

Vice President Communications

Sarah McCann

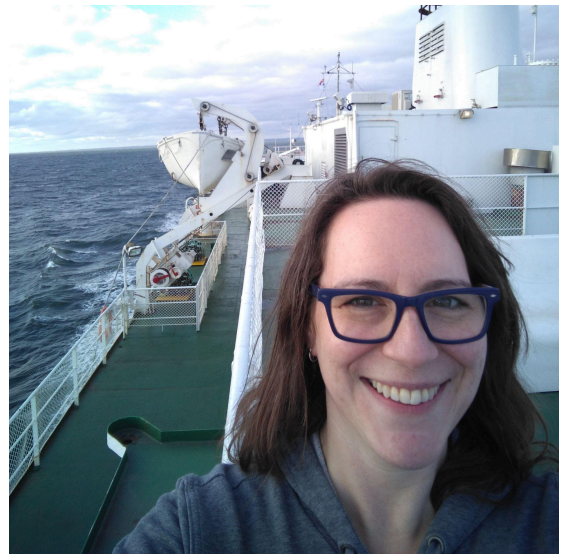
Sarah McCann is a teacher with 15 years of experience at the elementary level and a genuine passion for communication, creativity, and public education. Alongside her work in the classroom, she has built experience in digital marketing, social media, and content creation, with a focus on creating authentic and engaging online communities. Sarah believes communication should feel clear, approachable, and connected — whether it's sharing important union updates, celebrating the work teachers do every day, or helping members feel more informed and involved. She is excited about the opportunity to bring a fresh, modern perspective to communications within the Halifax County Local, while continuing to advocate for strong public education and meaningful member engagement across the NSTU community.



Vice President Nominating

Christine Emberley

I'm running for VP Nominations because I believe strongly in a democratic voice within our union, and believe it means more than checking boxes for the selections and elections within the local, but also making sure members and nominees are well-informed about the process, and have access to the tools to support their engagement with members. There is always room for growth and change, and I don't think that's something to be afraid of. Our profession has changed, our communities have changed, and our relationship with the NSTU has changed. These require new voices and perspectives to make sure that we are considering all angles when fighting for equity in our profession, and equitable representation of our members. I have been a school rep or alternate for all but 3 years of my 20-year career, both in Halifax County, and Dartmouth locals. I look forward to representing your voices on the Halifax County Local Executive.



Vice President Social Wellness

Jennifer Moriarty

As a County member I have been the recipient of the good that the social and wellness events and offerings have brought to the local community. As the VP of Social Wellness it would be my absolute joy to be able to build on the foundation laid by past committee members and work together to build additional opportunities for members to connect and seek ways of being the most well we can be while at work and play. I have over a decade of experience supporting my own career path with the tools provided by our local NSTU communities and the support I have offered and hope to continue to offer to our local through this position would be a small measure of appreciation. My passion for our shared work will fuel the work to be done for all County members.



Jessica Wells

Hi everyone! My name is Jessica Wells, and I am excited to be putting my name forward for the VP of Social Wellness.

As a teacher, I spend every day building relationships, supporting others, and creating spaces where people feel included and valued. I also bring 11 years of teaching experience, 7 years as a union rep, and 2 years on the Social Wellness Committee to this role. I would love the opportunity to continue doing that within this role by helping organize meaningful events, promoting staff wellness, and encouraging connection within our community.

I am always open to new ideas and enjoy working collaboratively with others to help create a supportive and positive atmosphere.

Thank you so much for your support — I would greatly appreciate your vote for VP of Social Wellness!

