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VICE PRESIDENT'S NEWSLETTER

October 1981

Meeting

Date: Friday, October 30, 1981
Time: 12 noon to 1:15 P.M. brown bag lunch
Place: 24th Floor Grosvenor Center, Conference Room of Hoddick Reinwald
Agenda: Speaker, Carolyn Staats, Ph.D, clinical psychologist, "How women handle stress."

Congratulations to our president, SHERRY BRODER, on the birth of her second child a boy, Eric Gabriel, October 13, 1981, and to our board member PAT LEE, on the birth of her second child, a boy, Bradford, born on August 16.

Congratulations to FRANCES WONG, who participated as a resource person at the Governor's White House Conference on Children and Youth in September; to FRANCES and FAY KIMURA, who have been named to the Board of Child Protective Services, replacing Jane Hall; to MARIE MILKS, who was named temporarily to the Circuit Court bench; and Aloha to PAT BLYTH, who has moved to Los Angeles to be an associate in the firm of Adams, Duque and Hazeltine.

Membership News: we are pleased to add the names of 63 newly admitted women attorneys to our mailing list. All women attorneys receive our monthly newsletter and are encouraged to attend our monthly meetings, ususally held on the last Friday of the month at noon. For \$15 (\$10 for new admittees) you will become an active member of HWL and be eligible to hold office and vote. We hope all of you will join us. For new members and old, please let one of the officers know if your mailing address changes. Please use your business address where possible as we try to deliver the newsletter through the court jacket system.

HSBA Elections are currently in progress. We are pleased to see so many women taking an active part in local bar activities. By increasing our involvement in the bar, we can gain enough influence to effect changes which will benefit us professionally. The following women candidates are seeking office: HSBA: vp - HELE GILMOR; board - CAROL MON LEE (past HWL president), WELCOME S. FAWCETT (past HWL secretary), ALANA LAU; YLS: vp; president elect - SHEILA YEE LAU, CYNTHIA WINEGA secretary - JO KIM (past HWL legal counsel); board - DIANE WONG, ROSEMARY FAZIO, ROSALYN LOOMIS, DONA HANAIKE (present HWL board member).

HWL Elections: Nominations will be received until November 30 for officers for 1982. Please call Sherry Broder (533-3006), Dona Hanaike (548-8929) or Sandra Simms (548-8922). The nominating committee will announce its slate in the January Newsletter, and elections will take place at the January meeting.

Report of the Board of Directors Meeting, October 15, 1981: The board voted to send Sherry flowers from HWL; named the nominating committee and fixed the schedule for receiving nominations; and discussed alternatives for recognizing our members' achievements. IRENE ANZAI was named chair of a committee to review the suggestions offered at the meeting, to select an alternative and to establish procedures and criteria for selection. Any one interested in helping her, please call her at 548-8350. The board also discussed moving our monthly meeting place to accommodate the recent larger attendance. The new Federal Building cafeteria and the Richards Street YWCA have been suggested. Anyone who can offer us a large room at her firm, please call ANGIE KING 536-4302. Next board meeting is Nov. 5, 12 noon, at the Federal Bldg. cafeteria.

KITV Follow-up: One of the terms of the KITV strike settlement (as outlined for us at our last meeting by JO KIM) required the station to provide more air time for programs of interest to women. Eileen Mortensen, NOW's statewide coordinator will host a new program to be aired on Sundays at 12 noon. The first show on November 1, 1981, featuring CAROL MON LEE and JUDITH STIRLING, will discuss how the 1981 tax legislation affects women. WELCOME S. FAWCETT will be one of the featured guests on the November 29, 1981, show which is also about divorce.

You are invited to a reception October 28, at the Lt. Governor's office from 5-7 p.m. sponsored by the City and County of Honolulu Commission on the Status of Women to honor 12 women in Honolulu who have been recognized for their achievements by the state legislature or the city council in 1981. JO KIM is one of the honorees.