

## **How we annually elect our Officers for our IWC Board of Directors.**

Following is a summary of Section ARTICLE IV of our Bylaws

### **Nominating Committee Appointment**

There is still an opportunity if you are interested in being on the nominating committee. Please contact our President Jessica Ray at [president@iwcbda.com](mailto:president@iwcbda.com).

### **Nominations**

The chair of the Nominating committee is Tiffany Banner who can be reached at [bannertiffany@gmail.com](mailto:bannertiffany@gmail.com).

Nominations for all Board positions shall be approved by the members of the Club annually.

At March Hospitality events and through the Newsletter, all members are called upon to nominate member(s) for a Board position and to contact the nominating committee chair with her nomination(s). Members are not allowed to nominate themselves.

This Nominating Committee shall select at least one nominee for each office of the Club.

The Nominating Committee Chair gives an update of all progress toward filling the Board positions to the Board at its March Board meeting. If positions remain vacant, the Board shall make efforts to solicit members and/or consider changes in the existing Board positions where warranted.

The list of the Committee's nominees shall be published in the April newsletter and presented at the April hospitality event.

### **Eligibility**

Elected board members (Officers) are eligible for election to the same office for two consecutive terms.

A term shall consist of one year.

Officers are eligible to be elected to a different office.

The position of President should be filled from the existing Board members. If there are no current Board members willing to fill the President's role, the Nominating Committee will solicit nominations from past Board members.

In the event a position cannot be filled by the Nominating Committee, an elected Officer may remain in position until a replacement is found.

### **Election and Term Commencement**

The slate of proposed Officers shall be voted on at the May Annual General Meeting of the Club, installed at the June Hospitality event of the Club, and become effective on July 1st.

A description of the various Officer positions is in the Bylaws under Article V on Page 10 (a copy of the By-law is in the Member Info section of the IWC website.)