

## Coach Matt Lewin – Coaching Instructor Boys Tomahawk Lacrosse:

Born in Newtown, Connecticut Coach Lewin moved to Raleigh,NC in 2004. He started his High school career as a 4 year Varsity Lacrosse player at Cardinal Gibbons High School. There, he won four conference championships and two NCHSAA state runner up which earned Matthew a chance to play lacrosse at Guilford College. Matthew played at Guilford for a year and then transferred to UNC Charlotte where he played club lacrosse for 2 years and club hockey for 3 years. After discovering his love to teach the game, he went on to coach Gaston County Patriots High School team for 3 seasons as the Assistant Coach. Last season he was the head offensive coach for Clover JV Lacrosse and helped secure their first perfect season in school history! Matthew currently plays men's lacrosse for the Charlotte Reapers and Buzz City Lacrosse Clubs and is playing indoor lacrosse for the Charlotte Reapers Sr. B indoor lacrosse team. Coach Lewin is "all in" for the youth of this community and can't wait to work with our kids and transfer his experience and knowledge.





## Coach Rob Contini – Coaching Instructor Boys Tomahawk Lacrosse:

Rob's love for the game started back in his High School days at a YMCA clinic in Staten Island NY. He went on to play JV Lacrosse as a Defenseman for Monsignor Farrell High School in Staten Island, NY in his Freshman Year. In his Sophomore year, he moved to LSM and was the Captain of the JV team as well as a reserve player for the Varsity Team. Rob finished his High School career as a Short Stick Midfielder leading the Lions to back to back Island Championships. After high school, Rob went on to attend the University at Buffalo, where he participated in Intramural Hockey and Lacrosse. After relocating down to the Charlotte Area in 2019 Rob looked to get back involved in the sport he loved. He saw Lacrosse booming across the South East and found a perfect home at Tomahawk Lacrosse. Rob looks forward to coaching and helping foster a love for the game that was instilled in him growing up.







#### Coach Jackson Watkins- Coaching Instructor Boys Tomahawk Lacrosse:

I have been involved as a part of Clover Lacrosse for the past 9 years. My Lacrosse career started the day that Clover High School announced the new school lacrosse program. I knew from the moment I picked up a stick that my passion for this game would be unparallel to any other sport so my focus was lacrosse from that point forward. I excelled at Clover High School as a 4 year Varsity starter at attack and midfield. My love for playing lacrosse has grown into a passion for coaching the sport that I love. Every season that I played my team was able to make the playoffs but always ended up a little short of the big game. That has always burned in my stomach to change the tradition of coming up short to being the team to beat in the Championship game every year. The path for that tradition is through Tomahawk Lacrosse Youth!



## Coach Cody Doremus – Coaching Instructor Boys Tomahawk Lacrosse:

Coach Cody Doremus played High School Lacrosse at Dorman High for 4 years starting as a midfielder and finishing his senior year as an LSM. He attended Limestone College where he played all four years on close defense earning 3 conference and 2 national championships. Coach Dormus is a York County Sherriff who enjoys giving back to the community.



# Coach James Marino–Coaching Instructor Boys Tomahawk Lacrosse:

Sports have been a big part of my life. I always loved competing and striving to be the best on the field no matter the sport. I fell in love with lacrosse when I was in the seventh grade, and I was even more fascinated with watching goal tending. Seeing players in the net is an extraordinary sight to see. From the way they moved, to how fast they were able to react in a split second made me realize that goal tending was where I belonged. With countless hours of practice, I was able to make the varsity team at Marvin Ridge Highschool as a freshman. With four long years of hard work God blessed me with a scholarship to play at Wingate University where my team won 2 SAC championships. Lacrosse has been a huge part of my life and I love teaching young players the ins and outs of becoming a scholarship player!