



Breakthrough-Butler Team Get to know: Nick Y

- 1) **I am a piece of the Breakthrough team because:** My passion for bettering this community and the lives of those who are around me. The drive to use sport and other activities to teach and help life lessons be learned, along with other values like confidence and the value of team.
- 2) **Work experience:** Have over seven years of experience working within the YMCA as a college intern, a volunteer, and a part-time and full-time employee.
 - Assisted the Grove City YMCA's Youth & Family Director in running and managing youth/adult sports from 2015-2021
 - Youth & Family Staff member at the Butler YMCA from Oct. 2015 - Aug. 2017
 - Sports Coordinator at the Butler YMCA from Aug. 2017 – March 2019
 - Youth & Family Director at the Butler YMCA from March 2019 – August 2020
 - Childcare School Age Staff at the Butler YMCA from Nov. 2016 – August 2017; March-May 2018, March 2019 – Presently in 2021
 - Childcare Pre-K Float Staff at the Butler YMCA from August 2020 – Presently in 2021
- 3) **Current school/future plans:** To continue being a stable part of the Butler, PA community by supporting the youth and those who cannot speak for themselves.
- 4) **What I'm most excited about:** A new opportunity that can reach and connect so many more people. To be able to build healthy relationships and be a staple of positivity and safety. To be able to go on this journey with an incredible group of people (my team) that can do so much good and positive culture change.
- 5) **"Being the person I needed when I was a child/teen," currently means to me:**
Being a role model who is trusted and a person that is there to give advice, to talk to, to give support and guidance. To be able to lead the younger generation and help them breakthrough the obstacles of growing up or that life will throw at them.