

One thing I learned at an early age was to look again. A fly on the wall at 4 Maple Court in the mid 70's might have heard something like this:

"Mom! There's no more bologna!" "Look in the meat drawer."

"I already did!"

"Look again."

"Okay."

(pause)

"I found it!"

I also learned that if I wasn't throwing up or didn't have a fever, I wasn't sick. "Get up. You're going to school."

If I ever complained about someone else doing a substandard job, she'd chime in with, "if you want something done right, do it yourself."

She had a great sense of humor, and all we needed to get each other in hysterics was a word or two, or just an eyebrow raise.

And when I commented on some accolade she'd received or something clever she'd done, she'd graciously accept the compliment. And then, a second or two later she'd say, "They don't pay me for my looks, you know!"

Her kind spirit was always evident, and the aura of positivity she radiated was irreplaceable. Two instances in particular come to mind:

When we visited Grammy O at Saint Mary Home and walked in the front door, Mom was all smiles. She greeted all the residents in the lobby as well as each person we encountered on the way to Gram's room, and their faces would just light up. Those small acts of kindness make people's days, and for her it was a matter of course, like eating or breathing.

Another was when she visited California in 2003 to meet her newest grandchild. A couple of friends met me at the house before we went to a concert at the Hollywood Bowl. We hung out for an hour or so and had a nice little visit. On the way to the show, both of my friends remarked about her aura of positivity and kindness, and how much they'd enjoyed spending time with her.

Finally, she remarked on many occasions when we were on vacation, that she always tried to leave the place she was staying nicer than when she arrived.

Mom left this place nicer than when she arrived.

REMARKS BY SUZANNE NOLAN

Ann and I met in 2005 when I began work at St. Francis Hospital as Director of Spiritual Care. As a new administrator, I was so very fortunate that she took me under her wing; I know so many of you also received from her an embrace of sincere interest and genuine care for your well-being.

Ann asked me to speak today about her time at St. Francis. The factual parts of that are well known. Her personal impact on her colleagues and staff was also remarkable. To try to honor her legacy there, I talked to many people who worked with her.

So now I ask you to imagine a shimmering Waterford vase filled with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, each flower a phrase describing Ann as a nurse and nurse leader:

—Incredibly strong woman

—Could see the gift in someone, help that person to see it, and help them to nurture it

—Wonderful and supportive, especially in challenging moments (this person told of a night years ago when she had to transfer a heart transplant patient to Yale; Ann was the night supervisor and helped every step of the way)

—Consummate professional

—Incredibly dedicated

—Capable, competent

—Respected nurse leader

—One person described her approach through a Maya Angelou quote: "if you don't

like something, change it. If you can't change it, change your attitude."

—Honest when you messed up, and then helped you to create the plan to go forward

—Helped her staff feel secure in their important roles even as the corporate model was increasing in the hospital

—Special in so many ways

—Persistent and tough; did the very challenging work of bringing Continuing Care and Utilization and Social Services together into the Case Management Department then became the Director of that Department

—Over the top in her generosity

—She and Mike opened their home to provide a place for a staff member's wedding

—A wise mentor

—Gentle sense of humor

—Poked fun at herself

—Ultimate hostess

—A kind person, just so very kind

And Ann, of course, throughout her working life, relished being a loving wife, a beloved mother and grandmother.

I believe God gave Ann extraordinary gifts in her ability to love and to care deeply for others. Her trust in God, her deep faith, enabled her to embrace these gifts and enrich so many lives thus giving glory to God. We in this church, and so many others, have been privileged to know Ann and to be blessed by her presence. We miss her so much, and we are so grateful to her.

May you find comfort in these words of safe passages: "Rest assured that in her dying, in her flight through darkness toward a new light, Ann held you in her arms and carried your closeness with her. And when she arrived at God, your image was imprinted on her joy-filled soul."

RECOGNIZING SOUTHEAST PENNSYLVANIA'S EAGLE SCOUTS FOR 2020

HON. BRIAN K. FITZPATRICK

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 26, 2021

Mr. FITZPATRICK. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the following individuals for attaining the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest achievement of the Boy Scouts of America. Since its inception in 1911, only four percent of scouts achieve this rank after a lengthy review process.

On behalf of all residents of the First Congressional District, I congratulate these emerging leaders on their achievement. We are incredibly grateful for their commitment to service and the positive impact they have on our community.

Name: Troop No.

Aaryan Goel, 36

Alexander Danchak, 36

Andrew John Blemings, 230

Anthony Gambescia, Jr., 99

Augustine James Covelens, 610

Christian D. Allemang, 542

Christian Wolf, 64

Christopher Farese, 99

Christopher James Quinlan, 153

Christopher Kingsley, 30

Christopher Lee Myers, 10

Christopher S. Pullen, Jr., 53

Christopher Stockburger, 99

Cole Sheppeck, 99

Colin Chaar, 99

Connor W. Bautz, 10

Dakota Mihelcic, 461

Daniel Forsythe, 380

Daniel Haschets, 71

Douglas James Lang, 153

Erik H. Kleinfelder, Jr., 130

Erik William Fisher, 153

Evan Grant Storms, 277

Grant Rokuskie, 139

Henry Adams Polli, 99

Jacob Outcalt, 10

Jaiesh Madaka, 10

Jared Loeper, 147

John Wyatt Keating, 10

Lars N. Knudsen, 542

Matthew Allen Dohalick, 168

Matthew Barthelmes, 547

Matthew C. Small, 82

Maxwell Steven Quinn, 71

Michael Bahner, 71

Michael Joseph Elia, 145

Nico Valerio, 10

Pranav Chivukula, 10

Rajan Patel, 380

Robert Louis Lucot, 200

Robert P. Oleynick, 10

Ryan Henry, 130

Samuel Ryan Barndt, 13

Sean M. Gutekunst, 82

Stephen F. Jayne, 99

Thomas H. Stacherski, 36

Travis Fazio, 79

Victor Sorace, 168

Viet N. Tran, 542

Wesley J. Dearoff, 30

William Renson, 34

Zachary Danchak, 36

HONORING MIMI AUNG AS A 28TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT WOMAN OF THE YEAR

HON. ADAM B. SCHIFF

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 26, 2021

Mr. SCHIFF. Madam Speaker, I rise today in honor of Women's History Month. Each year, we pay special tribute to the contributions and sacrifices made by our nation's women. It is an honor to pay homage to outstanding women who are making a difference in my Congressional District. I would like to recognize a remarkable woman, MiMi Aung of La Cañada Flintridge, California, who is receiving Special Districtwide Recognition for her trailblazing work on the Ingenuity Mars Helicopter.

MiMi credits her mother, who was the first Burmese woman to earn a doctoral degree in mathematics from an American university as her inspiration. MiMi's family returned to Myanmar when she was a toddler, where MiMi resided until she moved back to the United States at the age of 16 to pursue her education. She obtained her Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering and her Master of Science degree in Electrical Engineering, with her thesis focus on signal processing and communications, from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

In 1990, Ms. Aung moved to Southern California and began working at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's (NASA) Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL), fulfilling her childhood dream of space exploration. She began her career by working on mathematical algorithms for deep space communication with

spacecraft hundreds of millions of miles away from Earth, and during her 30 year career at JPL, was selected for various positions with increasing degrees of responsibility specifically in Deep Space Network projects, organizational line management, technology development, and space flight projects. The numerous technical areas she engaged in included spacecraft guidance, navigation, and control; autonomous systems; deep space signal processing and communications; optical communications and multiple-spacecraft formation flying.

With Ms. Aung as the Project Manager, worldwide history was made on April 19, 2021, when the Ingenuity Mars Helicopter took its first flight and was the first powered, controlled flight in the planet Mars' atmosphere, and the first such flight anywhere outside of Earth.

Believing that young people should pursue what they believe in, and that critical thinking and industriousness play a big role in pursuit of their heart-felt objectives, MiMi is a frequent keynote speaker at various Science Technology Engineering Mathematics (STEM) summits and conferences and local area schools.

MiMi and her husband, Dr. James Shell and their two children live in La Cañada Flintridge. Madam Speaker, for her extraordinary achievements in the science realm, I ask my colleagues to join me in honoring this exceptional, well-respected woman of California's 28th Congressional District, MiMi Aung.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate of February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the *Extensions of Remarks* section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, July 27, 2021 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JULY 28

9 a.m.

Committee on Foreign Relations

Business meeting to consider S. 2297, to improve global health, S. 812, to direct the Secretary of State to develop a strategy to regain observer status for Taiwan in the World Health Organization, an original resolution expressing solidarity with Cuban citizens demonstrating peacefully for fundamental freedoms, condemning the Cuban regime's acts of repression, and calling for the immediate release of arbitrarily detained Cuban citizens, the nomina-

tions of Gentry O. Smith, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary (Diplomatic Security), Monica P. Medina, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Rena Bitter, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary (Consular Affairs), Marc Evans Knapper, of California, to be Ambassador to the Socialist Republic of Vietnam, and Brian A. Nichols, of Rhode Island, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Western Hemisphere Affairs), all of the Department of State, routine lists in the Foreign Service, and other pending calendar business; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the nominations of Kenneth Lee Salazar, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to the United Mexican States, Jessica Lewis, of Ohio, to be an Assistant Secretary (Political-Military Affairs), and Donald Lu, of California, to be Assistant Secretary for South Asian Affairs, all of the Department of State, and Marcela Escobari, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development.

SD-G50

9:30 a.m.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Business meeting to consider the nominations of Robert Luis Santos, of Texas, to be Director of the Census, Department of Commerce, and Ed Gonzalez, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security.

SD-342

10 a.m.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Alexander Hoehn-Saric, of Maryland, Mary T. Boyle, of Maryland, and Richard Trumka, Jr., of Maryland, each to be a Commissioner of the Consumer Product Safety Commission, and Grant T. Harris, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

SR-253

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

Subcommittee on National Parks

To hold hearings to examine the impacts of overcrowding in our national parks on park resources and visitor experiences, focusing on strategic approaches to visitor use management.

SD-366

Committee on Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings to examine the benefits of investing in U.S. Army Corps of Engineers water infrastructure projects.

SD-406

Committee on Finance

To hold hearings to examine building on bipartisan retirement legislation, focusing on how Congress can help.

SD-215

Committee on Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Kenneth Lee Salazar, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to the United Mexican States, Jessica Lewis, of Ohio, to be an Assistant Secretary (Political-Military Affairs), and Donald Lu, of California, to be Assistant Secretary for South Asian Affairs, all of the Department of State, and Marcela Escobari, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development.

SD-G50/VTC

Committee on the Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine pending nominations.

SD-226

2 p.m.

Select Committee on Intelligence

Closed business meeting to consider pending intelligence matters.

SH-219

2:30 p.m.

Committee on Foreign Relations

Subcommittee on Africa and Global Health Policy

To hold hearings to examine U.S. trade and investment in Africa.

SH-216/VTC

Committee on the Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine America's food supply chain.

SD-226

3 p.m.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs

Business meeting to consider S. 372, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to enter into a contract or other agreement with a third party to review appointees in the Veterans Health Administration who had a license terminated for cause by a State licensing board for care or services rendered at a non-Veterans Health Administration facility and to provide individuals treated by such an appointee with notice if it is determined that an episode of care or services that they received was below the standard of care, S. 612, to require the Under Secretary for Health of the Department of Veterans Affairs to provide certain information to medical center staff and homelessness service providers of the Department regarding the coordinated entry processes for housing and services operated under the Continuum of Care Program of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, S. 887, make certain improvements relating to the supply chain of the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 1040, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand eligibility for hospital care, medical services, and nursing home care from the Department of Veterans Affairs to include veterans of World War II, S. 1198, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve and expand the Solid Start program of the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 1220, to amend title 38, United States Code, to recognize and honor the service of individuals who served in the United States Cadet Nurse Corps during World War II, S. 1319, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to make certain information publicly available on one internet website of the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 1863, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve access to health care for veterans, S. 1875, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide a deadline of 180 days for the filing of claims for payment for emergency treatment furnished to veterans, S. 1965, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to improve long-term care provided to veterans by the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 2041, to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to enforce the licensure requirement for medical providers of the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 2102, to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Under Secretary for Health of the Department of Veterans Affairs to provide mammography screening for veterans who served in locations associated with toxic exposure,