

September 2018 Newsletter



SAVE THE DATE!

Tuesday, December 11th is our Annual Meeting and winter celebration.

Held at Church of the Good Shepherd from 6:00 pm – 8:30 pm, this event is free to all NSCA current dues paying members. We will vote in our new Board members; congratulate our new officers and celebrate the season with a traditional English pub meal and Boxing Day treats. We will have English county dancing demonstration and lots of merriment. Thanks are extended to our Norfolk County, UK Committee for organizing this year's meeting. What better reason to make sure your membership is current? Don't wait, sign up today!

<https://www.norfolksistercities.org/events/annual-membership-meeting-and-winter-celebration/>



Congratulations!

Breck Daughtrey on his retirement from the City of Norfolk

Polly Owens on her retirement from the City of Norfolk

Allan Bull on his appointment as Clerk, City of Norfolk

Adisa Muse on his appointment as Deputy Clerk, City of Norfolk

Lauren Lowery, on her appointment as Executive Assistant to the Mayor, City of Norfolk



Cagayan de Oro Committee Welcomes its First Student Delegation

It took several years of work but on July 1, our CdO Committee welcomed its first delegation of high school students and their chaperone, Eileen San Juan. These six students, Shad Daba; Lance Elot; EJ Lopina; Reine Madriaga; Marielle Paguidopon and Elkanah Ricardo experienced two weeks of American life. The highlight of their trip was an overnight visit to Washington, DC via train. Our heartfelt thanks are extended to the host families: the Crouchs; Grossmans; McGarrigles; Pickels; Priests and Seliavskis. Great job CdO Committee!



Norfolk Sister Cities
YOUNG GLOBAL CITIZENS

Young Global Citizens – CdO Committee

Our Cagayan de Oro student delegation delivered a program at the Academy of International Studies at Rosemont on July 9. Funding for this program was made possible by a grant from Hampton Roads Ventures.



2018 Outbound Wilhelmshaven Delegation

July 15– August 5, nine students and our chaperone, Wilhelmshaven Committee Chair, Markus Wegener, traveled to Wilhelmshaven, Germany for our annual exchange. Thank you to



Acoustical Sheetmetal for their program and scholarship support. Thanks are also extended to former committee chair, Connie Johnson and her husband Bruce for opening their home to host this year's outbound farewell party.



2018 Outbound Toulon, France Delegation



Three students spent two incredible weeks living like typical French teenagers. This experience was made possible by the hard work of our Toulon, France Sister City Committee; our counterparts in Toulon and the scholarship support we receive from Hampton Roads Ventures.



6th Annual Soiree en Blanc – Sell Out Event



To the surprise of our Soiree Committees, Jean Lamkin; Juli Davenport; Brenda Duda, Joyce Pierce and Dianne Powell, this year's event sold out in record time. The location was the ground of the Hermitage Museum and Gardens. New this year was the change from table numbers to the names of French cities. Mimes were added to the entertainment and décor department. In addition to the 350-sellout crowd, the committee broke a record for raffle ticket sales, \$1,110! Prizes were awarded to the three best table designs. Thank you to Andy Grossman for the expert photography.



WHRO Fall Radio Pledge Drive

Continuing our tradition of helping our steadfast media partner, Norfolk Sister City Association members assisted Jae Sinnett in meeting his fundraising goal. Many thanks to Steve Bell; Youlander Hilton; Tatyana Babakaeva; Linda McCluney; Anna Nagorniuk and Faye Pyles for donating their Sunday afternoon on September 23. A grand time was had by all!



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Upcoming Events – Save the Date

IndiaFest – Virginia Beach Convention Center, November 10



WorldQuest – hosted by World Affairs Council of Hampton Roads, November 15



WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL
Greater Hampton Roads



WHAT: WorldQuest 2018
WHEN: 5:30 pm on Thursday, November 15, 2018
WHERE: DoubleTree by Hilton Norfolk Airport
1500 North Military Highway, Norfolk, VA 23502

**YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN A TEAM FOR OUR ANNUAL WORLDQUEST
COMPETITION, BASED ON INTERNATIONAL ISSUES OF 2018!**

WHAT TO BRING:

COMPETITIVE ATTITUDE, ENTHUSIASM, EXCITEMENT, & KNOWLEDGE OF CURRENT INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

Teams of Eight (Dinner and Game):

High School – \$225

College – \$225

Faculty / General / Corporate – \$350

Faculty / General / Corporate (plus full-page ad) – \$500

Faculty / General / Corporate (plus full-page ad & sponsor a student table) – \$750

Individuals – \$50

DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2018 BY NOON

Register at www.hrwc.org or mail your registration along with
the name of your team/organization (or whether you'd like to be placed at a table) to:
World Affairs Council of Greater Hampton Roads
4101 Granby Street #205, Norfolk, VA 23504

Welcome to our new and returning members!

Donna Bausch

Joy Kannarkat

Bridget Browne

Edward Kellam

Kenny Bullock

Ann Kirk Mendes

Stewart & Jeannie Butterworth

Ann Maliniak

Rey Consunji

Linda McCluney

Minette Cooper

Ashley McLeod

Elizabeth Dietzmann

Melissa Neu

Georgeanna Fellio

Alison Parker Carmel

Hiroyuki & Mizuki Hamada

Joyce Pierce

Gretchen Hardy

Sonal Rostogi

Youlander Hilton

Marina Saitgalina

Thomas Host

Ann & Manfred Schwarz

Jan House

Irene Wegener

Connie Johnson

Jeanne & Peter Williams