach at GDS, the girls' soccer program grew to national prominence. The team finished #2 in the nation in 1998 and won 6 straight state championships between 1995 and 2000. Kim has compiled an overall record of 400-101-40 (as of 8/20/18), a winning percentage of 74%, and by our research, Kim is the 7<sup>th</sup> winningest coach in North Carolina high school girls' soccer history (both public and private). He has led the Bengals to a record 12 state championships in the North Carolina Independent School Athletic Association (NCISAA) and was a finalist 3 other times. His teams have also won a record 19 championships in the Piedmont Athletic Conference of Independent Schools (PACIS). He was selected as head coach for the N.C. soccer team at the Oasis Shrine Bowl in 2006 and 2007. The Greensboro Youth Soccer Association named Michael Coach of the Year in 2004. That same year, the National Soccer Coaches of America named him Regional Coach of the Year. He is a member of the National Soccer Coaches Association of America and a 24-year member of the North Carolina Soccer Coaches Association. NCSCA has named him State Coach of the Year Private-3A three times. Burrough's success at GDS has led to his selection as coach in 2 all-star games. 23 former players have gone on to play soccer at the collegiate level.

Coach Burroughs transcends soccer; he teaches not only the game but also life skills. His success in molding young lives for over three decades is the major building block in Greensboro Day School's soccer foundation. Kim and his wife, Sabrina Burroughs, have two daughters: Caitlin Burroughs King and Cassie Burroughs.

### By the Numbers:

Girls' Soccer Coach since 1991 (28 seasons)

- Career Record: 400-101-40 (as of 8/2018)
  - 3 Nationally Ranked Seasons (by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America): 1997 - #7, 1998 - #2, 2005 - #16
- 12 State Championships: North Carolina Independent School Athletic Association (NCISAA): '91, '95, '96, '97, '98, '99, '00, '02, '03, '04, '05, '07
- 15 appearances as a State Finalist in the NCISAA: '91, '95, '96, '97, '98, '99, '00, '01, '02, '03, '04, '05, '07, '12, '13
- 19 Conference Championships: Piedmont Athletic Conference of Independent Schools (PACIS): '94, '96, '97, '98, '99, '00, '01, '02, '03, '04, '05, '06, '07, '08, '09, '10, '12, '13, '14
- Coached 2 All-Star Games
  - 2007 Head Coach N.C. Soccer Team-Oasis Shrine Bowl & 2006 Assistant Coach N.C. Soccer Team-Oasis Shrine Bowl

### COACH OF THE YEAR AWARDS

- 1994, 1999, 2003, 2012 PACIS Coach of the Year
- 2004 Greensboro Youth Soccer Association-Classic Soccer-Coach of the Year
- 2004 National Soccer Coaches of America - Regional Coach of the Year-South-Private
- 1997, 1998, 2004 North Carolina Soccer Coaches Association-State Coach of the Year-Private
- 1997, 1998, 2004 North Carolina Soccer Coaches Association-Regional Coach of the Year-Private
- 1998 Guilford County News and Record – Women's Soccer – Coach of the Year
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- 1994 North Carolina Soccer Coaches Association Regional Coach of the Year
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### MILESTONE VICTORIES

- 100th Win: 1997 vs. Raleigh Ravenscroft, 7-0
- 200th Win: 2003 vs. Ragsdale High School, 5-0
  - 100<sup>th</sup> PACIS Win – 2004 vs. Forsyth Country Day, 1-0 (4/30/04)
- 300<sup>th</sup> Win: 2009 vs. Cary Academy, 4-0 (5/4/09)
- 400<sup>th</sup> Win: 2018 vs. Covenant Day School, 3-2 (5/8/18)