

Community Education Coordinators

Jinx Stanwick	1977-1978	Lori Turner	1995-1997
David Colliton	1978-1979	Lori Gooch	1997-2009
Gary Wolff	1979-1981	Bill Toft	2009-2011
Edward Ness	1981-1983	Ronda DeWulf	2011-2015
Jim Lien	1983-1987	Alexander White	2015-2019
Rodney Leeseberg	1987-1994	Katelyn Becker-Rittgers	
Linda Smith	1994		2019-present
Marsha Wolff	1994-1995		

Community Education History

as reported in the May 28, 1981, Northwoods Press:

1969 - State of Minnesota started community education at the Governor's Conference.

1972 – There were 18 programs in Minnesota.

1971 - State Legislature passed the Community School Act authorizing the Minnesota Department of Education to promote and operate community school programs in the state. A community education section was established and a state director of community education was designated.

1973 - State authorized a levy of \$1 for community education.

1974 – There were 134 programs in Minnesota and by 1979, there were over 300 programs in the State of Minnesota.

December 12, 1977 - The Nevis Community Education coordinator position was created at the school board meeting.

1982 – The Community Education Coordinator's salary was raised to \$285 per month

June 27, 2016 – Jackie Brakke was approved as Community Education Coordinator Assistant