

My name is Alice Jones and I am running to serve on the Regional School District 14 Board of Education.

In 1983, I moved to Bethlehem with my two sons and resided here for thirteen years. Raising my young family here was filled with little league games, soccer, swimming at Long Meadow Pond, and occasional work at the Christmas Shop. While living in Bethlehem, I served on the Library Board of Directors, volunteered at the Bethlehem Fair, sat on committees, and supervised a third grade boys' basketball group. My fondest years were teaching at Woodbury Middle School where I was blessed with working with caring teachers, involved parents, a supportive community, and fabulous kids. In 1995 my husband Curt and I celebrated our marriage at Memorial Hall. I moved to Woodbury, Connecticut in 1996 after the birth of our daughter. I returned to Bethlehem in 2021 where my son's and step-son's families live. As with my children, my grandchildren attend/attended our Region's schools. Before retiring, I was the Principal of Woodbury Middle School and Nonnewaug High School. Again, I experienced the support of a strong school community.

After a five-year run as office manager at my husband's, Curt, civil engineering firm in Woodbury, I "officially" retired. Outside of gardening, cooking, playing the piano, and caring for grandchildren, I now have the time to devote to contributing to make Region 14 a stellar school system. Because of my years in education, office management, and various community projects, I believe I have the understanding, experience, and passion to serve our community well.