

Board Member Joellyn Ellis
April 2021

Region 6 Chapter: Jo Ellis, president

May 2020: Not held due to Covid -19 restrictions. A “heads up” postcard was sent to all chapter members in the summer warning of the switch to virtual everything.

September 2020: A Zoom meeting was held for essential business such as the delayed officer election.

November 2020: A second Zoom meeting was held for essential business, the Budget.

March 2021: Zoom meeting was scheduled for essential business. Going to press before we know for sure.

Many of our members do not have functioning email addresses which complicates communications. We also lost several active members this year although not from the virus.

We had many members involved in the November election. That worked.

Warren Chapter: Pam Kellar, president

May 2020:

September 2020:

November 2020

March 2020: Warren Retired had a Zoom meeting in March and is planning another one in May. No guest speakers were invited but the chapter wanted to keep in contact with its members.

Several chapter members helped active teachers obtain COVID-19 vaccine appointments either by sending them the information or scheduling appointments for them. President Pam Kellar personally registered over 30 active members for the vaccine as well as several retirees. Secretary Fern Cohen kept everyone informed by posting links and phone numbers on social media such as FaceBook to get appointments.

Warren Retired continued to support philanthropic efforts such as the Warren Education Scholarship Foundation. PAC donations were also encouraged.

Along with other chapters across the state Warren retired members gave many hours campaigning for pro-public education candidates in the November election. Members participated in making phone calls, letter writing, postcards, and literature drops.