## Koa Prep Staff Bios



## Tony Korson, Head of School

Tony grew up loving, and playing sports. His first memory of competitive sports was a 10U club soccer team, he wasn't the worst player, but definitely bottom third on the team. Fast forward eight years (and a sport change later) there were a dozen division 1 players including the Maryland Gatorade State Player on that squad. He was a



late bloomer, Tony did not have any scholarship offers for baseball until late June, after he already graduated high school. He accepted an offer to play baseball at UMBC, and transferred to Florida Gulf Coast University after his first year in college.

After a successful high school career at Walt Whitman (2001 first team All Met) and college career Tony was unsure of what to do professionally. Luckily, for Montgomery County he decided to chase his passion and go into youth sports. What started as a private baseball instruction company, he has turned Koa Sports into a massive youth sports organization. He oversees and aids in developing all programming, and is dedicated to the company's mission, shaping kids' lives through sports. Tony and his wife Nikki were married in January 2016, and had their first child, a son, in March of 2017.