

REGISTRATION SYSTEM

The registration system is ready for Annual Session and only needs final rates to be set. We are using a friendlier user interface, which has been extensively tested. However, any who would like to do further testing feel free to do so.

Please test the registration system at “<https://npym.org/registration/register>” and report any usability issues to webkeeper@npym.org. Test registrations will be removed from the system prior to opening registration on May 1st.

NPYM G SUITE @npym.org

NPYM now has a free for non-profits G Suite account and all @npym.org email addresses have been moved to G Suite. We now have the capability to setup Google groups for any committees who might like to communicate through an email list. These groups can be set so that only group members are allowed to communicate through the group, or open to the public. For instance it@npym.org is a members-only email list used by the IT committee. qew@npym.org for Quaker Earthcare Witness is open to the public and emails sent to that mailing list are forwarded to our QEW representatives. If your committee would like a group email list contact webkeeper@npym.org.

Email and group accounts @npym.org that are open to public contact are accessible through the npym.org “Contact Us” form, so you do not need to know the exact @npym.org email address to send them a communication.

There is concern regarding our use of G Suite gmail accounts and group email lists; they have the capability to retain a communication archive, and that could be helpful reference material for people who might receive that email in the future. Most of our current user and group accounts are set to forward incoming emails to designated personal email addresses. That was done initially as a convenience for the recipients. The problem is that email replies from an individual are not captured in the npym.org user or group account.

If CC deems it appropriate for the sake of a complete two-way capture of email correspondence through individual user accounts (such as for the treasurer, clerk, webkeeper, event planner, registrar,...) and for some group accounts the webkeeper will work with the individuals receiving mail through those accounts to change from receiving forwarded emails to direct use of the account.

ZOOM TELECONFERENCE

The webkeeper established a free Zoom teleconference account last fall, which has been used by the IT committee for periodic remote meetings. Western Friend supplies scheduled use of their Pro-level Zoom account. Salmon Bay meeting scheduled use of that for their meetings for worship and business meetings. Western Friend has two Pro-level Zoom accounts to address need for two simultaneous meetings. Mary Klien said that sometimes occurs. She offered WF as a back-up in case we need it.

The IT committee proposes that NPYM establish a Pro-level Zoom account for scheduled use by NPYM committees, its Quarters, and associated Monthly Meetings and Worship groups. The webkeeper proposes that we consider having one or two Pro accounts at a cost of \$180/year/host each.

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