

# Pacific Yearly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends 2022-2023 Roster

The year to the left of each name is the year the current appointment or term expires (at the end of that year's Annual Session unless otherwise indicated). Each name is followed by the individual's Monthly Meeting or Worship Group, and, in parentheses, the year they began their service. Appointments of committee clerks and conveners are for one year. Vacant positions are indicated by an underscore. All terms are three years unless noted otherwise.

*Note: This document will be updated following RepCom 2023 and may be updated at other times during the year.*

## Officers

**Presiding Clerk** *1-year term, up to 3 years*  
2023 Laura Magnani, Strawberry Creek (2021)

**Assistant to the Clerk** *1-year term*  
2023 Heather Levien, *unaffiliated* (2021)

**Co-Treasurers**  
*3-year term; 1 October to 30 September to coincide with the fiscal year*

2024 Genie Stowers, Berkeley (2022)  
2025 Sarah Tyrrell, Berkeley (2022)

**Historian-Archivists**  
2025 Jan Tappan, Orange Grove (2013) (historian)  
2024 George Mills, Palo Alto (2022) (archivist)

**Statistical Clerks**  
2024 Susy Cervantes, La Jolla (2021)  
2025 David (DJ) Bloom, Apple Seed (2018)  
*to serve in this role as it is redefined in relation to processes being explored and developed*

**Recording Clerks** *2-year term*  
2023 Raph Levien, Berkeley (2019)  
2024 \_\_\_\_\_

**Reading Clerk** *1-year term*  
2023 Hulda Muaka, Palo Alto (2022)

**Registrars** *2-year term*  
2024 Lawrence Alderson, Orange County (2017)  
*to serve as this role is redefined in relation to processes being explored and developed*  
2025 \_\_\_\_\_

**Young Adult Friends Clerks**  
Alma Moon, Strawberry Creek (2022)  
Ari Standish, Berkeley (2022)

**Junior Yearly Meeting Teen Clerks**  
*pending*

## Committees & Subcommittees

### Arrangements Committee

*6 members*

2023 Ann Fuller, Santa Monica (2018)  
2023 Susan Rahn, *unaffiliated* (2022)  
2024 \_\_\_\_\_  
2024 Judi Oehmen, Santa Monica (2021)  
2025 Bronwen Hillman, Mexico City (2017) *Clerk*  
2025 Sue Torrey, Central Coast (2022)

Ex officio: Registrars

Annual Session Teams & Roles  
*appointed by Arrangements Committee*

Daily Miracle Team  
IT/Tech Team  
Food Coordinator  
Volunteer Coordinator

### Children's Program Committee

*6 members*

2023 Molly Bishop, Red. Forest (2020) *Co-Clerk*  
2023 Sandy Farley, San Mateo Wor Grp (2020)  
2024 Theresa Cox, Berkeley (2022)  
2024 Delcy Steffy, Sacramento (2022)  
2025 Rhea Farley, Straw Ck (2020RC) *Co-Clerk*  
2025 \_\_\_\_\_

Ex officio: Children's Program Coordinator,  
Youth Programs Coordinator

## Communications Committee

6 members

- 2023 \_\_\_\_\_  
2023 Susan Rahn, *unaffiliated* (2022)  
2024 Allison Kirkegaard, Nashville (2019)  
2024 Andrea Harman, Palo Alto (2020) *Co-Clerk*  
2025 Sherri Sisson, Orange County (2022)  
2025 \_\_\_\_\_

Ex officio: Historian (Jan Tappan, Orange Grove),  
*Co-Clerk*; Archivist; Administrative Assistant;  
Youth Programs Coordinator; Statistical Clerk;  
Website Editors; IT Administrator

### Website Working Group

*appointed by Communications Committee*

- Andrea Harman, Palo Alto, *convener*  
Keenan Lorenzato, Davis, *website editor-youth*  
Bronwen Hillman, Mexico City, *website editor*  
George Mills, Palo Alto, *website editor*  
Susan Rahn, *unaffiliated*  
Jan Tappan, Orange Grove  
Sherri Sisson, Orange County

## Faith and Practice Revision Committee

9 members 5-year terms + IT specialist

(increased from 6 to 9 members at AS2022)

- 2025 Jim Anderson, Chico (2020) *Co-Clerk*  
2025 Diego Navarro, Sta Cruz (2020) *Co-Clerk*  
2025 \_\_\_\_\_  
2026 Sue Scott, Inland Valley (2018)  
2026 Ray Rischpater, Palo Alto (2020)  
2026 \_\_\_\_\_  
2027 Patricia Portillo, Sacramento (2016)  
2027 Joe Magruder, Berkeley (2022)  
2027 Margaret Mossman, Berkeley (2019)

Ex officio: Historian

- 2025 Ted Selker, *unaffiliated* (2022) *IT*

## Finance Committee

5 members

(reduced from 6 to 5 members at AS2022)

- 2023 Sarah Bottom, *unaffiliated* (2020)  
2023 John Murphy, Maui Worship Group (2021)  
2024 Robert Levering, Santa Cruz (2018)  
2024 Martha Hunkins, Humboldt (2019)  
2025 Doug Smith, Reno (2019) *Clerk*

Ex officio: Co-Treasurers; Statistical Clerk

## Holding Corporation

4 members

(reduced from 6 to 4 members at AS2022)

*This committee chooses its own officers*

- 2023 Jeff Kroeber, San Jose (2020)  
2023 Paul Harris, Chico (2018)  
2024 Roy Allen, Berkeley (2022)  
2025 Lanny Jay, Apple Seed (2021)

Ex officio: Co-Treasurers; Presiding Clerk  
Agent for Service: Lanny Jay, Apple Seed

## Junior Yearly Meeting Committee

Adult members (*up to 8 adult members*)

- 2023 Suzanne Doss, Orange Grove (2013)  
2023 Steve Leeds, San Francisco (2021)  
2024 \_\_\_\_\_  
2024 Cedar Green, San Jose (2021)  
2025 Natasha Herrera, *unaffiliated* (2021)  
2025 Melissa Lovett-Adair, Central Coast (2022)

Teen members (*appointed by JYM teens*)

- Faith Cantu, Santa Cruz (2022)  
Elias Santiago Myers, San Francisco (2022)

Ex officio: Youth Programs Coordinator

## Latin American Concerns Committee

3-6 members + named appointments

- 2023 \_\_\_\_\_  
2024 Margaret Willits, Delta (2021)  
2024 Paty Constantino, Mexico City (2020)  
2025 Linda Rowell, Chico (2015) *Co-Clerk*

Named appointments:

Casa de los Amigos:

Bart Czyz, Casa Board (2021)

El Salvador Project:

Hulda Muaka, Palo Alto (2019)

Guatemala Scholarship Program:

Donna Smith, Redwood Forest (2014) *Co-Clerk*

Undocumented Student Scholarship Program:

Patricia Portillo, Sacramento (2020)

## Ministry Committee

9 members

- 2023 Gail Eastwood, Humboldt (2018) *Clerk*  
2023 \_\_\_\_\_  
2023 Stan Searl, Santa Monica (2021)  
2024 Jay Cash, Strawberry Creek (2021 RC)  
2024 Robin DuRant, Orange Grove (2021)  
2024 Rita Comes Whitney, Palo Alto (2021)  
2025 Lee Sisson, Orange Grove (2022 RC)

### **Ministry Committee cont'd.**

- 2025 Gail Coonen, Humboldt (2022)
- 2025 Kathryn Manalo, Berkeley (2022)

Eldering Subcommittee  
*pending*

Indigenous Concerns Subcommittee  
*pending*

Racial Justice Subcommittee  
*pending*

Friends of Color Affinity Group  
*pending*  
White Allies Affinity Group  
*pending*

### **Naming Committee**

*3 members plus 1 alternate; term through end of RepCom of year indicated*

- 2023 David Lederman, Orange Cty (2020) *Conv*
- 2023 Sarah Tyrrell, Berkeley (2021)
- 2023 Jim Summers, La Jolla (2022)

### **Nominating Committee**

*9 members*

- 2023 David (DJ) Bloom, Apple Seed (2020)
- 2023 Julie Harlow, Davis (2017) *Clerk*
- 2023 Liz Baker, Sacramento (2020)
- 2024 Gail Thomas, Santa Monica (2019)
- 2024 Dan Strickland, Orange Grove (2021)
- 2024 Margaret Mossman, Berkeley (2022)
- 2025 Trudy Friedel, Inland Valley (2019)
- 2025 Nancy Glock-Grueneich, Sta Cruz (2022)
- 2025 Elaine Emily, Strawberry Creek (2022)

### **Peace and Social Order Committee**

*6 members*

- 2023 Betty Guthrie, Orange Cty (2019) *Co-Clerk*
- 2023 Daniel Ulloa, Mexico City (2021)
- 2024 Linnea Hanson, Chico (2017) *Co-Clerk*
- 2024 Brian Johnston, Santa Monica (2018)
- 2025 \_\_\_\_\_
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Ex officio: SCQM or Regional Peace & Social Order Committee Clerk or designee; 1 PacYM AFSC Rep; 1 PacYM FCLCa Rep; 1 PacYM FCNL Rep

### **Unity with Nature Committee**

*up to 9 members*

- 2023 Paty Constantino, Mexico City (2021)
- 2023 Gayle Matson, Chico (2020)
- 2023 Michael Dunn, Inland Valley (2020)
- 2024 Keith Runyan, Santa Cruz (2020) *Co-Clerk*
- 2024 Nancy Glock-Grueneich, Sta Cruz (2020)
- 2024 Marge Gianelli, La Jolla (2021 RC)
- 2025 Suellen Lowry, Humboldt (2021) *Co-Clerk*
- 2025 Ragni Larsen-Orta, Strawberry Ck (2022)
- 2025 Billie Hamilton, Sacramento (2020)

### **Youth Programs Coordinating Committee**

*Adult Members (6 adult members)*

- 2023 Kit Newman, Sacramento (2022)
- 2023 Elena Rosales-Anderson, Red. For. (2022)
- 2024 Nancy Mellor, Sacramento (2021 RC)  
*YPC Supervisor*
- 2024 David East, Sacramento (2022)
- 2025 Sarah Armstrong-Jones, Big Island (2022)
- 2025 Kiernan Colby, Santa Cruz (2019) *Clerk*

*Youth Members*

*(up to 4 youth members nominated by YPCC)*

- 2023 Nate Secrest, Redwood Forest (2022)
- 2023 Alma Moon, Strawberry Creek (2022)
- 2023 Anna Lichterman, Redwood Forest (2022)

Ex officio: Youth Programs Coordinator

## **Representatives to Quaker Organizations**

### **American Friends Service Committee (AFSC) Corporation**

*2 Representatives*

- 2023 Ramona Hussey, Honolulu (2019)
- 2024 Jane Krause, Orange Grove (2022)

### **Friends Bulletin Corporation**

*(Western Friend Board of Directors)*

*3 Representatives*

- 2023 Lanny Jay, Apple Seed (2022)
- 2024 Tom Head, Chico (2021)
- 2025 Nancy Wilkinson, Straw Ck (2019) *Conv*

### **Friends Committee on Legislation of California (FCLCa)**

*1 Representative*

- 2023 Vicki Carroll, Central Coast (2020)

### **Friends Committee on National Legislation (FCNL)**

*2 Representatives to in-person events plus up to 4 Representatives attending virtually*

- 2023 Chris Stitt, Honolulu (2022) *In-person*  
2023 Mary Klein, Palo Alto (2020) *Virtual*  
2024 Michele Shields, Honolulu (2019) *Virtual*  
2024 Cindy Fowler, Sacramento (2021) *Virtual*  
2025 \_\_\_\_\_  
2025 Genie Stowers, Berkeley (2022) *Virtual*

### **Friends General Conference (FGC) Central Committee**

*2 Representatives*

- 2023 Michelle Bellows, Strawberry Ck (2020)  
2025 Carl Magruder, Strawberry Creek (2022)

### **Friends Peace Teams Coordinating Council**

*1 Representative*

- 2024 \_\_\_\_\_

### **Friends World Committee for Consultation (FWCC) Section of the Americas**

*Up to 4 Representatives*

- 2023 Emelyn Buskirk, Live Oak (2020)  
2024 Allison Kirkegaard, Nashville (2022)  
2025 Hulda Muaka, Palo Alto (2020)  
2025 Mica Estrada, Strawberry Creek (2022)

### **Quaker Earthcare Witness (QEW)**

*2 Representatives*

- 2023 Yumi Kawano, Big Island (2019)  
2024 Suellen Lowry, Humboldt (2021)

### **Evangelical Friends Church Southwest**

*1 Observer*

- 2024 Linda Murphy, Honolulu (2021)

### **Friends United Meeting (FUM)**

*1 Observer*

- 2025 Martha Hunkins, Humboldt (2022)

### **Reunión General de los Amigos en México**

*18-month term; representatives to attend the 2023 gathering virtually*

- 2024 Susy Cervantes, La Jolla (2022)  
2024 David (DJ) Bloom, Apple Seed (2022)  
2024 Gabriela Alvarado, Sacramento (2022)  
2024 Daniel Lean-Moctezuma, *unaf* (2022)

## **Other Roles or Positions**

### **Administrative Assistant**

*appointed by Presiding Clerk, two year experiment; part-time position*

- Bronwen Hillman, Mexico City (2021)

### **Children's Program Coordinator**

*appointed by Children's Program Committee prior to Annual Session; one-year term*

### **IT Administrator**

*appointed by Communications Committee; no fixed term*

- Pedro Rodelas, *unaffiliated* (2022)

### **Youth Programs Coordinator**

*appointed by YPCC; full-time position; no fixed term*

- Keenan Lorenzato, Davis (2020)