



Introducing... Mr. Knudsen

Why do you work at Days Creek?

I am excited to grow a science program that is suited to the needs of the Days Creek community.

Where did you go to college? What was your major? Why did you choose that major? What are your certifications?

I first received a B.S.Ed. in Chemistry from Northern Arizona University and then followed that up with a Master's in Analytical Chemistry from University of Wyoming. I've long loved chemistry and thinking analytically so bringing the two together was just the obvious choice.

What is the funniest thing that happened while teaching Distance Learning?

Some students and I who were early to class sang Disney songs together, much to the embarrassment of other students as they joined.

What is your greatest advice to Students? Parents?

Ignorance is a choice, and so is intelligence. Keep collecting evidence and let that new evidence guide your worldview.

What is your hidden talent?

I'm pretty good at hackey sack. A largely useless talent other than for fitness, but in my younger days I did once keep it up for over 1000 kicks. I can also do a trick called "the pendulum".

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