

The Portland Chapter of The Links, Incorporated
March 27, 2020
Virtually by Zoom

The Regular meeting of The Portland Chapter of The Links, Incorporated met virtually (by Zoom) on March 27, 2020. The meeting began at 6:15 PM and adjourned at 7:29 PM. President, Serena Ashley, presided and Secretary, Sylvia Welch was present.

A quorum was confirmed.

Present: President, Serena Ashley, Links Maria Jackson, Rene' DuBoise, Estella Brame, Karin Edwards, Barbara Thoms, LaKecia Gunter, Miaya Griffin-Stevenson, Kelly Michael, Linda Harris, Carla Penn-Hopson, Rhonda Thomas, Barbara Ward, Natalie Hooper, Kimberly Matier, Harriet Adair, Sylvia Welch Alumna, Betty Cabine, Marian Gilmore Platinum, Yvonne Williams

Linkspiration – By Link Rene' – “With”, “I am with you always”

Adoption of the March 27, 2020 Agenda: Yes and placed on file.

Adoption of the February 8, 2020 Chapter Meeting Minutes – Yes and placed on file

Correspondence – Link Linda for Link Rene' – Report presented

Finance/Treasurer's Report presented and placed on file. Vouchers needed before April 30, 2020.

President's Report – The report was given and placed on file. There were directives given regarding how to deal with issues now that “National” is in lockdown. More information on the National Conference to come. Going ahead as planned at this time. Stay tuned.

Membership – Link Natalie – Report presented – Orientation is placed on hold until we are instructed as to how to move forward in the face of COVID – 19. If there are questions, send them to President Serena first in order to keep National from being bombarded with correspondence and queries and quandaries. Candidates were informed where “National” stands on orientation and induction. We'll await further instruction. The event at Link Maria's has been postponed. Link Natalie will follow-up with Candidates who have not paid.

Health Moment – Link Yvonne – Re: Oral health. The message: You are not healthy if you do not have good oral health.

Scholarship – Link Carla - Report was presented and has been placed on file.

Program – Link Kimberly – The report was presented. Question: Do we want the new Program implementation to be Winter of 2020 with the culminating event early March 2021? The answer was yes. It's difficult to reschedule with the COVID-19 situation. The topic will be revisited.

Social/Courtesy - Links Marian Gilmore, Adriel Person, and Marlene Fuller (Alumna) were acknowledged for having March birthdays.

Unfinished Business – Re: Link Stephanie Montgomery: She is on a meeting sabbatical.

New Business: By virtual vote, Link Kelly Michael is the Chapter's new Treasurer.

Motion

That Link Kelly be the Treasurer for the Portland Chapter of The Links, Incorporated for the next Treasurer's term.

Yays 15 Nay 0

Motion carried

Sylvia Welch, Secretary
The Portland Chapter of The Links, Incorporated

Date: