

## MEET THE TEAM!



### ***Dave Cook – General Manager***

As General Manager of the WMAT Trading Company, Dave has overall strategic responsibility for the company including finances, operations, personnel development and ensuring sustainability.

Dave has over 20 years' experience in the fitness industry as a PT, instructor, manager, and lecturer in sport. He joined WMAT in October 2017 following a number of years in the private sector health and leisure industry.

Outside of work, Dave is a keen mountain biker and also a Bristol Bears rugby supporter. Dave has previously played alongside 2 British and Irish Lions, and enjoys spending time with his 2 young children at home.



### ***Sarah Jones – Operations Manager***

Sarah has the responsibility of ensuring both sports centres run smoothly and effectively in terms of operations and logistics. This includes staffing levels, group exercise class timetable and delivery, all health and safety compliance, and booking of facilities.

Sarah has worked in the leisure industry for over 10 years, starting out as a lifeguard before becoming a Level 2 Swimming Instructor, even working overseas for 2 years. She has been at SBL Sports Centre 4.5 years, before more recently taking on the Operations Manager role for WMAT Trading.

Outside of work, Sarah is a sporadic runner and has recently completed the Disney half marathon, with plenty more planned for 2019! Other than running, Sarah spends plenty of time walking with her golden Labrador, Tin Tin.



### ***Laura Gaiger – Community and Business Development Manager***

As the Community and Business Development Manager, Laura's main role is to source and secure new streams of income. This includes facility bookings, holiday camps, meetings and events organisation, and bid writing.

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Laura has come from a sports development background, working in 2 FE College's for almost 9 years before moving to WMAT Trading. She is also a qualified teacher and is an associate standards verifier for sports and exercise science qualifications.

Outside of work, Laura is an avid Gloucester Rugby fan and season ticket holder. She also enjoys travelling as much as possible with her new husband, and has recently visited Canada and Hawaii.



***Antony Kelly – Team Leader***

Antony is based at Wellsway Sports Centre and has overall responsibility of the centres sports bookings and operational delivery. This includes making sure all our facility bookings have the correct equipment set up for their activities and delivering excellent customer service.

Antony has been in the fitness industry for over 6 years now and has recently completed his Level 3 apprenticeship in Team Leader/Supervising. He is a qualified fitness instructor and personal trainer.

Antony is a big Celtic Football fan and is one of 5 brothers.

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