

Oakland World Wings Chapter September 1, 2020 Newsletter from President Louise Diracles

Be in the Zoom where it happens:

Louise Diracles is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Oakland Chapter Meeting

Time: Sep 7, 2020

12:00 PM Pacific Time

Contact Louise for the link.

Thank you to Emilia de Geer for setting up the Noon Zoom meeting!!!



Suzy Proescher has offered to have a ladies only OAK WW gathering on the top deck of the Commodore's Cabernet Sauvignon ship in Alameda on Monday, September 14, 2020 from 11:30 to 2:30. It's open to the first **ten** members who RSVP to 702-280-4773 (Suzy's cell.) After the first ten, interested members will be put on a waiting list and confirmed depending on Alameda County health regulations at the time of the event. Everyone can bring their own picnic lunch with beverage and utensils. There will be tables with tablecloths and chairs set up on the Sky Deck allowing for distancing. Bring your **gloves and masks** for a germ-free event that will stand out from all previous dining experiences aboard the Cabby. Hopefully the air will be smoke-free by then so we can enjoy the fresh breeze, views and our World Wings friendships.

From the 8/29/20 virtual meeting: WWI President Nancy McAllister asked us all to save Sat., 10/24/20, 10:00 AM for WWI Annual Meeting which will be online. Look for JetWings in your mailbox. Support MSF through World Wings. Donate to Int'l. Charity Drawing by check, credit card or PayPal. WWI members' average age is 75. The 2021 Convention will be a 9-day Caribbean Cruise out of Ft. Lauderdale. The 2022 Convention will be a Fall Cruise Boston-Quebec. Conventions are priced to cover costs but are not fund raisers. WWI gets 20% if you buy from David Jeffries Designs. Note bylaw vote will take place at our 9/7/20 noon zoom meeting. (See below)

****Please welcome new member who transferred from the Manhattan Chapter:**

Caren Hart Nelson (Olaf)

****Janet Bisbing has moved and phone numbers have changed. Please contact Louise for her info.**

Most of our events are on hold because of the Corona Virus. Be safe; be well. Let me know when you receive this.

Our chapter will be 40 years young this year. Please send me your ideas for a celebration. Marilyn Kaplan may host a pot luck at her home when it's allowed.

Roger, Dorene Goad's husband, passed away. If you would like to send your regards, please contact Louise for Dorene's contact information.

Nominations for Chapter Officers are now open. Please email Louise if you're willing to nominate yourself or someone else for President or other offices. Also, e mail Louise with your event ideas for 2020.

Sally Andersen may host an event for ten outside in Rossmoor.

Be ready to vote at our noon Zoom meeting on International World Wings' By Law changes:

PROPOSED BYLAW CHANGES

Section 1. TERM OF OFFICE

(a) Elected officers shall serve until their successors are elected **and installed and/or until a Board member submits a letter of resignation.** Any part of a term in excess of one (1) year shall be considered a full term.

Section 1. NOMINATING COMMITTEE

(a) The Nominating committee shall be composed of four (4) members:

(1) The Nominating Committee is a Special Committee. The Chair of the Nominating Committee is appointed by the President with the approval of Board of Directors.

(2) **Four (4) members to be selected. One (1) from the Board of Director who is not seeking re-election and three (3) to be elected by plurality vote** at the Annual Meeting prior to election year.

Section 2. ELECTION

(a) Only active members and Members-at-Large are **entitled to vote by a consensus vote to their Chapter President and MAL liaison.**

(1) Ballots shall be mailed to each **Chapter President for a consensus vote from their chapter members.**

(2) The ballot shall be inserted in an envelope marked "BALLOT". The ballot envelope is then inserted in the **provided envelope addressed to the Ballot Committee Chair. Write the Chapter name and address on the outside of the envelope** . Returned envelopes having no **Chapter** name will not be counted.

(3) **Chapter Presidents** shall mail their ballots to the Ballot Committee appointed by the President to work with the International Treasurer or an appropriate member of the Board to establish validity of votes and to tabulate the votes.

Section 3. STANDING COMMITTEES

(a) The Standing Committees of the Organization **hold Board positions and** shall be appointed by the President as directed by the Organization or the Board of Directors. It shall include the *Jet Wings Editor*.

Section 4. SPECIAL COMMITTEES

(a) Special Committees **may or may not hold Board positions and** shall be appointed by the President as directed by the Organization or by the Board of Directors. It shall include the Angel Wings Relief Fund, **the Bylaws Committee, and the Nominating Committee.**

Stay safe; be well,
Louise



**ONCE UPON A TIME,
THERE WAS A GIRL
WHO REALLY WANTED TO BECOME A**



**FLIGHT ATTENDANT
IT WAS ME. THE END.**