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The Guerrilla Guide to Robert's Rules

The bible on Parliamentary procedure For anyone who has ever had something important to say at their local school board or condo association meeting, only to be drowned out by others who knew how to take control of the meeting-or were just louder-this guide shows how anyone can get their thoughts and ideas heard and their agendas and proposals passed. Written by professional Parliamentarian Nancy Sylvester, this book provides secrets, tips, and tricks to making the rules of Parliamentary procedure a personal secret weapon. With The Guerrilla Guide to Robert's Rules, readers will learn all the ways to make their voice heard- fairly and ethically! * Written by the consummate Professional Registered Parliamentarian * Tips on how to play fair-and play to win * The perfect complement to Sylvester's book on the basics of Parliamentary procedure, The Complete Idiot's Guide® to Robert's Rules

Robert's Rules in Plain English 2e

Robert's Rules of Order

ROBERT'S RULES OF ORDER Grab this GREAT physical book now at a limited time discounted price! Robert's Rules were first established in 1863 as a way to better assist in bringing efficiency, legitimacy, fairness, uniformity and competence to the way meetings ran among Army personnel. Since that time, Robert's Rules have

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been updated and expanded upon, and are now used in organizations of all types and sizes. This book covers the topic of Robert's Rules and how to understand and implement them yourself. Inside, you will learn of the different Rules of Order you must follow, as well as the definitions of many terms used within Robert's Rules. Finally, you will be provided with strategies as to how you may introduce Robert's Rules to your specific organization, be it a company, charity, sporting club, sorority, or otherwise! Here Is What's Included What Are Robert's Rules The Origin Of Robert's Rules Parliamentary Process How To Properly Run A Meeting Motions Roles Within The Deliberative Body How To Begin Using Robert's Rules Much, Much More! Order your copy of this fantastic book today!

The Complete Guide to Facilitation

This handbook on group decision-making for those wanting to operate in a consensus fashion stresses the advantages of informal, common sense approaches to working together. It describes how any group can put these approaches into practice, and relates numerous examples of situations in which such approaches have been applied.

Robert's Rules of Order

All the rules you need in a meeting made simple and easy--the only authorized concise guide on parliamentary procedure Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised, In Brief was first published in 2005 to meet the need for a simple and short book on parliamentary procedure. This second edition of In Brief is now updated and revised to match the new full edition of Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised, also published this year. Written by the same authorship team behind the officially sanctioned Robert's Rules of Order, this concise, user-friendly edition takes readers through the rules most often needed at meetings--from debates to amendments to nominations. With sample dialogues and a guide to using the complete edition, Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised, In Brief is the essential handbook for parliamentary proceedings.

The Consensus Building Handbook

This definitive edition of the original "Robert's" presents rules of order, motions, debate, conduct of business, and adjournment. All problems of conducting a successful meeting smoothly and fairly are resolved.

Complete Idiot's Mini Guide to Robert's Rules Scripts for Meetings

This is a volume of six personal and literary essays. It covers the authors life immediately before and during his professional career in the public mental health system. The author offers not only professional, philosophical, political and economic perspectives, but also several proposals for improving public mental health in America.

Drafting to Win

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Provides detailed instructions for using Robert's Rules, the long-time standard of rules for running meetings, including basic procedures, the ladder of motions, sample minutes, and scripts for every type of meeting situation.

Puppy Training

Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised, commonly referred to as Robert's Rules of Order, RONR, or simply Robert's Rules, is the most widely used manual of parliamentary procedure in the United States. It governs the meetings of a diverse range of organizations-including church groups, county commissions, homeowners associations, nonprofit associations, professional societies, school boards, and trade unions-that have adopted it as their parliamentary authority. The manual was first published in 1876 by .US Army officer Henry Martyn Robert, who adapted the rules and practice of Congress to the needs of non-legislative societies. Ten subsequent editions have been published, including major revisions in 1915 and 1970. The copyright to Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised is owned by the Robert's Rules Association, which selects by contract an authorship team to continue the task of revising and updating the book. The 11th and current edition was published in 2011. In 2005, the Robert's Rules Association published an official concise guide, titled Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised In Brief. A second edition of the brief book was published in 2011.

Robert's Rules For Dummies

A revised edition of the bestselling Robert's Rules in Plain English, which still stands as the most concise, most-user friendly guide to parliamentary procedure on the market today. If you've ever had to run a meeting according to parliamentary procedures, you know just how difficult it is to keep track of all the rules, much less follow them. Figuring out what to say and how to say it seems an impossible task. Robert's Rules in Plain English, 2nd edition, is the solution to that problem. Not only does it provide you with the essential, basic rules in simple, straightforward English, it also includes summaries, outlines, charts, and sample dialogues so you can see exactly how these rules work in practice. With an extended glossary and new chapters on electronic meetings and internet usage, Robert's Rules in Plain English, 2nd edition, is an authoritative, modern guide to running a meeting successfully and keeping it on track.

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book on the basics of Parliamentary procedure, The Complete Idiot's Guide to Robert's Rules.

The Complete Idiot's Mini Guide to Robert's Rules Scripts for Meetings

Housebreaking your puppy is possible in seven days!! Having a puppy can be a wonderful experience until they start pooping, misbehaving and making things difficult. Imagine being about the housebreak your puppy in just 7 days! That would seem IMPOSSIBLE? Not at ALL! If you have the techniques and steps it is achievable What I am about to share with you will show you exactly how to house break your puppy in a matter of 7 days. there will be accidents but you and your pup will get over that. I will show you how to establish an early routine, on the day you bring them into your home, ensure your puppy is well trained to roam around your home, play, and enjoy life with you. Teach you the right mindset. How to think when raising your puppy Dogs are highly intelligent, and even old dogs can learn new tricks. Use their intelligence to your advantage by discovering the proper way to train your puppy in just seven days. What you will learn: The capabilities of your puppy in their young age. How you can view your infancy and compare it to a dog's age and development. The psychology of your puppy that determines their body language, expressions, and behavior. Steps for proper crate training. There is always a place to start when it comes to training your puppy properly. Once you learn, the basics of puppy psychology and crate training, it will be time to go through the following details: when you bring your puppy home. How to reinforce the lessons on day two. Your ability to use your dog's intelligence for reinforcement of training, as well as learning new commands. Gaining ground in the training for proper behavior. Getting past the initial routine to establish the work routine. Dealing with accidents properly for positive reinforcement of behavior. How to love your well trained puppy. At the end you will learn tricks to teach your puppy some cool tricks you can help with your puppies discipline but also cool tricks to show you friends and family. Grab your copy NOW! Your Puppy needs you to buy this book, make your life easier and have a happier experience with your puppy. SCROLL UP AND CLICK BUY NOW!"

Fundraising Basics: A Complete Guide

Meeting problems are solvable. With this book, you'll learn how to use meetings to achieve your goals. You'll become a persuasive meeting facilitator. You'll walk out of meetings with clear decisions, focused action items, and the confidence that you've gotten the most creative and innovative ideas from your team."When people say they don't like meetings, it sounds to me a bit like people saying they don't like food. Clearly there are terrible meetings (and terrible food), but both are necessary and done right both can be awesome. This book will show you how."-Evan Williams, CEO of Medium"The world's greatest athletes got to that level by working on fundamentals, usually every day, and Meeting Mastery reminds us all of the same rules for leading our teams. A great tool for realizing the potential all leaders and coaches are responsible for finding within their organizations."-Scott Kriens, Chairman of Juniper Networks

Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised In Brief, 3rd edition

The Guerrilla Guide to Robert's Rules

"This book outlines the traditional rules, such as a quorum, abstention votes, amendments, and debates. You will also learn how to conduct meetings, conferences, seminars, and much more. Moreover, this book will help you bring your business into the 21st century. With technology rapidly changing and the Internet being a larger presence in the business world than ever, this book teaches you how to utilize Robert's Rules in conjunction with technology to conduct meetings online, create Web seminars, and send e-mail" -- Cover, p. 4.

Designing Brand Identity

As nonprofit organizations face heightened scrutiny by the general public, donors, regulators, and members of Congress, the Third Edition of the essential book on the basics of fundraising provides new, up-to-date and valuable information that every fundraiser needs to know. With ethics and accountability being the primary theme of the Third Edition, this practical guide will continue to provide an overview of the field and give development staff, managers, and directors a platform from which to operate their fundraising programs. The new edition also provides much needed information on giving trends, computer hardware and software available for fundraisers, cost estimates and workflow timetables, and the importance of the Internet. This primer remains a must-have for anyone new to the fundraising arena.

The Complete Idiot's Mini Guide to Robert's Rules Scripts for Meetings

Are you new to a board and have no idea what's expected of you? Do you know what a board's six key responsibilities are? Do you know what your relationship with the Executive Director should be? If not, this book is for you. So many board members—especially of small nonprofits—want to support a nonprofit and readily accept the invitation to join the board. It's only then that they discover they are in over their heads, with no idea of their expectations and responsibilities. The Little Book of Boards is here to throw that drowning board member a rope. Told with a conversational style, this book will lead you through the basics of being on a board, how meetings work, and what's expected between meetings. In addition, at the back of the book are several in-depth resources for understanding Roberts Rules of Order, bylaws, committee structures, board leadership, and much more. Perfect for any new board member—or for an entire board that is feeling lost—this book and its common sense approach will serve you every year you are on the board.

The New Rules of Retirement

Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised In Brief, 2nd edition

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You know a sense of order is important when conducting a professional meeting. And you know that people who understand parliamentary procedure often get their way. But remembering every step in a motion-making process, or the right language to use in a meeting, can be daunting. Here's a secret: a lot of presiding officers rely on what some might call "cheat sheets" but in the parliamentary world are called "scripts." The Complete Idiot's Mini Guide to Robert's Rules Scripts for Meetings gives you complete scripts that take you step by step through a meeting and tell you exactly what to say and when. In no time you will be getting your point across and having productive meetings!

Robert's Rules of Order

Get your meeting attendees to play by the rules! Have you ever been to a meeting that dissolved into utter chaos? Or attended a meeting that seemed unfocused and unproductive? Robert's Rules of Order have been the standard of parliamentary procedure for business and civic organizations since 1876. The Everything Robert's Rules Book fully explains Robert's Rules and shows you how to apply them to today's social and business meeting situations. Features clear explanation of: Types of meetings and their rules Proper voting procedures The rules of debate When and how to use motions Proper minute-taking Standards for teleconferencing and e-mailing The Everything Robert's Rules Book is your one-stop reference to holding productive, successful meetings.

The Complete Guide Book to Raising and Showing Indian Fantails

Understand Robert's Rules the Easy Way Since the late 1800s, Robert's Rules of Order has been used in corporate governance and executive boardrooms. Robert's Rules of Order were designed to properly assemble a group of people, of any size. It's a form of organizing assemblies intelligently. Any group, society, or assembly who adopts Robert's rules has the liberty to adopt their own rules - eventually creating their own book of rules. This book was written for executives, organizers, parliamentarians, and other organizations to easily understand the fundamentals of Robert's Rules of Order and put them into action. Here's what you will learn in this book: Robert's Rules: Foundation for Success Creating Bylaws Foundations of a Proper Meeting Motions Explained Creating Successful Committees Roles & Responsibilities

Log Construction Manual

Fantasy Football has quickly become a multi-billion dollar industry! Finally, for the millions of fantasy footballers who play for fun and/or money, here is a serious, comprehensive guide that teaches fantasy football from its basic terminology and fundamentals to the advanced strategies and systems needed to win consistently. In Drafting To Win: The Ultimate Guide To Fantasy Football, author Robert Zarzycki finally reveals how he uses his unmatched psychological, mathematical, and football knowledge to draft players and make a long-term profit in one of today's fastest growing hobbies. Learn How To: Select a league Rank Players Project Statistics Apply static and dynamic value-based drafting Strategize for every single

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round Handle being "on the clock" Significantly increase your overall chances of winning Book Quotes: "Robert's indisputable record of success in high-stakes competition makes DRAFTING TO WIN a must-read for all serious Fantasy players." - Bob Harris, TFL Report "Robert's accomplishments in the World Championship of Fantasy Football are unparalleled. His back-to-back finishes in the top three demonstrate his cunning understanding of how to win." -- Roger Craig, three-time Super Bowl Champion, San Francisco 49ers

The Complete Idiot's Guide to Robert's Rules, 2nd Edition

Explains the accepted procedures for conducting business, government, and club meetings.

The Complete Guide to Robert's Rules of Order Made Easy

Praise for THE NEW RULES OF RETIREMENT "As a Wharton graduate, money manager, Chief Financial Officer, and Certified Financial Analyst, I didn't think I needed help in making investment choices and planning for my retirement. I was wrong. I have been a subscriber to Retirement Watch since 1997. I trust Bob Carlson completely and follow his investment, tax, and planning advice personally." --Sandy Kagan, CFA CFO Partner, Tatum Partners "A clear, practical, and wisely unconventional guide to the new world of retirement." --Humberto Cruz Nationally syndicated financial columnist, Tribune Media Services "Bob Carlson does a magnificent job preparing readers for the many challenging issues they will face over the next several decades. Retirees can no longer count on generous asset returns and employer-provided defined benefit plans. Bob provides readers with creative approaches for contending with these challenges to help ensure financially and emotionally secure 'freedom years'." --Lawrence E. Kochard, PhD, CFA Chief Investment Officer, Georgetown University "Bob Carlson shows that three trends--demographics (baby boomers), increasing longevity, and fewer offspring--have changed forever the landscape facing America's retirees. Stereotype retirement based on Social Security and employer pensions is out; making ends meet on your own is in. Better get yourself ready--and you can do so by reading this book." --James C. Miller III Former U.S. Budget Director, Chairman of The CapAnalysis Group, LLC

How to Write Anything: A Complete Guide

"Set in Lombardy during the Spanish occupation of the late 1620s, The Betrothed tells the story of two young lovers, Renzo and Lucia, prevented from marrying by the petty tyrant Don Rodrigo, who desires Lucia for himself. Forced to flee, they are then cruelly separated, and must face many dangers including plague, famine and imprisonment, and confront a variety of strange characters the mysterious Nun of Monza, the fiery Father Cristoforo and the sinister Unnamed' in their struggle to be reunited. A vigorous portrayal of enduring passion, The Betrothed's exploration of love, power and faith presents a whirling panorama of seventeenth-century Italian life and is one of the greatest European historical novels"--Page 4 of cover.

The New Robert's Rules of Order

Log buildings are embedded deeply into North American history and culture. For more than one thousand years, builders have been weaving logs into homes, shelters, barns, and churches. Today, however, the buildings where we live and work are rarely handmade from natural materials. In this context, handcrafted, scribe-fitted natural log buildings are an attractive and uplifting alternative to conventional buildings and building materials. This book tells you what you need to know to build your own log home and also reveals the deep rhythms and patterns of log construction. Author Robert Chambers shows how to take naturally shaped, tapered, round logs and scribe-fit them one to another so that they look like they actually grew together in the woods. The Log Construction Manual is filled with information available nowhere else, including the Log Selection Rules, Chambers's brilliantly simple method for choosing which log to use next; instructions for building hip and valley log rafters and roof trusses from full-round logs; step-by-step directions for laying out the sill logs for virtually any floor plan, including hexagons, prows, and more; state-of-the-art compression-fit saddle notches and underscribing to keep fits tight over time; details on scribing and cutting long grooves and corner notches just like the pros; and more. Chambers also offers advice on organizing and financing a log home project and has loads of experience to share on cutting costs and avoiding common pitfalls. He presents practical ideas for saving money and controlling costs. Although handcrafted log homes are expensive to buy, they are within reach for many as owner-managed building projects. Written concisely with great care in explaining important details, the Log Construction Manual brings clarity, insight, depth, and even humor to the log builder's craft. This is a comprehensive book for log home owner-builders, beginners as well as professionals.

The Little Book of Boards

This guide includes a wealth of practical information for inexperienced group leaders as well as new tools for seasoned facilitators --more than 100 reproducible forms, checklists, planning aids, and guides. Selected contents are reproduced in CD-ROM format so that you can customize tools to meet your specific needs.

Robert's Rules For Dummies

A short, concise and user-friendly guide to the essential procedures of conducting a meeting, written by the authors of Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised, the only authorized edition of the classic work on parliamentary procedure. Originally published in 1876, General Henry M. Robert's guide to smooth, orderly, and fairly conducted meetings has sold over six million copies in eleven editions. Robert's Rules of Order is the book on parliamentary proceedings, yet those not well versed on what has now become a rather thick document can find themselves lost-and delayed-while trying to locate the most important rules. The solution? Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised in Brief. Written by the same authorship team behind the officially sanctioned Robert's Rules of Order, this short and user-friendly edition takes readers through the rules most often needed at meetings--from debates to amendments to nominations. With sample dialogues and a guide to using the

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complete edition, Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised in Brief is the essential handbook for parliamentary proceedings.

Robert's Rules

The whens, hows and whys of keeping order. Robert's Rules have long been the ultimate guide for running meetings and outlining procedures. The Complete Idiot's Guide® to Robert's Rules, Second Edition, teaches readers everything from the ladder of motions to how to use Robert's Rules for any size or type of meeting or political caucus. This book includes sample minutes, a sample agenda, and scripts for every type of meeting situation. Includes a complete reproduction of Sylvester's "Basics of Parliamentary Procedure," a handy guide based on Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised, as an appendix. Gives readers a practical one-stop shop in the category - they can buy one book and get a copy of the rules and a book on how to use them

The Law of Florida Homeowners Associations

This book aims to serve as a comprehensive guide to parliamentary procedures, as outlined in Robert's Rules of Order, and how to implement such rules and structure to your own organization.

Robert's Rules For Dummies

A revised new edition of the bestselling toolkit for creating, building, and maintaining a strong brand From research and analysis through brand strategy, design development through application design, and identity standards through launch and governance, Designing Brand Identity, Fourth Edition offers brand managers, marketers, and designers a proven, universal five-phase process for creating and implementing effective brand identity. Enriched by new case studies showcasing successful world-class brands, this Fourth Edition brings readers up to date with a detailed look at the latest trends in branding, including social networks, mobile devices, global markets, apps, video, and virtual brands. Features more than 30 all-new case studies showing best practices and world-class Updated to include more than 35 percent new material Offers a proven, universal five-phase process and methodology for creating and implementing effective brand identity

The Everything Robert's Rules Book

"There has never been a guide as comprehensive as this to writing in all its forms. . . Useful, clear and encyclopedic, this book is an essential guide for every household."—Examiner Need to know how to format your résumé for that job application? How do you write a cover letter that will stand out? Wondering how to request a letter of recommendation for graduate school? Trying to craft a get-well note that will really help? How informal is too informal when instant messaging in the office? What do you write on the website for your small business? What should you say in a wedding invitation? Or a divorce announcement? With over 200 how-to entries and easy-to-use models organized into three comprehensive sections on work, school, and personal life, How to Write Anything covers a wide range of

topics that make it an essential guide for the whole family.

Small Business Rules

Small business owners and managers face increasing challenges in a difficult economic climate. One way to deal with daily struggles is to gain awareness of the obstacles and pitfalls and know how to overcome them. Mathew Dickerson, one of Australia's leading IT entrepreneurs, makes this possible with his exciting and instructive book, *Small Business Rules: The 52 Essential Rules to Be Successful in Small Business*. In a logical and very readable format, Dickerson describes fifty-two rules that, if followed, help a small business to succeed. Dickerson covers it all: setting high standards, turning perceived failures into positive learning experiences, being clear about commitment and purpose to evaluating attitudes toward the workplace. He also delves into interfacing with clients, and co-workers, identifying the strengths of one's staff and using them to the fullest. Every aspect pertinent to running and growing a small business is covered in this exceptional book.

Board Member Orientation

ROBERT'S RULES OF ORDER Robert's Rules of Order are a powerful set of rules for conducting and running meetings, that were first established over a century ago! The rules have been used by all different types of organisations, from small clubs all the way up to the United Nations. Robert's Rules have worked for them all! This book will provide you with a great level of insight into Robert's Rules of Order, and how you can implement them in your own workplace, business, or organisation for more efficient meetings, with better outcomes! This book also aims to provide strategies to help you to implement Robert's Rules in a modern environment. Due to the long period of time since their creation, we now often do business differently to how we did back then. As such, occasionally the rules the to be modified to fit a modern business setting - and this book gives some great suggestions for doing just that! Nobody likes slow, boring, monotonous meetings that drag on. Improve the efficiency, attitudes, and results of your meetings fast, by implementing the use of Robert's Rules of Order, today! Here Is What You'll Learn About What Are Robert's Rules The Key Terms To Be Aware Of When Should The Rules Be Used How To Use The Rules In A Modern Setting The Benefits Of Using Robert's Rules How To Implement The Rules In Your Business How To Correctly Use Minutes In Your Meetings Much, Much More!

Meeting Mastery

Discover why Robert's Rules "rule" If you belong to any type of organization—from school board to garden club to bowling league to trade association—chances are this book can save you many boring meeting minutes. This friendly guide translates Robert's Rules of Order, the essential guide for conducting meetings of all types, into principles you can understand and apply the next time "Billy Bully" tries to dominate the discussion or "Debbie Dictator" issues another edict. If you've ever been frustrated at the way condominium association business was (or wasn't) conducted or fidgeted while PTA members debated whether to have goldfish or

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pencils as prizes for the elementary school carnival, this is the book for you. Written by a Professional Registered Parliamentarian, it covers everything from the basics of bylaws that establish the real framework of your organization to the requirements for a legal meeting, from how to use an agenda to plan your next meeting and keep things on track to voting procedure and putting ideas into motion—and so much more. This new edition is published in response to the revised 11th edition of Robert's Rules of Order Techniques for following parliamentary procedures to effectively manage meetings of any size Helps you stay current with the latest updates to the rules of order and parliamentary procedure Complete with a glossary of parliamentary terms and sample agendas, reports, and minutes, this guide has everything you need but a gavel. Whether you belong to an elite country club or a civic organization, an investment club or a volunteer fire department, when you use the principles in this book, meetings won't be dominated by the loudest or pushiest member or go on and on and on and on and on . . .

The Complete Idiot's Guide to Parliamentary Procedure Fast-Track

A revised, updated, and expanded edition of the rulebook for conducting a productive meeting updates the prose of the original 1893 version in contemporary English and adds sections on conferences by telephone and computer, sample dialogues, and more. Reissue.

The Complete Idiot's Guide to Robert's Rules

Parliamentary procedure, as outlined in that famous reference Robert's Rules of Order as well as several other procedural rulebooks, is the system that keeps public meetings moving along while allowing everyone to have their fair input. Unfortunately, Robert's is a complex and intimidating reference that new and casual meeting leaders and participants can find overwhelming. The Complete Idiot's Guide® to Parliamentary Procedure Fast Track lets readers bypass the arcane language, sort out the complicated system of motions, and get to what they really want to do: preside over and participate in smoothly-run meetings. In this slim volume, readers get: - A quick guide to the different sets of parliamentary procedure and which is most appropriate for the organization - Advice on setting and managing an agenda - The essence of what readers need to know about the most common types of motions - Rules for debates and voting - Forming and working on effective committees - Troubleshooting for meetings gone awry - Quick guidance for writing and submitting minutes

Lord of the World

Finally! Board member orientation truly simplified. Serving on a nonprofit board can be an incredibly rewarding experience for the properly prepared board member. This book is for the generous and busy people who agree to give of their time and talents by serving on nonprofit boards. Nonprofit boards often fail to do a good job of board member orientation for a variety of reasons. It takes a significant amount of time and effort to plan and conduct quality board member orientation

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programs, and every time a new board member arrives, it's time to do it again! Because of the challenges associated with providing quality board member orientation, many nonprofit organizations do not do it at all, leaving their board members to wing it. This book provides help and support to the truly great men and women serving on nonprofit boards whose service makes a positive difference in the lives of countless people every day. This book is a concise and appropriately comprehensive guide to nonprofit board service designed especially for new board members. It is a quick read, (about one hour), yet it addresses with accuracy the most significant elements of board service, such as mission, responsibility, duty, risk, liability, and board meeting dynamics. Hooey Alerts! Watch for Hooey Alerts! where the author identifies and dispels common myths and legends about nonprofit board service. There are many sources of false or misleading information about the nonprofit board service environment. A perfect example is the often vaguely-worded and intimidating assertion or implication that the Sarbanes-Oxley Act passed by Congress in 2002 applies to nonprofit organizations in a manner similar to how it applies to publicly-traded companies. (It does not.)

Reviews "This book is the perfect guide for every nonprofit board member! Concise, highly informative, and loaded with nuggets of wisdom, it's a must read that will take board members to the next level of successful board governance." -- J. Todd Chasteen, General Counsel, Samaritan's Purse "Mike Batts has put his quarter century of advising and serving on nonprofit boards to good use in this accurate and easy-to-read book. In addition to describing major principles of nonprofit law and governance, the book provides helpful questions to guide board members in understanding the practical applications of the concepts discussed. While geared primarily toward helping new board members get up to speed quickly, it should also help veteran board members discharge their stewardship roles wisely and efficiently." -- Chuck Hartman, Associate Professor of Business Law and Accounting, Cedarville University "This book, Board Member Orientation, is exactly what a busy volunteer board member needs. The board member's duties are presented in a clear and concise manner from the perspective of someone who has been around many boards. With a focus on those issues that are most common and/or most important, it is perfect for board member orientation and for quick reference reminders for the experienced board member." -- Doug Starcher, Partner, Broad & Cassel "This book provides clear, no-nonsense guidance on the basic issues for new nonprofit board members. Using this book for board member orientation will ensure your organization has communicated fundamental governance issues and will assist the board in determining risk management strategies." -- Dan Busby, President, ECFA ***** The Simple Board Member Orientation Process Using This Book: 1.Your board members read Chapters 1-9 of the book, which will provide them with insights regarding the key elements of nonprofit board service. 2.You provide the board members with copies of the documents described in Chapter 10 related to your organization. 3.You meet with your board members to discuss the unique attributes of your organization following the discussion questions provided in Chapter 10. Done!

Robert's Rules of Order

The novel's protagonist is a British Roman Catholic priest, Father Percy Franklin, who looks identical to the mysterious U.S. Senator Julian Felsenburgh of Vermont. The senator appears as a lone and dramatic figure promising world peace in return

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for blind obedience. No one quite knows who he is or where he comes from, but his voice mesmerizes. Under his leadership, war is abolished. Felsenburgh becomes the President of Europe, then of the world, by popular acclaim. Everyone is fascinated with him, yet still no one knows much about him. People are both riveted and frightened by the way he demands attention. Most follow without question. Having been a close observer of President Felsenburgh's rise, Father Franklin is called to Rome, a Hong Kong-style enclave ruled by Pope John XXVI and raised to the College of Cardinals. Meanwhile, defections among bishops and priests increase. At Cardinal Franklin's instigation, the pope abolishes the Eastern Catholic Churches and forms a new religious order, the Order of Christ Crucified. All its members, including the Pope, vow to die in the name of the faith.

Robert's Rules of Order

The Indian Fantail has become one of the most popular breeds of fancy pigeons. This guide book, by one of the leading experts of the breed, presents the received wisdom on all the finer points of the official breed standard as well as fully-informed advice on 21st century methods of proper care for the year-round well-being of the birds. The book includes an abundance of excellent full-color pictures that vividly illustrate even the most subtle points. It is a must read for all serious Indian Fantail fanciers be they novices or veterans

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