SAYMA Nominations Committee

Report to 2012 YM

The SAYMA Nominations Committee has been through a difficult time in the 2011-2012 inter-Yearly Meeting period. Experienced members of the committee have dropped off the committee, the Clerk resigned, and a temporary convener currently is gathering the committee together. The tasks facing the Nominating Committee are not insurmountable, but they will pose a challenge to the remaining members of the committee.

Committees that will need new members at the 2012 Yearly Meeting are: Personnel Committee, SAYF Steering Committee (needs co-Clerk), JYM Oversight Committee, Yearly Meeting Planning Committee (needs Clerk), and Nominating Committee (needs Clerk).

The Committee to Review the *Guide to Our faith and Practice* will continue to work toward adding a Queries Section to the F&P. The committee requires two additional members. Inquiries are encouraged. Ministry and Nurture will require a new clerk and new members.

In addition, several wider Quaker organizations need new representatives or renewal of existing representatives. AFSC is going through structural re-organization. There are no longer representatives sent to SERO. However, we do need to nominate one representative to the AFSC Corporation (replacing Charles Schade). And SAYMA may appoint two representatives to the AFSC South Regional Executive Committee. Other wider Quaker organization who need new representatives (or for the old representative to continue) are RSWR, QEW, and FCNL.

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