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The WINTER 2022

Bulletin

Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening

[Robert Frost](#) - 1874-1963

Whose woods these are I think I know.
His house is in the village though;
He will not see me stopping here
To watch his woods fill up with snow.

My little horse must think it queer
To stop without a farmhouse near
Between the woods and frozen lake
The darkest evening of the year.

He gives his harness bells a shake
To ask if there is some mistake.
The only other sound's the sweep
Of easy wind and downy flake.

The woods are lovely, dark and deep.
But I have promises to keep,
And miles to go before I sleep,
And miles to go before I sleep.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE – **Carla Hall, President**



I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We are back on track and have had a great year.

I would like to congratulate OC MOMS, with Chairman, Judy Nguyen and Co-Chairman, Jennifer Payne for doing an outstanding job in less than six months. All your hard work was definitely enjoyed by everyone who attended Workshop. You can now sit back and rest on your laurels.

The Board meeting will be held in January and a notice will be sent out with all the particulars. And after that, our next big event will be May Convention, hosted by Multiple Miracle MOMs (a big thank you as now the BOD does NOT have to put it on). Keep an eye out as all the information will be coming out after the first of the year.

Remember your family comes first....enjoy the holiday season with them as much as possible. I hope the New Year brings each of you peace and happiness as we start a new year. And remember the Executive Board is here if you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Love, Carla



VICE-PRESIDENT – Terry Buchanan

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!! I hope everyone has a wonderful holiday season.



Looking forward to the New Year. Remember that resumes are due in January. We need more members to step up and get involved in the future of SCMOMC.

Thank you to Multiple Miracle MOMS for volunteering to host Convention 2023. We are looking forward to a new adventure.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

Terry Buchanan
Vice President

Corresponding Secretary – Diana Pedersen-Coe



Hello ladies

I'm sorry I didn't make it to the Workshop but as you all know by now I was helping with the birthing of my granddaughter.

I have not received any correspondence since last bulletin.

Thank you cards were sent to the hosting club OCMOMs, for being so far out for hosting Solid Gold MOMs.. Also, to Mary Adcock, MOA President and Teresa Larrabee, NCMOTC, President for attending.

Notice will be sent to let you know when our January board meeting will happen.

Thank you all
Diana Pedersen Coe

NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE ELLEN JOHNSON

Greetings all! I hope this finds you well. There is important information to share with you about Multiples of America.

First, I would like to thank Mary Adcock, President of Multiples of America, for coming to the 2022 Workshop and sharing information from “Mission Control” about National. It was great hearing from her. Hopefully she can join us at our 2023 Convention.

As a reminder, the Marge Ainsworth Scholarship will be accepting applications for the 2023 award. This scholarship is available to children of current members or a parent who is a current member. Applications can be found in the Members Only Section of the Multiples of America website, located at www.multiplesofamerica.org at the bottom of the home page. Applications are due February 1, 2023.

Please make sure you have joined the Members Only Facebook Group and like the Facebook Page. There are other groups, including the Leadership Sharesop group for club officers to share ideas with each other. There are many posts containing great information that you can like and share. Follow Multiples of America on Twitter and now on Instagram!

The Multiples of America Fall Mailing was sent out to club presidents and national reps. This has important information, including the password to the Members Only section of the Multiples of America website for this term. Please contact your club to get the new password.

Please remember to check out Multiple Connections, the bi-monthly news magazine, for articles and great information on parenting multiples. This is sent via email to each member, so make sure to add info@multiplesofamerica.org to your safe list so that this does not go to your junk folder. Also, please look for Club Connections, a bi-monthly newsletter emailed to club leaders with articles on club-related topics, leadership tips and news from Multiples of America. If you have any suggestions for a topic or story or to share pictures to include in the publications, please connect with the Media and Publications Department at media@multiplesofamerica.org.

The EDGE Committee will be awarding a special grant to a club to support a project or projects that are in support of the charitable purpose of Multiples of America. Be on the lookout for the formal announcement and the dates to apply for the grant.

The Multiples of America Board of Directors is currently discussing the annual meeting options for the organization. The options are for a virtual summit, similar to what has been done the past few years, a hybrid type event with some in person and some virtual activities or an in-person meeting. The members will be informed of the decision when it has been made, so please make sure to check your emails and the Multiples of America website for more information.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE – JENNETTE SIDES

What a joy the SCMOMC Workshop 2022 - Solid Gold MOMS was! Always a great weekend spent with great people. OC Moms - you all were fabulous!

We were joined by Treasa Larrabee and Robyn Bagnell from NCAMOTC. They presented the idea to do a MOMS Merger workshop between NCAMOTC and SCMOMC. The idea was well received. Look for more info as it becomes available!

Happy Holidays, Groovy Moms!!



THANK YOU'S

Diana PC: Sorry that you missed Workshop. I will have stuff for you at our next get-together. I hope you have a very happy holiday season.

To My SS...thank you so very much for all my goodies at Workshop...I love everything and my flowers are still alive!! Merry Christmas to you and your family.

Carla

THANK YOU! For your gifts at Workshop and Christmas Card!! I hope my Sister will be as happy as I am with you!! Can't wait to find out who you are!!

MERRY CHRISTMAS!! Kris Berry

Tricia Heck,

Did you have fun at Workshop? I sure did. Hope you are having a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! See you in January! ?????

CONGRATULATIONS TO EDDIE AND DIANA LONG ON THEIR 61st WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!

DID YOU KNOW THIS?

The partridge in a pear tree is Jesus Christ.

Two turtle doves are the Old and New Testaments.

Three French hens stand for faith, hope, and love.

The four calling birds are the four gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John.

The five golden rings recalled the Torah or Law, the first five books of the Old Testament.

The six geese a-laying stand for the six days of creation.

Seven swans a-swimming represent the sevenfold gifts of the Holy Spirit--Prophecy, Serving, Teaching, Exhortation, Contribution, Leadership, and Mercy.

The eight maids a-milking are the eight Beatitudes.

Nine ladies dancing are the nine fruits of the Holy Spirit--Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, and Self Control.

The ten lords a-leaping are the Ten Commandments.

The eleven pipers piping stand for the eleven faithful disciples.

The twelve drummers drumming symbolize the twelve points of belief in the Apostles' Creed.

So, there is your history lesson for today.

Merry Christmas   Submitted by Diana Pedersen-Coe

MEETING PLANNER – LAURA TEAGUE

Happy Holidays to all the Mothers of Multiples!

Wishing everyone a HEALTHY Holiday season.

No Fun getting sick on Nov. 2nd and for the first time missing a Workshop due to illness : (

Thank you so much to all the Orange Coast Mothers of Multiples Volunteers! They went above and beyond hosting this event without a Meeting Planner in attendance. I was so very disappointed I wasn't there to dance to my favorite decade of dancing music.



Convention 2023 April 27-30 or May 4-7 ?

Hosted by Multiple Miracle Moms. Proposed Chairwoman Lorrie Siegel and Co-Chair Angela Liu. A Fiesta Theme is the plan in the Orange County area. Currently interviewing hotel to find the right fit and affordability for our organization.

2023 Where will we be??? WORKSHOP Is looking for a Host Club and location!

**I “heard it through the MOMs Grapevine” that the idea of combining Fall events with our Northern California sisters was tossed around. What would the members think of that? That would involve finding a suitable hotel somewhere between Solvang, Paso Robles, San Jose?
SCMOMC once traveled to Visalia for our own event!**

AND....

NOW is the perfect time for a MOM to volunteer for the Meeting Planner position and work with these amazing clubs to find our future locations. Please submit a resume online at scmomc.org ASAP as a new Meeting Planner will be selected in May. I have thoroughly enjoyed learning about the hotel industry and working with all the amazing clubs we have in this organization. I am eager to start mentoring any mom that would like to shadow me during the upcoming months as we support these awesome clubs that have volunteered their time to host our events.

I am happy to attend any club meetings to speak to your members about hosting future events.

Laura Teague
Meeting Planner & Past President/Advisor
lkteaguervt@gmail.com

SPECIAL PROJECTS & NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEMBER – KRIS BERRY



Thank you, O.C. Mom's, for a fantastic weekend!! Returning to the 70's was a blast! Ahhhh, such memories!

Thank you all for your input on proposed products for Special Projects to sell. I will present the pricing on the Totes at the January Board Meeting for a vote. Hope to have them for Convention 2023.

Ladies don't forget about our T-Shirts, Totes and Mugs available through Bonfire. You can order anytime and they ship quickly. Maybe a group of you that are attending Convention together can order Shirts so you all match!!

[Bonfire.com/store/southern-california-mothers-of-multiples-club/](https://bonfire.com/store/southern-california-mothers-of-multiples-club/)

Support our State Organization S.C.M.O.M.C.,Inc.!!

NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEMBER

I would say this even if I wasn't on the committee....Consider volunteering to serve the Board of Directors. It's fun, you get to know more ladies from all over Southern California and the country, you learn how state works (a little different than clubs), and did I mention fun!!! We have four meetings a year. One in June, one at Workshop, one in January and one at Convention. You do four reports a year. Each are sent to: the President, the Vice President and to your Office in Charge. Then you write an article for the Bulletin four times. Most jobs only require one to three hours a month, if that. So, even with the youngest of kids, it doesn't take time from your life. Over the years I have found I get more back than what I give!! I love this Organization!!!

NOMINATING CHAIRMAN – AMANDA ARMITAGE

Hello Ho Ho Everyone!!

I hope this finds you enjoying time with you and yours this holiday season. I had a blast at Workshop!! Thank you OCMOMs for putting on such an awesome event.

Remember resumes for the Executive Board positions must be submitted by January 15, 2023. You can submit it via the online resume form, email it, or mail it to me. My address information is on the Resume form.



Included with my article are the updated resume form, Elected Board Position descriptions and the non-elected position descriptions.

If you have any questions, please reach out. Also, please share with your local club members.

Happiest of Holidays!!
Amanda - SCMOMC Nominating Chairman
P.S. Bruce says hi!!



Resume for Elected and Appointed Positions

Personal Information

Name: _____ Telephone: _____ (____) _____

Address: _____ City and Zip: _____

E-mail address: _____ Cell phone: _____ (____) _____

Member in good standing (local club): _____

Date joined: _____ Current position: _____

Please indicate, in order of preference, your first, second and third choices for the SCMOMC, Inc., Executive Board positions that you are interested in serving in. All resumes must be returned to the Nominating Committee Chairman **postmarked no later than January 15, 2023** in order to be considered for nomination, by the Nominating Committee.

President _____ Vice President _____ Recording Secretary _____

Corresponding Secretary _____ Treasurer _____ Parliamentarian _____ (appointed)

In order to be considered for a Chairmanship or other board position, a current resume must be on file prior to consideration for elected/appointed positions. Please number, in order of preference, your first, second and third choices for the positions you are interested in serving in.

Elected: Nominating Chairman _____ Nominating Committee _____

Appointed:

Advisor/Past President _____	Scholarship Chairman _____
Chaplain _____	Scholarship Committee _____
Convention Chair _____	Special Projects _____
Convention Co-Chair _____	State Liaison _____
Marketing Chairman _____	Support Services HOMs _____
Marketing Committee _____	Webmaster _____
Editor _____	Workshop Chair _____
Historian _____	Workshop Co-Chair _____
Insurance Liaison _____	National Representative _____
Meeting Planner _____	As Needed _____

**By submitting this application, you are consenting to serve
as a member of the Board of Directors**

Attendance at the May Convention is mandatory for election to the SCMOTC, Inc., Executive Board.

All officers and chairmen are expected to attend all scheduled meetings of the Board of Directors.

I AGREE TO SERVE AS AN OFFICER OF THE SCMOMC, INC. YES _____ NO _____

I AGREE TO SERVE AS A CHAIRMAN OF THE SCMOMC, INC. YES _____ NO _____

Local Club Service

Office(s) held:

Chairmanship(s) held:

SCMOMC, Inc, Service

Office(s) held:

Chairmanship(s) held:

Other Qualifications and Affiliations

Save as a PDF and send to 23-24 SCMOTC Nominating Chairman Amanda Armitage

- via email attachment: amanda.armitage@gmail.com
- via US Mail: 806 Medford Place, Ventura, CA 93004

DATE RECEIVED by Nominating Chairman: _____

OFFICERS

The elected officers shall be President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer. These officers shall be elected and shall assume office upon installation. Officers shall serve for a term of one year or until their successors are elected. No officer may serve for more than two consecutive terms in the same office. The appointed officer shall be the Parliamentarian.

Eligibility

- a. Nominees for President must have served at least two years as a member of the Executive Committee within the past five years, plus at least one year as a member of the Executive Committee of a member club.
- b. Nominees for Vice President must have served one year as a member of the Executive Committee and one year as a member of the Board of Directors within the past three years and have been a member of the Board of Directors of a member club within the past three years.
- c. Nominees for the remaining offices shall have served on the Board of Directors within the past year.

Duties

- a. Each officer shall perform the duties prescribed in the By-laws, Procedures and Standing Rules and the Parliamentary authority; prepare an annual report for the convention and deliver all official files pertaining to the office at the close of Convention.
- b. The President shall preside at all meetings of SCMOMC, appoint the Parliamentarian; appoint chairmen of committees with the approval of the Executive Committee; approve and sign all vouchers, checks and contracts, be an ex-officio member of all committees except the Nominating Committee.
- c. The Vice President shall, in the absence of the President, assume the duties of the President; act as Membership Chairman; assume the office of President if the President can no longer continue in that office.
- d. The Recording Secretary shall keep accurate minutes of all SCMOMC meetings; keep permanent attendance records of all SCMOMC meetings and be custodian of all records delegated to her.
- e. The Corresponding Secretary shall attend to all correspondence of SCMOMC as directed to her by the President, maintaining a file of all pertinent materials; be responsible for notification of all Board meetings to Board members.
- f. The Treasurer shall be the custodian of all funds of SCMOMC, paying all expenses as authorized in the budget; maintaining records of all expenditures and submitting all records for audit at the Convention or at any other time she may be required to do so.
- g. The Parliamentarian shall act as consultant to the President, having voting privileges on the Board of Directors, and act as Facilitator of the Bylaw Committee.

Executive Committee

The Executive Committee shall consist of the elected and appointed Officers. The Executive Committee shall:

- a. Conduct the affairs of the organization between Board meetings; make recommendations and perform such duties as are specified in the Bylaws, Procedures and Standing Rules and by order of the organization. None of its acts shall conflict with action of the organization or Board of Directors.

STANDING COMMITTEES - POSITION DESCRIPTIONS

1. Advisor/Past President: Perform tasks as assigned by the Executive Committee.
2. Chaplain: Responsible for invocation at all SCMOMC meetings, Silver Pitcher requests, coordinates Secret Sister, send get-well wishes for grave illness and condolences in case of death.
3. Convention: Choose hotel site. Make all necessary arrangements for meetings, meals and social events. Prepare and send "first call" to said Convention. Work with Meeting Planner.
4. Editor: Edit and distribute four SCMOMC Bulletins a year.
5. Higher Order Multiples: Act as Liaison for mothers of triplets, quads and higher order multiple births. Provide information for those with disabilities.
6. Historian/Memories: Keep all materials pertaining to SCMOMC's history and prepare and publish an annual report. Maintain a library for member clubs on information of procedures and projects.
7. Insurance Liaison between Insurance Company and SCMOMC.
8. Marketing Chairman: Act as Chairman to promote SCMOMC.
9. Meeting Planner: Works with host club on program planning of Convention and Workshop ensuring event preparation and timelines are met as outlined in Convention/Workshop procedures and event planning guidelines. Works with host club on Convention and Workshop site selection. Handles contractual negotiations with selected site including, but not limited to, room rates, room blocks, meal pricing, meal guarantees, meeting space and parking.
10. National Representative: Act as Liaison between SCMOMC and Multiples of America/NOMOTC.
11. Nominating & Committee: Draft a slate of qualified nominees for elected officers and publish in SCMOMC's Spring Bulletin issue.
12. President's Scrapbook: Responsible for making a scrapbook memento of President's term.
13. Scholarship & Committee: Provide and process all applications received for SCMOMC Scholarship Awards.
14. Special Projects: Responsible for handling orders and sales of SCMOMC items.
15. State Liaison: Promote exchange of ideas and information between the two California State organizations.
16. Webmaster: Responsible for maintaining SCMOMC website.
17. Workshop: Choose hotel site. Make all necessary arrangements for meetings, meals and social events. Prepare and send "first call" to said Workshop. Work with Meeting Planner.
18. Special Committees: Non-voting. May be appointed by the President with approval of the Executive Committee.

WORKSHOP 2022 – 70's SOLID GOLD MOMS



Amanda with Bruce



Angie & Ashley





Kristy & Conni



Sarah Parker & Wendy



Mixed Doubles



Jennette & Molly



TV Moms

LOCAL CLUB NEWS



Multiple Miracle Moms held their annual Kids Holiday Party. There was a fun art project and cookie decorating. And a visit from Santa! Our Mom's Holiday Party is coming up in a few days. Happy Holidays from MMM! Submitted by Lorrie Seigel



On December 7th Temecula Valley Mothers of Multiples had their annual holiday Moms Night In, with White Elephant gift exchange. Amazing food was shared among friends and a newcomer! Kristin Styles was the unlucky recipient of so many great gifts that she was stolen from four times! TVMOM wishes everyone a safe and happy new year! Submitted by Ashley Matics

DATES TO REMEMBER

JANUARY 2023

- 7 - DEADLINE for Reports due to President with copy to VP and OIC
- 10 - DEADLINE Resumes to Nominating Chairman for Elected Officers
- 22 – SCMOMC Board Meeting @ 9:30 a.m. TBD

FEBRUARY 2023

- 11 – DEADLINE Scholarship Applications
- 11 – DEADLINE Proposed Amendments to Bylaws & Procedures mailed to Parliamentarian
- 22 – FIRST CALL for Convention 2023
- 27 – DEADLINE Bulletin Articles due to Editor

MARCH 2023

- 1 – DUES Renewal Notices emailed
- 6 – BULLETIN emailed

FROM THE EDITOR

Thank you to everyone who contributed to this Bulletin. I hope you enjoy reading it.

Happy Holidays to everyone. Enjoy your family and friends. I am taking a little time off and heading to Las Vegas to see my children and grandchildren and welcome my first great-granddaughter. She (Rosie) is due on January 2, 2023. I'm excited to be there for her birth.

This will be my last term as Editor. Of course, I will work on the Spring and Summer issues this year but a new Editor will be needed for the 2023-2024 term. If you are interested, please submit a resume by January 15, 2023. I will be available for any assistance whenever needed.

Thank you for allowing me to hold this position for the last few years. I have enjoyed creating the Bulletin.

Merry Christmas!

Michele Franzese Rustigan
Act Two Moms

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