

## Harrisburg Project Weekly News Briefing December 17, 2021

*It is hard to believe another year is coming to an end. As we prepare to celebrate the holidays with our family and friends, we would like to take a moment to say "Thank You" to our awesome clients.*

*The staff at Harrisburg Project looks forward to continuing to provide you with up-to-date training and client support in the coming New Year!*

*To allow our staff time with family, our office will be closed beginning Wednesday, December 22, 2021. Normal business hours will resume Monday, January 3, 2022.*

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**  
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Back Row L to R: Sandy Pennell, Kenzie James, Adam Morton, Kyle Brasher  
Front Row L to R: Cheryl Tuttle, Sarah Noelle, Kendra Spees, and  
Amanda Morton

### Meet the Staff

#### Amanda Morton - Project Director

I have worked with Harrisburg Project 21 years. I am an avid crafter and decorator, and sport a massive Halloween collection. I enjoy pumpkin carving, quilting, and wine tasting and live in Raleigh with my husband and too many cats and chickens.

#### Adam Morton - System Administrator

I am a music nerd and tech enthusiast. In my free time, I collect records and catalog them. 90% of my brain is occupied by lyrics and music trivia; the rest is code.

#### Sarah Noelle - Lead Training Specialist

I have been providing training and client support for Harrisburg Project for almost 16 years. If you attend our group webinars then you see me on the "big screen"! I have been married to my high school sweetheart, Josh, for 20 years. We have two daughters, Sloane - 10 and Ryan - 13.

#### Cheryl Tuttle - Lead Support Specialist

I have provided client support for Harrisburg Project for the past 13 years. I love flowers, primitive décor and my many animals. I have been married for 26 years and am Mom to James - 23, Marine Veteran; John - 20 and Jessica 17.





## Meet the Staff, continued:

### **Sandy Pennell** – Project Assistant

I'm usually the first person you talk to when you call Harrisburg Project. I'm the oldest one here and I don't mind at all because I "mother" everyone whether they like it or not. I have 2 sons who are married to beautiful ladies both inside and out. I have a granddaughter and grandson who I adore. My husband and I enjoy church activities and traveling to the Smokey Mountains when time allows.

### **Mackenzie James** – Support Specialist

I have been with Harrisburg Project for 5 years as a client support specialist. My husband and I have been married for three years and together we have a beautiful and wild two-year-old daughter. We are excited to announce we will be having a baby boy come March of 2022! We wanted to wish all our clients a Merry Christmas and a safe, happy, and healthy New Year!

### **Kendra Spees** – Support Specialist

I graduated from SIUC with a degree in Education & a concentration in English-Language Arts. I am happily married to Jacob & we have two sons, Rhett & Tucker. Our family enjoys all outdoor activities and making memories together.

### **Kyle Brasher** – Technology Coordinator

I started pursuing a career in technology seriously when I attended a few "Catacombz", where a bunch of people bring their PCs to play games together, and I realized how many of them were IT guys and they mostly just seemed genuinely happy. I'm from Harrisburg like my wife, Shawna, who is an RN at an Orthopedic Surgery center in Herrin. I also have a little girl named Raelynn who's 4 years old, who right now loves unicorns and princesses. I love cooking and traveling with my family and friends, while also enjoying geeky things like gaming, movies, TV and history.

