

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



SOCIETY OF WIRELESS PIONEERS

| P.O.Box 530 Santa Rosa, Calif., U.S.A. 95402   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| I apply for LIFE MEMBERSHIP (*) in the Society of Wireless Pioneers, certifying on my honor that I have been assigned (gainfully employed) as a "professional" wireless/radio operator in handling messages and traffic on Radio-telegraphic circuits using one of the recognized International code of the world excluding landwire.  Leave Blank  No.3010-  No.4010-  Date 12-2  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| I agree to keep the Society informed of any changes in (1) Address; (2) Telephone Number (3) Amateur call and status; (4) any change/s in status that should be included in future Directory Listings.  I am enclosing \$  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unsigned applications will be returned for signatures  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SPARK-GAP PIONEER*(Svc. PRIOR 1925.   * VETERAN 1940   | 1949 WAZNEY  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| PIONEER (Svc. 1926-1939 * Prior 1915Member (1950   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| DATE ASSIGNED FIRST SHIP OR STN. Name/Location first ship or station  HISTORY SHEET (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)  Schwager Anny S.A.  Family Name Given Name In'tl. Sine Wife's Name.  21. Ulrichstraße 7918 Illertissen  Street or P.O. Box No. City/Town   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| West-Germany 7918 9 7303/2625  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| PROFESSIONAL ASSIGNMENTS (List) NOTE: In addition to listing of historic records (including dates calls, etc.) Please give the anything unusual in your careercitations. honors. etc At wireless experience, installations, ships yourself etc. use extended to the stall of the | Society a brief sketch of tach clear pictures of ra sheets as necessary.  E SHIP/SHORE STN. CALL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8. AMARININ ACCOUNTY   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| AMATEUR ACTIVITIES  PRESENT CALL? DF 2 SL DATE. FIRST CALL DATE  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Would you like to join A SOWP NET? Yes

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Anny



## PLEASE COMPLETE \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

| ~~        | ORGANIZATIONS YOU BELONG TO? (PLEASE CHECK)  |  |                |  |   |  |  |
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|           |  | QCWA. —                                  | MTC -          | — AFCEA —— — ROU. ——   | ARA. —  | - VWOA.<br>- ACA.<br>SSA                 |  |
|           | Bdc. Pioneers  RCofA AFCEA  Historical Organizations?  | MMARC(OTHERS -                           | IMMC           | R.O.A  | RSGB  | MV                                       |  |
| •         | HOBBIES OR AVOCATIONS (Please list your major "interests" at right - members would like to know about your hobbies, avocations, sports, etc.)  |  | eading Or we   | FE MEMBERSINGE you are accessively will list you are accessively address curver mail publications. | epted into the<br>on Society re<br>ers etc. as I<br>rent. we wi | ecords, pub<br>ong as you<br>II not how- |  |
|           | PARTICIPATION SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS in arrears.  Would you like to hold a National or Chapter Office in our organization if nominated? ————. If "YES" what type of activity would you enjoy most?  |  |                |  |   |  |  |
|           | <ul> <li>Organizing.</li> <li>Records.</li> <li>Secretary.</li> <li>Treasurer.</li> <li>Correspondent.</li> <li>Editing Society Publications.</li> <li>WP CW Net C/O etc.</li> <li>Awards Committee</li> <li>Historian.</li> <li>Book Reviews.</li> <li>Promotion &amp; Public Relations.</li> <li>Membership</li> <li>Travel Program.</li> <li>Entertainment.</li> <li>Other:</li> <li>Would you undertake SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS for PORTS O' CALL or the WIRELESS PIONEER?</li> <li>If you like to write or have ability in drawing, illustrating, cartooning etc., you could no doubt furnish us invaluable assistance in working up material for publication. We need members who would be willing to TYPE COPY for our coming issues of WP and POC. Would you like to volunteer?</li> </ul>   |  |                |  |   |  |  |
| •         | RECORDS & HISTORICAL DATA  Do you have pictures of early wireless installations, stations, ships, etc., that you would either loan or donate to the Society for our library and use in PORTS O' CALL? If so, would you please catalogue (if not too much work) the subjects and as much detail about each as possible. We would like to work up a large collection of ships and wireless stations (pictures) for use in coming publications as well as members and others who have contributed to the great age of the The Wireless (Please list on separate letter size sheet and attach). We would also like old newspaper articles about early day wireless and ships plus biographies of the great or (near) great. Old catalogues. magazines, illustrations and anything you think might be of interest for the Wireless Pioneer or Ports O' Call. We feel this is VERY IMPORTANT as time is running out for many of us and we would like to concentrate this historical data in one place before it is too late. |  |                |  |   |  |  |
| 0         | APPLICATION FEE - IMPOR  | TANT                                     |                |  |   |  |  |
|           | It is important to note that officers of the Society donate their time and it is therefore necessary we reduce record-keeping to a minimum. For this reason, dues of the Society are on a <u>CALENDAR YEAR</u> basis. So as not to be inequitable to our new members joining, we have a sliding scale of dues which pay for the balance of the calendar year from the month you join, with the exception of Oct. Nov. & Dec., in which coming year's dues are also required with application. (Dues for 1976 set at \$6.50   |  |                |  |   |  |  |
|           | AMOUNT TO SEND WITH APPLICATION (Includes Initiation fee \$2.50 - one time only)   |  |                |  |   |  |  |
| <b>\$</b> | JAN \$9.00 FEB. 8.50 Ma<br>July 6.00 Aug. 5.50 Sep<br>(Dues for Nov. & Dec. included)  | ot. 5.00 Oc                              | t. 4.60        | Nov. 8.00 Dec  | e 6.50<br>c. 7.50   |  |  |
| •         | PLEASE NOTE: Upon receipt of your application form and acceptance, you will be issued a LIFE MEM-<br>bership NUMBER and membership card. You may consider this as notice and receipt<br>that your initiation fee and dues for the current year (or year following Nov. 1st) has been received and is ack-<br>nowledged. In due time you will also receive our lithogaphed wall certificate. There may be a 60/90 day delay<br>before you receive it so please be patient.  |  |                |  |   |  |  |
| •         | Please indicate at right - how many c<br>you, that you in turn will mail to eli-<br>duty WILL BE APPRECIATED. Than   | opies of this app<br>gible friends? You. | plication form | we may send<br>on and yeoman   |   | _  |  |

## Dear Walt!

Wie geht es Dir, lieber Freund? This is not a happy leter, I must say, my heart is so sad and down, a week ago I had a nice and long chat with Anny, DF2SL on the twisted wire, like we say, Anny make me always laugh with her humor, but this is not longere, MOnday Anny died suddenly of a heart attack, her helper found her in the Bathroom, where she was washing, she was so orderly and sauber! I cry, when I talk about her, it seems impossible, that she is gone, she let a great void inmy heart and my life, we felt like sisters, almost the same age, she would be 75 first of April, she had come here in 1977 and we went to Canada, she talked about it often, Handicapped as she was, she lost a leg, cause of a malpractice and had to raise two boys by herself, her husband left her for this handikap but thanks to the hoby and many friends she coped, Now I can no longer call every MOnday what we did for years on 14.057 at 15UTC, I will cry and cry many more weekes, at this day and miss her, Her son Peter called on Thursday this week, I can not believe it yet, but must say, it was a good passing, fast and without long suffering and this helps me to overcome her loss.

She was so proud to belong to Your group and waited anciously for Your magazine

Thank You Walt, You belonged too to her long list of friends. I sand a donation for a scholarship to YLRL, she belonged for many years and I adopted her, she was like my sister and will be inmy heart always88 Walt keep healthy and remember Anny, das liebe Maedchen in Old Germany DF2SL

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mouning my dearest friend DF25L Anny Aprile Swager, 3010-V

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PRESENT CALL? DF 2 SL

DATE.

FIRST CALL

DATE

Anny

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