

SFBP Quarterly Outreach Report – Activities of the SFBP Outreach Committee

To BOPC – 26 April 2018

1. Supporting 2018 Summer STEAM Academic Enrichment Program (SAEP) - a 24/7, six week residential program on the campus of the California Maritime Academy, providing science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics – “STEAM studies” -- to Oakland multi-ethnic and gender equity high school students for early college preparation
2. Assisted with development of the maritime program at McClymond HS, Oakland School District, including curriculum development, arranged guest speakers from tug (Foss, AmNav) and ferry operators (Blue & Gold) and provided instruction on maritime topics and introduction to maritime career paths to multi-ethnic students
3. Meetings with Captain Robert Cook, Captain Kevin Barrow and Chief Engineer/SUNY professor Sean Carswell of the Organization of Black Maritime graduates at CMA and with educators at McClymond's HS to discuss our current program of maritime instruction and future outreach plans
4. Attended two-day Women in Maritime Leadership Conference at the California Maritime Academy, March 2-3, 2018. This was the third year that the SFBP has participated in this event, providing speakers or presenters, and the 2nd year SFBP has been a sponsor. Participated in panel discussions entitled “Piloting, It’s For You” and “Women in Maritime Today, Their Paths to Piloting”
5. Introduction to two women's groups; Seasisters.org and Womenoffshore.org, providing a networking platform for women in maritime careers
6. Followed up with CMA and Women's International Shipping & Trading Association (WISTA) to discuss outreach programs to reach women and minority candidates
7. Hosted Afterguard Sailing Academy field trip to Pier 9 to familiarize students with piloting and maritime career paths
8. Hosted CMA cadet field trip to Pier 9 to familiarize students with piloting operations
9. Continued outreach efforts to graduating women deck cadets at CMA regarding career paths to qualify for pilot training program
10. Continued outreach/mentoring women serving in command positions in industry planning to take future selection examinations for BOPC pilot trainee training program