

The **ADBA** will host its **Annual General Membership** meeting on **Saturday, April 27th at 1:00 pm Central Time**, via zoom. More information on how to join will be coming out at a later date.

(A reminder that to have a vote at the Annual meeting, your festival or club must have a current paid membership. Each member club or festival is allowed one vote. Others may join the meeting but will not have a vote.)

The following positions are up for election at this meeting: President, Secretary, and three at large board members. Officer responsibilities include:

- *President. The President shall be the principal executive officer of the corporation, and, subject to the control of the Board of Directors, shall in general supervise and control all of the business and affairs of the corporation. He or she shall in general perform all duties incident to the office of President and such other duties as may be prescribed by the Bylaws or by the Board of Directors from time to time.*
- *The Secretary shall: a) Keep the minutes of the Board of Directors' meetings; b) See that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws or as required by law; c) Be custodian of the corporate records; d) In general perform all duties incident to the office of Secretary and such other duties as from time to time may be assigned to him or her by the President or by the Board of Directors.*
- *In addition to the other duties and requirements of the officers, they shall each serve as a member of the Board of Directors.*

The ADBA is seeking nominations for these positions, as well as **the three at large positions. Nominations for all of these positions will be taken through April 20<sup>th</sup>**. Nominations will require a biography (no more than 250 words) of the person being nominated and a letter of recommendation from their club. According to ADBA bylaws requirements for board membership states that they “be a member of the ADBA, live and/or work in the ADBA region and be a resident of the United States”.

Nomination paperwork should be sent to the treasurer via e-mail at:

[treasurer@americandragonboat.com](mailto:treasurer@americandragonboat.com).