

**SOUTHWEST SECTION
WOMAN PILOT OF THE YEAR
APPLICATION
PERIOD ENDING MAY 31, 2010**

Each year the Southwest Section of The Ninety-Nines recognizes the outstanding accomplishments and achievements of a member by honoring her as SWS Woman Pilot of the Year or SWS Professional Woman Pilot of the Year. To apply, you must have been a member of The Ninety-Nines, in good standing, for at least three consecutive years ending May 31 of this year.

All chapters are encouraged to submit up to three (3) applications. The application shall include all flying-related activities for the previous three years. Judging will be based on flying, organizational involvement, public relations and other areas that would distinguish a member and which promotes women pilots.

POINT SYSTEM AND GENERAL RULES

Through the years, a point system evolved. We know, when applying for this award, that a wide range of activities will be considered. To be fair to all applicants, we have chosen a point system. It is important when filling out the application that you take your time to make sure the application is completed correctly. By doing so, it will help the judges in their evaluation and selection process.

Once the application is complete, please submit it to your chapter officers for their review. This step is necessary because it is your chapter officers who best know your level of involvement in the organization, more specifically, in your chapter and the Southwest Section.

Please send the signed application, along with a letter of recommendation from your chapter, to Pat Prentiss, SWS WPOY Chairman. Please feel free to attach additional letters of recommendation and copies of other documents that you believe will assist the judges in their evaluation.

YOUR accomplishments, achievements and credentials have made a mark in the history of women pilots. Please take the time to share them with others. After all, who knows what you have done better than you? And while you may not want to boast about yourself, it is through your achievements that others will be inspired.

Submittal Deadline is September 15, 2010

POINTS FOR ATTENDANCE – Within the last three years ending **May 31, 2010**
List additional information as applicable and use additional sheets, or reverse of page as necessary.

Your Chapter Meetings (Business and General) –
List location and date – **4 points each**

Other Chapter Meetings (outside of your own) –
List location and date – **5 points each**

Your Chapter Committee Meetings –
List type of committee, purpose and date of meeting – **2 points each**

SWS Winter Business Meetings – 5 points each

2008 Tucson, Arizona _____
2009 McClellan AFB, Sacramento, California _____
2010 Van Nuys, California _____

Southwest Section Meetings – 5 points each

Fall 2007 San Francisco, California _____
Spring 2008 Palm Springs, California _____
Fall 2008 Ogden, Utah _____
Spring 2009 Glendale, Arizona _____
Fall 2009 Grass Valley, California _____
Spring 2010 Concord, California _____

SWS Committee Meetings – 3 points each
List type of committee, purpose and date of meeting:

International Conferences –

Must have attended the Annual Business Meeting – **10 points each**

2007 Boulder, Colorado _____
2008 Anchorage, Alaska _____
2009 Chicago, Illinois _____

POINTS FOR PARTICIPATION –

Three years ending **May 31, 2010**. Spectator time does not count – **3 points each**

Flying Companion Seminar_____

Flight Clinics_____

Ground Crew or Volunteer for Air Race_____

Airmarking_____

Air Show or Exhibition_____

Airport Tour (including tower and other airport facilities)_____

Girl Scouts or other youth presentation_____

Safety seminars and FAASTeam participation_____

Aerospace Education_____

Other - please list:_____

PPLI (Professional Pilot Leadership Initiative) Program – 3 points

Please answer “yes” or “no” to the following questions. Involvement in the program gives you the three points.

Are you a current PPLI crewmember? _____

Are you a PPLI graduate? _____

Are you a PPLI senior navigator? _____

Are you on the PPLI coordination team? _____

POINTS FOR PUBLICITY – Past three years ending May 31, 2010 – 3 points each

Please submit copies of publicity that you participated in or which promoted the 99s.

Radio stations, television stations, public newspapers, magazine, etc. Unfortunately, chapter newsletters do not qualify._____

Speak to a civic body or club on aviation or the 99s._____

Write an article for an aviation publication_____

POINTS FOR PILOT CREDENTIALS – The last three years ending May 31, 2010

FAASTeam Participation – **2 points each**_____

FAA Wings Phase – **1 point each** _____

FAA Written Passed – **3 points each** _____

FAA Certificates – **5 points each**

 Sport Pilot_____

 Recreational, Private_____

 Commercial_____

 Flight Instructor_____

 ATP_____

Additional Ratings and type ratings currently held – (list separately) – **4 points each**

POINTS FOR HOLDING AN OFFICE OR COMMITTEE POSITION –
Within the last three years ending **May 31, 2010**

Elected Position:

Chapter – **8 points each** _____

Section – **10 points each** _____

International – **15 points each** _____

Appointed Position:

Chapter – **3 points each** _____

Section – **5 points each** _____

International – **7 points each** _____

Aviation office or appointed position held outside of the 99s – 2 points each

List title and date held.

Member of other aviation organization or group – 2 points each

Example: AOPA, CAP, WAI, ISA+21, Whirly Girls, Flying Samaritans,
Angel Flight, Air Force Reserve, etc.

Recruit new member for The Ninety-Nines, Inc. – 5 points each

The last three years ending May 31, 2010. List new member's name, membership
classification and date joined.

Aviation awards received – 5 points each – List award and date

Inducted into the Forest of Friendship – 5 points – List year you were inducted

POINTS FOR FLYING - 1 point for every hour logged

Please enter your total flight time logged in the listed categories for the past three years
May 31, 2010

PIC – Day _____

PIC – Night _____

Instrument Time (Actual) _____

Instrument Time (Simulated) _____

Flight Instruction Received _____

Flight Instruction Given _____

Professional Flight Time _____

Example: Airline, Part 121, Charter, Part 135, Corporate, Part 91

Other “For Hire” Time _____

Example: fish spotting, banner tow, blimp, etc.

Multi-Engine Time _____

Air Racing _____

Competition Flights _____

Example: Poker Runs, Treasure Hunts, etc.

Donation of Flight Time _____

Example: Angel Flight, Scout rides, EAA, introduce someone to flying, Pennies-a-Pound, etc.

Check out in different models of aircraft _____

Please list:

Add Total Flight Time _____

Air Racing – In the last three years ending May 31, 2010 – 10 points for each entry

Please list the race(s) you have entered and the dates. Example: Air Race Classic, Palms to Pines, etc.

Placed:

First **10 points** _____

Second **8 points** _____

Third **6 points** _____

and

Tail End Charlie **2 points** _____ (for enjoying the most scenery)

Worked as part of the Air Race ground team – 1 point for every hour _____

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GRAND TOTAL POINTS _____

Congratulations! You have just completed a very comprehensive application, one that has taken you back to many of your aviation achievements and accomplishments.

Before submitting the application, please make sure that you have accurately added your points, especially those relating to flight time. Your chapter officers need to sign the application as provided below. The completed package should then be mailed to Pat Prentiss, Southwest Section WPOY Chairman as follows:

**Pat Prentiss
225 Opal Avenue
Balboa Island, California 92662
patprentiss@aol.com
(951) 533-3341**

Chapter Officer _____

**Signature
Print Name, Title and Date**

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GOOD LUCK!!