



*Board of
Education
Jerry Pia*

Working every day in our community to help people solve their problems
Founder / Executive Director of Activities for Kids, Inc. 26 years
Current Member of the Board of Reps since 2004
18 years on the Stamford Board of Education 1980-1998
Three Years Board President * Six Years as Vice President
Student Liaison Chairman 17 years * Budget Chair 7 years
As Board of Ed President, Jerry never had a resolution turned down
and turned in the only 0% increase in Board of Education Budget!
During his tenure, Jerry was instrumental in: Developing the City Wide
Pre-K at Hillendale, Expanding programming for Extraordinary
Learners and Special Education; Instituting Computer Assisted
Instruction; Updating and Fire Code Compliance in many Stamford
Schools, as well as building Westover and reopening Toquam.
Jerry brought back middle school sports and started the process of
rebuilding Boyle Stadium by having the lights installed.
President, Manager 40 years * Little League, Babe Ruth Lg., AABC
Reformed Jackie Robinson Baseball League for 120 players
District One * Northrop Baseball Lg. Volunteer of the decade 1990s
Started Folk Mass at St. Maurice Church. Singing 30 years
Outstanding Young Man in America * 1982
Two Children, Jerry and Elizabeth, attended Stamford Public Schools
Attended University of Oklahoma / University of Bridgeport
Married to Teddi Boccuzzi, both lifelong residents of Stamford
With a third of the Board of Ed members changing, we need Jerry's
Experience, as Stamford develops programs to educate all of our
children and enhance our facilities and continue to give the staff the
support that it needs going into the next decade.



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Lorraine Olson*

I want to continue to work hard for my hometown
Hometown girl that has worked hard for the City of Stamford
Former Teacher: Scofield /Rippowam Magnet Middle, Adult Ed
Public Health School Nurse * City of Stamford * Northeast and
KT Murphy Elementary Schools, several parochial and private schools
Employee of the Month for the City of Stamford
Volunteer of the Year in the City of Stamford
President Scofield Magnet Middle School Parent-Teacher Organization
Member, Officer: Parent Teacher Organizations and PT Council
(Newfield and Northeast Elementary, Turn Of River Middle
Schools)Multiple Awards, Stamford Chamber of Commerce for work
with children/Creative Classroom
Graduate of Parent Leadership Training Institute
American Public Health Association Abstract
accepted and presented * Washington D.C.
National Florence Nightingale Award for Excellence in Nursing
Director of Nursing Education * All Care Medical Training
Born in Stamford and attended Stamford schools
Raised three daughters in Stamford, Kim, Katie, Kelly
that attended Stamford Public Schools
Southern Connecticut State University * B.A. Education
Univ. of Bridgeport, Assoc. RN * University of Miami, B.S.Nursing
Married to Rick Olson
Lorraine's many year's of experience as a Teacher and School Nurse as
well as being an Officer and Member of Parent-Teacher organizations
and PTCouncil , will bring to the Stamford Board of Education an
insight into the daily workings of our schools that is much needed.