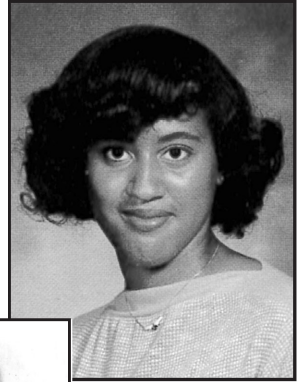


Linda “Cookie” (Dickson) Jones

Linda “Cookie” Jones is a community volunteer and active with The School District of University City, holding a variety of roles for several decades and during key points in the District’s development. As a University City Schools parent, she first began volunteering for the District in 2005 when she became an active member and later president of the Barbara C. Jordan Elementary School PTO. From there she became involved in the University City High School Alumni Association and served as its president for many years. From 2009 to 2015, she was a member of the University City Board of Education. During her tenure on the Board, she served as secretary, vice president and president.



**Linda
“Cookie”
(Dickson)
Jones**

Class of 1983

She is currently president of the University City Education Foundation. Jones also participated in peace and school initiatives during the Ferguson unrest that deeply affected District students and staff. She has served in civic roles with the University City Sports Association and the University City Park Commission. Jones graduated magna cum laude from Lindenwood University with a bachelor’s of science degree in business administration and later earned a business analysis certification from Washington University. She is currently the owner of Touch of Tenderness CDS, LLC, a University City-based business that manages staffing for in-home health care services assisting elderly and disabled clients.