



JUNIOR LEAGUE OF RHODE ISLAND

Cynthia L. Affronti, Sustainer Director

Cynthia joined the New York Junior League in Manhattan in 2007 and served on the Communications Council until taking a leave of absence in 2010 when her second child was born. In 2012, Cynthia and her family relocated to Barrington, RI and subsequently joined the Junior League of Rhode Island in 2013. During her tenure, Cynthia served on the Communications Committee and was the Chair during the 2015-2016 League Year. While serving on the Committee, she redesigned the JLRI biweekly e-newsletter resulting in an improved format with greater functionality. She also managed all social media strategy & communications including Facebook and Instagram. This is her first year as Sustainer Director and she is looking forward to working with the Board of Directors to reengage other Sustainers.

Outside of the Junior League of Rhode Island, Cynthia volunteers at the Barrington Public Schools in a variety of roles. Some of them include Secretary of Sowams School PTO, Chair of the Octoberfest Auction, Extended Day Chair, Food Allergy & Awareness Committee member and Health & Wellness Committee Liaison. Cynthia enjoys giving back to her community whenever possible.

Originally from Buffalo, New York, Cynthia has lived in Nantucket, Maui, New York City and now New England. She has a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from SUNY Buffalo and a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Photography from the School of Visual Arts in New York City. Prior to moving to Rhode Island, Cynthia was a freelance photographer specializing in still life photography and product shots. She was a Teacher Assistant at the School of Visual Arts working with undergraduate students and is currently employed as a Teacher Assistant in the Bristol Warren Regional School District.

Cynthia, her husband, Dan, and their two children and are enjoying their new life in Rhode Island and all that New England offers. They enjoy kayaking, biking, swimming, visiting museums and vacationing on Cape Cod.