

KNOW YOUR CANDIDATES

The Nominating Committee thanks those South Central Section members who so selflessly agreed to run for office. We feel we have an excellent slate of officers to guide our Section for the next two years. Please take time to read their candidate statements and show your support by returning your ballot in a timely manner. Although there is only one contested race, your vote will show support and encouragement for those you select. The ballot is on the back page of this issue. Please follow the instructions on the back of the ballot and send it in. Let your VOTE speak!

Nominating Committee: Jerry Anne Jurenka, Stephenie Roberts, and Mary Wheelock

GOVERNOR

Jody McCarrell - Oklahoma Chapter

After joining the Ninety-Nines in 1972, I have served as Chapter Chair of the Golden Triangle Chapter and as a Section member on the Nominating Committee in 1978. I am currently Vice-Governor.

Other offices I have held in a leadership commitment are:

1978-1996	AWTAR Board of Directors International Committee Chair - Aerospace Education Executive Committee of the World Precision Flying Championship
1998-2005	International Treasurer of The Ninety-Nines International Vice President of The Ninety-Nines International President of The Ninety-Nines International Past President of The Ninety-Nines
2006-2009	Vice-Governor SCS International Building Committee Recycled as International Vice-President at the request of the International Board of Directors NIFA Council Board of Directors

I am an SEL, MEL pilot with Instrument and Commercial ratings. Served as a corporate pilot flying turboprop aircraft as well as many other single and multi engine airplanes. Owned and operated L J Aviation and was Airport Manager of Helms Sevier County Airport in DeQueen, Arkansas.

Have involved South Central Section in many projects which I have participated in and they have always come through. It has been one of my greatest pleasures to be a member and a part of this great Section. The Ninety-Nines have a great future and SCS will be very involved in the growth of this future. I want to work with SCS as your Governor and thank you all for this opportunity and your support in the coming years. I hope I can be as good a teacher and mentor for this Section as it has been for me.

VICE GOVERNOR

Cathy Wappler - Houston Chapter

For more than twenty years, my membership in The Ninety-Nines has provided me with friends, role models and heroes. Although I have always been an active member of the Houston Chapter, serving in several officer and chairmanship positions, I would like to repay the

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organization for the many benefits I have received by serving the South Central Section as well. My professional experiences as a special program coordinator with a large public school district and my 99 experiences as Chapter chairman, Chapter secretary, AE Scholarship chair, SCS meeting chair when Houston was the host chapter and, most recently, SCS Secretary, have provided me the skills required of the SCS Vice-Governor. My goal in pursuing this office is to contribute in some small way to The 99s' mission of promoting fellowship through flight, providing networking and scholarship opportunities and aviation education and preserving the unique history of women in aviation. I consider it an honor to promote this mission by serving on the board of the South Central Section.

SECRETARY

Jill Shockley - Dallas Chapter

I am seeking your vote to serve as South Central Section Secretary for the 2010 – 2012 term.

I joined The 99s in 2002 and have enjoyed getting involved at various levels within the organization since that time. As a Dallas Chapter member since 2002, I served as Chairman from 2004 - 2006, Vice Chairman from 2003 - 2004, Membership Chairman since 2005, Newsletter Chairman since 2002 and currently am also serving as Co-Chair for the Spring 2010 South Central Section meeting. At the Section level, I have been the Advisor for Aviation and Space Education since 2006, as well as serving as a Director from 2006 - 2008. At the International level, I have been privileged to chair the Aviation and Space Education Committee since 2006.

I look forward to continuing to serve The 99s.

TREASURER

Kris Irvin-Herron - Arkansas Chapter

I received my private pilot certificate in 1988 and joined the 99s in 1989. I have been an active member of the Arkansas Chapter since then. At the Chapter level I served as Vice-Chairman, Chairman, Scholarship Chairman and have been Treasurer since 1996. At the Section level I served as Director, Treasurer, Vice-Governor and Governor. I have been the Section 501(c) (3) Advisor since 1996. As Governor, I served on the International Finance Committee and as Chairman of the International Awards Committee. I am currently serving as International Treasurer.

I am a licensed Certified Public Accountant and have been in practice since 1982. In this capacity I have dealt with a variety of clients in the areas of tax, accounting and auditing, including nonprofits and business enterprises in a variety of fields.

My goals as Section Treasurer include keeping accurate financial records for the Section and providing useful and timely financial information to the Section Board and members as well as insuring that the requirements of our tax exemption are fulfilled. I feel I am very qualified due to my very extensive business and financial background.

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DIRECTORS

Linda Horn - Colorado Chapter

Soon after I got my certificate in 1976, I was invited to a meeting of the Colorado Chapter of the Ninety-Nines. It was great to find some other women who could understand what fun it was to fly. I have been Chapter Secretary and Vice-Chair and have been Treasurer since the late 70s. I recently became Chapter Webmaster.

I have been a Section Director and currently am the Section Webmaster. I also serve at International level as Chair of the Information Management Committee and Editor of the Headquarters Dispatch, the monthly newsletter.

When I retired from Coors in 2001, Bonita Ades convinced me that I should become a NIFA judge. I have attended the last 4 National meets and served as Assistant Scoring Judge. For the last couple of years I have also been the Scoring Judge at Region I competitions.

I have much computer experience which will be helpful in supporting the Governor in her needs. My long-term membership lets me understand the needs of the Section. The Ninety-Nines have been my family for many years and I have truly enjoyed the work I have done with them.

Phyllis Scott - Tulsa Chapter

For more than twenty-five years my membership in the 99s has given me many friends and fellowship with others who love aviation. In this time I have been active at the Chapter level serving in all elective positions and other committee assignments. At the Section level I have regularly attended section meetings and have been a member of and chaired the Awards Committee. I do not currently hold an elected Section office but am an active participant in all activities. I am currently retired but my business and accounting background provides me the skills for this office. I am currently serving as a trustee of our Museum of Women Pilots in Oklahoma City.

Holly Barr - Dallas Chapter

I have been a member of the Dallas Chapter 99s since 1986 and have held all Chapter offices multiple times. I was chairman of our annual Poker Runs for several years, am currently chairman of our Flying Companion Seminar held approximately bi-annually, and am co-chairman of our Junior Girl Scout Aerospace Badge Seminar. This is a relatively new endeavor for our chapter and responses to our marketing efforts indicate that we will be conducting many seminars in the coming months.

I am semi-retired following a long career in Information Technology and currently work part-time as a Marketing Communications Specialist for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Texas.

As Director, I would actively participate in meetings and assist with decision-making on Section issues as requested. In addition, I would help with other assignments as needed by the Section officers. I feel that my Chapter leadership roles along with my business and organizational background prepare me to contribute at the Section level.

I have been a pilot since 1973, fly a Cessna 172 named Chiquita, and have an instrument rating.

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NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Jan McKenzie - Colorado Chapter

The South Central Section of Ninety-Nines' most valuable asset is its members. And what an outstanding group of members we have. The Ninety-Nines that take the opportunity to serve as Section Officers share their skills, meet members that become life long friends, develop camaraderie with their fellow officers and most of all have FUN!

If elected as a member of the Nominating Committee, I will encourage and seek out new and experienced members to join in this fun.

In 1974, I became active at the Chapter level serving as Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Treasurer. I have chaired many Chapter committees. I have also held the Section offices of Governor, Vice-Governor, Treasurer and Director. As an SEL pilot with instrument rating and a commercial helicopter rating, I have flown over 2300 hours.

I have a passion for The Ninety-Nines, what they represent and what they have accomplished. Each position has increased my knowledge and experience and has created opportunities for new friendships. I would appreciate your vote and would be honored to serve on the South Central Section Nominating Committee.

Ann Koenig - Dallas Chapter

I have been a proud member of the 99s since 1988. I have served as Chapter Secretary several times, Vice Chairman and Chairman. I have also served as Section Membership chairman. My professional background includes engineering after graduation from college; teaching physics for twenty-eight years after my children were in school. I currently have a Piper 235 based at Sherman Municipal Airport. I hope to assist in encouraging the very best candidates to apply for office and serve our wonderful organization – The 99s.

Elizabeth Frankowski - Houston Chapter

I am seeking to serve on the Nominating Committee.

Since joining The 99s in 2002, I have been active in the Houston Chapter. I have participated in air markings, white knuckle seminars, Girl Scout badge workshops, fly-ins, poker runs and safety meetings. I have attended several South Central Section meetings and the International meeting in Chicago this past summer.

I have served as Vice Chairman and am currently Chairman of our local Chapter.

I would be honored to serve on the Nominating Committee