



ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONALE DES SKAL CLUBS  
NATIONAL SKAL COMMITTEE OF U.S.A

## SKAL INTERNATIONAL SACRAMENTO #549

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September 17, 2020

Eric Braendel  
SKAL USA

Dear Eric,

I am writing to you in support of Dave Ryan, who recently shared that he would like to run again for the office of President of SKAL USA. This is been an extraordinary year and I believe he is the right person for to lead SKAL USA as our organization and our industry recovers from the Covid19 recession. I think he is giving us the direction and leadership we need at this critical moment. A second term would give a sense of stability to SKAL USA members. He has many good ideas which he was unable to offer in 2020 due to the uncertainty of the evolving pandemic/recession. A second term would give him an opportunity to some of his ideas to move us forward.

Dave is an enthusiastic and reliable supporter of SKAL, the travel/tourism industry and the values that SKAL represents. He is a long-time member who rose through the ranks of SKAL Sacramento and held virtually all board positions over the years. As a representative to the national committee he has worked hard to create new SKAL clubs and revitalize struggling chapters. He has provided solid leadership in this time of crises.

Dave has helped organize and/or represented SKAL Sacramento at numerous conventions and other SKAL projects, such as Tourism Cares.

I have known Dave since 1998 when we worked together at Trafalgar Tours. He is regarded by his peers as a true professional and always reliable partner. More than once, over the years, he has encouraged me to continue my membership with SKAL and become more involved rather than sitting on the side lines. I am the current President of SKAL Sacramento which is testament to his persistence and persuasiveness.

I hope to see his name on the ballot.

Sincerely,

Carol Fox  
President – SKAL USA Sacramento