

Moorestown Friends School Alumni Association

The Bylaws

Article I – Name.

The name of the organization shall be the Moorestown Friends School Alumni Association.

Article II – Purpose.

The mission of the Moorestown Friends School Alumni Association is to nourish a spirit of fellowship and involvement among all alumni – supporting the efforts of Moorestown Friends School to keep alumni connected to the school and each other, both socially and professionally through communications and alumni gatherings. The Association will advance the Quaker values and the academic, extracurricular, and institutional objectives of Moorestown Friends School – supporting efforts might include, but are not limited to, on-campus events, regional gatherings and fundraising efforts. Each year, the Association will accept nominations and recognize alumni with awards given in the categories of merit and service.

Article III – Membership.

The membership of the Association will include all former students, parents of alumni, former faculty and other friends of MFS.

Article IV – Officers.

The officers of the Association shall consist of an Assistant Clerk, Clerk, Immediate Past Clerk, and Award Committee Chair as well as an executive council. The selection of any alumni to the position of Clerk involves a three year term (Assistant Clerk for one year, Clerk for the next and Immediate Past Clerk for the third year). The Award Committee Chair shall serve a two year term and shall be permitted to serve up to two consecutive terms.

The executive council shall be no less than 6 members, representative in composition of the alumni body. Individuals on the executive council shall serve two-year terms and shall be permitted to serve up to two consecutive terms.

A staff representative from Moorestown Friends School will be named to the role of recording secretary and will participate in all Alumni Association Meetings.

Article V – Selection of Officers.

The officers shall be selected through a process of consultation with the school and consensus of the executive council, which comprises the nominating committee.

Article VI – Meetings.

The executive council shall meet at least three times a year, including an annual plenary session of the Alumni Association on Alumni Weekend.

Article VII – Authority.

The association and its executive council will operate using the principles of Quaker decision-making.

Article VIII – Amending or revising the bylaws.

The bylaws may be changed with prior notice to the executive council, and one meeting for discussion followed by a subsequent meeting for action, during a single term.