

AAFSC Board of Directors Candidates 2021



Jennifer Nguyen

I am interested in serving on the Ann Arbor Figure Skating Board to give back to this community we've gained so much from. Our family has been involved with AAFSC since 2013, when our daughter first started skating. She spends her time working on ice dance and skating for Hockettes, and we spend our time following her.

In service to AAFSC, I've co-chaired the team escort volunteer center for the Porter competition for the past four years. Because volunteers for team escorts work directly with coaches and skaters, our volunteer team was on the front lines of reconciling the new SafeSport requirements with the need to fill hundreds of volunteer hours at the Porter competition. Our family volunteers with AAFSC in many other ways as well, and my husband has served as the Hockettes treasurer for several years. I'm very interested in looking at volunteering processes and communication as a board member.

We've lived in Ann Arbor for 21 years, having moved here in 2000 from Pennsylvania. I have a BA in German, and an MA and PhD in Linguistics, and currently serve as the Student Services Supervisor for the Linguistics Department and Weinberg Institute for Cognitive Science at U-M. I've previously served on our elementary school's PTO board for several years as secretary, vice president, and co-president.