

Daren Sweat



Daren Sweat is Regional Manager with Striker Systems CAD/CAM Software, where he is an industry consultant for automation, engineering, manufacturing & fabrication software solutions, with over 15 years' industry experience. Prior, Daren held executive level positions in the telecommunications industry with two Fortune 100 companies. His responsibilities include managing personnel, overall P&L, sales, marketing, and customer service efforts in a multi-state territory.

Originally from Newport, Daren has a BSBA in Marketing & Management Degree from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville, and has been a resident of Maumelle since 1995. His son, Harrison, is currently in the 6th Grade (2016/2017) at Maumelle Charter High School and has attended APCS since kindergarten.

Daren is extremely active with various school activities, and most recently served two 2-year terms as Vice-President of the PTO. In his role on the PTO, Daren developed and implemented the organization's successful Sponsorship & Membership Program, and was co-founder and Chairman of PTO's largest annual community fundraising event, Fall Festival for 4 years. Daren also served as a volunteer in the inaugural Watch D.O.G.S. (Dads of Great Students) program at the school.

Daren has volunteered as a youth baseball coach for the Maumelle Sports Association for the last 8 years, served on the Maumelle Water Management Customer Advisory Committee, and was appointed by the Governor to serve a 4-year term on the AEDC Science & Technology Authority, where he currently holds the Industry Committee Chair for the AEDC Manufacturing Solutions group.

"I have always had a huge interest in seeing our schools in Maumelle, and now Scott, continue to grow responsibly, while maintaining the high standards of a college preparatory program. To do so, I feel we must continue to hire and retain the best teachers, while offering curriculum, programs, and activities that challenge students with big expectations."