



Robert Said What?

Rights of the Parliamentary Law: Majority, Minority, Absentees, Individual Members, All of These
From the Charlotte County Parliamentarians Unit

March 1, 2018



From the desk of Sam King, CCPU President:

Practical Application classes ended on February 22nd, and there were thirteen students that graduated. As usual it was a fun class, in which everyone learned something new. We hope that some of the graduates will be taking the membership test in the near future.

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Eleven of the Students that Graduated

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The minutes (draft) from the meeting of January 11, 2018, are attached. Please take the time to read the minutes before the March meeting.

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At some time in your life, you may have heard, "It's in the mail." For the Charlotte County Parliamentarians Unit, this is true. A few months ago it was noticed that the IRS name for the unit was different by one word from what the unit goes by. In fact, we call ourselves CC Parliamentarians Unit and the IRS knew us to be the CC Parliamentary Unit.

To change the name, Joyce and Sam wrote to the IRS and requested that the one word be changed from Parliamentary to Parliamentarians.

And we have waited, impatiently, but waited.

The other night when submitting our 990N to the IRS, it was discovered that the name was changed at the IRS site! Yippee! The official notification *should be* in the mail.

*There will be a bylaw change presented at the March meeting, but since it is not within the time requirement for notice, it will be presented and hopefully passed by unanimous vote, which is allowed in the Unit's bylaws.

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE NEXT UNIT MEETING!



Thursday, March 8th at 9:30 - 11:30 am

Joyce's Teaching Moments will be held immediately after the meeting.

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Florida State Association of Parliamentarians

Annual Meeting & Workshops

When: May 18-20, 2018

Where: Embassy Suites Tampa, 10220 Palm River Road, Brandon, FL

Schedule:

Friday: Board meeting

Saturday: Annual Meeting followed by workshops.

Sunday: Registered Section Transition Meeting and Workshop. All FSAP members and guests are welcome to attend.

Hotel Registration: \$119 per night, plus taxes. Deadline is April 27, 2018

Phone reservations: 813-413-3903

Online reservations: [FSAP Web Reservations](#)

Registration: \$79 includes Saturday lunch; Student registration: \$40; Guest lunch: \$40.

[May 2018 Annual Reservation Forms](#)

Workshops: To be announced.

Attachments: Draft of the minutes from the January 11th meeting, agenda for March 8th meeting, and the FSAP State May meeting registration and hotel reservation forms