



A big thank you to Claire Kinane who literally jumped in to help CCAA in mid-August! Working on memberships, donor thank you notes, and our weekly eblasts, she also created our first-ever virtual art exhibits for September and November. Claire's last day is 11/25, and she starts a graduate program in January. We wish her much success in her teaching endeavors!

Casey Egan joined us in mid-February as our new Education Planner--a month before our shut-down. Her ready smile, can-do attitude and calm flexibility served her well in getting up-to-speed. She oversaw the winter, summer, and fall programs including our new virtual camps and classes, Girl Scout badge programs and plein air sessions. Casey's role as Education Planner ends on 11/25, and she is pursuing a new full-time position. Casey also plans to enroll in a graduate teaching program in 2021. We know she will excel at all she does!

I am humbled to have been a part of CCAA for the past 4+ years, and my tenure wraps up at the end of the year. I will be finishing final grant reports, prepping for the audit and other obligations. The volunteer board has decided to eliminate the full-time Executive Director role, and they will step in to manage the operations. They plan to hire a part-time Executive Director after 1/1 to assist them in reopening.

Thank you for allowing me the privilege of leading this amazing organization--and expanding it's community collaborations, enhancing it's programming and improving it's operations. I am confident that CCAA will continue to fulfill it's mission in the years to come.

All the best, and Happy Holidays!  
Wendy

