

## Palomar District Women's Clubs

### 2015 Changes and Clarifications to Scholarships

#### **January 21, 2015 Palomar District Board of Directors**

Scholarship: Nancy Jones has been appointed the Hazel Erickson Scholarship Chairman for 2015. She has contacted Palomar College to award the Hazel Erickson Scholarship in the value of \$500 in May 2015 on behalf of Palomar District WC. **Name of Scholarship:** PALOMAR DISTRICT CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMENS CLUBS – HAZEL ERICKSON TEACHING **Intent Status:** Full-time female student preferred, but a deserving male student is acceptable. May be returning to Palomar College or transferring to a 4-year college or university. **GPA:** 3.0 or above  
The recipient will be invited to our Convention April 29 to share lunch and given 5 minutes to share about herself. The check will be sent to Palomar College after the Convention. The Palomar College Awards Night is in mid-May and Nancy will attend to "award" the scholarship.

Bylaws Committee: Rosalia Zamora, Chairman, introduced the Bylaws Committee members. She proposed a Standing Rule Amendment concerning the Hazel Erickson Scholarship and Convention Award Ceremony costs. **Motion: that Standing Rule #25 be adopted as follows: "The Hazel Erickson scholarship recipient and her guest shall have their registration/lunch fees waived at the District Convention and shall be charged under Convention expenses."**  
**Rationale: Clarification. Motion passed unanimously.**

**\* Recipient and guest free lunch at Convention.**

#### **August 25, 2015 Palomar District Board of Directors**

**Scholarships Committee** – Nancy read a thank-you letter from 2015 Palomar College recipient Fabiola Rivera. The group discussed the wording of an additional standing rule – will the scholarships: 1) go to continuing students only, or 2) can they **go to continuing or graduating students?** The graduating student would need to be continuing her education in the field of **education**. Attendees favored option 2. (Correction by Pat H)

**\* Scholarship will go to continuing or graduating students**

#### **Bylaws and Standing Rules Amendments Adopted September 15, 2015**

##### **Article VIII Dues and Finance**

**Section 5.** One Hazel Erickson Memorial Scholarship shall be awarded annually using funds from the Hazel Erickson account and any other amount which may be allotted for this purpose. Club and memorial donations shall be accepted and included in available funds. The scholarship shall be awarded annually until the scholarship fund is depleted.

##### **NEW STANDING RULE:**

**26.** The Hazel Erickson Memorial Scholarship of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) shall be awarded in alternating years to a **continuing or graduating female** student who is pursuing a degree in education at Palomar College in the odd years and at MiraCosta College in the even years. **Funds will be released by the District Treasurer to the recipient's account at the College or subsequent educational institution upon receipt of proof of registration.**