

## National Senior Classical League General Assembly II July 25, 2021

Meeting began at: 1:03 pm CST

Jamie read the guidelines for the zoom meeting.

Board Officers:

- Jamie Doyle, President
- Rachael Cox, Vice President
- Shandi Burrows, Secretary
- Natasha Panduwawala, Treasurer
- Neah Lekan, Parliamentarian
- Elizabeth Foster, Historian
- Ann Nguyen, Editor

Farm Theme GA's: Tractor Facts of the Day, Jamie Doyle

- The Land Speed Record for tractors was set in 2019 by JCB with the fastrac two at 135 mph.

Farmer(s) of the day:

- Grace Weston
- Kristian Jackson

Whizbangs

- Joey "I spy something hard."
- Kris - "Can I touch it?"  
Joey - "You can touch whatever you want to touch, it's none of my business."

Officer Reports

- Ann, Editor:
  - Great night in the ear office! First issue is out and on the convention page, nscl.org website, and in an email sent by Vicki
- Elizabeth, Historian:
  - Master doc with all the links for convention! No more spam!
  - PLease submit to the highlight video submission, you can also submit on behalf on your state
  - Stay tuned for the banquet theme!
- Neah, Parliamentarian:
  - Amendment discussion and election orientation will happen today!
- Natasha, Treasurer:
  - Keep up with the redbubble! Please keep buying merch!
- Shandi, Secretary:
  - Working on social media, minutes, and membership info
  - If you need to know if you paid dues or not, please contact me at secretary@nscl.org

- Please use this [link](#) to make sure we have your updated membership info (only needs to be filled out once during convention)
- Please follow us on Instagram and Twitter @NationalSCL
- Rachael, Vice President:
  - UPS contest submissions were due at 12 today so we need judges for it!
  - SCLers can submit to Olympika events, just don't try, it will be funny for the highlight reel!
- Jamie:
  - Working with committees and on GA's

### Chair Reports

- Ups contest - Hillary Cheney
  - Need two people looking through the Ups submissions
  - Just need to count how many of whatever activity they do (pullup, push up, etc.)
  - Just reach out to Hillary and/or Rachael if you are interested
- Geoguesser and Ludi Trick Shot - Grace Weston
  - Need two or three more people to help judge trickshot
- Minecraft - Grace McIntire
  - Need volunteers for Minecraft! Ever heard of it? Great, sign up! Help needed Tuesday 5:30-8.
  - Please apply to Publicity Committee by Wednesday
- Christopher Rourke
  - Please help with Minecraft!
  - Please apply to the Website Committee!

### Interested in Joining a Committee? Contact:

- Website Committee, Christopher Rourke, [webmaster@nscl.org](mailto:webmaster@nscl.org)
- Publicity Committee, Grace McIntire, [pubcomm@nscl.org](mailto:pubcomm@nscl.org)
- Ethics Committee, Joey Chatelain, [ethics@nscl.org](mailto:ethics@nscl.org)

### A Talk About Links

- We have a Master Doc! Please visit it!

### Happy Birthday Neah Lekan!

- A rendition of happy birthday was sung with Zoom lag following

### Amendment Debate, Neah Lekan

- Proposition 1 (Tert Law)
  - After you pass nine years in the SCL, you are not technically a member
  - This would change that so they are officially members (Tertiary member)
  - Terts would still have no rights, it would just give recognition for terts hard work and staying with the SCL
    - Question: If a tert wanted to vote in National COmmittee elections, would they still have to be an ACL member
    - Answer: yes

- No comments on the floor about this amendment
- Proposition 2 (Leaving during Election)
  - A candidate can leave the room when they are being discussed about during elections, but they can remain if they want (New language encourages departure, but does not force it still)
    - Question: Is there any language regarding the public being present
    - Answer: they is no entity of the public being present, members are entitled to be in the meetings and without it being stated the public is not
  - No comments on the floor about this amendment
- Proposition 3 (Voting Eligibility)
  - Current eligibility requirements for voting
  - Changing to voting in person ( being present for speeches would be equal) and other requirements as well
  - Changed some wording for clarity
  - Cue Gary Baker Voting Flow Chart
  - No questions on the floor about this amendment
  - No comments on the floor about this amendment
- Proposition 4 (Clarifying Secretary Role)
  - Clarification on Secretary's role (Treasurer and Historian would be more collaborative)
  - No questions on the floor about this amendment
  - No comments on the floor about this amendment
- Proposition 5 (Committee Recognition)
  - More established committees should be recognized by name in the constitution (such as O&L committee) essentially saying it exists, has a charter, and has a chairperson
    - Question: Clarification on last sentence
    - Answer: If there is a new committee that arises, the president will have a say in proposing to the membership that said committee should be codified
    - Question: If a new board agrees that a board should not be standing, what would happen
    - Answer: It would work as an additional amendment to be approved
  - No comments on the floor about this amendment
- Proposition 6 (Handbook)
  - Handbook may be established and will be expected of the editor every year
  - No questions on the floor about this amendment
  - No comments on the floor about this amendment

## Banquet Theme Reveal

- Beach Day Theme!

- We will have a collaborative Spotify playlist for the banquet, so please add to that!
- Bay-nquet pun from Grace McIntire

#### Election Orientation

- Cue Flowchart Graphic for Voting Eligibility created by the Gary Baker
- Slashers can vote! Just must pay dues to do so
- Tomorrow (10:15PM ET) will be Nominations
- Nominations
  - Nominations and seconds for each office, followed by four minute introductory speeches from each candidate
  - If you attend this meeting (and are reading this live), you are eligible to vote by proxy (instructions to follow tomorrow)
- Eligibility for Office
  - Are you a regular member of the NSCL? (will be a primary member next year, has paid dues)
  - For President/VP, have you attended at least one convention as a full NSCL member (i.e. not a slasher) prior to this year?
  - Are you currently holding the office you seek?
  - If you say YES (or YES + N/A) to all of these questions, you are eligible!!!
- Elections Assembly (GA 4)
  - Wednesday 28 July, 10 PM ET
  - Speeches of two minutes by each candidate, followed by questions
  - Discussion to follow each office's speeches and questions, and unsuccessful candidates for a higher gavel order office may "drop down" to run for an office lower in gavel order (e.g. an unsuccessful candidate for President entering the Secretary race)
- Voting Procedure
  - Voting will occur electronically, with results sent to Kyle via a form
  - We will check the number of votes against the number of eligible voters, and if necessary undertake more detailed measures to ensure accuracy, but your honorable conduct is of the utmost importance
- Final Notes
  - Please reach out to current officers and experienced SCLers to gain insight into your office(s) of interest and learn more
  - Youth is an encouraging factor, not a contraindication
  - NSCL elections have historically been courteous, civil affairs among responsible young adults. Please do not interrupt or diminish that legacy with your conduct this year
- Historian and Editor are applied offices! The incoming board chooses those members, and Slashers are definitely encouraged to apply!

#### Announcements

- Grace Weston
  - Still looking for judges for trick shot competition (This wednesday) Reach out to Grace Weston or Rachael Cox if you are interested

- Maddie Briner
  - TE Hosts are Grace McIntire and Kashi Nakore
  - Still need writers and actors for certain skits (Loki, stock skit, Olympics, kids bop JCL)
  - We also need some editors for certain skits as well, and stuff for hosts skits
  - Deadline for scripts is tonight by 9pm and deadline for editing and filming is the day after
- Drew Alvarez
  - TE Olympic skit, need slashers and other participates for roles in this skit

Meeting adjourned at 2:03 PM CST