



Trustee, Heather Stevens

Current Term: 2010-2012

Total years in office:

Appointed: 2/6/2006 to complete Joan Ryders Term

Elected: 6/20/2006-present

Village accomplishments: By overseeing our parks I have had the privilege of helping to develop the Ada Powell Smith Park and oversee many Eagle Scout and Girl Scout Projects. I also coordinated the banner project and Christmas decoration revitalization projects. As a Trustee I have chaired the Comprehensive Plan Committee, Employee Handbook Committee and the redesign committee for our village website. Currently I am serving as the summer recreation trustee, cemetery committee liaison as well as overseeing park development. The Arbor Day, Community Clean up and Cemetery Clean up Programs which I created are still going strong and allowing more and more people to contribute to the betterment of Central Square. However, I think my proudest accomplishment would be creating and maintaining the Village Historical Collection and serving as appointed Village Historian since 2008.

Background: I was born and raised in Wisconsin. I entered the US Army Reserve between my Junior and Senior year of High School. While training at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, Texas I met my husband, Daniel. We have been married 20 years. I have worked in retail and for the Central Square School District as a T.A. In addition to being a Village Trustee, I am a stay at home mom of four (Kayleigh-20, Nicolas-10, Benjamin-9 and Matthew-6) who keep me going everyday.

Interest: Member of Project Bloom since 2003, served as Project Bloom's President for 2 years. Girl Scout Leader for 13 years and Service Unit Manager for Service Unit for 7 years and its treasurer for 14 years. Cub Scout Leader for 3 years. I enjoy writing the bi-weekly history column named "Cornerstone" and the weekly gardening column called "Bloomin Corner" for the Citizen Outlet Newspaper. I am currently the MHP PTA President for 2011-2012 and have been a member of the local PTAs for 16 years in multiple buildings where I have served 15 terms as Treasurer. I have enjoyed being involved and coordinating the Village Tree Lighting for 14 years.

Hobbies: I love history...local and family history. However my #1 hobby...is my children!

Goals: My goal is to get people of all ages involved in our community. I think once people invest time they can see all of the wonderful things we have to offer...and that builds our sense of community and pride.