



# National Capital Pond

## Supervisor of the Flock Report – May 2021

### **2020-2021 Meetings/Events:**

#### **September – Season Kick-off Business Meeting**

Date: September 17, 2020

Location: Kelsey's Irish Pub, Ellicott City, MD

Attendees: 17

#### **October – 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing**

Date: October 13, 2021

Location: Montgomery Country Club, Laytonsville, MD

Attendees: 90 Golfers

#### **November – Volunteer Day of Service**

Date: November 12, 2021

Location: Second Chance, Inc., Baltimore, MD

Attendees: 15

#### **December – Toy Drive AND Blue Goose Reindeer Games**

##### **50/50 Raffle + Prizes Charity Fundraiser**

Date: December 11-17th 2020

Location: Daniels Restaurant, Elkridge, MD

Attendees: Hundreds of ticket buyers & live-streamed drawing raffle/prize winners

#### **January – Virtual Small Business Day w/PMLG Jim Kern**

Date: January 26, 2020

Location: Zoom Seminar w/discussion of SBA PPP-EIDL Economic Recovery Programs for Small Business

Attendees: 16 members/business owners

### **February – NCP Happiest Hour Zoom Call!**

Date: February 18, 2021

Location: Your place!

Attendees: 20

### **March – Blue Goose March Madness Challenge for Charity Fundraiser**

Date: March 18 – April 5, 2021

Location: Online NCAA Tournament Bracket Challenge

Challenge for Charity “Bracketeers”: 82

### **April – New Member Rush Party**

Date: April 15, 2021

Location: Bowlero, Columbia, MD

Attendees: 35

### **May – Joint NCP-SOMP Initiation Ceremony and Business Meeting**

Date: May 26, 2021

Location: Blue Dolphin Grill, Gambrills, MD

Attendees: TBD

### **June – 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing**

Date: June 14, 2021

Location: Montgomery Country Club, Laytonsville, MD

Attendees: A bunch I hope!

**A peek in the rear-view mirror, and some words of thanks:** Looking back at the Sept. 2020- June 2021 proposed schedule we created in Aug. 2020, it is now virtually unrecognizable! The only events that survived the tribulations of the last 9 months were the “kick-off” meeting last Sept. 17<sup>th</sup>, and the successful make-up Golf Outing we staged in October after cancelling the June 2020 event. Due to the pandemic, after that we were all pretty much “wingin it”, looking for opportunities to come together in fellowship to volunteer, to donate, to have fun, and to honor the precepts of the Blue Goose. Despite some big disappointments (incl. no Holiday party-no Casino Night!), I feel the NCP met the challenges very well. We worked together to conceive other wonderful ways to come together, as shown above.

As SOF, I want to express my sincere gratitude to our NCP members, member companies, and sponsors for their ongoing support through the last year. And, I want to especially thank MLG Andrea Dawes and the entire NCP leadership for working so hard to keep us all energized, focused, and mission forward!

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