

**Mark Draskovich, MA, ABD
Plank Holder**

Mark Draskovich is currently the Director of Student Services at East Allegheny School District near Pittsburgh. He has served in the field of education since the late 1980's and has taught on the secondary and college level (Penn State and Duquesne Universities). In addition to teaching Leadership and Management (LAMS) for the Coast Guard since 2000, Mark has served as National Division Chief for Academy Support (DVC-TX), Division Commander, District CAP Liaison Officer and various other Division and Flotilla Staff Offices for the Coast Guard Auxiliary. Locally, he is active in the boat crew program and has qualified along with active duty and reserve for disaster response (DART).

Educational background includes undergraduate and graduate degrees in history and education and a School District Superintendent Letter of Eligibility from the Pennsylvania Department of Education. Colleges attended include Duquesne University, LaRoche College, Carlow University and Carnegie-Mellon University.

Mr. Draskovich is married (Jo Anne) and has one son (Jeremy) and three daughters (Jody, Michelle and Michaela). Thanks to Jeremy and his wife Allison, Mark is a proud grandfather (Cole). Personal interests include reading, golf, boating, and writing as a FCS college football analyst for Yahoo/Rivals Sports. Volunteer activities include captaining a 47 passenger tour boat for the Moraine Preservation Society.