



Jack London Park Partners' Board of Directors welcomes Jody Davies

Jack London Park Partners, the non-profit organization that operates Jack London State Historic Park, has welcomed Jody Davies to its Board of Directors.

Born and educated in the northeast and in Durban, South Africa, Davies obtained a BS in Environmental Science and a Master's in Community Development. She eventually gravitated to the emerging world of information technology, working in high level positions for both IBM (in the U.S. and Australia), AT&T and IP Sharp Associates in Sydney.

Davies earned a professional degree in photography from the former Germain School of Photography, ran a successful photography business and was also a staff photographer for New York Mayor Ed Koch.

She served as the first Development Director for one of the largest outdoor education non-profits in the country (Frost Valley YMCA). In addition, she has served on numerous non-profit boards, led capital campaigns, and helped to establish, operate, and staff several foundations and a school.

Davies has been a member of the park's Trail Patrol for many years.

"I'm so drawn to this place, both the natural environment and the organization," she said. "I am impressed with the way everyone – board members, volunteers, staff and partners – have kept the park and Jack London Park Partners going for the past ten years."

"Jody's varied experiences are united by three core values: an enduring commitment to community service, an abiding passion for artistic creativity and a deep love and concern for the natural



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environment. She is an excellent addition to the board,” said Jack London Park Partners Board President Peter Ferris.

Jack London State Historic Park, in the heart of the Sonoma Valley, is operated and funded by Jack London Park Partners, one of the first non-profit organizations to be entrusted with management of a state park on behalf of the people of California. Funding to keep the park going strong is generated from visitors, annual passholders and generous donors. Learn more about the park at <https://jacklondonpark.com/> and on Facebook, Instagram and YouTube.

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