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Harmony & Happiness – The P.E.O. Way

P.E.O. enriches our members' lives in so many ways. Beyond the fabulous fellowship we all gain from our membership, our sisterhood provides a means for each of us to grow as individuals. We have opportunities to learn from the educational programs offered at each meeting. P.E.O. offers the potential for us to develop leadership skills through volunteer service at various levels of our organization—in our local, state/provincial/district and International Chapters.

One of the qualities of P.E.O. that I especially appreciate is the fact that our members are from all walks of life. Our Record issues continue to highlight members who have accomplished much in their lives—professionally and personally. P.E.O. members represent a wide range of educational experiences and achievements. As I visit s/p/d conventions, I'm happy to see that our ethnic, racial and religious diversity is increasing—slowly, but it is increasing. All of this diversity, which is so important, give us the opportunity to learn from one another and expand our own experiences. It enables P.E.O. to provide a more enriching experience for our members.

What I have always treasured about P.E.O. is the fact that, with such a wide range of backgrounds among our members, one thing remains...**harmony and happiness**. Why is P.E.O. able to achieve this balance when so many other organizations fail in this area? We achieve this balance because we're true to the messages given to us and to the vows we took when we were initiated. P.E.O. has this balance because our members are true to the lessons taught in our Objects & Aims.

Our Ceremony of Initiation reminds us of the need for compromise and the need to accept decisions made, even when they're not our preference, in order to maintain the congeniality among members that is so essential. We're reminded in our ceremony that we always need to show respect for our sisters, even when we have a difference of opinion. The Objects & Aims teach us lessons such as the need to have "temperance in opinions, speech and habits" and "careful consideration of feelings when speaking."

These values are reinforced every time we hear our Ceremony of Initiation and recite our Objects & Aims. They are exemplified by our members in our everyday lives and at every P.E.O. meeting and event. Our P.E.O. values enable our organization of approximately 235,000 members to maintain harmony & happiness—to maintain congeniality among our members.

These values contribute to what makes P.E.O. so unique and welcoming to women of diverse backgrounds.

This is especially important in a world where bullying has become so commonplace and where the act of showing respect for one another is losing ground. Aren't we fortunate to be part of an organization with such high values? Augustine "Og" Mandino captured these values,

exemplified in P.E.O., when he said...**"Extend to each person, no matter how trivial the contact, all the care and kindness and understanding and love that you can muster, and do it with no thought of any reward. Your life will never be the same again."**

Harmony and happiness—the P.E.O. way. What a great "Power of 1" for every member.

Do you know what your "1" is?

Maria T. Baseggio,
President, International Chapter



The executive board of International Chapter extends our appreciation to each member who has volunteered time to serve our sisterhood this past year. We hope it has been a rewarding experience for you. To those who have accepted such a role for this coming year, we say 'thank you' and offer our wishes for a successful and enjoyable year.

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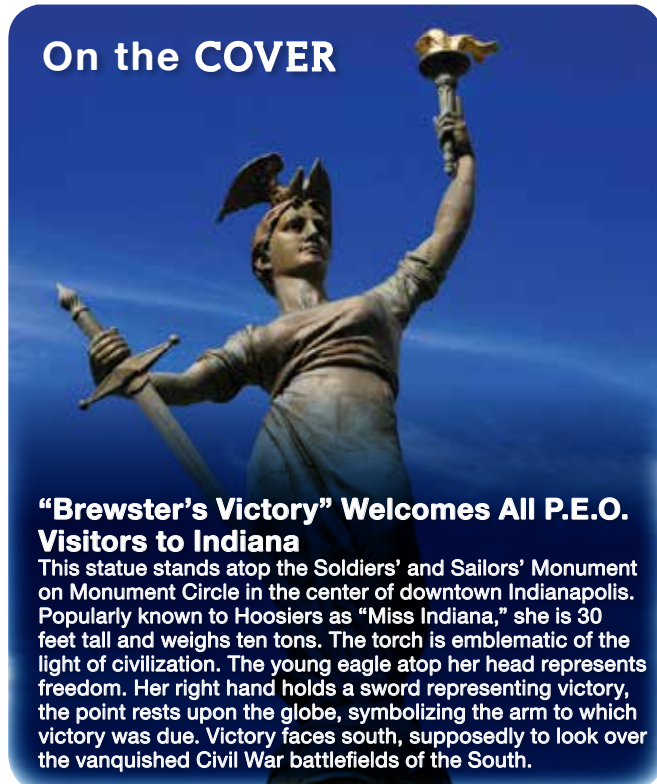
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"Brewster's Victory" Welcomes All P.E.O. Visitors to Indiana

This statue stands atop the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument on Monument Circle in the center of downtown Indianapolis. Popularly known to Hoosiers as "Miss Indiana," she is 30 feet tall and weighs ten tons. The torch is emblematic of the light of civilization. The young eagle atop her head represents freedom. Her right hand holds a sword representing victory, the point rests upon the globe, symbolizing the arm to which victory was due. Victory faces south, supposedly to look over the vanquished Civil War battlefields of the South.

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P.E.O. (Philanthropic Educational Organization) is passionate about its mission:

promoting educational opportunities for women. Our sisterhood proudly makes a difference in women's lives with six philanthropies that include Cottey College, an independent, liberal arts and sciences college for women, and five programs that provide higher educational assistance: P.E.O. Educational Loan Fund, P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship Fund, P.E.O. Program for Continuing Education, P.E.O. Scholar Awards and P.E.O. STAR Scholarship. P.E.O. is headquartered in Des Moines, Iowa.



P.E.O. Educational Loan Fund

Educational Loan Fund (ELF) is a revolving loan fund established in 1907 to lend money to qualified women students to assist them in securing a higher education.



P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship

P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship (IPS) Fund was established in 1949 to provide scholarships for international women students to pursue graduate study in the United States and Canada.



P.E.O. Program for Continuing Education

P.E.O. Program for Continuing Education (PCE) was established in 1973 to provide need-based grants to women in the United States and Canada whose education has been interrupted and who find it necessary to return to school to support themselves and/or their families.



P.E.O. Scholar Awards

P.E.O. Scholar Awards (PSA) was established in 1991 to provide substantial merit-based awards for women of the United States and Canada who are pursuing a doctoral level degree at an accredited college or university.



P.E.O. STAR Scholarship

The P.E.O. STAR Scholarship was established in 2009 to provide scholarships for exceptional high school senior women to attend an accredited postsecondary educational institution in the United States or Canada in the next academic year.



Cottey College

Cottey College is an independent, liberal arts and sciences college for women. Located in Nevada, Missouri, it has been owned and supported by the P.E.O. Sisterhood since 1927.

Individual donors may make tax-deductible gifts to the above mentioned projects or through the P.E.O. Foundation. Checks should be made payable to the project or the P.E.O. Foundation and sent directly to the P.E.O. Executive Office. Donations may also be made online through the website peointernational.org. Look for the "Giving Opportunities" link on the home page.

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P.E.O. is a philanthropic organization where women celebrate the advancement of women; educate women through scholarships, grants, awards, loans and stewardship of Cottey College; and motivate women to achieve their highest aspirations.

For more information visit the website peointernational.org. A reprint of this page is available on the website under PROJECTS/PHILANTHROPIES.



Inspiration From Membership Article

Kudos to Chapter IZ, Sarasota, Florida; I enjoyed reading their inspirational membership article. Chapter PB will soon begin planning a summer meeting to inspire and educate our members. We, too, have been using the International website PowerPoint pre-initiation and post-acceptance presentations for two years, they are excellent. The article did not mention that a chapter can edit the text and pictures to design the presentations to be unique to your own chapter. We have edited the text to put in our own meeting times, added slides to show pictures of our chapter members, edited out the "standardized" pictures on many slides and put in our own pictures. Maybe the use of the PowerPoint for counseling would make a good Tech Tip article in the future.

Keep up the good work, I always look forward to the next issue of The P.E.O. Record.

*Jane Patterson, PB,
Newport Beach, California*

Fan of P. Buckley Moss

What a surprise to see P. Buckley Moss on the cover of my Record. A year ago I gave a program about her at our chapter meeting which was held in my home because of the many Moss prints hanging on my walls. Her simplistic "Valley Style" is timeless and reflects the uncluttered and non-materialistic life revered in her work.

How apt that Patricia, a truly remarkable woman, is now a P.E.O.!

*Jo Ann Moore, BQ,
Ferndale, Washington*

Delight & Gratitude for P.E.O.

What a delight to receive this [November-December 2014] issue! I was thrilled that P. Buckley Moss is now a member of our sisterhood.

I have admired her work for many years...and now I can claim her as a sister!

Wow! Then I turned a few pages and found the article on Laura Connor Blight, who was one of my sisters in chapter HH in Houston.

I was her sister when she went through her first bout of breast cancer. How brave she was! She was an inspiration to our whole chapter! I was devastated to hear she was fighting the battle one more time. She is a fantastic sister, mother and human being. My BIL used to say she was the smartest female he had ever encountered. What a fabulous issue.

P.E.O. was the beginning of me becoming my own person. No longer just a wife and mother, my introduction to the Sisterhood introduced me to sisters who knew who they were and encouraged me to become the person I am today. I am eternally grateful for the organization and the exposure I have had to the wonderful women of P.E.O. Thanks for the opportunity and hugs to all.

*Helen Lauderdale, FJ,
Lubbock, Texas*

A Golden Thread—My Mother-Daughter P.E.O. Story

My mother, Gail R. Coen, was a P.E.O. sister in Chapter BL, Canton, Ohio, for many years. She didn't say much about it except to tell me that P.E.O. stood for Philanthropic Educational Organization. After her passing in January 2014 at 96, I found a P.E.O. star pin with a gavel attached in her jewelry box. There were copies of The P.E.O. Record in her room even though her local chapter had disbanded.

Back home in Virginia, a good friend invited me to several P.E.O. meetings to meet her sisters. Soon

after, I was initiated into P.E.O. Mom would have been pleasantly surprised. After sharing Mom's P.E.O. story with my new chapter, someone asked when she had joined and I had no idea. I was told to look on the back of her pin for the date and there I found the year 1964 engraved... the same year of my wedding! Since I was celebrating my golden anniversary in 2014, perhaps Mom would have been a Golden Girl!"

This lovely continuous golden thread of P.E.O. sisterhood connects me to my mother in a special way.

*Janet C. Gremer, AG,
Newport News, Virginia*

Holiday Gift from the Heart of Our Chapter

Two of our chapter members' spouses died shortly before the holidays. One of our members, Barbara Balbach, had a suggestion for helping these sisters through the difficult emotional time leading up to Christmas; she had done this for a family member in the past. She asked for 24 chapter members to contribute small, wrapped gifts, with a brief note of support for these two widows. The gifts should be simple—a pretty notepad, small jar of jam or honey, candle, sachet, fudge/cookies or the like. Naturally these two sisters had no idea this was going on. Once collected, Barbara put all the small gifts into a large gift bag with a card stating these gifts were a reminder that our chapter continued to hold them in our hearts at this difficult time. They were instructed to open one present each day leading up to Christmas, and they were not to send any thank you notes. When the gift bag was delivered on December 1, each was taken aback. It was a gift from the heart of our chapter for our two sisters who were without their lifelong partners. Both sisters found they looked forward daily to opening these special gifts: bringing them joy to mix with their tears.

*Carol Detweiler, DH,
Ann Arbor, Michigan*



Janet Gremer (right) with her mother Gail Coen

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The nearly 6,000
Indiana P.E.O.s are eager to share our state
and capitol city with Sisters from the United States
and Canada. Let us show you Hoosier Hospitality at its best.

There are so many reasons to visit Indy in 2015 – and here are just a few.

Indiana and specifically Indianapolis is often referred to as The Crossroads of America. Indy is the hub for several major interstate highways that crisscross the state connecting Hoosiers to the rest of the U.S. Other references are The Circle City, The Racing Capital of the World and The Amateur Sports Capital of the World.

Indianapolis, founded in 1821, boasts a population of nearly one million and is the 12th largest city in the United States.

Both Forbes and Livability.com rank our downtown as one of the best in the U.S. with more than 200 retail shops, more than 35 hotels, nearly 300 restaurants and food options, movie theaters, sports venues, museums, art galleries, parks and attractions. Arrive early or extend your trip to travel north to the shores of Lake Michigan or south to the Ohio River. The weather in October is nearly perfect with an average high of 65°F. Days are pleasant and sunny, while evenings are crisp and cool.

Downtown Indianapolis is a safe, clean and walkable area. However transportation is readily available if needed. Although most attractions are within walking distance of the convention center, if you choose to venture to other areas of the city there are several options for public transportation. Besides buses and taxis, bikes can be rented in several locations, horse drawn carriages are available, and gondola and paddle boat rides can be enjoyed on the scenic canal. You could even rent a Segway.

Indianapolis is a very easy city in which to drive if you so choose. You will want to read carefully our list of tour options. There is something for every person and every interest. Our Hoosier Market in the Convention Center will offer a plethora of interesting and affordable items where you can shop for souvenirs and gifts to send or take back home.

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The BILs of Summer...

by Albert Leffler, Guest Editor, *The P.E.O. Record*

Summer will be here before we know it and for many of us the focus will be the summer vacation—whether at home, nearby or far away. Travel away may be made by car, train, plane or ship. Lodging may be with friends or family, hotel or resort, RV or on that ship. We live in an age of recommendations and I have received specific lodging recommendations from several BILs: **P.E.O. Bed and Breakfast homes.**

A Canadian's Perspective

I am a BIL in Chapter AE in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. My wife, Mary Ann, is a past provincial president and currently president of Chapter AE.

We recently embarked on a drive of over 10,000 kilometres (6,000 miles) starting in Vancouver and driving east through Canada to Kenora, Ontario, then south to the Upper Peninsula around Lake Michigan to Chicago, Milwaukee, then to the Bad Lands, Mount Rushmore, Cody and Yellowstone Park to Seattle and finally back home. During our travels we stayed at nine hotels, with our grandniece in Waterford, Wisconsin, and at 10 wonderful P.E.O. Bed and Breakfasts in Canada and the U.S. where in every instance we were welcomed and cared for by wonderful people—and at every stay, where there was a BIL, he was actively interested in us and helped with our local planning. All the B&Bs were great—and the hosts were gracious fun-loving people.

Mary Ann and I are planning another trip in two years through Bryce and Zion Canyons in Utah, the north rim of the Grand Canyon, Yellowstone (again) and New Mexico ending in Kansas City. This should be another wonderful trip visiting P.E.O.s and BILs across Canada and the United States.

Respectfully,
Ian Carter, BIL

Open Letter to P.E.O. s From a Man Called "BIL"

Over the last several years my wife, Robin Langguth, Chapter FO, Sandwich, Illinois, and I have had the opportunity to stay at wonderful P.E.O. Bed and Breakfast (B&B) homes

in Austin, Texas, Asheville, North Carolina, Redlands, California, and Norfolk, Virginia.

To each of those four P.E.O. members that graciously opened their homes for us I give you my most humble thanks. I know what having guests can do to interrupt your daily routines and scheduled activities with the comings and goings of guests at all times of the day or the night. I know that because Robin and I ran a full-scale B&B for several years.

When my wife first joined P.E.O. I kidded her that P.E.O. stood for Phun (fun) Evening Out. But that was before I knew the work that P.E.O. does both on a local and international scale.

To those P.E.O. chapters that have B&B offerings as part of your fundraising methods, my hat is off to you! And for those travelers who haven't taken advantage of the P.E.O. B&Bs—and the chance to learn from your hosts about their lives, their family, their homes, and information about the area you are visiting—you don't know what a rare prized resource you are missing.

Robin and I look forward to meeting more P.E.O. hosts in the future!

Sincerely,
Alan "BIL" Langguth 🌸



Mary Ann Carter, far right, with hosts Merle and Bob Barr at their B&B in Cheney, Washington

BILs—Come to Convention!

To those BILs of Summer: I can't think of a more fitting end to summer than attending, along with your P.E.O., the Convention of the International Chapter of the P.E.O. Sisterhood that is coming up in Indianapolis October 15-17. I plan on attending—this will be my third International Convention, and I cannot wait to take in the inspiration! There will be times when we BILs will be left on our own and the host committee has kept us in mind—there will be lots for us to do in Indy. I hope to see many of you there.

Albert



Albert Leffler is married to P.E.O. Kathy Leffler, BA, Scottsdale, Arizona

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International Convention 2015

AWARD-WINNING JOURNALIST JANE PAULEY WILL TAKE THE STAGE WITH THE PRESIDENT OF P.E.O. INTERNATIONAL MARIA BASEGGIO FOR "A CONVERSATION WITH JANE PAULEY" BEFORE LUNCH ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17 AT THE 72ND CONVENTION OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER OF THE P.E.O. SISTERHOOD IN INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA.

A familiar face on morning, daytime and primetime television, and one of broadcasting's most respected journalists, Jane Pauley joined CBS News Sunday Morning in 2014. Pauley began her network career as co-host of TODAY for thirteen years, anchored Dateline NBC for more than a decade and hosted her own daytime program, The Jane Pauley Show.

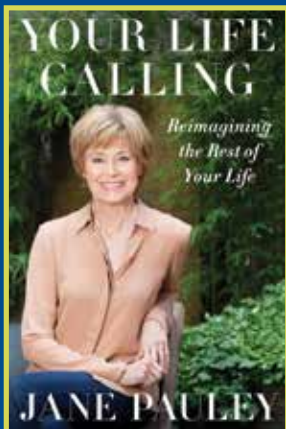
Pauley is the recipient of multiple Emmys, the Walter Cronkite Award for Excellence in Journalism, the Edward R. Murrow Award for outstanding achievement and the Gracie Allen Award from the Foundation of American Women in Radio & Television. Pauley is a member of the Broadcast and Cable Hall of Fame.

Pauley has written two New York Times bestsellers: a memoir, **"Skywriting: A Life Out of the Blue"** (2004) and **"Your Life Calling: Reimagining the Rest of Your Life"** (2014) based on her award-winning series on TODAY—2009 to 2013—about people 50+ starting different careers, learning new skills, making a difference or pursuing their dreams.

A longtime advocate in children's health and education, Pauley is also a highly regarded spokesperson in mental health. She and her husband, Doonesbury cartoonist Garry Trudeau, are the parents of three grown children. 🌸



JANE PAULEY: KEYNOTE SPEAKER



JANE PAULEY BOOK SIGNING

For a limited time, on Saturday at Convention, Jane Pauley will sign copies of her book **"YOUR LIFE CALLING: REIMAGINING THE REST OF YOUR LIFE."**

P.E.O. is pleased to be able to offer her book to attendees for \$20 per copy, which reflects a 22 percent discount off the retail price. Books must be ordered and paid for with your registration. The order form is included on the registration form online or on page 26 of this issue. Books will not be sold on-site. Advance purchase is required.



International Convention 2015

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

THE DATES

The official days of convention are Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 15, 16 and 17. The closing banquet and entertainment are Saturday evening with checkout from hotels on Sunday.

ARRIVING

Delegates and visitors who are flying to convention will arrive at Indianapolis International Airport. The airport is approximately 12 miles from the Convention Center and hotels.

As you near the baggage area, look for P.E.O. committee members and their BILs who will direct you to the baggage claim.

TRANSPORTATION TO YOUR HOTEL

In addition to taxis (about a \$35 fare), car service and the IndyGo public bus system, Go Express Airport Shuttle provides a clean, safe, affordable way of getting from the airport to downtown hotels. This express, non-stop bus service runs every 30 minutes from 8 am-11 pm for only \$10 one way. For more information and to make reservations, visit goexpresstravel.com/indy_express.

CONVENTION LOCATION

The 2015 Convention of International Chapter will be held at the Indiana Convention Center, located in downtown Indianapolis, Indiana, at 100 S. Capitol Avenue.

HOUSING

Six hotels will be used for housing delegates, visitors and volunteers. All are within very easy walking distance of the Convention Center. There are skywalks available from the hotels to the Convention Center.

CONVENTION DRESS AND WEATHER

The weather in Indiana in mid-October is lovely. Average temperatures typically range from a high of around 65 degrees and a low of 42 degrees. Indiana is known for gorgeous fall foliage, which should be at its peak during convention. Bring a light jacket.

The convention in general calls for appropriate casual dress—slacks, skirts, pantsuits, blouses, jackets and comfortable shoes. Casual shorts and jeans are discouraged for convention activities and hats are inappropriate during business meetings unless worn for health reasons.

For BILs, “business casual” attire is recommended. This includes slacks, khakis, dress jeans, golf shirts, blazers, etc.

Heels and dressy wear are not required for women and suit and tie are not required for men at any activities unless folks just feel like dressing up a bit!

Remember that meeting room temperatures can vary and rooms in the hotels and Convention Center may be cool. A sweater or light jacket may come in handy.

PLUS...

THE INDIANA ROOM

Don't miss the Indiana Room where you'll experience our state's past, present and future. Our unique exhibits will give you an up close and personal look at Hoosier life and history. Then step into our theater and be amazed at our state's impact on the world through a custom created visual presentation on a 30' screen. You will walk away amazed.

THE HOOSIER MARKETPLACE

The Hoosier Marketplace will be open throughout convention and you don't want to miss it! The Indiana sisters have put together an awesome variety of items for this convention store. You'll definitely want to pick up a souvenir or two!

NO-SMOKING POLICY

Smoking is not permitted at any P.E.O. Convention function and the Indiana Convention Center is a smoke-free facility.



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WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT WHAT'S HAPPENING

MEET YOUR EXECUTIVE BOARD

Stop by and say hello to the members of the Executive Board of International Chapter. They'll be available at the Convention Center on Wednesday from 2-3 p.m.

DISPLAYS

Displays for ELF, Cottey, IPS, PCE, PSA, STAR, P.E.O. Foundation and Membership will be open at noon on Wednesday and will remain open Thursday, Friday and until 3:00 p.m. on Saturday. Trustees, executive office staff, Cottey staff members and our new president of Cottey will be on hand throughout convention to answer your questions. And you'll meet project recipients too! Look for them at the project display booths.

SEMINARS AND BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Many educational and networking opportunities will be available for delegates and visitors at convention. Look at the preliminary At-A-Glance schedule on page 22 to help plan your days.

Three required seminars will be presented on Thursday morning. These presentations are the Finance and Budget Seminar, the S&R Amendments Seminar and, new this year, a Membership seminar. The required seminars are must-have information.

All voting delegates will attend each required seminar. Visitors are welcome to attend. Attendance for visitors is on a first-come basis; no standing room is allowed in accordance with fire marshal rulings. Be prepared to be flexible.

OPENING NIGHT—THURSDAY

Opening Night dinners will be held at the JW Marriott and the Marriott

BILS—JOIN US!

BILs are most welcome to attend any of the breakout sessions and there are several that you might find particularly appealing including a young Marine's story, the presentation on Abraham Lincoln and the session with behind-the-scenes stories of the Indy 500! Just be sure to sign up for anything you wish to attend... your admittance tickets will be in your registration packet to be picked up at the Convention Center.

Don't forget to stop by the BIL Pit Stop at the Center! BIL Albert Leffler will be on hand along with the men on the Cottey board and others...it's a good place to relax and chat for a while. Albert is a guest editor for The P.E.O. Record, contributing great columns about BILs and their stories.

Cottey will be hosting a coffee for BILs at the Center on Saturday morning—watch for news about this in upcoming issues of The Record and on the P.E.O. Convention website.

If you don't have other plans on Saturday afternoon, the Skybox Room at the JW Marriott is the place to be! Drop in for a burger and a beverage, watch some sports and connect with friends. The Skybox is part of the High Velocity Sports Bar at the JW. It is reserved especially for our BILs from 1:00-5:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 17.

Downtown hotels. Those housed at any of the other hotels will be assigned one of these hotels at which to enjoy their opening night banquet.

Opening Night ceremonies will be held at the Indiana Convention Center, beginning at 6:30 p.m. with a brass ensemble presentation. This always-inspiring evening will then feature the color guard presentation, introduction of officers and members of boards and committees and the always impressive Parade of Flags. These events are followed by Projects Night.

Projects Night gives us the opportunity to hear from recipients of our loan, grant, award and scholarship philanthropies and a student from our own Cottey College. You will be truly inspired by their stories as we see what can happen when **Women Help Women Reach for the Stars.**

You'll be introduced to the new president of Cottey College and you'll be privileged to listen to selections by mezzo soprano Joseryl Beckley, AE, Bloomington, Indiana. Joseryl, an

IPS recipient, graduated from Cottey and is currently a doctoral student in opera and voice at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada.

GENERAL SESSIONS

The Convention of International Chapter is a business meeting at which delegates vote on various proposed amendments, thereby helping to make decisions that will affect the entire Sisterhood.

The business session will commence on Friday, October 16, and end Saturday afternoon, October 17. See pages 40-48 for the proposed amendments on which delegates will vote. Be sure to become familiar with these, so you can carry out your role of delegate responsibly!

FRIDAY EVENING— ON YOUR OWN

All events on this evening are optional to allow attendees to have a chance to see a bit of the city, visit with special friends, take a tour or just relax.



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This is the suggested evening for “class” events of state officers since it does not conflict with any convention activities.

CLOSING EVENT—SATURDAY

Saturday evening is Indiana Night. Enjoy special entertainment following the 7:30 closing banquet.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT MEALS ORDER IN ADVANCE

Tickets are required for admittance to any and all meals. These tickets will be in your registration packet, which you will receive when you arrive at the Convention Center to register.

All meals must be ordered and paid for in advance. Use the Convention Meals checkboxes on page 26 of this issue or on the online form to order your meals. All registrants, whether entitled to expenses paid for by International or not, must indicate what meals they will attend. This is also the place to order meals for a BIL or guest.

If you order a Convention package, your meals are automatically entered and you do not have to check them again unless you are ordering extra tickets.

There is no reserved seating or saved seating at any of the meals with the exception of the Closing Banquet. See details below.

Day-trippers...if you are planning to eat a convention meal while you're there, be sure to get your meal ticket ahead of time!

International Chapter assumes the cost of meals for voting and other entitled members of convention, beginning with the box lunch on Thursday and ending with the Closing Banquet on Saturday.

CLOSING BANQUET TICKET EXCHANGE PROCEDURE

Each preregistered convention attendee who has ordered a Closing Banquet meal will receive a ticket in the registration packet. Any time after noon on Friday, ticket holders may come to the Ticket

Exchange station at the Registration Assistance table. Here international executive office staff will take your ticket (or several tickets) and in exchange will give you a ticket with a specific table number on it, depending on the remaining available tables. If you wish to reserve a table for a group, all of the group members' tickets must be presented at once.

You are not required to exchange your ticket. Those who do not exchange their ticket in advance will be assigned a table at the door and will have an opportunity to make new friends over dinner!

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT HOUSING

Most members of state delegations will be assigned to the JW Marriott or the Downtown Marriott. Visitors and those members of the delegation who choose to room with a spouse or visitor will be assigned to the Westin Indianapolis or the Courtyard by Marriott.

Volunteers will be housed at the SpringHill Suites or Embassy Suites.

All members must include their request for housing on their registration form.

Delegates—state presidents DO NOT make housing arrangements for their state delegation.

Each member will receive a letter from P.E.O. acknowledging her registration and confirming her hotel room. Confirmations WILL NOT be sent by hotels.

For entitled members, (see page 12 for definitions of convention attendees) all expenses other than those paid by International Chapter will be the responsibility of the delegate at checkout.

All members should be prepared to furnish the hotel with credit card information when checking in for billing of expenses. Be sure to use a regular credit card—do not use a debit card.

WHO PAYS FOR WHAT ENTITLED MEMBER HOUSING

International Chapter assumes the cost of housing for elected chapter delegates and other entitled members of convention for Thursday through Saturday nights,

CONVENTION MEAL SCHEDULE

THURSDAY

NOON – 1:30 P.M.

Box Lunch—Convention Center

4:30 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.

Opening Night Dinner—JW Marriott and the Marriott Downtown (as assigned)

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

6:30 A.M. – 8 A.M.

Breakfast—At hotels

NOON – 1:30 P.M.

Luncheons—Convention Center

FRIDAY EVENING

On Your Own—Check out the Dine Around Options!

SATURDAY EVENING 7:30 P.M.

Indiana Night: Closing Banquet—Convention Center

Tickets are required for admission to all convention meals. Your tickets will be in the registration packet you receive on-site.



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October 15-17. (See page 12 for definitions of convention attendees.)

Sharing a room with a BIL or other non-delegate? That person pays for his/her half of the room for each day. Attendees in this category will be housed at the Westin hotel.

Requesting a single room? You pay for one-half of the room rate for each day you are there.

Have someone coming in to share your room, but not for the entire time? That person is responsible for one-half of the room for all the time you have the room. Once checked in, changing rooms is not permitted.

After convention, each state is billed for the registration fees for their delegation, based on when each delegate and past state president (PSP) submits her registration (on time, late or very late).

MEALS

International Chapter also assumes the cost of meals for entitled members of convention, beginning with a box lunch on Thursday and ending with the Closing Banquet on Saturday. All registrants, whether entitled to meals or not, must indicate which meals they actually plan to attend, unless you have ordered a convention package. In that case, your meals are automatically entered as shown in the package description. For instance, if you do not really plan on eating breakfast, do not check that box. International Chapter is paying for these meals and money and food are wasted if meals are prepared that no one is going to eat.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT REGISTRATION

All members must use the registration form published in The Record or on the P.E.O. website. This includes: Local Chapter Delegates, Past Presidents (Entitled & Unentitled), S/P/D Presidents and Vice Presidents, Visitors and Volunteers.

CONVENTION TOURS

All convention tours are arranged for by the local Indiana hostess state committee.

International is not involved with convention tours.

If you have questions or concerns about tours or your tour reservation, call **317-217-1691** or contact:

- **NATALIE KASICH**, Project Coordinator: nataliek@dmccindy.com
- **TRACY POVOLOCK**, Director of Operations: tracyp@dmccindy.com

All questions should go to these contacts, not to International. This will guarantee you the most accurate and timely response to your tour questions.

Updated Online Registration—
Save time by registering online. The easy-to-use, step-by-step process takes you through the registration procedure making registration a breeze. Delegate? Past President? Visitor? Volunteer? Everyone can use the online registration. Submit it with a credit card or print and mail the completed form with a check. Register online and immediately receive confirmation that your registration has been submitted.

DELEGATES, S/P/D PRESIDENT & VICE PRESIDENT:

You should have received a red folder in late February from the P.E.O. Executive Office in Des Moines. Please be sure to read the material it contains.

Find out from your S/P/D president:

- If travel arrangements have been made for you or if you need to make your own.
- When you need to be in Indianapolis.
- If a roommate will be assigned to you or if you need to find your own.

If bringing your BIL, register him on the same form as yourself. Submit payment for his expenses only.

All entitled voting members must register for the Required Seminars.

All members will receive a packet at the convention sign-in, which will contain a name badge (necessary for admittance to all events and meals), convention program, purchased meal tickets and other pertinent information.

REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. Advance Registration is open until Saturday, August 22. PLEASE NOTE, however, there is a sliding scale for registration fees.

The absolute final deadline for Housing & Meals reservations: Must be postmarked on or before August 22.

REGISTRATIONS postmarked after Saturday, August 22 will NOT be processed. You will have to register on-site.

REGULAR REGISTRATION FEE: \$50
Postmarked or submitted electronically BEFORE Monday, July 20, 2015.

LATE REGISTRATION: \$75
Postmarked or submitted electronically after Monday, July 20; and BEFORE August 10, 2015.

VERY LATE REGISTRATION: \$110
Postmarked or submitted electronically ON or AFTER August 10, 2015; and BEFORE August 22.

CANCELLATION FEES are \$45 per cancellation.



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ATTENDEES MUST SUBMIT A REGISTRATION FORM IN ORDER TO MAKE HOTEL OR MEAL RESERVATIONS.

All hotel reservations must be made through the P.E.O. Executive Office—Convention Registration. Hotels **will not** make reservations for individual P.E.O.s. Do not contact the hotels. The hotels will not send confirmations. All confirmations will be sent by the P.E.O. Executive Office—Convention Registration.

CONVENTION SIGN-IN AND KIT PICK-UP

Convention sign-in begins at noon on Wednesday, October 14 at the Convention Center.

When registering, each registrant must sign the convention roster before receiving her materials. Each registrant should proceed to the appropriately marked counter to sign in and receive her materials. The counters will be marked alphabetically by last name. Members may not pick up another member's packet. Members will be allowed to pick up their BIL's packet.

Each voting member will receive a tote bag containing her convention packet

of materials (badge, meal tickets and program). Each visitor will receive her convention materials and may purchase a tote bag if desired. The local hostess committee provides these tote bags and determines the number available for sale.

ON-SITE REGISTRATION

Attendees may register on-site at the Convention Center. No hotel reservations or meal tickets will be sold on-site through Convention Registration. The only way to reserve housing or meals is to register in advance.

Attendees who prefer to register on-site at the Convention Center may do so according to this schedule: \$30 on Wednesday and Thursday; \$20 on Friday and \$10 for Saturday.

The on-site fee for volunteers and BILs is \$10 per day. Admittance/tickets to events is on an as-available basis for on-site registrants.

REGISTRATION TIPS

All members must complete the registration form in its entirety.

STEP 1: REGISTRANT INFORMATION

The membership ID# is a 7-digit number that can be found in the address block of your P.E.O. Record. You can also use the new online Membership ID Search available on the P.E.O. website.

DO NOT submit changes of address on your registration form.

STEP 2: REGISTRATION CATEGORY

All past presidents, entitled or unentitled must provide the S/P/D and class of presidency. This will help us make sure you are correctly registered with the right delegation.

STEP 3: TRAVEL INFORMATION

Do not submit your registration forms until you have your travel arrangements in place.

DELEGATES AND PAST PRESIDENTS: Make sure you check with your S/P/D president before making any travel plans. She may have special requests for members of the delegation.

STEP 4: HOTEL RESERVATION

If you are requesting a hotel room, you must submit your registration **BY August 22.**

WHO'S WHO AT CONVENTION?

DELEGATE: An elected, voting member of convention is "entitled" because her way is paid for by International Chapter. There is one delegate for every seven local chapters. P.E.O. pays for this delegate; she, in turn, attends all convention activities for delegates.

PAST S/P/D PRESIDENT (ENTITLED): According to a specific formula outlined in the Constitution (one for every eight living, active past state presidents as of March 1 in the year of convention), a specified number of past state presidents have their housing and meals paid for by P.E.O., in honor of their years of service to the Sisterhood. A past s/p/d president is a voting member of convention. S/P/D chapters have various methods by which they decide which member shall be entitled.

PAST S/P/D PRESIDENT (NOT ENTITLED): This sister pays her own way to convention and is not entitled to paid housing and meals. She is entitled to vote by virtue of her service to the Sisterhood.

VISITOR: A P.E.O. who chooses to attend and to pay her own way to convention. She is entitled to attend all convention events and functions but has more flexibility. She does not vote.

BIL: A spouse of a P.E.O. is invited to attend opening ceremonies, Celebration of Life, breakout sessions, meals, tours and evening entertainment events. BILs may not attend business meetings or the S&R amendments seminar.

OTHER VOTING MEMBERS OF CONVENTION: Members of the International Executive Board, past presidents of International Chapter, boards of trustees of P.E.O. International projects and P.E.O. Foundation, P.E.O. members of the Cottey College Board of Trustees and members of standing International committees are all entitled to vote at Convention.



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A hotel deposit is required with the registration form. See the registration form for more information on how to calculate the amount you may need to submit.

Volunteers will be assigned a room at the SpringHill Suites or Embassy Suites.

Rates shown on the registration form include applicable taxes.

Make sure to list the hotel check-in and check-out dates if they are different from your arrival and departure dates.

STEP 5: ROOMMATE INFORMATION

If you know who you want to room with, be sure to list that person on the form. Your hotel room will not be confirmed until **both** roommates have registered.

If you need a roommate, check the box to have a roommate assigned to you.

STEP 6: SEMINARS & BREAKOUT SESSIONS

All entitled members (delegates and entitled PSPs) must register for the required seminars. Visitors are welcome to attend any of the required seminars. BILs are welcome to attend any of this year's breakout sessions, the finance and budget seminar and the membership seminar. The only exception is the amendments seminar, which relates only to P.E.O. members.

Additionally, you need to sign up for the presentations or seminars you plan to attend. Tickets are needed for admission to any of the sessions and those tickets will be found in your registration packets you will receive when you sign in.

STEP 7: CONVENTION MEALS

Entitled members are entitled to all convention meals and the cost of those meals is covered by International Chapter. Please sign up for only the meals you plan to attend. Entitled members may purchase extra tickets and will need to submit payment for those tickets with their registration form.

STEP 8: PAYMENT INFORMATION

Payment must be received with the registration form. Members with a balance due will not be allowed to pick up their convention materials and meal tickets at International Convention until the balance is paid.

Voting members and entitled PSPs do not need to submit payment for any part of the registration except for those purchasing Jane Pauley's book or purchasing extra meal tickets. 🌸

VOLUNTEERS

If you are a volunteer from the hostess state, you may register as a Volunteer at a reduced registration fee of \$10.

Volunteers may register for any meals and housing. The volunteer hotels are the SpringHill Suites by Marriott and the Embassy Suites. Both hotels are offering a complimentary breakfast for volunteers who reserve a room. Volunteers are advised not to register for the Convention Breakfast listed on the registration form.

Volunteers will not be able to pre-register for any breakout sessions and seminars. However, if space is available, they will be allowed admittance to any of the breakout sessions and seminars after pre-registered members are seated.

Past Presidents of Indiana who are also volunteering for convention must register as a Past S/P/D President.

NEED TO RESERVE A WHEELCHAIR OR ELECTRIC SCOOTER FOR USE DURING CONVENTION?

CALL: AT HOME HEALTH EQUIPMENT AT 317-872-9702 (RENTALS MUST BE MADE BY CALLING THIS NUMBER)

MANUAL WHEELCHAIR: \$65 rental fee for 1-30 day period

ELECTRIC SCOOTER: \$33 daily rental with a 3-day minimum

POWER WHEELCHAIR: \$45 daily rental with a 3-day minimum

Delivery and pickup will be made to/from the attendees' hotel. Equipment can be picked up at the hotel bell stand/concierge. Credit card will be charged prior and placed on file should item not be returned. There is also a \$25 delivery fee.

The wheelchair company will be notified of your hotel; it is not necessary to know your hotel at the time of order.

International chapter **does not** make these reservations. This pricing is about 25 percent less than previous conventions.





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REQUIRED SEMINARS



STUDY AND RESEARCH COMMITTEE PRESENTS: THE AMENDMENT PROCESS: FROM GREEN FLAG TO CHECKERED FLAG

Learn how proposed amendments make their way to Convention of

International Chapter and the parliamentary rules you can use during convention when we consider the 2015 proposed amendments. Members of the Study and Research Committee and International parliamentarian, Mary Dunn Short, will be on hand to answer your questions. Bring your Constitution and this issue (March-April 2015) of The P.E.O. Record.



FINANCE/BUDGET

Members of International Chapter's Finance Committee will present information on the Sisterhood's investments and financial position. Kathy Soppe, treasurer, will explain the budget and answer your questions.



MEMBERSHIP

Learn how you can personally use the "Power of 1" to grow and strengthen P.E.O. membership—in your own chapter as well as throughout our organization. Members of International Chapter's Membership Team will facilitate a dynamic, interactive workshop-style session; delegates will receive information to share with local chapters.



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BREAKOUT SESSIONS



HOPE—ONE STEP AT A TIME

JOSH BLEILL

Marine Corporal Josh Bleill [Bly-ul; rhymes with “Kyle” or “smile”] is a native of Greenfield, Indiana. After graduating high school, Josh attended Purdue University. Upon completion of his education, Josh decided to serve his country by joining the United States Marine Corps in 2004, and was activated for a tour of duty in Iraq in 2006.

While serving in Iraq, Corporal Bleill was severely injured, resulting in the loss of both of his legs. After extensive rehabilitation, Bleill returned to Indiana in August of 2008, where he attacked his new life head-on. This new life included employment as the Indianapolis Colts Community Spokesperson.

Indianapolis Colts Owner, Jim Irsay, has described Bleill as “very talented, bright-eyed, and skilled,” and Josh now travels the country to spread his message of hope, “one step at a time.”

RAISING A FINANCIALLY FIT FAMILY

JILL SHIPLEY



Raising children and grandchildren to be financially fit requires consistent, ongoing preparation and role modeling. Jill Shipley will engage participants in an interactive dialogue focused on empowering and educating children of all ages to be financially savvy. Jill will share best practices, real life examples and concrete recommendations participants can immediately begin to implement with their children and grandchildren.

Jill is a managing director at Abbot Downing who strives to identify families’ wealth objectives and develop long range strategies critical to sustaining wealth over generations. Jill, as part of Abbot Downing’s Family Dynamics and Education Practice, helps families clarify family and individual values, enhance communication, plan for transitions, engage in shared philanthropy and prepare heirs. Overall, she is focused on the preservation and continued development of the qualitative aspects of a client family’s wealth.

Prior to joining Abbot Downing, Jill served as the Director of Family Education at GenSpring Family Offices leading the firm’s efforts to prepare family members for life with wealth. She pioneered the development of interactive educational programming and facilitated multigenerational family meetings focused on enhancing family cohesiveness, celebrating and capturing family legacy, and building family member competencies. Before GenSpring, Jill co-developed the country’s first academic major in Family Business at Stetson University and was an adjunct professor teaching family business courses.

Jill was awarded the 2014 Family Wealth Report Award for being the Rising Star in the family wealth management industry. She is a noted speaker on the topic of family wealth and has been quoted in such publications as the Wall Street Journal, Barron’s Penta, Trust & Estate Magazine and Financial Advisor Magazine. Jill is certified as a meeting facilitator as a Creative Wealth International Coach and is qualified to administer the Myers Briggs Type Indicator. She earned her BA and her MA of business administration from Stetson University.

Jill, her husband and son make their home in West Palm Beach, Florida.

[This presentation sponsored by Wells Fargo](#)



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THE SEED OF AN ETHICAL LEGACY: ONE DEFINING MOMENT IN TIME

JO KLINE CEBUHAR, J.D.



There's nothing like a good story. And if it's true, even better. Our most successful and enduring charities came to be because ordinary people faced a daunting challenge and simply did the right thing. Jo will share inspirational tales of folks who had to choose—in one defining moment in time—whether to tackle a seemingly unreachable goal or walk away. The decision each made was the seed of an ethical legacy—from the dedicated church visitor whose courage continues to make a difference for millions of children to the seven young women who wanted to start a society founded on friendship and the love of learning and ended up changing the world.

The lesson in these visionaries' stories is not about being a pioneer—it's much bigger than that. It's the inspiring acknowledgement that footprint philanthropy can happen any time values meet the opportunity to make a lasting difference.

Learn how identifying your core beliefs and sharing your ethical message can be the foundation of a value-inspired legacy, a legacy that reflects what you stand for and how you want to be remembered.

A graduate of Iowa State University and Drake Law School, Jo Kline Cebuhar's career as a writer was inspired by her service as the volunteer chair of Iowa's largest hospice. Her award-winning nonfiction books on end-of-life legal issues and the meaning of legacy have been featured in *The Des Moines Register*, *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, *Reader's Digest* and *The New York Times*. She was pleased to include the story of P.E.O. in her 2012 release "Whose big idea was that? Lessons in giving from the pioneers of value-inspired philanthropy." Jo's first novel "EXIT," set in a small-town hospice, was published in 2014 and her most recent book is the "2015 Edition of *The Practical Guide to Health Care Advance Directives*."

THE LINCOLNS: FIVE GENERATIONS OF AN AMERICAN FAMILY

DALE OGDEN



Dale Ogden, Chief Curator of Cultural History, Indiana State Museum & Historic Sites, was born in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, and grew up in Warsaw, Indiana. He earned his BS in social studies education and MA in U.S. history from Indiana University.

The 30,000 artifact Lincoln Financial Foundation Collection (LFFC) was given to the state of Indiana in December 2008 by the Lincoln Financial Foundation. Dale has helped produce four major exhibitions from the LFFC.

You'll want to hear Dale's stories about Abraham Lincoln. Since his death in 1865, a powerful mythology has evolved around the beloved and fascinating 16th President of the United States. The foundation of this story is that Abraham Lincoln endured constant hardship, and emerged from repeated failure and obscurity to claim the ultimate mantle of power. The reality of Lincoln's life was more complex—and more interesting.

By the time the first son of Thomas and Nancy Hanks Lincoln was born in Kentucky in 1809, Lincolns had lived in America for six generations. Farmers, craftsmen, and even two governors populated the Lincoln lineage. And, while Abraham may have descended from a lesser branch of the family tree, his grandfather had been an American officer during the Revolution, his father was a landowner and skilled craftsman, and his mother, stepmother, and beloved sister anchored a loving home.

Far from anonymous, Abraham Lincoln and his wife were pillars of their vibrant community for decades prior to his presidency. Abraham was an extraordinarily successful professional with a devoted family and a multitude of friends. Many of those relationships continued long after the Lincolns moved into the White House.

That Abraham Lincoln triumphed over enormous obstacles is undeniable. That he, his family and their descendants forged complex, often loving, frequently difficult, sometimes tragic relationships represents a more accurate picture of this American family.

There's even a Lincoln connection to Mount Pleasant and P.E.O. too!



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BEHIND THE SCENES AT THE INDY 500

DONALD DAVIDSON



Indianapolis Motor Speedway Historian Donald Davidson is believed to be the only full-time historian employed at any race track in the world.

A passionate interest in the "500" since his early teens irresistibly drew the English-born-and-raised Davidson to the Speedway for a three-week visit in May 1964. Having committed to memory a plethora of trivial details during the seven years it took for him to save up for the trip, he was able to delight both active and retired participants with year-by-year recitations of their careers.

He returned from England permanently the following May and was fortunate not only to be invited by the late Sid Collins to join the worldwide IMS Radio Network broadcast for race day, but also to secure employment with the United States Auto Club, where he was to remain as statistician and historian for the next 31 years. Officially becoming the Speedway's historian on January 1, 1998, he continues to serve on the Radio Network.

For the greater part of each May since 1971, raconteur Davidson has hosted a popular racing trivia "call-in" program on radio station WIBC (now WFIN), and for many years he wrote a column for

The Indianapolis Star during the month leading up to the race. Each spring since 1986 he has presented a four-night continuing-studies course of "500" history through the Indianapolis-based Indiana University/Purdue University Indianapolis campus.

Davidson is co-author of the "Autocourse Official History of the Indianapolis 500" and has contributed to countless other hardcover books on racing. He also has written numerous articles for AutoWeek, Motor Trend, Road & Track, Car and Driver and the Indianapolis 500 Yearbook. He has himself been the subject of feature articles in most of the aforementioned publications, as well as in Sports Illustrated. He has also been profiled on ABC's "World News Tonight," and on race morning 2001 was interviewed live on CNN News. Two nights before the 1983 race, he was a live guest of Ted Koppel on ABC's "Nightline," along with Jackie Stewart and Mario Andretti, while a brief interview with Russ Mitchell for CBS Evening News in 2011 was rebroadcast race morning on "CBS Sunday Morning" with Charles Osgood.

On May 27, 2010, Davidson was inducted into the Auto Racing Hall of Fame, his presence there being rather unique in that of the 148 people inducted since 1952, he is one of only 27 who are living, and is currently one of only two living who were never a participant. On October 3, 2013, Davidson was inducted into the Indiana Broadcast Pioneers Hall of Fame.

THEY FOLLOWED THEIR DREAMS...AND MADE THINGS POP!

MANDY SELKE AND CARLY SWIFT



Dynamic twin sisters Mandy and Carly founded their popcorn company Just Pop In! in 2003. Inspired by nostalgia for evenings spent with their grandfather popping popcorn over the stove, they left the corporate world to follow their dreams and create a fun-loving, colorful, non-traditional popcorn brand.

Learn about the risks Mandy and Carly took to follow their dreams and how they turned their passions for popcorn, design and style into a successful business and became respected leaders in their community.

Carly and Mandy are passionate about their business and have based their company's philosophy on positivity, human-kindness and respect for one another. Attendees will certainly be inspired by the tale of how these enthusiastic women followed their entrepreneurial spirits and turned their dreams into a reality. 🌸



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THE P.E.O. FOUNDATION TRUSTEES WITH FEATURED SPEAKER, ELLEN SPONG PRESENT "THREE PS FOR IMPACT: PHILANTHROPY, PLANNED GIFTS AND P.E.O. INTERNATIONAL - GIVING YOUR MONEY MEANING"



What role can philanthropy play in giving your money meaning?

In this breakout session we will discuss the importance of planned giving and **BUILDING A LASTING LEGACY** through the P.E.O. Foundation.

The presentation will feature Ellen Spong, a Senior Vice President in the Philanthropic Services group at Wells Fargo Private Bank. She is responsible for charitable and nonprofit relationships in the Virginia market and has more than 25 years of experience working with charitable and nonprofit organizations. As Philanthropic Specialist,

she consults with institutions and individuals on charitable matters, with a focus on private foundations, public endowment funds and educational and community service organizations, to identify strengths and opportunities, particularly in governance, asset management, finance and planned giving.

This dynamic discussion will include information on opportunities that can ensure the ongoing vitality, viability and impact of P.E.O. International Educational Projects.

No matter how big or small, if you want to Build Your Lasting Legacy this session is for YOU!

This presentation sponsored by Wells Fargo

SPECIAL INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP TEAM REUNION LUNCHEON

A SPECIAL INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP TEAM REUNION LUNCHEON
WILL BE HELD FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16,
AT THE INDIANAPOLIS CONVENTION CENTER
FROM NOON-1:15 PM

FOR CURRENT AND FORMER TRUSTEES AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS.
PLAN TO ATTEND AND REUNITE WITH OTHER TRUSTEES
AND CATCH UP WITH FRIENDS.

The cost of this luncheon is the same as the regular convention lunch that day—\$28. If you select one of the convention packages when you are registering, you are automatically paying for a lunch that day. Just go to the A la Carte section for individuals and also check the box by "International Leadership Team Lunch." This will show International that the lunch you want that day is the reunion lunch and the switch will be made for you. Your ticket for the reunion luncheon will be included in your registration packet that you will pick up on-site.



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...AND MORE!

DESIGNING THE LANDSCAPE—MOVING YOUR BOULDER THROUGH LEADERSHIP

THE AD HOC COMMITTEE FOR P.E.O.'S LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE

The Ad Hoc Committee for P.E.O.'s Leadership Initiative invites all current and emerging leaders in P.E.O. to sample the resources that are being designed to enhance your leadership skills. Any time you accomplish a goal or solve a problem, whether it is professional, personal or integral to your P.E.O. role, you are moving things forward or "Moving Your Boulder." Leaders don't walk around boulders, cover them up, or plant flowers around them. They move them, and sometimes it is an uphill journey which requires the helpful teamwork and support of others. This workshop will equip you with the skills to motivate others to share a vision, recruit them to be effective members of your team and sustain their commitment all the way up the hill. In defining your boulders to success, you will also learn strategies to turn challenges into opportunities that enhance each sister's experience in P.E.O.

Please join us and learn more about the P.E.O. Leadership Initiative and our future plans to support our volunteer leaders who graciously give of their time and talents.



SOCIAL MEDIA 101 – HOW TO SHARE THE P.E.O. STORY

Join Kate Westercamp, Digital Communications Specialist for P.E.O. International, as she equips you with the tips and knowledge to connect in this social media world to your contacts and P.E.O. International.

DURING THIS SESSION, YOU'LL LEARN:

- Status of today's social media world
 - Strengths of today's main social media channels, including Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Instagram and Pinterest.
 - Leveraging the P.E.O. social media initiatives and your opportunity to share the story
 - How to submit stories for possible sharing on the P.E.O. International social media outlets
- All the while upholding the P.E.O. brand, image and story





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EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND (ELF)

Race to the ELF project booth in Indianapolis for a great photo op, giveaways and a chance to win prizes. The ELF trustees and office supervisor, Erin Del Collo, will guide you through the ELF Raceway. At every pit stop visitors will learn of the advantages of a highly affordable ELF educational loan. The raceway Finish Line holds the "key" to victory for some lucky visitors. But with an ELF loan, everyone's a winner!



COTTEY COLLEGE

For Women, About Women, By Women. The promotional line remains the same, but there are many new and exciting changes at Cottey College! Learn about Cottey's transformation into a four-year college and explore how a leadership component is built into every bachelor's degree program. Come meet Cottey's twelfth president and share her enthusiasm for the future of the College. Learn how to promote the College from trustees and staff members and join us as we celebrate the generosity and continuing support of the P.E.O. Sisterhood.



INTERNATIONAL PEACE SCHOLARSHIP (IPS)

Come join us under the IPS Peace Tree at convention! Meet impressive international women supported by P.E.O.s during the 2013-2015 biennium. Hear interesting stories of how IPS partners with students to "Foster Peace Through Education." The IPS trustees and office supervisor, Jaime Jensen, are eager to visit with you and share practical ways your chapter can help promote peace in the world.



PROGRAM FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION (PCE)

Visit the PCE display for the opportunity to learn about the remarkable women you have helped to REACH NEW HEIGHTS. The PCE trustees, along with office supervisor Angela Garrison, are eager to visit with you, hear your PCE support stories and answer any questions you may have to help a woman complete her race to the finish line with assistance from a PCE grant. Come see how PCE is FUNDING GRANTS TODAY FOR A BRIGHTER TOMORROW!

P.E.O. DISPLAY



P.E.O. SCHOLAR AWARDS (PSA)

The PSA trustees, along with office supervisor Marla Garity, want you to speed on over to the P.E.O. Scholar Awards exhibit and do a couple of laps around the track to learn more about this Project and how to become a Laureate Chapter, get information about our newest class of Scholars and have fun with our “Winner’s Circle” photo booth.



STAR SCHOLARSHIP

YOU have made our P.E.O. STAR Scholarship possible and we want to thank you. Ann, Eleanor, Sue and STAR office supervisor Nichole Bougher are looking forward to talking with you. This is your opportunity to start your engines, get revved up and visit the STAR display booth and celebrate “Recognizing Young Women of Stellar Achievement!”



P.E.O. FOUNDATION

The Power of One! Visit the P.E.O. Foundation booth to talk with trustees Barb, Jo Ann and Mary and Foundation Supervisor, Deb Swedberg. They can show you how “Giving Now” or “Giving Later” through planned giving can provide long-term support for the International P.E.O. philanthropic projects using the services offered by the P.E.O. Foundation. Discover how YOU—the Power of One—can make a huge difference in helping deserving women pursue their educational dreams.



MEMBERSHIP

Help spread convention cheer throughout P.E.O. by participating in the Unaffiliate Telethon, hosted by International Chapter’s Membership Team. Stop by the booth and send a cheery P.E.O. “hello” with some news from convention to an unaffiliate. Snap a photo by our tally board and post it on your social media account to spread the word! 🌸



Convention At-A-Glance

2015

All events are held at the Indiana Convention Center unless otherwise noted.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2015						
NOON – 5 P.M.	Registration Opens			Displays Open		
6 P.M.	State Delegation Dinners (start time varies by state)					
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2015						
7:30 A.M. – 5 P.M.	Registration Continues					
8 A.M. – NOON	Credentials Registration by S/P/D Presidents					
8 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Displays Open					
8:00 A.M. – 9:00 A.M.	Required Membership Seminar..all voting delegates must attend; visitors are welcome					
9:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.	Required S&R Amendments Seminars.. all voting delegates must attend; visitors are welcome					
10:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M.	Required Finance Budget Seminar all voting delegates must attend; visitors are welcome					
11:00 A.M. - NOON	Behind the Scenes at the Indy 500	The Lincolns; Five Generations of an American Family	Three Ps for Impact: Philanthropy, Planned Gifts and P.E.O. International–Giving Your Money Meaning	The Seed of an Ethical Legacy: One Defining Moment in Time	They Followed Their Dreams...and Made Things Pop!	Designing the Landscape– Moving Your Boulder through Leadership
NOON – 1 P.M.	Boxed Lunch					
1 P.M. – 5 P.M.	Credentials Registration by S/P/D Presidents continues					
1 P.M. – 2 P.M.	Hope – One Step at a Time – A Marine’s Story	Raising a Finacially Fit Family	Social Media 101– How to Share the P.E.O. Story	Behind the Scenes at the Indy 500	The Lincolns; Five Generations of an American Family	The Seed of an Ethical Legacy: One Defining Moment in Time
2 P.M.– 3 P.M.	Hope – One Step at a Time – A Marine’s Story	Raising a Finacially Fit Family	Three Ps for Impact: Philanthropy, Planned Gifts and P.E.O. International–Giving Your Money Meaning	Designing the Landscape– Moving Your Boulder through Leadership	They Followed Their Dreams...and Made Things Pop!	Social Media 101– How to Share the P.E.O. Story
4:30 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Opening Night Dinner					
6:30 P.M. – 6:55 P.M.	Brass Ensemble Concert					
7 P.M. – 9:30 P.M.	Opening Night Ceremonies and Projects Night					
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2015						
6:30 A.M. – 8 A.M.	Breakfast at Your Hotel					
7:30 A.M. – 5 P.M.	Registration Continues for Visitors					
9:00 A.M. – 11:45 A.M.	Opening Business Meeting					
NOON – 6 P.M.	Closing Banquet Meal Exchange for Table Assignments					
NOON – 1:30 P.M.	Luncheon					
12:15 P.M. –1:15 P.M.	Project Reunion Luncheon; for current and former Project trustees only (at the Convention Center)					
1:45 P.M. – 5 P.M.	Business Meeting					
EVENING	On your own (Consider one of the Dinner & Entertainment Activities. See Page 33)					
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2015						
6:30 A.M. – 8 A.M.	Breakfast at Your Hotel					
8 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.	Closing Banquet Meal Ticket Exchange for Table Assignment					
8 A.M. – NOON	Registration Continues for Visitors					
8:30 A.M. – 9:15 A.M.	Celebration of Life					
9:30 A.M. – 5 P.M.	Business Meeting Resumes					
NOON – 1:30 P.M.	Luncheon			Book signing as Ms. Pauley’s time permits		
1:45 P.M. – 5 P.M.	Business Meeting					
7:30 P.M. – 9 P.M.	Indiana Night Closing Banquet					
9 P.M. – 10 P.M.	Indiana Night Entertainment					
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2015						
GENERAL CHECKOUT FROM HOTELS—safe travels!						



Convention Registration

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2015 Convention of International Chapter – Indianapolis, Indiana

METHODS OF REGISTRATION:

- Register online at peointernational.org
- Complete this registration form
 - Fax to: 515-255-3820
 - Mail to: P.E.O. Executive Office, Attn: Convention Registration
3700 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, IA 50312
- Make check payable to: P.E.O. International (or include credit card information)

Register only ONE attendee on each registration form (except spouse).
Spouses must be registered with their attendee.
FINAL REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Saturday, August 22, 2015
Registrations postmarked after August 22 will not be processed.

On-Site Registration & Packet Pick-Up:
Begins Wednesday, October 14 at Noon

REGISTRANT INFORMATION

MEMBER ID #: _____

First Name/Badge Name

Last Name

Chapter Letters

Chapter City

Chapter S/P/D*

Mailing Address

Your Membership ID # is the first 7 digits in the address block of your P.E.O. Record and can be found through the P.E.O. website's "Member ID Search."

The address and email you provide will be used as the mailing address for all registration information and convention materials. Do not submit address changes on your registration form.

*S/P/D is the State, Provincial or District Chapter.

City

State/Province

Zip/Postal

Phone

Country

Email

ARE YOU A COTTEY ALUMNAE?

☐ Yes

☐ No

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Provide as much information as possible. If you do not have arrival and departure information, wait to submit your registration forms until you do.

Mode of Transportation:

☐ Plane

☐ Car

☐ Other: _____

Date of Arrival: _____ Est. Time: _____ Flight Arrival Information: _____
(Airline, Flight Number, etc.)

Date of Depart.: _____ Est. Time: _____ Flight Depart. Information: _____
(Airline, Flight Number, etc.)

HOTEL RESERVATION

DO YOU NEED A HOTEL RESERVATION?

☐ Yes

☐ No (Skip to Registration Categories)

CHECK-IN DATE: _____ CHECK-OUT DATE: _____

International Chapter has contracted room blocks with the following hotels. You will be assigned to one of these hotels based on your registration category. If you need to request a specific hotel choice, please include it on the special hotel accommodations section below. Hotel requests **cannot be guaranteed**. Members of the s/p/d delegations will be assigned to their designated hotel as space is available.

HOTEL	NIGHTLY RATE	DEPOSIT REQUIRED* (2 PEOPLE IN ROOM)	DEPOSIT REQUIRED* (3 PEOPLE IN ROOM)	DEPOSIT REQUIRED* (4 PEOPLE IN ROOM)
INDIANAPOLIS MARRIOTT DOWNTOWN (DELEGATES)	\$250.38	\$126 per person	\$85 per person	\$63 per person
JW MARRIOTT (DELEGATES)	\$267.93	\$135 per person	\$90 per person	\$67 per person
WESTIN (VISITORS)	\$256.23	\$129 per person	\$89 per person	\$65 per person
COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT (VISITORS)	\$232.83	\$129 per person	\$89 per person	\$65 per person
SPRINGHILL SUITES BY MARRIOTT INDIANAPOLIS DOWNTOWN (VOLUNTEERS)	\$232.83	\$117 per person	\$78 per person	\$59 per person
EMBASSY SUITES INDIANAPOLIS DOWNTOWN (VOLUNTEERS)	\$226.98	\$117 per person	\$78 per person	\$59 per person

All rates are per room per night and inclusive of all taxes. Rates are the same for 1 to 4 guests per room.

*A room deposit is required for all members who are Not Entitled. Use the room deposit for the hotel marked for your category.

No refunds of Hotel Deposits for cancellations within 3 days of your check-in date.

HOTEL RESERVATION (CONTINUED)

HOW MANY PEOPLE WILL BE STAYING IN YOUR ROOM?

- ☐ 1 person (1 bed)
 ☐ 2 people (1 bed)
 ☐ 3 people (1 bed plus Rollaway requested)
- ☐ 2 people (2 beds)
 ☐ 3 people (2 beds)
 ☐ 4 people (2 beds)

Additional charges for a rollaway will apply.

Rollaways are not permitted in rooms with 2 beds.

DO YOU HAVE A ROOMMATE PREFERENCE?

- ☐ Yes — List below (including spouse).
- ☐ No — I am requesting a **single room**. I understand that I am responsible for the full cost of the room (½ of the cost for entitled members).
- ☐ No — **Assign a roommate** to me. If no roommate is available, I understand that I am responsible for the full cost of the room (½ of the cost for entitled members).

ROOMMATE #1 (OR SPOUSE)

ROOMMATE #2

ROOMMATE #3

Name

Name

Name

Chapter Letters

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SPECIAL HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

ADDITIONAL CHARGES MAY APPLY. ATTENDEE WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL CHARGES RELATED TO SPECIAL REQUESTS AND ACCOMMODATIONS AT CHECK OUT.

Do you require an Accessible Room (roll-in shower, grab bars in bathroom, etc.)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you require a refrigerator in your room for medical reasons? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please list any other special accommodation requests: _____

REGISTRATION CATEGORIES

SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING REGISTRATION CATEGORIES (SELECT SPOUSE ALSO, IF YOUR SPOUSE IS ATTENDING OR STAYING IN THE HOTEL WITH YOU).

*Entitled members: The S/P/D Chapter will be billed for your registration fee following Convention. Deadlines for registrations are the same as Unentitled Past S/P/D Presidents and Visitors. Entitled members registering after July 20 will be billed at the higher registration rates. This sliding rate scale applies to anyone registering for convention.

☐ Delegate*
 ☐ Current S/P/D President*
 ☐ Current S/P/D Vice President*

☐ Past S/P/D President – Last S/P/D Served: _____ Year: _____

☐ Entitled* ☐ Unentitled Registration Fee: \$50 through July 20; \$75 July 21-August 9; \$110 August 10-August 22

☐ Former Project Trustee (including Cottey) Board: _____ Year: _____

☐ Former International Chapter Committee Member

☐ Visitor Registration Fee:

\$50 through July 20
 \$75 July 21-August 9
 \$110 August 10-August 22

NOTE: Registration fee is included in the prices for each of the Convention Packages listed below.

☐ Volunteer Registration Fee:

\$10 – through Aug 9
 \$25 – August 10-22

Volunteers will not be permitted to pre-register for any workshops or seminars; however they will be admitted to workshop & seminars if seats are available 10 minutes before each begins. **Past S/P/D Presidents also volunteering must register as a Past S/P/D President above.**

☐ Spouse Registration Fee:

\$20 – through Aug 9
 \$25 – August 10-22

 Spouse's Name: _____

If your spouse is not participating in any convention events but will be staying with you in the hotel **you must register him on this form.**

CONVENTION PACKAGES

Select from the following packages or choose individual events "A La Carte" on next page. All meals must be signed up for in advance. **No meals are sold on-site.** All events are held at the Indiana Convention Center unless otherwise specified. **Save 10% off the individual meal prices** when you sign up for one of the following packages:

☐ COMPLETE CONVENTION PACKAGE

QTY: _____

COST: **\$264 (THROUGH JULY 20)**

- Includes:
- Registration Fee
 - All Meals (Thursday Box Lunch, Opening Night Dinner, Friday Breakfast, Friday Lunch, Saturday Breakfast, Saturday Lunch, Closing Night Banquet)
 - Selection of Thursday Breakout Sessions & Seminars (Choose below)
 - Unlimited Access to Business Meetings on Friday & Saturday (not applicable to non-members or spouses)
 - Unlimited Access to All Exhibits and Displays
 - Opening & Closing Night Entertainment

\$289 (July 21 – August 9)
\$324 (August 10-22)

☐ DAY-TRIPPER CONVENTION PACKAGE

QTY: _____

COST: **\$119 (THROUGH JULY 20)**

- Includes:
- Registration Fee
 - Thursday Box Lunch, Friday & Saturday Lunches (No Breakfasts or Dinners)
 - Selection of Thursday Breakout Sessions & Seminars (Choose below)
 - Unlimited Access to Business Meetings on Friday & Saturday (not applicable to non-members or spouses)
 - Unlimited Access to All Exhibits and Displays

\$144 (July 21 – August 9)
\$178 (August 10-22)

- Anyone may sign up for a convention package
- Any events outside the standard events listed in your package are listed under a la carte or special events
- If you sign up for a package, you are automatically registered for all events included in that package. You will not need to sign up for anything under a la carte unless you want extra tickets or special event tickets. Package holders do not need to sign up for meals in the a la carte section unless they want extra tickets for those meals. If a delegate registers for a package for herself and her BIL, she will only submit payment for her BIL
- Entitled members of convention only pay for extra events (such as purchasing a book). They do not pay for anything else at registration. Their registration fee is billed to the s/p/d/ chapter after convention.

THURSDAY SEMINARS & BREAKOUT SESSIONS

* **Required Seminars for All Voting Members of All Delegations**, including Unentitled Past S/P/D Presidents. Each workshop will be presented once, to all s/p/d/ delegations. Visitors are welcome to attend as space permits.

All Thursday Seminars & Breakout Sessions are included in the Registration Fee or Convention Package Price. **Select from the following:**

MORNING EVENTS					AFTERNOON EVENTS	
8 – 9 AM	9 – 10 AM	10 – 11 AM	11 AM – NOON	BOX LUNCH	1 – 2 PM	2 – 3 PM
<input type="checkbox"/> Required Membership Seminar* All Voting Delegates to attend; Visitors welcome	<input type="checkbox"/> Required Amendments Seminar* All Voting Delegates to attend; Visitors welcome	<input type="checkbox"/> Required Finance/ Budget Seminar* All Voting Delegates to attend; Visitors welcome	<input type="checkbox"/> Davidson Behind the Scenes at Indy 500		<input type="checkbox"/> Josh Bleill Hope – One Step at a Time	<input type="checkbox"/> Josh Bleill Hope – One Step at a Time
			<input type="checkbox"/> Ogden The Lincolns: 5 Generations of an American Family		<input type="checkbox"/> Shipley Raising a Financially Fit Family	<input type="checkbox"/> Shipley Raising a Financially Fit Family
			<input type="checkbox"/> Spong Three P's for Impact – Giving Your Money Meaning		<input type="checkbox"/> Davidson Behind the Scenes at Indy 500	<input type="checkbox"/> Spong Three P's for Impact – Giving Your Money Meaning
			<input type="checkbox"/> Cebuhar The Seed of an Ethical Legacy		<input type="checkbox"/> Ogden The Lincolns: 5 Generations of an American Family	<input type="checkbox"/> P.E.O.'s Leadership Initiative Designing the Landscape
			<input type="checkbox"/> Selke & Swift They Followed Their Dreams...and Made Things Pop!		<input type="checkbox"/> Cebuhar The Seed of an Ethical Legacy	<input type="checkbox"/> Selke & Swift They Followed Their Dreams... and Made Things Pop!
			<input type="checkbox"/> P.E.O.'s Leadership Initiative Designing the Landscape		<input type="checkbox"/> Social Media 101 – Share the P.E.O. Story	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Media 101 – Share the P.E.O. Story

A LA CARTE FOR VISITORS

THURSDAY EVENTS (October 15)

- ☐ Thursday Box Lunch
- Qty: _____ Cost: \$20.00
- ☐ Thursday Opening Night Dinner
- Qty: _____ Cost: \$55.00
- ☐ Thursday Opening Night Entertainment – Projects Night
- Qty: _____ Cost: Free

FRIDAY EVENTS (OCTOBER 16)

- ☐ Friday Breakfast**
- Qty: _____ Cost: \$26.00
- ☐ Friday Business Meeting
- Qty: _____ Cost: Included with Registration Fee
- ☐ Friday Lunch
- Qty: _____ Cost: \$28.00
- ☐ International Leadership Team Reunion Lunch
- Qty: _____ Cost: \$28.00
- (for current and former Project trustees and International committee members only)

SATURDAY EVENTS (OCTOBER 17)

- ☐ Saturday Breakfast**
- Qty: _____ Cost: \$26.00
- ☐ Saturday Business Meeting
- Qty: _____ Cost: Included with Registration Fee
- ☐ Saturday Lunch
- Qty: _____ Cost: \$28.00
- ☐ Saturday Closing Banquet
- Qty: _____ Cost: \$55.00
- ☐ Saturday Closing Night Entertainment – Indiana Night
- Qty: _____ Cost: Free

** Volunteers are advised **not to register** for the main Convention Breakfasts on either Friday or Saturday.

ADDITIONAL ACCOMMODATIONS

- Do you require Vegetarian Meals?.....☐ Yes ☐ No
- Does your spouse require Vegetarian Meals?.....☐ Yes ☐ No
- Do you require Gluten-Free Meals?.....☐ Yes ☐ No
- Does your spouse require Gluten-Free Meals?.....☐ Yes ☐ No

If you need to reserve a wheelchair or electric scooter for use during Convention, order and pay for this separately.
See page 13 for instructions.

NOTE: The Convention Center is able to accommodate these two special meal requirements. If you have food allergies or other dietary restrictions that would not be accommodated by selecting either Vegetarian or Gluten-Free, please plan accordingly as the Convention Center cannot guarantee they will be able to meet your needs.

Due to public health regulations, no outside food will be allowed into the meal hall at the Convention Center.

PURCHASE JANE PAULEY’S BOOK AT A 22% DISCOUNT!

Jane Pauley will be signing copies of her book for a limited time starting at noon on Saturday. Purchase and pay for your book now! No book sales will be made on-site. You will receive a voucher in your registration packet that will entitle you to receive your book on-site and have Jane Pauley personally sign your copy as time permits.

I wish to purchase _____ copies of “Your Life Calling: Reimagining the Rest of Your Life” at the discounted price of \$20.00.

Quantity _____ Cost _____

PAYMENT

CONVENTION EVENT	COST
Hotel Deposit (See Table on Page 23)	
Convention Package	
OR Registration Fee	
A la carte Meals/Workshops	
Jane Pauley's Book, “Your Life Calling: Reimagining the Rest of Your Life”	
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE	

- ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ Check Attached

Credit Card Number: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____

Expiration Date: _____ / _____

Name on Card: _____

Signature: _____

ALL CANCELLATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO A \$45 CANCELLATION FEE. REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. NO REFUND ON MEALS AFTER OCTOBER 9. HOTEL DEPOSITS WILL NOT BE REFUNDED FOR CANCELLATIONS WITHIN 3 DAYS OF THE CHECK-IN DATE.

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**VISIT THE
CONVENTION
WEBSITE!**

**REGISTER FOR CONVENTION USING
THE ONLINE REGISTRATION FORM!**

peointernational.org



QUESTIONS ABOUT CONVENTION?

HOUSING OR MEAL RESERVATION QUESTIONS?

AMANDA KELLERHALS
P.E.O. Executive Office
3700 Grand Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50312-2899
515-255-3153, ext 3751
registration@peodsm.org

GENERAL CONVENTION QUESTIONS?

ANNE PETTYGROVE
Convention Coordinator 2015
352-224-5083
apettygrove@gmail.com
(include CIC in subject line)

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS?

Check out the website
peointernational.org

Look for updates in future issues
of The P.E.O. Record

*P.E.O. International is not involved with arranging or scheduling convention tours. See page 31 for who to contact with questions about tours.

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P.E.O. 2015 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION TOURS & ACTIVITIES

1 INDY CITY SAMPLER TOUR: Enjoy a sightseeing tour of Indianapolis including a bit of history, information on its main attractions, restaurants and its citizens. The tour covers a wide range of subjects and interests including a stop at the world renowned **Indianapolis Motor Speedway**.

\$55 PER PERSON

DAYS AND TIMES: Tues, Oct 13: 1:00pm – 4:00pm
Wed, Oct 14: 1:00pm – 4:00pm
Thur, Oct 15: 9:00am – 12:00pm
Sat, Oct 17: 10:00am – 1:00pm

Handicap Accessible
No Lunch



2 DISCOVERING YOUR INNER CHILD & THE ARTS: Start your day at **The Children's Museum of Indianapolis**, boasted as one of the largest children's museums in the world, with interactive exhibits covering everything from archaeology to world cultures to biotechnology. Spend the second part of your day at the **Indianapolis Museum of Art (IMA)**...one of the largest and oldest general art museums in the U.S. You can choose to view any of the 54,000 pieces of art, roam the 152 acres of beautiful gardens and grounds, and/or visit the 22-room Lilly House that still reflects the 1930's era. You are free to enjoy lunch on your own at the charming IMA Café any time of your choosing during this fun filled afternoon.

\$85 PER PERSON

DAYS AND TIMES: Tues, Oct 13: 12:00pm – 5:00pm
Wed, Oct 14: 10:00am – 3:00pm

Handicap Accessible
Moderate Walking
Lunch on Your Own





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3 ARCHITECTURE TOUR – COLUMBUS, INDIANA: The first stop of the tour, **The Miller House and Garden**, gives you the opportunity to experience one of the finest expressions of American modernism through the eyes of J. Irwin Miller and his wife Xenia Simons Miller. The rooms are filled with textiles that feature strong colors and playful patterns. Amid the residence's large geometric gardens, its grandest feature is the view of honey locust trees that runs along the west side of the house. Find yourself in awe of the beautiful works of 20th-century architects and designers: Eero Saarinen, Alexander Girard, and Dan Kiley. Following lunch on your own at one of the many appealing downtown Columbus eateries, you will enjoy an **architectural city tour** of Columbus' most historical and contemporary buildings. The tour will be conducted by a knowledgeable and professional step-on guide, features two interior stops and will pass by approximately 40 other architecturally significant sites.



\$95 PER PERSON

DAYS AND TIMES: Wed, Oct 14: 8:30am – 2:30pm
Sat, Oct 17: 8:30am – 2:30pm

TRAVEL TIME: 1 HOUR EACH WAY

NOT Handicap Accessible
Extensive Walking
Lunch on Your Own

4 KOKOMO OPALESCENT GLASS TOUR: Kokomo Opalescent Glass (KOG) has been in continuous operation in Kokomo, Indiana, since 1888 and is America's oldest art glass company. Take a tour of Kokomo Opalescent Glass and step back in time – you will see the fascinating technique of making art in art sheet glass form. KOG still manufactures their art sheet glass the same way it was made more than a century ago. In addition, you will see glass blowers at work making anything from blown glass rondels to exclusive one of a kind blown glass paperweights and vases. Once your tour is complete you will be given a gift from KOG and have some time to browse the gift shop. You will then enjoy a delicious lunch at a local favorite, Pastariffic, adorned with glass décor from KOG.



\$75 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME: Wed, Oct 14: 8:30am – 1:30pm

TRAVEL TIME: 1 HOUR & 15 MINUTES EACH WAY

NOT Handicap Accessible
Moderate Walking
Lunch Included
Closed Toe/Heel Shoes Required

5 MUSEUMS & MORE: Begin your day exploring the unique **Eiteljorg Museum of American Indians and Western Art**, one of only two museums east of the Mississippi with both Native American and Western art. It is filled with the works of contemporary artists and their Native American collections which include pottery, basketry, sculpture and other artifacts from all ten North American native cultural areas. Continue your day right next door at **The Indiana State Museum**, which encourages exploration and discovery of culture, science and art. After exploring the museum, guests will relax at **Farmers Market Café** for a delectable lunch. Spend the rest of the afternoon enjoying the **Indiana History Center** which invites you to experience Indiana's past in a brand new way, where history is not viewed, it is experienced!



\$89 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME: Thur, Oct 15: 11:00am – 3:00pm

Handicap Accessible
Extensive Walking
Lunch Included



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6 WHERE HISTORY & CULTURE MEET: Surprising to many, Indianapolis is second only to Washington, D.C., with the number of monuments and memorials erected to honor those who have served our country. This informative bus tour will highlight a number of these incredible structures including the following: **Soldiers & Sailors Monument**, standing tall in the heart of downtown commemorating the valor of Indiana military men and women; the Mausoleum-style limestone **Indiana War Memorial** which dominates a five-block picturesque plaza that also includes memorials paying homage to Hoosiers killed during World Wars I and II, the Korean War, and Vietnam War; the **9/11 Memorial** located on the canal established in 2010 to honor those killed in the 9/11 attack, consists of two 11,000-pound beams from the Twin Towers. Behind the beams stand a pair of six-foot tall black granite walls inscribed with remembrances of the events in New York City, Washington, D.C., and Shanksville, Pennsylvania.



Following the tour, you will travel to the cultural district of Massachusetts Avenue to browse the quaint, one of a kind shops and have your selection of many local **Mass Ave** eateries to enjoy lunch on your own. Complete this historic and cultural day with a tour of the **James Whitcomb Riley Home**, the country's only late-Victorian preservation and former residence of author and poet of children's literature, including such works as "Little Orphan Annie" and "The Raggedy Man." The home is a National Historic Landmark which offers visitors a glimpse into the life of the great Hoosier poet. Authentic furnishings and artifacts include Mr. Riley's writing desk and his famous top hat and cane.

\$50 PER PERSON

DAYS AND TIMES: Wed, Oct 14: 11:30am – 3:30pm
Fri, Oct 16: 11:30am – 3:30pm

NOT Handicap Accessible
Moderate Walking
Lunch on Your Own

7 BEHIND THE SCENES - INDIANAPOLIS MOTOR SPEEDWAY (IMS): Take an in-depth look at the remarkable, world renowned oval that annually hosts the Indianapolis 500! Visit the timing-and-scoring suite in the Pagoda, the Media Center, Victory Podium and Gasoline Alley garage area. You will also tour the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Hall of Fame Museum and enjoy a ride around the famed 2.5-mile IMS oval in one of the museum's comfortable tour buses, culminating with a stop at the "Yard of Bricks." This once in a lifetime adventure will thrill participants from the casual fan through the race fanatics!



\$75 PER PERSON

DAYS AND TIMES: Thur, Oct 15: 1:00pm – 3:30pm
Fri, Oct 16: 1:00pm – 3:30pm
Sat, Oct 17: 1:00pm – 3:30pm

Handicap Accessible
No Lunch

DISCLAIMER* (POTENTIAL PENDING CONSTRUCTION COULD CAUSE THE CANCELANON OF THIS TOUR) Ongoing updates will be posted on www.peo2015tours.com/indy

8 SPORTS MANIA: Experience the excitement in seeing the host stadium of the 2012 Super Bowl – **Lucas Oil Stadium**, also home to the NFL Indianapolis Colts. The next stop at the **NCAA Hall of Champions** will inspire you with stories of dedication of the nation's outstanding collegiate student athletes further enhanced with its interactive and hands-on exhibits. Finally, end your tour at the world famous **Indianapolis Motor Speedway Hall of Fame Museum** devoted to automobiles and auto racing. If available, you will experience an exciting lap around the 2.5-mile oval track!



\$75 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME: Thur, Oct 15: 12:00pm – 4:30pm

Handicap Accessible
Extensive Walking
No Lunch



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9 SHOP 'TIL YOU DROP: Immerse yourself in retail therapy! As the first outdoor lifestyle property in Indiana, Clay Terrace, located in Carmel just half an hour north of Indianapolis, offers visitors a unique experience with its wide variety of shopping and dining options. Approximately 80 stores line the broad sidewalks of the Clay Terrace shopping complex including New York & Company, Loft, DSW, Jos A Bank, Sur La Table, Whole Foods and Ann Taylor. After working up an appetite, you can enjoy lunch on your own at one of the many nearby dining options along Clay Terrace Boulevard. Some of those restaurants include Bella Pizzeria, Kona Grill, and Prime 47.

\$45 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME: Thur, Oct 15: 11:30am – 4:00pm

TRAVEL TIME: 35 MINUTES EACH WAY

Handicap Accessible

Extensive Walking

Lunch on Your Own



10 GOLF OUTING – BRICKYARD CROSSING AT THE INDIANAPOLIS MOTOR SPEEDWAY:

Voted one of America's Top 100 public golf courses by Golf Digest and Golfweek, this unique course includes four holes inside the oval with all other holes adjacent to the backstretch of the race track. It was designed by noted golf course designer Pete Dye and hosted the PGA Champions Tour Comfort Classic for 7 years (1994-2000). It was also the host course for the 2009 Indiana Open Championship and only one of a few courses in the country to host LPGA, PGA, and Champions Tour Events.

Includes: 18 holes/cart/scoring/GPS on cart

Rental clubs are available at \$70 per set (2015 New Taylormade AeroBurner + 2 sleeves of logo balls included)

\$170 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME: Fri, Oct 16: 9:00am – 3:00pm
(TIMES MAY CHANGE SLIGHTLY)

Moderate Walking

Box Lunch Included



QUESTIONS?

All convention tours are arranged for by the local Indiana hostess state committee.

P.E.O. International is not involved with convention tours.

If you have questions or concerns about tours or your tour reservation, call **317-217-1691** or contact:

- **NATALIE KASICH**, Project Coordinator: nataliek@dmcindy.com
- **TRACY POVOLOCK**, Director of Operations: tracyp@dmcindy.com

All questions should go to these contacts, not to P.E.O. International. This will guarantee you the most accurate and timely response to your tour questions.



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TOUR REGISTRATION FORM

HOW TO REGISTER: Complete this form and mail with payment to the address below or register online at www.peo2015tours.com/indy

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: September 11, 2015. After deadline, registration will be subject to availability. Additional tour tickets may be purchased on site based on availability.

TOUR NAME/ #		DATE	TIME	COST	QUANTITY	TOTAL
INDY CITY SAMPLER TOUR	1A	Tues. 10/13	1:00pm – 4:00pm	\$ 55		
	1B	Wed. 10/14	1:00pm – 4:00pm			
	1C	Thur. 10/15	9:00am – 12:00pm			
	1D	Sat. 10/17	10:00am – 1:00pm			
DISCOVERING YOUR INNER CHILD & THE ARTS	2A	Tues. 10/13	12:00pm – 5:00pm	\$ 85		
	2B	Wed. 10/14	10:00am – 3:00pm			
ARCHITECTURE TOUR - COLUMBUS, INDIANA	3A	Wed. 10/14	8:30am – 2:30pm	\$ 95		
	3B	Sat. 10/17	8:30am – 2:30pm			
KOKOMO OPALESCENT GLASS	4A	Wed. 10/14	8:30am – 1:30pm	\$ 75		
MUSEUMS & MORE	5A	Thur. 10/15	11:00am – 3:00pm	\$ 89		
WHERE HISTORY AND CULTURE MEET	6A	Wed. 10/14	11:30am – 3:30pm	\$ 50		
	6B	Fri. 10/16	11:30am – 3:30pm			
BEHIND THE SCENES - INDIANAPOLIS MOTOR SPEEDWAY	7A	Thur. 10/15	1:00pm – 3:30pm	\$ 75		
	7B	Fri. 10/16	1:00pm – 3:30pm			
	7C	Sat. 10/17	1:00pm – 3:30pm			
SPORTS MANIA	8A	Thur. 10/15	12:00pm – 4:30pm	\$ 75		
SHOP 'TIL YOU DROP	9A	Thur. 10/15	11:30am – 4:00pm	\$ 45		
GOLF OUTING - BRICKYARD CROSSING AT THE INDIANAPOLIS MOTOR SPEEDWAY	10A	Fri. 10/16	9:00am – 3:00pm	\$ 170		
TOURS TOTAL						

MAIL COMPLETED FORM TO: DMCIndy – 208 E 11th Street – Indianapolis, IN 46202

QUESTIONS: Contact us at 317-217-1691 or via email at Nataliek@dmcindy.com or Tracyp@dmcindy.com

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State/Province: _____
 Zip/Postal Code: _____ Country: _____
 Daytime Phone: _____
 Cell Phone: _____
 Email Address: _____
 Hotel (if known): _____

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☐ Credit Card – Visa, MasterCard, AmEx
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 Security Code: _____
 Name on Card: _____
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FRIDAY NIGHT'S "ON YOUR OWN" DINNER & EVENING ENTERTAINMENT ACTIVITIES FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2015

PRICES INCLUDE A FULL MEAL, COFFEE, TEA, SOFT DRINKS, A GUIDE AND ALL APPLICABLE TAXES AND GRATUITIES.
MEALS DO NOT INCLUDE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, BUT MAY BE PURCHASED ON YOUR OWN.
TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED TO VENUES LISTED BELOW.

1A BOGGSTOWN CABARET – LIFE IS A CABARET: The Boggstown Cabaret offers unique, live entertainment, featuring music from the 1900's -1960's, comedy and audience interaction all performed by professional entertainers. Borrowing from the traditions of Vaudeville, a little from Vegas and Branson, and a bit of Broadway, they create a fun interactive show that will entertain and amuse all who attend!

One of the most unique features of the show is that YOU are an active participant. Boggstown isn't the sort of place you go to sit and observe, the Cabaret is a party, and YOU are invited!

Sing along, get up and dance . . . you never know what might happen next!

\$94 PER PERSON
DAY AND TIME: Fri, Oct 16: 6:00pm – 10:30pm
TRAVEL TIME: 1 HOUR EACH WAY

Handicap Accessible
Full Dinner Included



2A BEEF & BOARDS – "THE ADDAMS FAMILY":

Beef & Boards Dinner Theater has been serving up laughs and live entertainment since 1973. The Indianapolis location is home to Broadway shows, concerts, and children's theatre pieces. You will enjoy a wonderful entertaining time at Beef & Boards Dinner Theater. The "Boards" refers to the stage and the "beef" to the hand carved roast beef – a highlight of the delicious buffet!

Musical Comedy Description: "The Addams Family"

Just in time for the spooky Halloween season, it's "The Addams Family." This Tony Award-nominated macabre musical comedy is based on the cartoon characters created by Charles Addams, who also inspired the television show that first aired in 1964. Gomez Addams faces every father's nightmare when his daughter, Wednesday, falls in love. What's worse, she begs him not to tell her mother, Morticia. Everything will change for the family on the fateful night that they host a dinner for Wednesday's "normal" boyfriend and his parents.

\$98 PER PERSON
DAY AND TIME: Fri, Oct 16: 6:00pm – 10:30pm
TRAVEL TIME: 30 MINUTES EACH WAY

Handicap Accessible
Full Dinner Included





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FRIDAY NIGHT'S "ON YOUR OWN" DOWNTOWN DINE AROUND

PRICES INCLUDE A GUIDE AND ALL APPLICABLE TAXES AND GRATUITIES.

EACH RESTAURANT IS OFFERING A 3 COURSE MEAL, COFFEE, TEA AND SOFT DRINKS ARE INCLUDED IN THE PACKAGE,

YOU WILL HAVE A CHOICE OF 3 – 5 ENTRÉE SELECTIONS DEPENDING UPON THE SPECIFIED RESTAURANT.

MEALS DO NOT INCLUDE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, BUT MAY BE PURCHASED ON YOUR OWN.

WALKING RECOMMENDED; OPTIONAL TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED.

3A THE OLD SPAGHETTI FACTORY: For more than a generation, families and friends have been going to The Old Spaghetti Factory to enjoy its delicious food, charming atmosphere and friendly service. Come dine amidst old world antiques collected from around the globe, while savoring perfectly cooked pasta and spaghetti sauces, freshly made using only the finest ingredients. This unique Italian eatery is dedicated to providing a relaxing enjoyable, memorable and satisfying dining experience in warm surroundings.

ITALIAN CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL



\$33 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 5:45pm

WALKING DISTANCE FROM CONVENTION CENTER: 3.5 Blocks; 0.2 miles

WALKING RECOMMENDED

Full Dinner Included

Alcohol On Your Own

4A GRANITE CITY FOOD & BREWERY: Granite City Food & Brewery is a polished casual American restaurant featuring fresh, high-quality menu items prepared from made-from-scratch recipes. It is passionate about creating fresh menu items and uses its patented brewing process to deliver the best brews. Signature dishes include innovative menu items, as well as burgers, flatbreads, salads and steaks. Everything on the Granite City menu is prepared each day from scratch using locally sourced ingredients from a produce company and bakery.

AMERICAN CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL



\$47 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 6:00pm

WALKING DISTANCE FROM CONVENTION CENTER: 2.5 Blocks; 0.2 miles

WALKING RECOMMENDED

Full Dinner Included

Alcohol On Your Own

5A PALOMINO RESTAURANT & BAR: A vibrant upscale "Urban Italian" restaurant, bar and rotisserie famous for its style, hardwood fired Mediterranean cooking and versatile, imaginative menu. The artistic ambience of the restaurant and beautiful interior add to the guest experience, while the delicious meal is sure to end your evening on the best note. Palomino caters to all the cravings of the city!

ITALIAN/MEDITERRANEAN INFUSED CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL



\$73 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 6:30pm

WALKING DISTANCE FROM CONVENTION CENTER: 1.5 Blocks; 0.2 miles

WALKING RECOMMENDED

Full Dinner Included

Alcohol On Your Own



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6A HARD ROCK CAFE: For fans of music, great food and good times, the Hard Rock Café is the go-to restaurant that delivers authentic American Diner inspired cuisine wrapped in a unique musical experience. The café's creatively covered walls hailing rock n' roll history and memorabilia is what really makes this place stand out!



AMERICAN CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL

\$43 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 7:00pm

WALKING DISTANCE FROM CONVENTION CENTER: 2.5 Blocks; 0.3 miles

WALKING RECOMMENDED

Full Dinner Included

Alcohol On Your Own

7A CALIFORNIA PIZZA KITCHEN: A casual dining restaurant that specializes in California-style pizza. Come experience hand-tossed artisan pizzas, classic, unique pastas and salads, with fresh seasonally inspired ingredients. This fabulous restaurant gave California a place in the pizza pantheon alongside Chicago and New York.



ITALIAN/AMERICAN CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL

\$37 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 7:15pm

WALKING DISTANCE FROM CONVENTION CENTER: 1.5 Blocks; 0.2 miles

WALKING RECOMMENDED

Full Dinner Included

Alcohol On Your Own

8A THE COLTS GRILLE: The Indianapolis Colts Grille is a unique, 21st century, state-of-the-art sports restaurant located just off Monument Circle in the heart of downtown. The restaurant is the first ever restaurant tied to the NFL Colts. The Indianapolis Colts Grille is a food-focused restaurant that takes pride in providing guests with dynamic, creative, flavorful food.



AMERICAN CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL

\$53 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 7:30pm

WALKING DISTANCE FROM CONVENTION CENTER: 2.5 Blocks; 0.3 miles

WALKING RECOMMENDED

Full Dinner Included

Alcohol On Your Own

9A HARRY & IZZY'S: Harry & Izzy's is an independent, upscale American Grill. Its ambiance exudes class and sophistication in a comfortable setting. While the lively bar is Harry & Izzy's focal point, unique dining rooms incorporate dark woods, lush fabrics and a deep color palette. This sister restaurant to the famous St. Elmo Steak House, shares a few classic dishes, while offering greater menu variety at a more moderate price.



STEAKHOUSE – 3 COURSE MEAL

\$79 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 8:00pm

WALKING DISTANCE FROM CONVENTION CENTER: 2.5 Blocks; 0.1 miles

WALKING RECOMMENDED

Full Dinner Included

Alcohol On Your Own



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10A WEBER GRILL RESTAURANT: The Weber Grill Restaurant is the result of over 60 years of Classic Outdoor Grilling—from the people who invented the Weber Charcoal Kettle Grill. You'll taste the difference that decades of grilling expertise has made. Weber Grill has a firm commitment to using quality ingredients, innovative recipes, honed grilling technique, and Weber Charcoal Kettles. Some of their more popular dishes are their Award-Winning Burgers, Slow-Smoked Regional BBQ, Hand-Cut Black Angus Steaks and Grilled Seafood items. Their unique open kitchens add to the excitement at the Weber Grill Restaurant. Watch as chefs prepare your meal over an open flame on authentic giant Weber Charcoal Grills... all done indoors, prepared with an outdoor flair!



AMERICAN CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL

\$55 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 8:00pm

WALKING RECOMMENDED

WALKING DISTANCE FROM CONVENTION CENTER: 3.5 Blocks; 0.3 miles

Full Dinner Included

Alcohol On Your Own

FRIDAY NIGHT'S "ON YOUR OWN" MASS AVE DINE AROUND

PRICES INCLUDE A GUIDE AND ALL APPLICABLE TAXES AND GRATUITIES.

EACH RESTAURANT IS OFFERING A 3 COURSE MEAL, COFFEE, TEA AND SOFT DRINKS ARE INCLUDED IN THE PACKAGE,

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MEALS DO NOT INCLUDE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, BUT MAY BE PURCHASED ON YOUR OWN.

TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED FOR ALL OF THE RESTAURANTS LISTED BELOW.

11A FORTY FIVE DEGREES: Sleek, funky locale for fusion-inspired Japanese plates. A unique, modern, and independently owned restaurant / bar serving the best Sushi in town! Located in the heart of the art and theater district, Forty Five° sets itself apart from other restaurants by combining Indy's Best Sushi Bar with healthy and unique menu items all under the backdrop of its stunning modern decor.



ASIAN/JAPANESE CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL

\$39 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 6:00pm

Full Dinner Included

Transportation Included

Alcohol On Your Own

12A NINE IRISH BROTHERS: Nine Irish Brothers is an award-winning traditional Irish pub. The family-owned-and-operated restaurant serves premium Irish food and spirits, with items ranging from salads to steak to Irish favorites such as Guinness Stew, Shepherd's Pie, Deluxe Reuben and Fish & Chips.



IRISH CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL

\$49 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 6:30pm

Full Dinner Included

Transportation Included

Alcohol On Your Own



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13A BARCELONA TAPAS: Barcelona Tapas has created a traditional authentic Tapas Bar atmosphere right in downtown Indianapolis. This includes their warm decor and the traditional hanging of Serrano hams and dried bacalaos. The service reflects a traditional tapas experience as you might find in Madrid, Barcelona or Sevilla. Tapas style service means that food is prepared to order and delivered to the table plates at a time. A tapa is a delicious morsel of food that defines a lifestyle as well as a culinary style. The primary purpose of tapas is to talk to friends and to share the happenings of the day.



SPANISH CUISINE – MULTI COURSE MEAL

\$50 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 7:00pm

Full Dinner Included

Transportation Included

Alcohol On Your Own

14A MESH RESTAURANT: Mesh blends contemporary elegance and comfort with innovative cuisine and excellent service. The original menu and unique décor make Mesh an ideal setting for any gathering! This trendy spot with inspired farm-to-table cuisine features items from their famous calamari to the decadent local Miller's Farm Amish Chicken dish. A meal at Mesh is one you won't soon forget!



AMERICAN CUISINE – 3 COURSE MEAL

\$75 PER PERSON

DAY AND TIME:

Friday, October 16: 8:00pm

Full Dinner Included

Transportation Included

Alcohol On Your Own

NOT Handicap Accessible

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FRIDAY NIGHT'S "ON YOUR OWN" ACTIVITIES TOUR REGISTRATION FORM

HOW TO REGISTER: Complete this form and mail with payment to the address below or register online at www.peo2015tours.com/indy

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: September 11, 2015. After deadline, registration will be subject to availability. Additional tour tickets may be purchased on site based on availability.

DINNER AND AN EVENING OF ENTERTAINMENT						
Tour Name/ #		Date	Time	Cost	Quantity	TOTAL
Boggstown Cabaret – Life is a Cabaret	1A	Fri. 10/16	6:00pm -10:30pm	\$ 94		
Beef & Boards – "The Addams Family"	2A	Fri. 10/16	6:00pm – 10:30pm	\$ 98		
Tours Total						
DOWNTOWN DINE AROUND						
Tour Name/ #		Date	Time	Cost	Quantity	TOTAL
The Old Spaghetti Factory	3A	Fri. 10/16	5:45 pm	\$ 33		
Granite City Food & Brewery	4A	Fri. 10/16	6:00 pm	\$ 47		
Palomino Restaurant & Bar	5A	Fri. 10/16	6:30 pm	\$ 73		
Hard Rock Café	6A	Fri. 10/16	7:00pm	\$ 43		
California Pizza Kitchen	7A	Fri. 10/16	7:15pm	\$ 37		
The Colts Grille	8A	Fri. 10/16	7:30pm	\$ 53		
Harry & Izzy's	9A	Fri. 10/16	8:00pm	\$ 79		
Weber Grill Restaurant	10A	Fri. 10/16	8:00pm	\$ 55		
Tours Total						
MASS AVE DINE AROUND						
Tour Name/ #		Date	Time	Cost	Quantity	TOTAL
Forty Five Degrees	11A	Fri. 10/16	6:00 pm	\$ 39		
Nine Irish Brothers	12A	Fri. 10/16	6:30 pm	\$ 49		
Barcelona Tapas	13A	Fri. 10/16	7:00 pm	\$ 50		
Mesh Restaurant	14A	Fri. 10/16	8:00 pm	\$ 75		
Tours Total						

MAIL COMPLETED FORM TO: DMCIIndy – 208 E 11th Street – Indianapolis, IN 46202

QUESTIONS: Contact us at 317-217-1691 or via email at Nataliek@dmcindy.com or Tracyc@dmcindy.com

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____

Zip/Postal Code: _____ Country: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

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Hotel (if known): _____

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2015 P.E.O. SISTERHOOD TOUR PROGRAM TERMS & CONDITIONS:

RESERVATION PROCESS: Reservations may be made by mail using the Tour Registration Form. Complete this form and mail with payment to DMCIndy at 208 E 11th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202 or register online at www.peo2015tours.com/indy. You will receive an email confirmation when your reservation has been processed.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Deadline for booking reservations is **Friday, September 11, 2015**. Please register in advance. Tours are available on a first come first serve basis and could fill prior to the deadline, so please reserve your spot early.

TOUR PRICES: All tour prices are inclusive of roundtrip transportation (except where stated otherwise), escort and/or guide services, applicable taxes, all appropriate gratuities and pre-registration and on-site coordination services. Any additional items included with each tour are listed with the individual tour description.

CHECK IN: Registrants will be required to check in with Tour Desk in the Indiana Convention Center prior to daily tour departures.

TICKETS: Email confirmations will serve as tour tickets.

IF PAYING BY CREDIT CARD: Payments for the P.E.O. Sisterhood 2015 International Convention Tours and Activities will be processed by "Cummings Meeting Consultants" on behalf of P.E.O. Sisterhood. The charge will appear on your credit card statement as "Cummings Mtg Consultants" (dba DMCIndy).

CANCELLATION: Individual tour cancellations or changes prior to **September 11, 2015** will be subject to a \$5 fee per person per change. Refunds will be issued only for those cancellations received on or prior to **September 11, 2015**.

RIGHTS RESERVED: DMCIndy will make every effort to conduct each tour offered. However, DMCIndy does reserve the right to cancel a tour or activity at any time if the minimum number of reservations is not met. Should the tour be cancelled due to lack of participation, you will be given the opportunity to select another tour or receive a refund. DMCIndy intends to conduct all tours as described but reserves the right to make adjustments, if deemed necessary, without affecting overall quality of program. DMCIndy reserves the right to substitute a tour stop should an attraction become unavailable for reasons outside of its control.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Publication of amendments to International documents in The P.E.O. Record constitutes advance notice as required by the Constitution of the P.E.O. Sisterhood. The amendments are presented in a three column format which gives current wording, proposed changes and wording if adopted. Underlined words are inserted or added and ~~words that have a line through them~~ are struck out.

Chapters and individuals are encouraged to thoughtfully consider the merits of each amendment. The voting members of convention should wait until after hearing debate at convention to decide how they will vote on each amendment. The goal of the members of convention should be to come well prepared and contribute to the expeditious handling of the amendments at convention.

The following amendments were in the hands of the chairman of the Study and Research Committee by the deadline specified in the Constitution and have successfully completed the steps required to be debated and voted upon at the 2015 Convention of International Chapter.

(Voting order may change)

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE P.E.O. CONSTITUTION

(Page numbers refer to the 2013 Constitution, Bylaws and Standing Rules of the P.E.O. Sisterhood.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE INTRODUCTION OF THE P.E.O. CONSTITUTION

A-1. SUBMITTED BY COLORADO STATE CHAPTER

(page 12) Amend Introduction, Article V, JURISDICTION, paragraph 3, sentence 1, by striking out the word “subordinate” and inserting the word “affiliated”.

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
Hereinafter the words “chapters in subordinate territory” shall be used to designate local chapters in territory where there is no state chapter.	Hereinafter the words “chapters in subordinate <u>affiliated</u> territory” shall be used to designate local chapters in territory where there is no state chapter.	Hereinafter the words “chapters in affiliated territory” shall be used to designate local chapters in territory where there is no state chapter.

EXPLANATION: Would change the word used to designate local chapters in territories where there are no state chapters from “subordinate” to “affiliated”.

RATIONALE: Allows for reference of those chapters in territories where there is no state chapter by an alternate term.

NOTE: If this amendment is adopted, Part I, Part III, Bylaws, and Standing Rules will be written to conform.



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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO PART I OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE P.E.O. SISTERHOOD

B-1. SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

(page 24) Amend Part I, Article XI, AMENDMENTS, by striking out subsection (a) and inserting a new subsection (a).

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
(a) the proposed amendment has been approved at a convention of a state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or	(a) the proposed amendment has been approved at a convention of a state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or (a) the proposed amendment has been approved by two-thirds of the local chapters of a state chapter; approved at the following convention of the state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or	(a) the proposed amendment has been approved by two-thirds of the local chapters of a state chapter; approved at the following convention of the state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or

EXPLANATION: Would require proposed amendments to the Introduction or Part I of the Constitution or the Procedure for P.E.O. Chapter Meeting (including the Opening Ode, Objects and Aims, Ceremony of Initiation, and Ceremony of Installation) to be approved by two-thirds of the local chapters of a state chapter prior to being considered at the state convention.

RATIONALE: Ensures that at least two-thirds of the local chapters agree the amendment merits consideration on the floor of the state convention.



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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO PART II OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE P.E.O. SISTERHOOD

C-1. SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

(page 35) Amend Part II, Article XIV, AMENDMENTS, by striking out subsection (a) and inserting a new subsection (a).

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
(a) the proposed amendment has been approved at a convention of a state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or	(a) the proposed amendment has been approved at a convention of a state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or (a) the proposed amendment has been approved by two-thirds of the local chapters of a state chapter; approved at the following convention of the state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or	(a) the proposed amendment has been approved by two-thirds of the local chapters of a state chapter; approved at the following convention of the state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or

EXPLANATION: Would require proposed amendments to Part II of the Constitution to be approved by two-thirds of the local chapters of a state chapter prior to being considered at the state convention.

RATIONALE: Ensures that at least two-thirds of the local chapters agree the amendment merits consideration on the floor of the state convention.



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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO PART III OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE P.E.O. SISTERHOOD

D-1. SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

(page 36) Amend Part III, Article I, FORMATION, Sec. 2—PETITION, paragraph 2, by striking out the words “one-half” and inserting the words “three-fourths”.

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
Unless three-fourths of the petitioners are transferring members, one-half shall be residents of the city or town in which the chapter is to be located or another community close enough to the city or town to permit regular attendance at chapter meetings.	Unless three-fourths of the petitioners are transferring members, one-half <u>three-fourths</u> shall be residents of the city or town in which the chapter is to be located or another community close enough to the city or town to permit regular attendance at chapter meetings.	Unless three-fourths of the petitioners are transferring members, three-fourths shall be residents of the city or town in which the chapter is to be located or another community close enough to the city or town to permit regular attendance at chapter meetings.

EXPLANATION: Would change from one-half to three-fourths the number of charter members that must be residents of the city or town where a new chapter is to be located or live in another community close enough to permit regular attendance at chapter meetings when less than three-fourths of the petitioners are transferring members.

RATIONALE: Because a nonresident mother, daughter-in-law, sister or lineal descendant may be initiated into a relative's chapter, requiring only one-half of the petitioners to be residents may cause quorum concerns for a small, newly organized chapter.

D-2. SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

(page 36) Amend Part III, Article I, FORMATION, Sec. 3—CONSENT TO SELECT A CHARTER LIST, paragraph 1, sentence 2, by striking out the word “five” and inserting the word “three” and by adding a new sentence 3.

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
A woman, not a P.E.O., desiring to select a charter list for a new chapter shall be recommended by five active members who shall have secured the consent of their chapters to make such recommendation.	A woman, not a P.E.O., desiring to select a charter list for a new chapter shall be recommended by five <u>three</u> active members who shall have secured the consent of their chapters to make such recommendation. <u>These letters shall be considered her letters of recommendation for membership.</u>	A woman, not a P.E.O., desiring to select a charter list for a new chapter shall be recommended by three active members who shall have secured the consent of their chapters to make such recommendation. These letters shall be considered her letters of recommendation for membership.

EXPLANATION: Would change from five to three the number of members needed to recommend a woman not a P.E.O. to select a charter list; and would specify that the three letters of recommendation would be considered the letters of recommendation for her membership.

RATIONALE: Aligns with the number of letters required for other charter initiates and provides clarification that the recommendations for consent to select a charter list also serve as the letters of recommendation for membership.



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D-3. SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

(page 45) Amend Part III, Article VI, MEMBERS BY INITIATION, Sec. 10—INITIATION, paragraph 4, by inserting the words “or special meeting” following the words “regular business meeting”; and paragraph 5, by inserting the words “or special meeting” following the words “regular business meeting”.

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
<p>The invitation to a candidate not initiated within six months from the date of balloting, or a date of organization, may be renewed by a majority written vote of members present at a regular business meeting of the chapter.</p> <p>When an invitation to membership is declined, upon written request of the candidate during the specified period of six months from the date of balloting, the invitation may be renewed by a majority written vote of members present at a regular business meeting of the chapter.</p>	<p>The invitation to a candidate not initiated within six months from the date of balloting, or a date of organization, may be renewed by a majority written vote of members present at a regular business meeting <u>or special meeting</u> of the chapter.</p> <p>When an invitation to membership is declined, upon written request of the candidate during the specified period of six months from the date of balloting, the invitation may be renewed by a majority written vote of members present at a regular business meeting <u>or special meeting</u> of the chapter.</p>	<p>The invitation to a candidate not initiated within six months from the date of balloting, or a date of organization, may be renewed by a majority written vote of members present at a regular business meeting or special meeting of the chapter.</p> <p>When an invitation to membership is declined, upon written request of the candidate during the specified period of six months from the date of balloting, the invitation may be renewed by a majority written vote of members present at a regular business meeting or special meeting of the chapter.</p>

EXPLANATION: Would add a special meeting as a type of meeting at which an invitation to membership may be renewed.

RATIONALE: If circumstances require, allows for a vote on a renewal of an invitation at a special meeting called for that purpose.



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D-4. SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

(page 50) Amend Part III, Article XI, MISCELLANEOUS DUTIES AND RIGHTS, Sec. 4—CHAPTERS DELEGATES IN SUBORDINATE TERRITORY, by striking out sentence 3.

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
Sec. 4—CHAPTER DELEGATES IN SUBORDINATE TERRITORY. In subordinate territory, representation to Convention of International Chapter shall be that set forth in Part I, Article II, Section 1 of this Constitution. Reports of convention shall be made by delegates within six weeks to chapters designated by the organizer of International Chapter. Reports shall be given in person, unless permission to send a written report is secured from the organizer.	Sec. 4—CHAPTER DELEGATES IN SUBORDINATE TERRITORY. In subordinate territory, representation to Convention of International Chapter shall be that set forth in Part I, Article II, Section 1 of this Constitution. Reports of convention shall be made by delegates within six weeks to chapters designated by the organizer of International Chapter. Reports shall be given in person, unless permission to send a written report is secured from the organizer.	Sec. 4—CHAPTER DELEGATES IN SUBORDINATE TERRITORY. In subordinate territory, representation to Convention of International Chapter shall be that set forth in Part I, Article II, Section 1 of this Constitution. Reports of convention shall be made by delegates within six weeks to chapters designated by the organizer of International Chapter.

EXPLANATION: Would remove the requirement that reports of Convention of International Chapter shall be given in person to local chapters in subordinate territories.

RATIONALE: Allows for more flexibility in the methods that delegates in subordinate territories may use when reporting on Convention of International Chapter.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE STANDING RULES OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER P.E.O. SISTERHOOD

E-1. SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

(page 82) Amend Standing Rule #3, by inserting the words “special meeting” following the words “regular business meeting”.

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
3. A visitor at a local chapter regular business meeting or at a convention of state or International chapter may be requested by the president to present her membership card to verify her active membership in the P.E.O. Sisterhood.	3. A visitor at a local chapter regular business meeting, <u>special meeting</u> or at a convention of state or International chapter may be requested by the president to present her membership card to verify her active membership in the P.E.O. Sisterhood.	3. A visitor at a local chapter regular business meeting, special meeting or at a convention of state or International chapter may be requested by the president to present her membership card to verify her active membership in the P.E.O. Sisterhood.

EXPLANATION: Would add the special meeting as a type of local chapter meeting at which a visitor may be requested by the president to present her membership card to verify active membership in P.E.O.

RATIONALE: Would bring into compliance the requirements of attendance at a special meeting with those of a regular business meeting.



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E-2. SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

(page 82) Amend Standing Rules by striking out Standing Rule #4 and inserting a new Standing Rule #4.

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
<p>4. Any resolution to be presented in a Convention of International Chapter shall be submitted in writing to the Executive Board of International Chapter by January 15 of the year of Convention of International Chapter and shall be published in The P.E.O. Record at least one month prior to the date of Convention of International Chapter. In case of an unusual circumstance(s), such notice may be waived and the resolution called to the floor by a three-fourths favorable vote of the members present and voting in the Convention of International Chapter. The resolution will then require a three-fourths favorable vote for adoption.</p>	<p>4. Any resolution to be presented in a Convention of International Chapter shall be submitted in writing to the Executive Board of International Chapter by January 15 of the year of Convention of International Chapter and shall be published in The P.E.O. Record at least one month prior to the date of Convention of International Chapter. In case of an unusual circumstance(s), such notice may be waived and the resolution called to the floor by a three-fourths favorable vote of the members present and voting in the Convention of International Chapter. The resolution will then require a three-fourths favorable vote for adoption.</p> <p>4. A resolution may be submitted to Convention of International Chapter for consideration provided that:</p> <p>(a) the proposed resolution has been approved by two-thirds of the local chapters of a state chapter; approved at the following convention of the state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or</p> <p>(b) the resolution has been proposed by the executive board, boards of trustees, or standing committees of International Chapter; or</p> <p>(c) the resolution has been proposed by a local chapter in subordinate territory; if first approved by the Executive Board of International Chapter; and</p> <p>(d) the resolution, having met the requirements of (a), (b), or</p>	<p>4. A resolution may be submitted to Convention of International Chapter for consideration provided that:</p> <p>(a) the proposed resolution has been approved by two-thirds of the local chapters of a state chapter; approved at the following convention of the state chapter by a two-thirds vote of the members voting; reported immediately by the secretary of the state chapter to the president of International Chapter and the chairman of the Study and Research Committee; or</p> <p>(b) the resolution has been proposed by the executive board, boards of trustees, or standing committees of International Chapter; or</p> <p>(c) the resolution has been proposed by a local chapter in subordinate territory; if first approved by the Executive Board of International Chapter; and</p> <p>(d) the resolution, having met the requirements of (a), (b), or (c) above, is in the hands of the chairman of the Study and Research Committee by January 15 of the year of Convention of International Chapter. If it is received by the chairman after January 15 of the year of Convention of International Chapter or during the intervening year, it shall be acted upon at the next following Convention of International Chapter. It shall be published in The P.E.O. Record at least one month before the date of Convention of International Chapter.</p> <p>(e) In the case of an unusual circumstance(s), such notice may be waived and the resolution called to the floor by a three-fourths favorable vote</p>

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	<p><u>(c) above, is in the hands of the chairman of the Study and Research Committee by January 15 of the year of Convention of International Chapter. If it is received by the chairman after January 15 of the year of Convention of International Chapter or during the intervening year, it shall be acted upon at the next following Convention of International Chapter. It shall be published in The P.E.O. Record at least one month before the date of Convention of International Chapter.</u></p> <p><u>(e) In the case of an unusual circumstance(s), such notice may be waived and the resolution called to the floor by a three-fourths favorable vote of the members present and voting in the Convention of International Chapter. The resolution will then require a three-fourths favorable vote for adoption.</u></p>	<p>of the members present and voting in the Convention of International Chapter. The resolution will then require a three-fourths favorable vote for adoption.</p>
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EXPLANATION: Would change the process by which a resolution would be submitted for consideration to Convention of International Chapter.

RATIONALE: Ensures resolutions are approved, submitted and processed in similar manner as amendments having first been approved by at least 2/3 voting members of a state convention in order to be considered at a Convention of International Chapter.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE PROCEDURE FOR P.E.O. CHAPTER MEETING

F-1. SUBMITTED BY KANSAS STATE CHAPTER

(page 4) Amend Procedure for P.E.O. Chapter Meeting, Item of Business #5. READING OF MINUTES, by adding optional wording that would read: "The minutes of the last meeting were sent to you using secure, current technology for your review." "Are there corrections to the minutes?" "There being no corrections, the minutes stand approved as sent." "The recording secretary will read the corrections received." "Are there further corrections?" "The minutes stand approved as corrected and will be sent with corrections using secure, current technology to each member."



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CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, IT WILL READ
<p>PRESIDENT: The secretary will read the minutes of the last meeting(s).</p> <p>PRESIDENT: Are there corrections to the minutes?</p> <p><i>If none:</i></p> <p>There being none, the minutes stand approved as read.</p> <p><i>If corrected:</i></p> <p>The minutes stand approved as corrected.</p>	<p>PRESIDENT: The secretary will read the minutes of the last meeting(s).</p> <p>PRESIDENT: Are there corrections to the minutes?</p> <p><i>If none:</i></p> <p>There being none, the minutes stand approved as read.</p> <p><i>If corrected:</i></p> <p>The minutes stand approved as corrected.</p> <p>OR Optional wording:</p> <p>PRESIDENT: <u>The minutes of the last meeting were sent to you using secure, current technology for your review.</u></p> <p><i>If no corrections were received:</i></p> <p><u>Are there corrections to the minutes?</u></p> <p><i>If none:</i></p> <p><u>There being no corrections, the minutes stand approved as sent.</u></p> <p><i>If corrected:</i></p> <p><u>The recording secretary will read the corrections received.</u></p> <p><u>Are there further corrections?</u></p> <p><u>The minutes stand approved as corrected and will be sent with corrections using secure, current technology to each member.</u></p>	<p>PRESIDENT: The secretary will read the minutes of the last meeting(s).</p> <p>PRESIDENT: Are there corrections to the minutes?</p> <p><i>If none:</i></p> <p>There being none, the minutes stand approved as read.</p> <p><i>If corrected:</i></p> <p>The minutes stand approved as corrected.</p> <p>OR Optional wording:</p> <p>PRESIDENT: The minutes of the last meeting were sent to you using secure, current technology for your review.</p> <p><i>If no corrections were received:</i></p> <p>Are there corrections to the minutes?</p> <p><i>If none:</i></p> <p>There being no corrections, the minutes stand approved as sent.</p> <p><i>If corrected:</i></p> <p>The recording secretary will read the corrections received.</p> <p>Are there further corrections?</p> <p>The minutes stand approved as corrected and will be sent with corrections using secure, current technology to each member.</p>

EXPLANATION: Would allow a chapter the option of sending minutes using secure, current technology to its members for review and correction prior to a chapter meeting and would specify the recording secretary resend the approved minutes to the members following correction using secure, current technology.

RATIONALE: Allows local chapter members to consider the minutes prior to the next chapter meeting.

NOTE: If this amendment is adopted, the Executive Board of International Chapter will determine the procedure for distribution of the minutes.

RESOLUTION

Resolved, That the Executive Board of International Chapter be authorized to correct article and section designations, punctuation, and cross references and to make other such technical and conforming changes as may be necessary to reflect the intent of the Sisterhood in connection with the Introduction, Part I, Part II and Part III of the Constitution; the Bylaws and Standing Rules; and the Procedure for P.E.O. Chapter Meeting (including Opening Ode, Objects and Aims, Ceremony of Initiation, and Ceremony of Installation).



Chapter R, Portsmouth, New Hampshire
Organized: October 12, 2014

Kathy Bacon, Ronni Freiburger, Jean Helfinstine, Ann Lamb, Heather McLaughlin, Marcia McLaughlin, Kathy Pasqualoni, Lynn Reinhard, Carolyn Rini, Betty Smith, Marty Smith, Sue Thoresen, Judy Aiken, Sue Bridge, Elizabeth Dolan, Jackie Karl, Lois Kfoury, Toni Lanzer, Courtney Russell



Chapter CV, Asheville, North Carolina
Organized: November 1, 2014

First row, from the left: Jo Nan Hester, Judi Efland, Bonnie Welden, Betsie Meyer, Kay Curl, Deb Contag Al-Aidy, Angela Lepro **Second row:** state organizer Debbie Kotecki, Stephanie Yeager, Carolyn Rietz, Marilyn Clausen, Debbie Dobbins, Bernice Levy, Lynn Bledsoe, Ann Kelly, Nancy Matthewson, Suzie Donahoe, Gayle Paul, Yolanda Hall



Chapter BP, Sechelt, British Columbia
Organized: November 8, 2014

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Chapter JG, Montrose, Colorado
Organized: November 15, 2014

First row, from the left: Ronda Steenburgen, Shirley Sutphen, Kathy Thompson, Pat Jeffers, Betty Ann McCluskey, Carla Logan, Sandy Longmore **Second row:** Bev Dwire, Donna Boyle, Hazel Pollard, Sherry Hall, Irene Stith, Pat Cohen, Shelly Bennett, Pat Huff

Centennial CHAPTERS



Chapter J, Woodburn, Oregon

Organized: May 20, 1914

Celebrated: May 17, 2014

First row, from the left: Margie Campbell, Diane Arndt **Second row:** Kim Johnston **Third row:** Diane Simon, Julie Moore, Pam Blacksmith **Fourth row:** Marcia Wood, Patty Irvine, Norma Schmidt **Fifth row:** Betty Dobbins, Mary Bullard, Edna Murphy **Sixth row:** Eunice Porter, Rose Buchanan **Seventh row (standing):** Elsie Simon, Donna Peeke, Teija Danskey, Rosetta Wangerin, Janet Rhoades, Jean Davis, Kathy Boyer, Margaret Ann Lindell, Lou Sauvain, Gale Campbell **Seventh row (seated):** Carol Eaden, Roberta Campbell



Chapter J, Windom, Minnesota

Organized: October 31, 1914

Celebrated: October 30, 2014

First row, from the left: Doris Remund, Phyllis Miller, Connie Johnson, Romelle Wojahn, Wanda Turner **Second row:** Roberta Riebe, Beatrice Muller, Chris Elzenga, Sharon Diemer, Nancy Wepplo, Daphne Easler, Margaret McDonald, Terry Tegels **Third row:** Nordis Olson, Mary Klosterbuer, Sharon Olson, Patti Palm, Tara Christensen, Kathryn Nemitz, Lisa Turner **Fourth row:** Dorothy Hiebert, Laura Fresk, Jody Derickson, Kathy Hiley, Sonya Buller, Karen Wojahn, Judith Trotter, Marlys Christensen



Chapter EN, Nashua, Iowa

Organized: May 28, 1914

Celebrated: September 13, 1914

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Chapter G, Gooding, Idaho

Organized: November 3, 1914

Celebrated: November 7, 2014

First row, from the left: Mary Easterday, Michelle Faulkner, Savanna Bennett **Second row:** Cheri Vitek, Angela Hobdey, Holly Church, Holly Sabala, Kristen Zubizarreta, Jodi Faulkner, Ami Bennett, Becky Faulkner, Deb Richards **Third row:** Megan Jantz, Traci Bunn, Mary Pierson, Sarah Pierson, Nancy Etchart, Cathy Pavkov, Kendra Cockerham, Katrina Faulkner, Cindy Jones **Fourth row:** Laurie Bahe, Lucy Osborne, Louise Becker, Mary Jean Simis, Louise Smith, Kim Faulkner, Jeanne McCombs, Tami Anderson, Cindi Canine **Fifth row:** Whitney Johnson, Elizabeth Blacksher, Lana Simis, Michelle Owen, Cora Caldwell, Pat Nelson, Nancy Patterson, Susan Faulkner, Betty Butler, Shelley Comstock, Cathi Pierson, Janis Faulkner, Barbara Seifert, Sharon Seifert, Claire Major, Kassi Mink **Sixth row:** Carrie Arkoosh, Emily Graybeal, Lizette James, Carolyn Robertson, Mindy Drees, Lorraine Morrison, Carol France, Marilyn Wilson, Lorna Bard, Becky Schoettger, Rachel Loveland, Debra Basterrechea, Myrna Bickett, Audra Wagner, Marg Pierson, Marilyn Yore, Billee Schnitker, Jan Lemons, Tine Wines, Andrea Cockerham

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Hand-colored daisy notes—Original art folded note cards (5-1/2" x 4 1/4") by Fritz Klopfenstein. Great gift! Package of 8 with envelopes - \$10 ppd. Checks to P.E.O. Ch. P/CT. Send to Jenny Mitchell, 1 Alexander Lane, Weston, CT 06883


P.E.O. calendar reminder stickers! 20 yellow 1/2" printed circles/page. \$.50/page plus \$1 s&h/100 pages. Checks to Ch. CV c/o Karen Hendrickson, 1824 Bayview, Albert Lea, MN 56007.


P.E.O. yellow binders 6-ring binder. Gold star on cover, 4-1/2" x 6-1/2". \$7 + shipping. Call 801-487-7602 or Ch. E, 1808 Mohawk Way, SLC, UT 84108.


 **Walnut pin box**, handmade with star on top. Large with removable top will hold pin back, 3", \$21. Small w/ drawer, 2", \$19 ppd. Ch AL c/o Trine, 82825 559 Ave, Madison, NE 68748. phylmt@yahoo.com


Items for SALE

 **Marguerite's mail**—8 full-color note cards and envelopes from original watercolor; \$8 per pkg includes P&H. Checks to Ch. NQ c/o Glenda Drennen, 401 N Lynn, LeMars, IA 51031.

 **Fingertip towels** embroidered w/ marguerites. Perfect for gift or guest. White velour. \$14/pair includes shipping. Ch VG c/o Karen DeSoto, 18050 Mark, Yorba Linda, CA 92886.

 **Pewter P.E.O. star** ornament—3-1/4" handcast pewter star with raised letters P.E.O. in center. Perfect for weddings, Christmas, special occasions; suitable for engraving; \$18 ppd. Ch. AU c/o Joyce Diehls, 114 County Rd 219, Fayette, MO 65248.


 **Official reciprocity chairman's** pin—14k gold plated gavel on marguerite w/ guard ring. \$95 to Ch. HB, c/o Margaret A. Lamb, 4331 E. Linden Cir, Greenwood Village, CO 80121. 303-771-1452.


 **Chapter letter pin** guard gold-plated with chain \$25. CA res. add 9% sales tax ppd. Ch. QB c/o Marty R. Francis, 7832 Kentwood Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90045-1151. 310-670-4796, Marty.Francis@sbcglobal.net.

P.E.O. gold foil star stickers 1" in dia. Similar to official emblem. Ideal for conventions, reciprocity, correspondence, nametags, & place cards. 50/\$8 ppd. Checks payable to Ch. DA, Eileen McHill, 555 Dodge St, Lebanon, OR 97355 emchill@yahoo.com.


P.E.O. Founders photos—Complete set of lovely 8"x10" color photos of our P.E.O. Founders, with biographies, \$30. Ch GG. Marty Ferry, 2750 Hwy 5, New Franklin, MO 65274; ph 660-537-0670 or email mhbonanza@yahoo.com.


License plate frame—black with gold letters: "P.E.O. Educating Women" \$7 ea. (\$6 ea. for 10 or more to same address). Ch. DK c/o Kristine Dillon, 12525 SE 210th Ct, Kent, WA 98031, 253-630-3893.

 **Ornament with star** & marguerites. Lightweight metal. \$10 ppd includes box. Ch. FX c/o Sue Pritchett, 1015 Perkins, Richland, WA 99354. For more: j_sue_pritchett@yahoo.com.


 **New garden/window** flag—11" x 13", 7 marguerites, 7 gold stars on royal blue. \$20 ppd. to Ch. CC c/o L. Lampkin, 1704 NE County Rd 14963, Montrose, MO 64770-6344.


 **P.E.O. star magnets** for your car—bright yellow, 8" magnetic stars, \$11 ppd. Ch. AL c/o Claudia DeMaggio, 1809 Morgans Mill Way, High Point, NC 27265. 336-884-0444. cdcolors@triad.rr.com.

 **Spread the news** with our 3" static decal—A shaded-gold star with P.E.O. across the center. Adheres to your car window, letting the traffic know you are a proud P.E.O. member. \$1 ea. Incl. a SASE to Ch. GY c/o Beverly Hurst, 1413 Grand Ave, Fillmore, CA 93015. Ph. 805-524-3980 or beverlyhurst@mac.com.


 **P.E.O. pens** in red, black or blue with letters in gold. \$6 ea. ppd. to Ch. OX c/o Wanda Miller, 805 E Burky Ln, Mt. Pleasant, IA 52641. wwwmiller@lisco.com.

 **The original magnetic** namebadge/pin holder! This is the one that over 7,000 sisters have and love! White nametag w/ custom engraved daisy & your name (& chap if desired) with white ribbon to hold your pin, gavel, etc. (Pin option avail). Includes storage bag that fits your PEO yearbook binder. \$20 per badge, groups of 20 or more, \$15. BIL badges available. Chap IQ, PO Box 621699, Littleton, CO 80162. Andi 303-947-8650. Order forms and photos at www.peonamebadge.org.

 **Elegant suncatchers** now available! Diamond-shaped, beveled glass, 7" x 4" etched marguerite, \$20; etched, hand-painted, \$25; Ch. DS c/o Marilyn Warrens, 2190 North Ave, Chico, CA 95926. 530-342-6731, email: mwarrens@mail.csuchico.edu.


 **Crocheted pin back**—White w/ magnetic back or jewelry clasp. \$11 ppd. Ch AL, c/o Trine, 82825 559 Ave, Madison NE 68748. phylmt@yahoo.com.


 **Radko ornaments** "My P.E.O. Star" 4-3/4". P.E.O. in center with gold/white daisies. \$42. "My Santa is a BIL" - 5" roly-poly Santa. "BIL" on belt buckle. \$42. View at www.peotexas.org. Include \$6 s/h. TX res. add 8-1/4% tax. ppd. P.E.O., Ch. IN, P.O. Box 92866, Southlake, TX 76092. Info: 817-251-8342 or peointx@gmail.com


 **Never struggle** with your pin again! Embroidered nametag/pin holder and magnetic back. \$16 ppd. Quantity price from \$12. Inquire at PEOnames@aol.com or write Ch HF c/o Sue McCallister, 15125 Ave 312, Visalia, CA 93292.


 **Sparkling P.E.O. bracelets** — Stars, Swarovski crystals and sterling letters/spacers with easy-fasten toggle. \$27 + S/H to Ch. MW. Barbara Turcan, 630-584-3780 or bet1413@aol.com.


Never stick P.E.O. pins through your blouse again. Strong gold or silver plate magnetic clasp holds pins/necklaces/bracelets. \$10 ea or \$8 ea for 5 or more. Contact Ch. SR c/o Betty Breeze, 250 Corte del Cerro, Novato, CA 94949, 415-883-6182 or view photo at denniscrinnion@comcast.net.


 **Custom name badge** with magnetic fastener. Attractive gold laminate, black engraved name & ch. Add your ribbon to hold pin. \$11 ppd. Contact Sheila Barnette, Ch HA for order form. sheilaroodbarnette@gmail.com. 904-343-9923


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 **Magnetic marguerite pin** holder—1 1/2" daisy, white petals with yellow center. Holds emblem, no more pinholes in your clothes. \$8 plus \$2 postage for 1-5 holders. Ch. GD c/o Gudrun Gegner, 3040 Pawnee Dr, Bremerton, WA 98310. 360-373-3611


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 **Crystal nail file** w/ hand painted daisy. 3 sizes, \$7-\$11. Ch AN c/o Connie 12420 NW Barnes Rd #259, Portland, OR 97229. www.peochapteran.com.

 **P.E.O. scarves.** Beautifully imprinted with metallic P.E.O. letters and stars, 14" x 60". Black/silver print, ivory, red, yellow, navy/gold print. \$20 + \$2 s/h. Check to Ch. IO, Lynn Hooker, 1815 Newport Rd, Weatherford, TX 76086. 405-642-0390. lshooker@aol.com.


 **Magnetic star pin** to hold your emblem. White embroidered star on bright yellow backing. Contact Ch M/TN, Lisa Burns, email: lisaburns2003@gmail.com for order information.

 **Sister, forever, friends** bracelet by Ch L sisters. Order form w/ color chart: AZ Daisy Trading Post www.azpeo.org or email kwunchbox@cox.net. \$22; w/ earrings \$30+\$3 shipping.


 **Magnetic daisy pin** back - 2" yellow and white daisy to hold your P.E.O. emblem. We welcome large and small orders. Please specify if your P.E.O. emblem attaches to your clothes with a safety pin fastener or a tie tack fastener. \$9 payable to Chapter JO includes postage. Mary Ellen Sims, 13750 Kenney Lane, Neosho, MO 64850 mochapterjo@gmail.com

 **P.E.O. sun catcher**—This sparkling beveled glass ornament presents a beautiful etching of our star. A great gift for the Christmas tree or a sunny window. \$22.50 incl. shipping. Ch. BH c/o Jane Lennox, 665 BF Goodrich Road, Marietta, OH 45750. janelennox@yahoo.com


 **P.E.O. chef's apron**—in golden yellow cotton, embroidered with marguerites on bib. Extra long ties, adjustable neck strap, three pockets. \$20 ppd. Ch. N. Nancy Vest, 1230 Forest Dr, Sand Springs, OK 74063. nancyjoss@cox.net.


 **Handcrafted P.E.O. trivet**—Original American pewter trivet hangs or sits on a counter, 9.5 x 5.5". \$35 ppd. Checks payable to Ch EH, Terry Kercheval, 18219 E Weaver PL, Aurora, CO 80016. 303-766-2300. terry@thekerchevals.com.


 **Daisy tote, umbrella**, hatbox Chapter F/NH. Please visit PEO-FNH.org.


 **P.E.O. Founders bookmarks**—Two laminated colorful "one of a kind" styles to choose from. Both designs created by local artist. \$1.50 each ppd. Ch. AN c/o Angela Bridge, P.O. Box 541, Chandler, OK 74834 angiegb@cotc.net


 **P.E.O. "Wild Women"** pin, whimsical pin of acrylic resin, star on white dress, marguerite in hand, gold hair, yellow high heels. \$20 + \$5 s/h 1 or more. Ch U, 308 Mallet Hill Rd, Columbia, SC 29223 ddhredlips@gmail.com 803-699-6398.


 **Oval P.E.O. car** magnets Euro car magnet for sale \$6 each. Leaves no sticky residue on your car. S&H free! Send check to Ch Z, 103 Spring Hollow Ln, Cary, NC 27518.


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 **Past president's gavel** guard—14K gold-plate with 7 clear Swarovski crystals. Perfect size for our star. \$30 ppd. to Ch. OO, P.E.O. c/o Pat Walton, 34400 Mission Blvd, A-1210, Union City, CA 94587.

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 **Cross stitch kit**, easy to stitch P.E.O. design. Kit includes all materials except frame. \$19.95 + \$3.95 S/H to Ch AW, c/o Mary Fisk, 2012 Hwy 9, Osage, IA 50461. jfisk@osage.net.


 **P.E.O. daisy key** rings—Handcrafted by local forge. \$15 ppd. Ch AY, Megan Smith, 506 Oak Hill Dr, Grove City, PA 16127.


 **Pandora like nametag** holder—P.E.O. colors w/star & daisy. 30" chain w/magnet clasp. \$14 ppd. Ch. DJ, c/o Trisha Tibbits, 465 Jones Dr, LHC, AZ 86406. 928-486-3364 or email tjtibbits@yahoo.com.


 **P.E.O. garden banners**—with gold star & 7 marguerites on blue background. 3 sizes incl. garden banner, 12"x18"—\$25; small flag, 2"x3"—\$50; all ppd. Mark a mtg, garden décor or gift. See photos & order forms with current prices at: www.PEOChapterHV.org or email chapterhv@gmail.com or call Sarah at 303-594-2455.


 **Murano glass** daisy heart pendant—1.5x1.25" pendant includes silver tone neck wire. \$25 ppd. Ch AA, C. Chaires, 1381 Clydesdale Ave, Wellington, FL 33414.


 **Luggage tags**—prices & designs email jbilltbill@aol.com Ch DT.


 **Celebrate P.E.O.!** Darling oval car magnet for \$6 each, S&H free. Reads "P.E.O. Educating Women". Send check to Ch OA, c/o Colleen Miller-Owen, 422 Austin Ave, Geneva, IL 60134.

 **Handcrafted pewter marguerite** pin/necklace. Designed for Ch AR, Ruidoso, NM, size 1 1/8 x 1 1/2, \$17 ppd. J. Powell, 107 Snowbird Ct, Ruidoso, NM 88345.


 **"Star" keychain**—engraved with P.E.O. for just \$10 each (includes S/H). May be worn as a necklace too! Be creative! Check payable to Ch DO, C/O Lenore Jones, 10820 Nutmeg Meadows Dr, Plymouth, IN 46563. Lenore@ancoofficeproducts.com

 **License plate frame**—"Sisters A Gift of P.E.O." blk w/ gold; \$6 ea/\$10 for 2 plus ship; AK(NV); Brenda Miller 702-739-7172 Brenda441@cox.net

 **Sterling silver pin** guard for P.E.O. pin. 1" x 1 1/4" magnetic clasp. Handcrafted, unique piece of wearable art. \$30. Ch IH, Jes Raintree, 15648 Colorado Central Way, Monument, CO 81032. 719-488-8300.


 **P.E.O. ornament/gift** Porcelain ornament with 24k gold trim. \$12 ppd. Contact: Karen Ulfers vaappeo@gmail.com or 804-232-7763, 4906 New Kent Rd, Richmond, VA 23225. Checks payable to Ch AP.


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Seven heavenly Founders—15 min DVD Cottey College Tour—10 min DVD. Great for programs & new members. \$15 ppd each or 2 for \$25 ppd, Ch BF, Phyllis Sandmann, 9301 Lansbrooke Ln, Oklahoma City, OK 73132.

 **Nametags**—beautiful custom marguerite artwork, 1 1/2"x3" white acrylic, magnet fastener, name + ch ID, \$13 + S&H, Ch JB, c/o Heidi, 719-528-5313, heidicburnett.net

 **Silver star letter opener**—P.E.O. engraved. Lovely for gifts. Gift-boxed. Chapter FQ \$25 + \$6 S.H. ppd. c/o Heidi deLisser 3470 NW 7th St., Miami, FL 33125, hdelisser@aol.com

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P.E.O. logo bridge cards—

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P.E.O. chapter garden flag—

waterproof 14x20" flag with your chapter letters! \$25 ppd. Check payable to Ch JP, mail to: Melinda Fish, 1105 Williamsburg Pl, Lawrence, KS 66049.



Classy 3x1" namebadge gold laminate pin/magnet, st, chap, polkadot ribbon, etc! yrbk pg pin storage; 337-280-5779; srodemacher@gmail.com \$14 or \$15+s/h, Ch AT.

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Play Daisy Bingo—Facts about our Founders instead of #s, \$25 ppd. Also, Bee Smart about the P.E.O. Constitution and CA state bylaws, \$25 ppd. Each set has 100 cards. Great for programs! Check to Ch. DO, 12214 Heacock St, Moreno Valley, CA 92557. 951-809-3673.



Necklace/purse fob: puzzle piece I am P.E.O. with star, daisy & sisters charms. \$20+\$2.50 S/H. Chapter FP, c/o Marj Lubben, 18774 Stonebridge Rd, Monticello, IA 52310



Embroidered kitchen towel—100% cotton flour sack w/ original P.E.O. design. Bright set (pink, turquoise, green), \$25 ppd. White, \$8 each ppd. Ch FL, c/o Joan P, 15604 Acacia Road, Oklahoma City, OK 73170 kitchentowels4sisters@yahoo.com



The P.E.O. story on DVD—A 30-minute dramatization of the origin of P.E.O. This delightful and entertaining movie is perfect for your Founders' Day program. \$25 plus \$3 S/H to Chapter ET, Joanne Gravelle, 11360 W. 76th Way, Arvada, CO 80005.



P.E.O. garden flag! Beautiful 12x18" garden flag features the letters P.E.O. & watercolor marguerites. Artwork is by P.E.O. member & well-known artist, Ellen Diederich. Printed on both sides of heavy vinyl, flag is to be used with your own flag stand. Photo can be viewed at www.sgofargo.com. \$20, plus \$3.95 postage. Send check to Chapter AE, PO Box 8, Christine, ND 58015.



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Our seven sisters—as told in a beautiful paper doll book for Founders' Day program or gift. \$17 ppd to Ch DP c/o Maureen Davis, 3412 61st St, Lubbock, TX 79413.



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Black washable plush vest in a variety of sizes: S, M, L, XL at \$35; XXL & XXXL at \$37. Vests have generous inside pockets and convertible collar. Unique P.E.O. logo for special gifts and to wear about town. Request order form and info from Chapter BG AZ peovests@gmail.com 928-445-5614.



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Field of daisies bookmark—Dimensions are 2" x 8 1/2". \$2 ea. or 6 for \$10. Make checks to: P.E.O. Chapter IP, send to Mary Cunliffe, 12442 Barony Dr., Dubuque, IA 52001



P.E.O. polo shirt. Short sleeve, 100% preshrunk cotton. Marguerite emblem on upper left chest. Available in white or yellow. S-XXXL \$34.50 + 5.15 shipping. Checks to Chapter CP, 975 Briarwood Dr. E. Wenatchee, WA 98802 allem@nwi.net.



Sterling P.E.O. necklace—dainty. Measures 3/4 by 1/4 inch. 16 or 18" long. Specify length. Sterling. \$ 49.95. + 1.95 shipping. Check to Ch. K, c/o CJ Gray, 325 Eagles Walk, Gastonia, NC 28056



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Daisy magnets for car, mailbox and frig! Round, 7" white & yellow daisy w/ P.E.O. in center. \$11 ea + \$5.60 for shipping 1-10 magnets. Ch AN, c/o Monica Johnson, 107 Glenn Burnie Dr. Easley, SC 29642, buffjohns@aol.com


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 **P.E.O. tote bag!** Embroidered P.E.O. in white, with yellow rhinestone accents on 600 denier black tote bag, 14" x 15" x 1.25". \$20 ppd, payable to Ch. D/RI, Betsy Fitzgerald, 11C Vicksburg Pl, Newport, RI, 02840 or BetsFitz43@aol.com.


 **Seven Founders**—full color, one sister on each card. 5 1/2 x 4 1/4" as seen in Jan/Feb 2015 Record. Pkg of 7 w/ env \$12 includes P&H. Checks to Ch. DP, Hilde Weintraub, 209 Galaxy Way, Lompoc, CA 93436. 805-733-1699 or hilde.weintraub2@verizon.net.

 **New eyeglass/computer** Cleaning cloth from durable microfiber. Cleans glasses, phones & computers. Daisies or fall tree 5 3/4 square. \$6 each, add \$1 P/H up to 4 cloths. Checks to Chapter HX, c/o Ann Thomas, 8432 Newcombe St, Arvada, CO 80005


 **Love binds us** luggage tag 4 ¼ x 2 ½" yellow w/white daisy \$8 ppd. Payable Ch Q, c/o Eline McCain, 5214 E Goldwater Dr, Yuma, AZ 85365. (928-580-7434).

Amazing magnetic marguerite pin guard. 1,200 sold already. Same fine product. \$11 + S/H. Contact Wendy Dooly, 2800 S Waldron Rd. Fort Smith, AR 72903. Make checks payable to Ch AD.

Homes

 **Colorado P.E.O. Chapter House**—in Colorado Springs offers suites with bedroom, living room, dining area, bathroom, and kitchenette. Smaller single room apartments with bath are also available. All have a private entrance, patio, and garden area and are single-level. No entry fee, small deposit, month-to-month leases include three daily meals. The common area consists of living and dining rooms, library, and exercise room. Chapter House is located in a private park where nature and wildlife provide enjoyment. Eligible for residency are members of P.E.O. and P.E.O.-

sponsored individuals. For more information, contact the Executive Director at 1819 W Cheyenne Rd., Colorado Springs, CO 80906. Ph: 719-473-7670 or email colopeo@msn.com. Its website at www.peochapterhouse.org provides further information, more detailed descriptions, and photographs.

 **At the Nebraska P.E.O. Home**, licensed as an assisted-living facility, TLC is the secret ingredient whether it's in the home-cooked meals, the private room with bath, the beauty salon, the Daisy van trips, or the very attentive staff. Active members of P.E.O. and P.E.O. sponsored relatives are eligible for residency. Contact Tracy Magill, Administrator, Nebraska P.E.O. Home, 413 North 5th St, Beatrice, NE 68310 or call 402-228-4208 to check on your room.


 **Independent retirement living** in a P.E.O. community. Explore the Idaho P.E.O. Chapter House at www.peochapterhouseidaho.org or call 208-459-3552.

Books

 **"Recipes for Success"**—cookbook of over 200 recipes from sisters, BILs and treasured friends. \$12 ea (\$11 ea. if 10 or more to same address). Ch DK, Diane Lake, 916 Stadium Way, Tacoma, WA 98403, 253-370-3054 dianelake@harbornet.com

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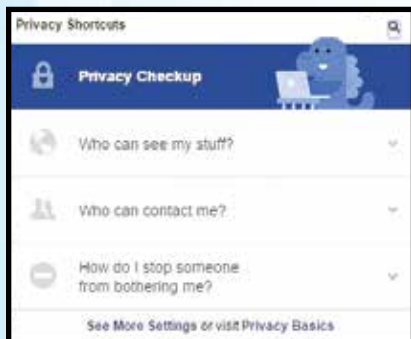
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TECH TIP

Protecting Your Privacy on Facebook

Like most people, you want to share information on Facebook with your network of friends, family and other people you know. But it's also important that your information remains private and isn't shared with those you don't know or those you prefer not to see your information.



The good news is Facebook has simplified privacy settings and has now launched "Privacy Shortcuts." There are four main components within Privacy Shortcuts and for this article, we'll focus on the Privacy Checkup option. This feature is a quick and easy checkup on the major components of your online Facebook profile.

Privacy Checkup breaks down privacy into your posts (also known as status updates), apps and profile information. The feature quickly highlights what your current audience/group is set to for sharing.

The first screen gives you a reminder of who is currently set to see your future posts. The two most common audiences or groups you may choose to have your information visible to includes "public" and "friends." "Public" means if someone searches for you through Facebook or even a

search engine such as Google and navigates to your page, your posts would be visible. A lot of Facebook users don't choose this setting as it's a bit more open than what they prefer.

The other common group is "friends" which means your posts show to your group of Facebook friends. This is the setting most Facebook users have set. "Custom" is another option which gives you even more options. Perhaps there are a few people you are not as close to or you prefer not to share everything with. "Custom" gives you the option to set who among your Facebook friends can see your posts.

The next component of the Privacy Checkup is apps. Facebook apps and games are developed by third parties. It's always a good idea to review the apps connected to your Facebook page as they are sharing some of your profile information and it's easy to forget what apps have access to your profile information.

The last privacy checkup item is your profile information. Your profile helps people connect with you on Facebook. You have flexibility and

control here on what components are shared with various groups. For example, you may be OK with "friends of friends" knowing your birthday, but maybe you don't want people to know your birth year.

Facebook updates their system, including their privacy settings, from time to time. It's always a good idea to review your privacy settings occasionally to make sure they are set to share or not share what you want with whom you want. 🌸

How to get your chapter on the P.E.O. International Facebook page

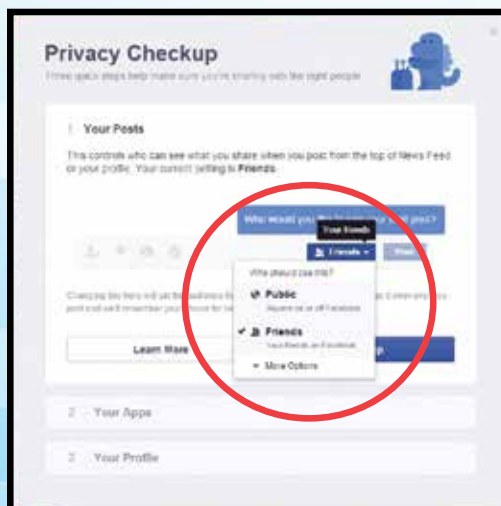
Posts on the P.E.O. International Facebook page only come from P.E.O. International because it's an official outlet for information and messaging promoted and shared by the organization; it is publicly available and anyone can view the information shared on the page. Members are welcome to openly make comments, like and share official posts and also submit content for consideration.

Email the Digital Communications Specialist at **mediamanager@peodsm.org** as this role manages the digital content across all platforms so if you think your submission is posting material, send it in!

Message P.E.O. International through the official Facebook page with your story: **www.facebook.com/peointernational**.

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Kate Westercamp,
Digital Communications Specialist



To The POINT

Reporting Officers

It's time for local chapters, reciprocities and P.E.O. Groups to report your newly elected officers. To report local chapter officers go to the members' side of the website, click on Local Chapter Forms, then go to corresponding secretary and continue to the online form for Report of Election of Officers of Local Chapters. Reciprocities and P.E.O. Groups are reported by clicking on Reciprocity and Group Contacts, going to Reciprocity/P.E.O. Group forms and entering the information on the online form.

Reporting Local Chapter Project Chairmen

The form to report your local chapter project chairmen may be completed on the members' side of the website. Click on Local Chapter Forms, select corresponding secretary and you will find the online form to complete and submit. By reporting your local chapter project chairmen, you will be able to receive project information more expediently from your s/p/d chairmen.

Bed and Breakfast

Information regarding payment of Bed and Breakfast insurance will be sent April 1 to presidents of all currently participating chapters. To be included in the September-October P.E.O. Record and on the members' side of the website under REFERENCE LISTINGS,



insurance payments must be postmarked by June 1. If your chapter wishes to become a new B&B, please go to the members' only section of the P.E.O. website and under Local Chapter Forms click on president to find guidelines and insurance forms. For questions please email mknee@peodsm.org.

P.E.O.s Living Outside the U.S. and Canada

Names and addresses of P.E.O.s serving as overseas contacts in countries around the world are



provided on the website under RECIPROCITY. Members living abroad are encouraged to strengthen their P.E.O. ties by communicating with the contact in their area who will put them in touch with P.E.O.s in their vicinity.

Members willing to serve as contacts should write the recording secretary of International Chapter (address on the inside front cover) by June 1. P.E.O.s who agree to serve the Sisterhood by welcoming other P.E.O.s to their respective areas are not to be asked to serve the business interests of individual P.E.O.s.

Rx:TLC Listing

The Rx:TLC listing, which appears on the members' side of the website under REFERENCE LISTINGS, lists chapters willing to help P.E.O. members or their families who are hospitalized or in need of assistance when away from home.

To be included or change a listing for either the regular or college section, please send the information to The P.E.O. Record at mknee@peodsm.org. To better help our sisters needing assistance, please list two contacts when possible. The chapter's listing will run until we are advised to change or delete it.

A Map to the Future!

Visit the Membership Development Map on the P.E.O. website peointernational.org to see where new chapters are currently organizing as well as locations hoping to organize chapters in the future.

Areas designated as "chapters currently organizing" have received a Consent to Select a Charter List, have started meeting and are looking for unaffiliates, inactive members wishing to reinstate and potential new members. Areas listed as "potential chapter locations" are hoping to organize a chapter sometime in the future and could use your help in providing names of potential chapter members, too.



Please send the Introduction of a Woman Who is Not a P.E.O. and/or Notice of a Member in Your Area forms, or any questions you have on this listing, to the contact listed for each state, province or district. 🌸

Send completed form including your former address printed in the upper right corner (or give address at which magazine was last received) six weeks in advance of your move.

Mail: Membership Dept., P.E.O. Executive Office,
3700 Grand Ave., Des Moines, IA 50312-2899
Fax: The P.E.O. Record, 515-255-3820
Call: 800-343-4921 (automated line available 24 hours
a day. May not be available in all areas of Canada.)
Email: membership@peodsm.org
Web: peointernational.org (click on address change form)

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Indiana P.E.O.s are eager to welcome you to Indianapolis in October

Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame Museum * Indianapolis Motor Speedway * James Dean Museum and Resting Place * Lincoln's Boyhood Home
Amish Country in Elkhart * Soldiers and Sailors Monument * Indiana Dunes National Seashore * Auburn Cord Duesenberg Museum
Mineral Springs and Casino in French Lick/West Baden * Indianapolis Children's Museum * University of Notre Dame * Purdue University
Hoosier National Forest * Indianapolis Museum of Art * Conner Prairie Interactive History Park * RV Hall of Fame * Dairy Adventure at Fair Oaks
Farms * Hall of Heroes Museum * A Town Named Santa Claus * World's Largest Ball of Paint * The Madison Regatta * Giant Lady's Leg Sundial
Dan Quayle Center and US Vice Presidential Museum * White River State Park * Ball State University * Eiteljorg Museum of American Indian and
Western Art * Freeman Army Airfield Museum * Fort Wayne Children's Zoo * Snite Museum of Art * Indiana Beach Amusement Park * Lanier
Mansion State Historic Site WonderLab Museum of Science * Kurt Vonnegut Memorial Library * Columbus Architecture Tours * War Memorial
Plaza Indiana Repertory Theater NCAA Hall of Champions * The State Capitol Building * The Indiana War Memorial Plaza * Canal Walk
Indianapolis * The Indiana Historical Society Eugene & Marilyn Glick Indiana History Center * Valparaiso - Home of Popcorn * Indiana Dunes
National Lakeshore & State Park * Four dozen covered bridges * Wineries and Breweries * Brown County State Park * Shopping in Nashville
George Rogers Clark National Historical Park * Grissom Memorial at Spring Mill State Park * Butler University and Hinkle Fieldhouse * The Ben-Hur
Musuem * Bill Monroe Bluegrass Musuem * The Indianapolis Zoo * James Whitcomb Riley Home & Museum * Holiday World & Spashin' Safari
President Benjamin Harrison Home * Model T Ford Museum * Evansville Museum of Arts, History & Science * Kokomo Opalescent Glass Company
Tour * Indiana University * Studebaker National Museum * and on and on and on....

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