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Southern California World Service Committee Meeting

Saturday, February 20, 2016
New DR Orientation-8:00 AM to 9:00 AM
Morning Session-9:00 AM to Noon

Serenity Prayer

Concepts read by _____, District _____

Recognition of New DRs and Past Delegates.

Welcome/Chair Report, CB S.

Roll Call– Donna E., Group Records Coordinator

Officer Reports

Secretary Sandy P. **Minutes 8/15 Approval**

Alternate Delegate- Pete B.

Immediate Past Delegate – Jayme C. (15 min)

Treasurer - Eva B. **(Approval)**

Delegate – Elizabeth K. (45 min)

Coordinator Reports followed by time for Q & A

Institutions Coordinator – Billy M. (10)

Group Records - Donna E. (10)

Archives-Dan P. (5)

Alateen Coordinator - Sean (5)

Area Alateen Process Person, AAPP –Tarisa R. (5)

Alateen Sponsor Coordinator-Cathleen C. (30 min)

KBDM

Electronic Voting “Clickers”-Jayme C. (20 min) Followed by time for Q & A

Coordinator Reports Continued

Hospitality – Judy P.

CPC Coordinator – Melva C.

Public Information – Rose

Bulletin Coordinator – Jim B.

Web Site Coordinator – Irene C.

Literature Coordinator – Kathy G.

Lunch - Noon to 1:00 PM

Afternoon Session- 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Serenity Prayer

Traditions read by _____, District _____

Convention Reports

SCAC

So Cal (SCAAC)

AFG

Intergroup Liaison Reports

Inland Empire

Oficina Intergruppal: (L.A. County)

Los Angeles County

Orange County

San Diego County

Ventura County

Delegate Workshop (45 min)

District Representative Reports

Close with Al-Anon Declaration

Calendar of Events 2016-2018

Southern California Area World Service (SCWS) Events

All Meetings are held at Glendale First United Methodist Church, 134 N. Kenwood, Glendale , CA 91206

Parking is available at three locations: 1) The church parking lot, 2) The lot off of Wilson and Kenwood and

3) The Glendale Unified School District lot across the street.

Do not park on Kenwood Street as there is only a 2 hour limit!

Area Committee Meeting Calendar (3rd Saturdays of February and August)
Meetings—9am to 4pm (1 hour lunch) - New DR Orientation—8am to 8:45am
February 20, 2016 & August 20, 2016
February 18, 2017 & August 19, 2017
February 17, 2018 & August 18, 2018

Area Assembly Meeting Calendar (3rd Saturdays of May and November)
Meetings—9am to 4pm (1 hour lunch) - New GR Orientation—8am to 8:45am
May 21, 2016 & November 19, 2016
May 20, 2017 & November 18, 2017
May 19, 2018 & November 17, 2018

Sharing of Service (3rd Saturday of January)
January 16, 2016
January 21, 2017
January 20, 2018

Southwest Region Delegates Meeting (aka SWRDM) (2nd complete Weekend in March)
(Delegates and Past Delegates have a voice & vote;
Area Chairs and Alternate Delegates have voice but not vote)
March 11-13, 2016—La Jolla, California
March 10-11, 2017—To be determined

Please go to the SCWS Website for the Complete “Calendar of Events—Southern California World Service ”
You will find many more events and electronic flyers and forms for downloading and printing.

FLYERS AND REGISTRATION FORMS- Districts, Intergroups and Conventions who are participants in the Southern California Area Assembly may bring and distribute their forms in the meeting hall . All other conventions and /or events, without limited attendance, may only place their flyers and registration forms in the lobby of the meeting hall.

ELECTRONIC BULLETIN AND BULLETIN SUBSCRIPTIONS: The Southern California World Service (SCWS) BULLETIN is published electronically online four times annually and is available to any member of Al-Anon Family Groups at the SCWS website. To obtain a mailed copy of the SCWS BULLETIN for \$15.00 annually, please complete a “Subscription Form” from the “Get Forms” page on the SCWS website. Please mail the form with a check payable to “SCWS” to **Area Treasurer**, 10073 Valley View Street #260, Cypress, CA 90630. (See the back of the Bulletin.)

Are you willing & able to be an AMIAS? Go to the SCWS Website "Alateen Sponsorship" for eligibility & more information.

90 Minute AMIAS Certificate Training for NEW Applicants—email registration to alateen@scws-al-anon.org

Access	Date	Time	Notes
Internet Online	Wed, Mar 9, 2016	7:00 pm – 8:45 pm	English
Face-to-Face	Sun, Apr 2, 2016	Check Schedule	AFG Convention
Internet Online	Sun, Apr 9, 2016	7:00 pm – 8:45 pm	English
Internet Online	Wed, May 11, 2016	7:00 pm – 8:45 pm	English
Internet Online	Sun, Jun 11, 2016	7:00 pm – 8:45 pm	English
Internet Online	Wed, Jul 13, 2016	7:00 pm – 8:45 pm	English
Internet Online	Sun, Aug 13, 2016	7:00 pm – 8:45 pm	English

AMIAS Re-Certification Training —email "Contact" for Reservation & Location

Date & Time	District	Contact	Contact Email
Mar 5 12pm – 4pm	OCIG	Brandi S.	bepeaceful@gmail.com
Mar 5 12pm – 4pm	OCIG	Brandi S.	English and Spanish at same location
Mar 5 12pm – 4pm	17	Cathy L.	keepitsimplecath@gmail.com
Mar 26 10am – 2pm	12	Jerry V. ("Bear")	parkbear@earthlink.net
Apr 9 10am – 2pm	03	Pam B.	ratkevichp@att.net
Apr 16 10am – 2pm	69	Maribel P.	dal4d69@yahoo.com
Apr 23 10am – 2pm	30	Anita Mariko H.	anita.mariko@gmail.com
Apr 30 12pm – 4pm	36/39	Becky C.	coulterclan@sbcglobal.net

Who has a Voice and/or Vote at Assemblies & Committee Meetings

ASSEMBLY MEETINGS	VOICE	VOTE
Group Representatives	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
District Representatives	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Officers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Coordinators	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Past Delegates	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Intergroup Liaisons	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
AWSC Convention Chairs (Conventions:AFG, SoCal AA & SCAC)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
COMMITTEE MEETINGS	VOICE	VOTE
District Representatives	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Officers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Coordinators	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Past Delegates	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Intergroup Liaisons	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
AWSC Convention Chairs (Conventions:AFG, SoCal AA & SCAC)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

(Revised 2/1/2015)

Minutes

Of Committee Meeting

2015-2017

SCWS Committee Minutes

Saturday, November 21, 2015

9:00 am – 4:00 pm

134 N. Kenwood St., Glendale

8:00 a.m. – DR Orientation – Dining Room

9:00 a.m. Serenity Prayer, Welcome to new GRs

Concepts read by Marilen., DR, D66

Past Delegates present: Sandie E. (Panel 49) 2009-2011; Kay D. (Panel 40) 2000-2002; Willie W. (Panel 37) 1997-1999; Jayme C. (Panel 52) 2012-2014

Officer and Coordinators Reports, See Bulletin for all Reports

Chair's Report – CB S.

Records Coordinator/Roll call – Donna E.

Secretary – Sandy P.

Motion to approve May 16, 2015 Minutes by Chris C., ADR, D40; seconded by Jim B., DR, D42. Passed nearly unanimously with 1 no, 3 abstentions

Treasurer - Eva B.

Motion to approve financials made by Marie, DR, D40 seconded by Bruce, DR, D24. Request to change title of one the financials for clarification made by Suzanne P., ADR, D21. Discussion about equalized expense. Discussion about how the different officers are not being listed. Jayme says we pay the equalized expense for the Delegate and then we pay Delegate's actual expense. Vote to approve the financials passes unanimously.

Eva talks about Concept One and framing document SCWS treasurer makes a motion to contribute \$15,000 to WSO. Discussion and comment from member that WSO was \$52,000 short. Recommends and makes motion to contribute \$15,000 to WSO, Melissa, DR from D59 and Chris C., ADR, D40 seconded. Tina S., D21 uncomfortable giving \$15,000 to WSO and suggests giving \$10,000. Discussion about just contributing \$10,000. Jayme presents WSO guidelines and reminds assembly that groups are not donating to WSO and that we have money set aside for clickers. We are financially sound. Melissa, DR, D39 requests how much clickers will cost. Joyce, GR, D69 reminds assembly that "The fear of financial insecurity will leave us." We set aside \$15,000 for clickers. Not overextending and not holding on.

Elizabeth delegate clarifies sending \$15,000 will keep us at an ample reserve. CB calls for a vote – *Motion to contribute \$15,000 to WSO passes with 12 nos; 5 abstentions.*

CB, Chair makes announcement that resume form for Alt. Delegate will be in website for voting for elected Alt. Delegate position.

Officer and Coordinators Reports (cont'd), See Bulletin for all Reports

Alternate Delegate - Pete B.

Immediate Past Delegate – Jayme C.

Delegate - Elizabeth K.

Immediate Past Delegate – Jayme C.

KBDM – Electronic voting. (See Report.)

Some discussion highlights from assembly members: Why is the LCD screen better? You can see who you voted for;

Where is equipment stored? TBD;

Liked using the clickers but doesn't see the need for storage, time to check in and out, time spent deciding if GR or AGR;

In favor of purchasing 10 button, abundant thinking - money is there, funds are there, etc.;

Did research and loves the idea of renting the technology; batteries are expensive;

It was suggested buying the clickers and renting them out to other Al-Anon subsidiaries;

Likes the idea of using the clickers; supports rental vs purchase;

In favor of renting; has question about changing the wording in Bylaws;

Encourages getting the clickers because we also vote at committees;

Technology changes too fast to invest in purchasing clickers;

Website Coordinator says clicker technology won't change that much as the clickers are simply made and not complex;

Encourages purchasing clickers; and

Clarification that there was not enough bandwidth to

vote in this room using cell phones and that Ric B., WSO Executive Director, encouraged us to put money aside for the clickers.

Marley, D21. Makes a motion to purchase 10 key clickers; Cathleen, D63 seconds the motion. Willie W. clarifies that we probably should have clarified substantial unanimity is 2/3rds vote before discussion, but it can be clarified now. Donna E., Records Secretary, confirms morning roll call numbers, with each DR calling out increase/decrease/no change to roll call for that district. Once the corrected total was determined it was 205 voting members. Countdown 119 yes; 76 nos; 3 abstentions.

tions. **Motion failed.**

New Motion made by Marilen, D66 to rent 10 button clicker for only elections (once every 3 years); seconded Lolly, D27. (Records secretary took new GR recount in the same manner as before - 198 total voting members.)

Discussion:

Suggestion that we need the clickers for more than elections;

Suggestion to vote down this motion because this is too limiting;

Suggestion that committee meetings are under 25 people and they can be by hand;

Encouragement to rent;

Marilen amends motion to include all assemblies. No second. More opinions. Call for the vote.

Motion on floor for renting 10 button LDC for only elections once every 3 years and Assemblies Records Secretary Countdown. Results: 43 in favor of renting; 125 nos; 22 abstentions. **Motion failed.**

Given the diverse opinions it was determined that more KBDM is necessary regarding purchasing v. renting clickers.

Lunch Break 12:00 Lunch by Alateens - salad with drink = \$7.00

1:00 pm reconvene , Serenity Prayer

Traditions read by Chris C.

Coordinator's Reports (cont'd), See Bulletin for all Reports

Alateen Coordinator – Sean

SCAC Chairman 2016 – Angela

Hospitality Coordinator - Judy – January SOS , D33, D36, D39 ,D40, D63, D66 will bring goodies. Feb. Committee Meeting districts will bring goodies D8, D12, D17.

Institutions – Billy M.

Website Coordinator – Irene C.

Bulletin Editor – Christy

AAPP - Tarisa AAPP

Literature Coordinator Kathleen G.

Public Information - Rose

CPC Coordinator - Melva

Alateen Sponsor Coordinator - Cathleen

7th Tradition \$779.60; rent for room for one day is \$600.00.

Delegate - Elizabeth (see Area Dreams Workshop Flyer).
SCAAC Chair, Lauren

Chair for 2016 AFG Convention - John W.

Inland Empire Coordinator - Billy M.

LA Intergroup – Richard.

San Diego Intergroup, Michelle

Alternate Delegate, Pete B.— Forum Can—We have

enough money for four subscriptions. The winners are Elizabeth K.; Lauren B.; Donna M.; Rossie C., D48
Delegate Elizabeth – Drawing—Everyone won who participated!

3:23 p.m. – Closed with the Al-Anon Declaration.

Respectfully submitted, Sandy P.

SCWS Secretary 2015-2017

Sharing Your Experience, Strength and Hope

A young woman is fairly new to Al-Anon and hears someone share exactly what she is going through in her life. The member was willing to share her experience and her solution with the group. **The young woman walks out of the meeting with hope** about something that has challenged her for a while. Thanks to that member's share, the young woman decides to come back again next week.

Please consider sharing your ES&H with the entire fellowship by sending your sharings to the WSO for inclusion in **The Forum, Al-Anon Faces Alcoholism** or in piece of some new literature.

There are three pieces of new literature in the works. It is hoped that the Literature Committee at the WSO receives enough sharings from a wide range of members to make these pieces a reality.

- **Intimacy In Alcoholic Relationships** (working title) – Intimacy, in general, as well as sexual intimacy
- **New Daily Reader** (working title) – Reflects the Al-Anon program and its members as they are now (See Sharing from Bud S., Rhode Island, below)
- **Parents and Grandparents of Young Problem Drinkers** (working title) – pamphlet

Encouraging Men to Write

from Bud S., Rhode Island

When I first heard about the development of a new daily reader, I was excited at the possibilities. I loved the idea of having a piece of literature that would show this was not your mother's Al-Anon—that Al-Anon was something inclusive and versatile. I know that some people have a hard time writing anything, but asking men to write about their feelings can be a daunting challenge.

Organizing a men's writing workshop provided a supportive atmosphere that lent itself to expression in both written and spoken word. After the workshop, I really felt a sense of fellowship that makes this a "we" program. What more can one ask for but to spend an afternoon with like-minded men endeavoring to heal and to help others do the same through a daily reader? I'm always astounded at the level of gratitude I get from participating in my recovery in Al-Anon.

For more information, including writing guidelines, or to submit your sharing online, just follow these steps: • Go to the Members' site: al-anon.org/members • Enter your password—any variation of your group name followed by AFG. • Click on the "Individuals" tab. • Click on "Featured Publications." • Click on "Send Your Sharing."

Officer Reports

Delegate

You will hear information today that sounds similar to what you heard in May. This is a continuing conversation, with new information added to condensed information from May, brought to you then from the World Service Conference and supplemented with information from the October COB Letter (Chairman of the Board of Trustees). Some of you are new today and hearing condensed material gives relevance to the updates.

Talk with Each Other: the next District/Area leaders

In the California South CA(S) Area, we have district members in their 3rd year of service, some in their 2nd year of service and others in their 1st year of service. The same thing happens at the WSC (World Service Conference) with the Delegates and Trustees. Let's have all the GRs stand from: Year 3, Year 2, Year 1. Thank you, all, for your service to the Area and to the groups in your district.

How did you decide to become the GR? Were you the AGR before becoming the GR? (not required) How did you know what to do as GR? Did the previous GR give you a notebook or offer to be a support, in the same way as the Immediate Past Delegate continues to be a support for 3 years to the SCWS Board? As a GR, did you observe a previous DR, with the thought that perhaps some day you might become a DR? Did anyone here today step in for someone who stepped aside before their term ended?

Hope For Today, p. 101: God doesn't call the qualified, God qualifies the called. – refers to MEETING LEVEL. Yet, we also get to learn new skills when we accept service positions beyond the group level.

The Year 3 DRs are about to rotate out of their positions, as are the other officers in their districts and quite possibly all the GRs. Are there GRs in your district who seem like they might stand for DR at the next district election? What characteristics/qualities/skills does the district need for the DR? How does one develop those skills? What new skills have you learned in these nearly 3 years as GR? As DR?

Did any of you step in for a GR who stepped aside in the middle of their term? What year were they in? That is your year. You are completing that person's 3-year term. When that 3-year term is up, you may stand for your own 3-year term.

The next Area Alternate Delegate

As CB mentioned, Pete B. agreed to be appointed as the Interim Alternate Delegate until the Special Election Assembly in May 2016. He previously was DR of District 60. You will be discussing in your district meetings your responsibilities as GRs in the election process, as well as those of the candidates. Please read Concept 9 in the Service Manual and in CAL, and consider what do we want/need in our Area leaders.

The job description and the blank resume form are posted on the home page of the SCWS website so that you, the voters, may become familiar with the position you will be voting to fill. Having been a DR is one of the requirements listed on the job description.

Consider these thoughts from the Orientation at the 2015 WSC while preparing for the upcoming election. Do I share my thoughts and opinions at the group meeting, at the District meeting, at the Assembly meeting? My opinions are equally important as anyone else's. I don't have authority but the whole room has authority. Everyone here has the same responsibility: all are protectors of the Traditions.

Area Dreams Workshop

This afternoon we will have a workshop to develop Area Dreams for six service leadership topics:

1. Concept Nine, grow and develop as future leaders
2. our vision of an Assembly, spiritual principles
3. skills, talents and abilities needed of GRs, DRs and Coordinators
4. technology and communication, spiritual connections
5. our vision of an attractive and dynamic Alateen program
6. encourage individual Al-Anon members to personally expand public outreach efforts

Topics 1 and 3 are particularly relevant to the May 2015 Special Election for the Alternate Delegate.

Assembly members broke into groups to dream big and brainstorm on service leadership topics. Each group submitted all their thoughts, with their highest priority as their Area Dream. Each Area Dream plus a few more per group is provided below. Please see the complete list of offerings on the SCWS website in the "Assembly Presentations."

These dreams can come alive by beginning to plan the process in Districts and at the Assembly, by considering the activities needed to achieve these Area Dreams, and identifying the necessary resources, both human and financial.

1. Relying on the ideas in Concept Nine (Service Manual), especially the "Essay on Leadership" as a guide, what can Areas do to inspire members to grow and develop as future leaders?

This group did not submit their results.

2. What is our vision of an Assembly embodying spiritual principles that meets the needs of all Assembly members?

Area Dream: Incorporating readings or "meeting aspects" to bring more of a spiritual tone to the Assembly. "Understanding Alcoholism" or "Do's & Don'ts" or "gifts", maybe even shares

Others: Newcomer packet for new GRs, cheat sheet with acronyms; 2 wireless mics and runners; Presentations by district on selected topics

3. What skills, talents and abilities will SCWS need of its GRs, DRs and Coordinators?

Area Dream: Set a strong, positive, active example by following Al-Anon's principles ourselves

Other: Motivated leader/speaker who can be clear and concise; Respecting time management.

4. How can service leaders use technology to link members together at all levels of service, strengthening communication and inspiring spiritual connections within the service structure?

Area Dream: An "app" for SCWS Al-Anon with a daily reading that appears, a focus "step" for the day, a slogan, etc. *Access to all daily readers on this app too.

Other: All literature online and charge the same amount as current hard covers now; Assemblies connected virtually by "Go to Meeting" (or similar) to increase participation. Use clickers for all Assemblies/Committee mtgs for voting, consensus taking, checking for understanding and need for further discussion.

5. What is our vision of an attractive and dynamic Alateen program that would meet the needs of today's young people affected by someone's drinking?

Area Dream: To have an Alateen meeting connected to every Al-Anon meeting

Other: More public service announcements just for Alateen -- YouTube! More AMIAS training sessions in each District; include younger children in Alateen program - separate ages into groups

6: How can we encourage individuals to personally expand public outreach efforts?

Area Dream: Copies of the Best of Public Outreach given to all members at the Assembly; open discussion of what others have done and felt was successful with specific examples

Other: Public Info posters with phone numbers; Have District members share at the Assembly their successes so we can hear their steps and experience of what worked for them. Break into round table discussions. Approach local newspapers.

2015 Conference Summary

The 2015 Conference Summary is available on the WSO Members Website, as of July:

www.al-anon.org/members

You may find it under "Service Structure" and "District Resources". I have a few copies today to give to away to GRs. There is so much interesting material in it, providing details of all the discussions we had at the Conference. Please be sure to read it from cover to cover and to share with the members of your Al-Anon meeting some of the topics that stand out to you. A few of the items in the 2015 Conference Summary include:

1. Th/TF presentations
2. Policy Discussions
3. WSO Service Update
4. Finances
5. ECRPM triennial report
6. Chosen Agenda Items: a. Alateen; b. Primary Focus

Oct 2015 COB Letter

The COB Letter has 3 components: 1. letter from the Chairman of the Board of Trustees; 2. Policy Update; 3. Finance Update; and now there is a 4th component: 4. Conference Leadership Team Update (most relevant to those attending the WSC.

1. Letter from COB. We will be learning more about the role of the Trustees in the coming year. The first point to note is that all Trustees are Al-Anon members. The Jan 2015 COB Letter gave us the names of the Al-Anon members who had submitted resumes in 2014 for Trustee and were going to be considered at the 2015 World Service Conference.

The Director of Member Services, Barbara O., will retire as of Dec 2015. The Trustees are beginning **succession planning** for two other positions, the Executive Director and the Director of Business Services, well ahead of their future retirement dates.

ECRPM, Executive Committee for Real Property Man-

agement. Application deadline extended to Nov 30 since no members applied. Requirements include 7 years of continuous Al-Anon membership, and special skills and experience. Contact the Delegate for a resume form.

AFG Connects is the new and improved email communication tool between the WSO, other Areas, and the SCWS Board. Each Board member will present information to you that they received through this tool.

Alateen: The Chairman of the Board asks us to consider: What is needed to support our Al-Anon members **so that teens are welcome in Al-Anon meetings?**

2018 Al-Anon 6th International Convention: July 6-8, 2018 in Baltimore, Maryland. I encourage you, enthusiastically, to attend.

Jobs at the WSO still available. Some require relocating to Virginia, some can be done anywhere in the world. Some are available only to Al-Anon members (e.g., **Associate Director Group Services – Alateen;** and **Director member Services**). Others are posted to members first, then opened to nonmembers if the position remains unfilled. Go to WSO tab, “Inside the WSO” page.

2. Policy Update. The 2015 WSC asked the Policy Committee to update the Policy on Memorial Contributions, based on the conversations at this year’s WSC. This was first brought to the Policy Committee by an Al-Anon member. The same is true for all Policy updates – they are brought to the Policy Committee by Al-Anon members and are subsequently requested by the Conference after KBDM discussion; they are not initiated by the Policy Committee.

3. Finance Update. As of Sept 30, 75% of the year has gone by (end of 3rd quarter). More contributions were sent compared to last year – Good Job!! ...and, yet, contributions are at 67% of the projected contributions budgeted for 2015. We would hope that at 75% of the calendar year, we would be at 75% of the projected contributions. Fortunately, expenses are at 70% of the budgeted amount rather than at 75%.

4. CLT Update, see COB letter on the Members website

2015 Finances – the WSO budget

How is your group doing? Is your group contributing at least \$25.50 more than it did last year? How many of you can make a commitment to trying to see if your group could contribute at least \$25.50 more than it did last year? If your group already has done so, or if you can make that commitment and want to participate in a drawing, I have some items here for a drawing to

show my appreciation for the efforts by you and your group. Please see me at lunch to participate in the drawing.

See the slides from today’s presentation on the SCWS website and/or the Delegate report in the May 2015 Bulletin for details of the budget situation. In a nutshell, when we compare the estimated revenue (contributions, lit sales, Forum subscriptions, transfer from Reserve Fund) with the estimated expenses, the budget is short by \$52,000.

Someone asked, what would it take to come up with that \$52k. Based on 61% of the groups contributing, this amounts to an additional \$5.50 in 2015 per contributing group compared to what they contributed in 2014.

The budget also projects an increase in 2015 contributions compared to 2014, similar to the increase in 2014 compared to 2013. This projected increase of \$200,000 amounts to an additional \$20 in 2015 per contributing group compared to what they contributed in 2014.

Altogether, this would be an additional \$25.50 in 2015 compared to what a group contributed in 2014 for the budget to be completely balanced, without taking extra out of the Reserve Fund.

The reserves should be \$5 million, equal to one year’s operating expenses, but they only are \$4.6 million. Should we continue dipping into the reserves? Since we operate only on member contributions and literature purchases, one year’s operating expenses are in reserve to ensure the continuation of Al-Anon’s essential services. See p. 96 of the 2014-2017 Service Manual and G-41, Reserve Fund Guideline.

The Trustees brought this short-by-\$52k-budget to the 2015 Conference, which voted not to transfer more from the Reserve Fund, but to leave the shortfall in place and allow the Delegates to bring the information to the groups in their Areas so that we can see it as it is and so we won’t continue to THINK that we are contributing enough to meet our expenses. *The World Service Office serves us*, and it does so only through our own voluntary contributions, since we do not accept outside contributions.

Tradition 7: there are no dues or fees, but we do have expenses, which includes \$250 spent by the WSO per meeting, whether the meeting contributes or not (and only 60% contribute, with an average of \$119 each). No one is required to contribute any particular amount, but it is important, spiritually, to contribute *something*, to participate is Concept 4. We contribute what we can so that we can be fully self-supporting of

our meeting and of the service arms. We give in gratitude for what we have received. We participate so that we can feel a part of rather than apart from.

With regard to this information about how much it would take for groups to provide the revenue for the budget shortfall, an additional $\$5.50 \times 20 = \25.50 per contributing group, some members quote others who have not accepted the worldwide group conscience decision of the 1994 WSC to purchase property on a 15-year trial basis, nor the worldwide group conscience of the 2011 WSC to continue to own property in the name of Al-Anon Family Groups Headquarters, Inc., contingent upon conditions enumerated in the 2011 motion.

Recall that the World Service Conference consists of 67 Area Delegates plus Trustees plus World Service Office Staff, with approximately 100 total voting members. **Thus, any motion that passes at the WSC requires a substantial majority (2/3) of the Delegates to vote in favor of the motion, which occurs after thorough KBDM discussion.** Thus, these are not decisions “by the WSO” or “by the Trustees”. Rather, they are decisions made in a worldwide group conscience vote at the World Service Conference.

Let us recall the ECRPM triennial report that we saw in May.

ECRPM triennial report

The property management is kept separate from the spiritual aim via the ECRPM, the Executive Committee for Real Property Management. No staff time is spent searching for new office/warehouse space any more, now that we are not subject to rent increases by a landlord.

In 2014, after 18 years of ownership, there has been no negative impact. In fact, in 2014, the WSO saved approximately \$673,000 by owning property in Virginia Beach compared to renting office and warehouse space in Virginia Beach. That value would be in the millions if we still were renting space in New York City.

The report notes that a small minority of groups attempted to tie the Alateen requirements established in 2004 by the Board of Trustees (BOT) to ownership of property. The only assets the BOT was protecting were our children and our name.

2014 Policy Clarification

Be sure to paste the updated pages 82, 83 and 126 into your current Service Manual, which was printed prior to these updates. These updates will be printed in the 2018 Service Manual. See the 2011, 2013 and 2014 Conference Summaries for the history of the Thought Forces and Task Forces on Al-Anon members who are also members of AA. See the slides from today’s presentation on the SCWS website and/or the Delegate report in the May 2015 Bul-

letin for those titles and for a summary of discussions at the 2014 SWRDM (Southwest Regional Delegates Meeting) and a listing of a recurring question about the Policy.

Thank you, everyone, for your kind attention to all the material in this report.

Respectfully Submitted,
Elizabeth K., Delegate CA(S), Panel 55, 2015-2017

Alternate Delegate

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to be your Interim SCWS Alternate Delegate. I really have only four things to report.

1. As you know this is an elected position. As a result there will be an election May of 2016 to elect a new Alternate Delegate. I encourage anyone who qualifies to consider standing for the Alternate Delegate position. The new Alt. Delegate will have a term of only 18 months- the remaining time left on this panel after the election.

The qualifications and job descriptions are posted on the SCWS web site. Basically the person needs to be, or has been, a District Representative. The resumes need to be submitted no later than March 19, 2016.

So if you are interested, or if you know someone in your District who would make a good Alternate Delegate, please pass along the information.

2. As the Alternate Delegate I am to encourage you to encourage your groups to continue to support the Forum magazine. We do that here at the Assembly by passing the Forum Can. Just put a dollar in the can along with your information and you may win a subscription to the Forum for you or for a friend.

3. We will also be passing around the “Ask It Basket”. This is your opportunity to ask questions. We usually do not have time to answer the questions during the Assembly so please look for the answers in this Bulletin.

4. One of the most important duties as the SCWS Alternate Delegate is to help put together the annual SOS Workshop (Sharing of Service), the next one being held on Saturday January 16, 2016 and will be held in this room. This year we have two great topics. And with each topic we will have open sharing for anyone to share their experience, strength and hope on “Sponsorship” and “Service Work”.

It is important that your groups know that this is a “Workshop”- it is open to anyone in Al-Anon. It is not a fundraiser nor is there any business discussed. It is an opportunity to see and hear from other Al-Anon members outside your normal circle share on important topics.

We will also have a great lunch by a local restaurant and at the end of the day we have a very dynamic speaker. This year’s speaker will be Larcine G. from Hawthorne to share her personal and service experiences in Al-Anon.

Please take flyers with you. Take the flyers back to your meetings and give some flyers to other people to take to other meetings.

Thanks again for allowing me to fill in as Alternate Delegate and I hope to see many of you at the 2016 SOS Workshop.

Thank you.

Pete B., Interim SCWS Alt. Delegate

Immediate Past Delegate

Good morning one and all. I wish I would have had this report in front of me for the Assembly. Instead I read from my slide presentation for the electronic clickers. First and foremost I want to remind everyone why the conversation continues regarding electronic voting. We have done extensive knowledge based decision making (KBDM) on electronic voting. In addition, the Assembly has voted twice to use electronic voting. Both votes have been by consensus vote. That is still a vote. We do need however, to make a motion to make it “official”. The business at hand is to (1) vote on using the electronic clickers (making the consensus vote official) and (2) vote to either rent or buy the electronic clickers.

At our election Assembly in November 2014 electronic clickers were used for the first time. It was a more efficient election process and the use of the resume form for candidates provided more information about the candidates (KBDM) Knowledge Based Decision Making. We were amazed at how quickly the election was completed.

The Bylaws Task Force will begin work once the official vote for electronic voting is approved. The Bylaws Task Force will consist of all past delegates from CA (S).

I should have informed the Assembly that the use of electronic clickers is not just for election Assemblies! My goodness, we vote on many issues at all Assem-

blies. Why would we only want to use electronic devices only once every three years? We vote on many different issues at all Assemblies. Sometimes members do not want others to see how they are voting. Using an electronic device makes your vote very private. It eliminates the time-consuming need to stand up and count off. Also the method of counting off is not private at all and your friends know how you vote on all issues.

There are two options: rent or buy. Ask yourself some questions: (1) why would we rent the clickers for each Assembly; (2) would that be a prudent way to spend our money? There is much discussion about emerging technology, but the clickers are actually very simple technology. Think of a hand held calculator and how simple that technology is – we can compare the electronic devices to that type of technology. How often does your hand held calculator need repair? The clickers are very durable. They are built for college students, who use them daily and drop them all the time and they do not break! The batteries last a long time; students at colleges use them daily for four years without replacing the batteries.

What about getting lost? We will devise a check-out system for each District Rep to be responsible at the Assembly for distributing the devices to their Group Reps. The Area rented 350 clickers for the November 2014 Assembly and none were lost because the DRs checked out and returned the clickers for their GRs. The money has already been set aside and put in reserve. The Executive Director pointed out that reserves are to invest in our future? The devices will be stored in the SCWS Storage Unit and not in someone’s garage. So the conversation will continue in May. I hope to have sent much information out to all the District Reps so that all Group Reps will be informed.

In gratitude and service,
Jayme C., Immediate Past Delegate
Panel 52, CA(S)

Area Chair

The 2015 World Service Conference Theme was “**Living Our Spiritual Principles: Expanding Our Vision**”.

Welcome to the Southern California World Service Assembly. Today we will share the highlights of our service experience in CA(S), conduct area business and expand our Vision in a workshop this afternoon. May the spiritual tone of our Assembly today demonstrate the mutual love and respect we have for each other.

Yours in Al-Anon service,
CB S., SCWS Chair

Treasurer

Year-To-Date Financial Summary
01/01/2015 – 12/31/2015

As of December 31, 2015, SCWS "net income" is \$13,382.02

Group contributions show a 3.7% increase compared to last year.

District/Intergroup, a 180.7% increase compared to last year.

Convention contributions up by 79.8% compared to last year.

Overall income, up by 4.8% compared to last year.

YTD expenses, down by 9.9% compared to last year. This includes a \$20,000 contribution to the World Service Office.

Total Checking and Savings \$63,258.67, a 29.2 % increase from last year.

SCWS continues to solidify its financial position; thanks to your continued support. I'm grateful and I'm proud to serve as your area treasurer.

In gratitude,

Eva B., Treasurer

Secretary

Hello to all DRs and GRs. This is a gentle reminder to please remember to read the Minutes when you receive the *Bulletin* in preparation for their approval at the next meeting. For example, the Minutes from the August Committee meeting are approved by DRs at the February Committee meeting and vice versa. Likewise, the Minutes of the Area Assembly in May are approved by GRs in November, and vice versa. DRs, try to remember to encourage your GRs to read the May and November *Bulletins* when they come out because they will be voting to approve them at the Assembly. Thank you for being of service!

LIS, Sandy P., Secretary, 2015-2017

Questions are from the
November 2015 Assembly

1) Why Not. Possible way to handle voting.

a) Delegates take District vote count for reference

b) Districts sit together

c) When a vote is taken DR takes the GRs vote

d) Once all DR have gathered votes Delegate asks for votes to tally against vote count.

This might be more efficient. This is my experience from West Texas Assembly which is a Regional Meeting bi-yearly for Texas Al-Anon.

Answer: This is an interesting suggestion, but SCWS has already voted twice by consensus vote to use electronic voting. Currently, we are in the process of trying to decide if we should rent or buy. Once that has been determined, we can move forward.

2) An Al-Anon member wants to distribute flyers

for a weekend conference for Al-Anon members only. There is a lot of controversy in our meeting.

We discussed page 123 but the member says it doesn't apply and wants a group conscious to distribute her flyers. Would you clarify pages 123?

Must be distributed outside of the meeting? i.e., in the kitchen?

Answer: A member was also questioning this issue and wrote to the WSO "Policy Board". The Chairman of the Board responded with this letter.

"The Policy Committee also continued its work on clarifying what events to announce at meetings. It is important for the fellowship to know that this question was brought to the Policy Committee by a member. This query prompted the Committee to consider the topic because the Committee has a responsibility to clarify current policies about which the fellowship may have repeated questions or concerns. It is important to note that the Policy Committee makes no decisions, but only explores significant issues raised and attempts further interpretation or clarification based on Al-Anon's Traditions and Concepts that may then require possible changes in the text to be submitted to the World Service Conference."

Currently, however, on page 56 in the Service Manual it states the following: "Other Group Announcements. Tradition Six. 'Our Family Groups ought never endorse, finance or lend our name to any outside enterprise, lest problems of money, property and prestige divert us from our primary spiritual aim. Although a separate entity, we should always co-operate with Alcoholics Anonymous.' It

is important that only Al-Anon/Alateen events are announced in our meetings. Because of our special relationship with A.A., A.A. events with Al-Anon and Alateen participation can be announced, but at an Al-Anon meeting **or meeting location**, groups do not announce or discuss activities of other Twelve Step programs. Publicizing events of other organizations creates an appearance of affiliation, even if the event is composed primarily of Al-Anon or Alateen members."

Then there is the information on page 123 of the Service Manual under "Outside the Fellowship". That section refers to publicizing retreats or activities sponsored by others. "This applies when most or even all of the participants are members of Al-Anon/Alateen. Otherwise there could be a misunderstanding of Al-Anon's purpose and function. In order to avoid any appearance of Al-Anon/Alateen affiliation, it is important to keep promotion of such events outside of Al-Anon/Alateen meetings **and meeting locations**. Our experience suggests that confusion arises when such events are announced in Area newsletters, Al-Anon/Alateen local bulletins and at group meetings."

Another issue is with the money raised. Where is the money going? If it is Al-Anon but not affiliated with link of service like the SCWS Area, District, Intergroup or Group, who is collecting the money? If there is surplus after expenses where is the money going?

It seems the key issue here is confusion. It would be much less confusing for all if announcements were made outside an Al-Anon meeting and meeting locations.

3) Why did the Delegate repeat her May Assembly report?

Answer: The Nov Assembly report contains new information as well as condensed information from the May report. This is a continuing conversation, so there is new information added to condensed information from May, brought to you then from the World Service Conference and supplemented with information from the October COB Letter (Chairman of the Board of Trustees). Some GRs are new and hearing condensed material gives relevance to the updates. Please see the Delegate presentation on the SCWS website.

4) The treasure's report was way too much information. (Especially for October). Can we have more summary and less details?

Answer: The Treasurer presentation was longer and more detailed than usual because it was intended to provide detailed information to the new Group Repre-

sentatives which made up 25% of the Assembly, and to provide additional information for the proposals that were presented. The response from the GRs was positive. One GR said "I learned a lot", another one said "the presentation woke me up". We strive to improve our reporting in order to meet the need of the Assembly.

5) What's appropriate to say when we are doing 50/50 raffle tickets? I read page 97 and 98 from Service Manual. I just need more clarification on this topic. I had members coming up to me and suggested not to use the word "Raffle".

Answer: The Service Manual points out that the use of Raffles/Lottery Tickets is a legal issue. If we go by the Service Manual (page 98) it states that entities that are not registered as charities could be prohibited from such sales by state or provincial laws. Thus, if the entity is not registered as a charitable organization then someone from that entity should contact a California based tax attorney, otherwise the entity is risking breaking the law.

Our Service Manual states on page 98 "Local statutes must also be investigated and must be complied with in order to prevent individual members and Al-Anon as a whole from becoming involved in public controversy".

After determining that the proposed raffle and/or lottery is legally permitted within the Area where it is to be held, additional precautions need to be taken so that we are not diverted from our primary purpose and do not imply endorsement. Distribution and sale of raffle/lottery tickets should be limited to Al-Anon/Alateen meetings and events."

6) When will Al-Anon "let go" of there "control" over Alateens? It seem to me (my opinion) that we stopped trying to control the "AA" or "active Alcoholic" and moved to Alateen. How many in this group know an Alateen or have been to SCAC that is making "Knowledge Based Decision Making" for them.

Answer: The 2003 Alateen Motion from the Board of Trustees has always and only been focused on providing a safe environment where Alateens and the Alateen program may grow and flourish, the motion specifically states,

"As Tradition Four states, 'Each group should be autonomous, except in matters affecting another group or Al-Anon or AA as a whole.' The Board of Trustees has determined that issues of safety and behavior by Alateens and individuals involved with Alateen service do affect every group and Al-Anon as a whole."

"The Board of Trustees, under Concept Seven and Warranty Four, is entrusted with the authority

and responsibility to protect the Al-Anon and Alateen names and the organizational identity.”

“As soon as possible, but in any event, no later than December 31, 2004, if an area within the World Service Conference Structure uses the Al-Anon or Alateen name in conjunction with any meeting(s), group(s), convention(s), or any other gathering(s) in the area where Alateen participation is offered, the area must have safety and behavioral requirements for all Alateen members and Al-Anon members involved in Alateen service. These safety and behavioral requirements must meet the minimum requirements of Al-Anon Family Group Headquarters, Inc.”

“Al-Anon members involved in Alateen service and all Alateen members must adhere to the area’s safety and behavioral requirements, or the area will notify the WSO that those members are prohibited from participating in Alateen service.”

**scws-al-anon.org/documents/
ConferenceSummary2004_page_80.pdf**

These are the facts, not opinions, on the motivation behind the SCWS Area Alateen Safety and Behavioral Requirements. Eleven years after the deadline to implement these requirements, the Area continues to receive questions and challenges as to the **real** motivation behind the Board of Trustees’ motion. The *projected* motives are: (1) just want to control Alateens and (2) are afraid of being sued. Neither of these opinions have ever been issues, and serve only to distract the discussions away from the basic spiritual principle behind the Board’s motion...the safety of children attending Alateen meetings and events.

First, last and always we must remember that when providing service to Alateen, we are responsible for our most precious resource...other people’s minor children. The pamphlet, A Guide for Sponsors of Alateen Groups states, “As an Alateen Group Sponsor, you have the same responsibility and potential liability to an Alateen member as you would if you invited any minor to your own home” (P-29;Page 6). The Board and the Area have never been afraid of lawsuits because each is sufficiently insured.

The current Safety and Behavioral Requirements were resoundingly approved by the Group Reps at the May 2013 Assembly (i.e., 97% voting in favor). This vote was well above substantial unanimity. Members can read the minutes of Area Committee and Assembly meetings to review the depth and breadth of Knowledge Based Decision Making (KBDM) applied over the years to the

topic of these requirements.

The second part of the question asks if those involved with the KBDM on the requirements even know an Alateen or have been to SCAC. Members of all Area Alateen task forces and of the Alateen Resolution Committee are always current, active AMIAs and Alateen members. These members’ experience, strength and hope in all levels of Alateen service are their credentials to serve. Additionally, the SCAC Bylaws, primarily written by Alateen members, were presented and explained via a thorough power point presentation and KBDM discussion during SCAC 2013. This excellent presentation was facilitated by an Alateen who was a member of the SCAC Executive Committee. These Bylaws state,

“SCAC recognizes the authority of the Southern California World Service Assembly and its interpretations of the Twelve Steps, the Twelve Traditions and the Twelve Concepts of the Al-Anon Family Groups Program and will be in compliance with the Southern California Alateen Area Safety and Behavior Requirements and automatically adapt any revisions approved by the SCWS Assembly. The SCAC Committee agrees that the SCWS Area Treasurer will have oversight of the SCAC finances. SCAC agrees to maintain a working relationship with the SCWS Area Board.” (page 1; Section 1.3:Authority).

At the conclusion of the presentation, the SCAC Executive Committee Member asked the same three questions always asked at the conclusion of every KBDM discussion at the World Service Conference prior to a vote. Is it accurate? Does it have clarity? Can you live with it? **The SCAC Bylaws were approved unanimously by the Alateens attending SCAC 2013.**

In closing please let us remember...(1) that once a group conscience decision is made, we support the decision whether we agree with it or not (page 53 Service Manual) and (2) the importance of presuming goodwill.

7) We’ve been told that we shouldn’t use copies of the Steps & Traditions & other readings that we hand out for members to read aloud @ meetings. That it violates Al-Anon’s copyright to do so but, when we had a group conscience the group decided they still want to use the handouts anyway. What, if anything should be done? Is this a matter of group autonomy? Or a legal issue & therefore a requirement?

Answer: “Conference Approved Literature” (CAL) came about from discussions held at Al-Anon’s very first World Service Conference in 1961. The first few

Conferences developed a process to give conceptual approval for the development of Al-Anon literature, and it was the will of the Conference (i.e., the Groups) to recommend exclusive use of CAL in Al-Anon meetings.

The exclusive use of CAL in Al-Anon meetings supports Al-Anon's First Tradition: that personal progress for the greatest number depends upon unity.

Reading from retyped versions of our Conference Approved Literature can create confusion and lack of unity. Our First Tradition explains that our common welfare should come first. Therefore, for the unity of the world-wide Al-Anon, all members and groups are asked to honor the Legacies as written, as they reflect the informed Group Conscience of Al-Anon around the world.

Literature use at our meetings is intended to encourage and supplement discussion, not replace or limit it. While the beauty and power of our literature is that we can read it at any time or any place, group discussion can only take place when we are joined together for our common purpose.

Members can photocopy a single article of *The Forum* or a page or two from our CAL to use as a springboard for discussion at a meeting, which eliminates the inconvenience of first requesting and receiving written permission. These copies would only be used at that one meeting. Including the "reprinted with permission" credit line reiterates that further copying or distribution is not permitted.

Respecting Al-Anon's copyrights does not require members to buy books if they cannot afford them. Many Groups have purchased *The Groups At Work* book (cost is about \$1.25) to use.

When Groups begin distributing photocopies or rewritten copies of Al-Anon's CAL, they are essentially becoming a separate publishing agent. On page 107 of the *Service Manual* it states: "The World Service Conference has authorized Al-Anon Family Group Headquarters, Inc., also known as WSO, to be the sole publishing agency for the fellowship worldwide. Therefore, no Al-Anon group, Information Service (Intergroup), Literature Distribution Center (LDC), or any other service arm may produce or publish its own literature or sell outside literature and/or materials."

As you can see above, this is not a matter of Group autonomy. This is a matter of education to the members of the Group. The pamphlets *Al-Anon Spoken Here* (P-53), *Why Conference Approved Literature* (P-35) and also page 104 of the *Service Manual* re-

garding "Use of Material at Al-Anon Meetings" could be helpful in the education of your Group.

8) How can we get more members to be GRs? Many meetings lack GRs.

Answer: This is often an issue with many groups. There are many possible solutions. A study of Tradition Seven might help members realize that there is more to a "self-supporting" group than just putting money in the basket. Also, being an example has worked in many groups. Even those with lots of time in Al-Anon still find it personally rewarding to be "of service" to the group. Being a good example is to show some excitement and enthusiasm for the position. People won't want to volunteer for a position that looks "unrewarding" and "arduous". Also, many members are not sure what a World Service Group Representative is. The group may wish to take some time to describe that the Group Rep is the only method for a group to have both voice and vote on issues affecting Al-Anon as a whole. Another suggestion is a Group may want to make the Guideline G11; Group Representative printed and available to all members of the Group. It is acceptable to print the Guidelines without permission. A Group Rep is not only important to get information from WSO but even more important is that a Group Rep is the only way for a group to communicate back to WSO the group's input/opinion/desires.

9) Why didn't any of the Thought Force Committees provide a report at this SCWS Assembly?

Answer: Currently, SCWS does not have any active Thought Forces. However, SCWS does have active Task Forces. All of those Task Forces were established to work on a single defined task or activity. The objective is to complete the task and then present it to the Assembly. Therefore, none of the Task Forces have completed their defined tasks. It is customary that a status report is not provided until the defined task is completed. None of the Task Forces were ready to present at the 2015 November Assembly.

10) We need more attention to the quarterly appeal. It has been ignored in most of my meetings. Please - make it aware of this is essential.

Answer: This is an issue that can easily be handled at the group level. If the Group Rep is not passing around the appeal, ask them, either privately or during the meeting, to do so. In addition, this is a topic that can be discussed by the SCWS Area Treasurer.

11) Can we start saying “we welcome families and friends of alcoholics and addicts? (We would be adding in “and addicts”. This will help improve Al-Anon and will help so many people (Revision of Service Manual)

Answer: It is important to remember that there is a distinction between what our literature says and what we can share. According to the WSO 2015 survey 40% of members joined Al-Anon because of someone’s drug use. And 85% of those later recognized that drinking was also an issue. We can share *briefly* on alcohol and drug use but when asked to read a piece of Al-Anon literature we cannot change the wording (such as adding “addict”). We cannot do this as individuals nor as a result of a “group conscience”. (Can your group take a vote and change the speed limit on the 405 Freeway?) Page 172 of our current Service Manual states that it would require the “written consent of three-quarters of the Al-Anon Family Groups” to change any Step, Tradition or Concept. By adding the word “addict” to any piece of Al-Anon literature would be to change several of our Traditions. We share as individuals but we protect the Steps, Traditions and Concepts from dilution. This is not to say that this cannot be changed, but it must be done by using the method described in our Service Manual. It would need to be presented to the WSO and every group given an opportunity to vote on it and it would require three-quarters of all groups to vote yes to the change.

On page 124 of our Service Manual it states the following: *“Drugs/Narcotics/Prescription Medications. A symptom of alcoholism in the home may be the abuse of drugs by family members. Occasional discussion of this topic is acceptable at an Al-Anon or Alateen meeting as it may be one of the results of living with alcoholism. However, our responsibility is to ensure Al-Anon’s survival as a resource for families and friends of alcoholics. By focusing on these drug-related problems, we risk being diverted from Al-Anon’s primary aim. Referral to appropriate sources of help may be suggested to those in need.”*

12) As a World Service Rep (GR) I would like to know the full extent of WSO financial standing. (Not just checking account). I would like to know our full financial worth. (CDs, savings, etc....) Where can I find out this information?

Answer: WSO financial information is available at the WSO web site. First, go to the members web site

al-anon.org/members

then enter a password. The password is anything as long as it ends in “afg”, such as 123afg. Once in the site, click on the WSO tab and then click on “Financial Information”.

13) There’s a wonderful amount of information here at the Assembly! What are the main bullet points to bring back to my group? (in a <2 min report!)

Answer: Most members get frustrated with long Group Rep reports during meeting time, but a report can be broken up in to smaller pieces and delivered over several weeks, not only in one single report. Try to carry the information back to your group in multiple short informative reports. Listen to each person at the Assembly giving a report. Usually they each have at least one main idea they are passing along to the Group Reps. Listen for upcoming events and bring that information back. Listen carefully for items that may result in a motion at a later date. Bring that information back so members will be informed about possible changes. You might be the only way your members will hear about issues at the local SCWS level.

14) Does the Al-Anon group need to pay the GRs gas expenses to travel to the Area Assembly? What about mileage? What other expenses must the group pay for the GR? I know the Service Manual covers these topics, but many members of my group insist that as a GR I must pay these expenses on my own as part of “gratitude”. I need further guidance. Thank you.

Answer: On page 57 of the Service Manual under Group Finance/Budget it states the following: “Group expenses may include: Group Representative’s expenses to attend and participate at district and Area Assembly meetings.” This sentence provides the necessary information for the Group to support your round-trip mileage to the District meeting, Assembly and your lunch expenses. The Group pays for the first 100 miles and SCWS will reimburse after 100 miles. SCWS pays for mileage at 40 cents per mile. You should be reimbursed for the round-trip mileage, not simply for the gas.

Coordinator Reports

Area Alateen Sponsor Coordinator

Alateen Participation at Al-Anon/A.A. Conventions: Update to information from August 15, 2015 Area Committee Meeting:

- **This update pertains only to Al-Anon/A.A. Convention web sites.** The report at the August Committee stated that conventions which have Alateen Participation could not post the address or facility name of the convention location on web sites with access available to the general public. Additional research and conversation with WSO has led to the following update. Convention specific web sites may post this information, including the online brochure, provided that the Area Alateen Safety and Behavioral Requirements are met. These requirements state that an Alateen Event must have an approved Event Plan before the event can be publicized, including publication of the convention brochure with any information regarding Alateen Participation.

- The Area recognized that this requirement presented a hardship for conventions with Alateen Participation. The Area Alateen Resolution Committee, the entity established by the Area Alateen Safety and Behavioral Requirements as the decision-making entity for Alateen related issues, approved the following procedure to allow convention committees to print and distribute convention brochures prior to the final approval of the Event Plan for Alateen participation at the convention. This procedure was approved as of October 15, 2015 with the following requirements:

1. The front cover title page will **not** include in the header "with Alateen participation"
2. The inside registration information page may include registration prices for "Alateen registration"
3. If there is a special package being offered to Alateen members (i.e., Alateen pizza party), that may be listed as well
4. Either above or below the Alateen registration information, include the following phrase, *"Alateen participation is pending final approval of the Event Plan. See Alateen Events page at <http://scws-al-anon.org> for details."*
5. Items #1 - #4 apply to convention specific web sites, as well.

6. Any **announcements** regarding the convention at meetings, gatherings or events **cannot mention Alateen participation until the Event Plan has been approved.**

7. If the convention has needs beyond what is authorized in this procedure, please contact the Area Alateen Sponsor Coordinator at

alateen@scws-al-anon.org

Online Certification Training for First-Time AMIAS:

- ***The length of the training session has been extended by 15 minutes, effective with the Sunday, December 13, 2015 training session.***
- The new time frame is 7:00 pm – 8:45 pm. There usually are questions or technical issues which must be addressed prior to beginning the actual training session. The training session requires a full 90 minutes. This slight adjustment will provide a more accurate reflection of the time commitment for the training session.
- The Area's training calendar (posted on the Alateen Sponsorship tab) has been updated.

AMIAS Recertification Workshop: A gentle reminder

- The Recertification Workshop schedule is posted on the Alateen Sponsorship tab of the Area's web site. ***There will be no make-up or last minute sessions added.***
- Every AMIAS is required to attend an annual Recertification Workshop between September 1, 2015 and May 31, 2016 to be eligible to maintain his/her certification after May 31, 2016.
- Districts may need to make changes to the schedule so please be sure to check the web site for the most current schedule and to confirm your RSVP with the session contact.

Spanish & English Certification Training and Recertification Workshop – Hosted by Orange County Information Services Office:

- The Orange County Al-Anon Information Services [AIS] Office has hosted an annual Recertification Workshop each spring.
- This year Orange County will host a face-to-face Certification Training (for First-Time Sponsors) followed by a Recertification Workshop ... with separate sessions being offered in English and in Spanish at the same time in the same location.
- This is the first time the SCWS Area has offered both trainings in both languages together at the same time. The date is Saturday, March 5, 2015 in Fountain Valley from approximately 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. Look for additional details in the Area's training calendar as well as on the Orange County web site:

SCAC:

- SCAC 2016 – **Save the Date flyer** for scheduled SCAC Monthly Fundraisers is posted on Alateen Events page on Area's web site. Only date and type of event to be posted. Location, time, other details, flyer, and permission & medical consent will be posted **when each Event Plan is approved. Announcements about events, including handing out flyers, is prohibited until the Event Plan has been approved.**

Alateen Event Plan:

- The Alateen Event Plan format was revised as of October 16, 2015. The Event Plan was revised to provide more information, guidance and explanation on how to effectively, accurately and fully answer each question. The revisions were not due to any change in policy or procedure.
- The revised Event Plan did introduce a final Event Plan approval deadline established by the Area Alateen Resolution Committee. The Event Plan final approval date is 15 days before the event date (30 days before an overnight event date).

Ratio of Event Sponsors/AMIAS Chaperones per specific number of Alateens:

- Keeping the responsibility of safety in mind, each Area has the responsibility to set minimum ratios of AMIAS per number of Alateens for each type of Alateen event to ensure proper supervision.
- The Area Alateen Resolution Committee is in the process of establishing a minimum ratio of AMIAS supervision per specific number of Alateens for each type of Alateen event (i.e., convention, fundraiser, conference, et al.) This is an ongoing process and ratios will be announced as decisions are reached.
- The ratio currently established for Conventions is: One Event Sponsor/AMIAS Chaperone and one Alateen Event Security Team Member for every 10 Alateens attending the convention. The Alateen Event Security Team member is counted as one in the group of 10 Alateens.
- The ratio of one AMIAS and one Alateen Security Team member was developed based on the very successful SCAC Sponsor/Co-Sponsors - SCAC Committee model.

Cathleen "Cat" C., Alateen Sponsor Coordinator

Area Alateen Process Person (AAPP)

Important update!

When completing the 2015 Area AMIAS Recertification with the WSO, it was discovered that the AMIAS certification expiration date is incorrect in our Area Safety & Behavioral Requirements on Page 3, Recertification, it states:

"Any current AMIAS not in compliance with the recertification process by **May 31st**, will automatically lose their certified status on July 1 and will have to reapply as a new applicant."

The **correction** is that any AMIAS who does not attend an Area AMIAS Recertification Workshop **by May 31st** (not June 30th). will have their **AMIAS certification expire on May 31st** (not June 30th). This correction will be made to the Area Safety & Behavioral Requirements document.

Thank you for letting me be of service!

Tarisa R.

Alateen Coordinator

No report was received from the Alateen Coordinator.

Archives Coordinator

Hello friends in the fellowship.

I am working on a couple of items for the SOS Workshop meeting coming up in January. I will be following up on the "Group History Checklist" that was distributed at the May Assembly.

We will start updating the history of all the meetings in Southern California that want to participate. We hope to put this rich history in a binder that can be shared with all of our fellowship. Please bring your completed form to future SCWS meetings in February and August. You can also go online and access the "Group History Checklist" form as well. Upon completion it can be sent to me at:

archives@scws-al-anon.org

I will have another very interesting flyer containing a great bit of history to share with all in attendance at the January SOS Workshop meeting. It concerns Al-Anon Family Groups participation for the very first time, at the 1955 AA International Convention in St. Louis, Missouri. Our first publication, "The Al-Anon Family Groups- A Guide for the Families of Problem Drinkers" was made available at this event.

2015 is the 60th anniversary of our first book.

Also, I will have copies for distribution of the 1976 Program for our SOS Workshop. It was a 2-day event held in Long Beach that became the format used for

our AFG Convention that is celebrating 40 years in 2016.

This is our 42 Annual SOS Workshop.

"Look to the Past to Protect the Future." (from the WSO archives)

Until next time. With Love in Service,
Dan P., Archives Coordinator

Bulletin Coordinator

Thank you to all who will submit their reports by the end of today.

I want to apologize for the August Bulletin being delayed. I usually hate excuses but I am learning first-hand how life gets in the way of my earnestness to complete my commitments, like why others could not avoid the delay of the February and May Bulletins.

So, here is my explanation because I want you to know the "whys":

After the Committee Meeting in August, I took the rest of my husband's ashes to Oregon and in September took a trip of a lifetime to Alaska, where we had planned to go for a long time. The most time-consuming and important time of the year at my work is October and early November. In early November I took an emergency trip to Idaho to see a friend of 30 years who has terminal cancer.

Just so my Higher Power got my attention, my 95 year-old mother-in-law fell and broke her hip and had surgery. I am the only relative in Southern California. If that wasn't enough, my computer crashed this week. I hope to be able to recover all my files including the Bulletin template and my work on the August Bulletin. Thank you in advance for your understanding and support.

As an addendum, it was necessary for me to go back to everyone's emails with their reports. Unfortunately, the recovery service was not able to restore the Word documents.

Once again, please accept my sincerest apologies.
Christy R., Bulletin Coordinator

P.S. Following the printing of this November Bulletin, I will be stepping down as Bulletin Coordinator at the direction of my sponsor. I truly wish Jim B. all the best. Please give him your support!

Group Records Coordinator

#1: Group Statistics

Active Groups -- current number: 1,234 (up from 1,207 in February) These groups have a Current Mailing Address (CMA) and/or a Group Representative

(GR).

No Mail -- current number: 66 (down from 77)

If there is neither a CMA nor a GR for a group, they go into *No Mail* status.

Inactive -- 292 (up from 268)

After 2 years, of *No Mail*, a group becomes *Inactive*. It stays *Inactive* for 3 years. If no financial contributions are made to WSO from the group during those 3 years, the group is *Marked for Deletion*. If there is a financial contribution made, the group may remain *Inactive* for up to 7 years, after which time it is *Marked for Deletion*.

Marked for Deletion -- 73 (up from 66)

These meetings will soon be deleted from the WSO database. Their identification numbers are retired and cannot be re-used.

Do you know what the Information Service Rep is? Pgs. 63-65 of the *Service Manual*. The Alternate GR may serve as the ISR/IR, and the GR may serve as the Alternate ISR/IR.

#2 SCWS Website for Forms

Please use **only our SCWS website** to fill out any group records changes that pertain to the SCWS/WSO information flow: DR, Alternate DR, GR, and Alternate GR, CMA, and up to 2 Contacts. Most of the forms on the site are now "fillable".

When you enter your name on the SCWS online form, please be sure to include your group's WSO ID#, your last name and your zip code. We need all 3 pieces of information to see if you're already in the WSO database.

#3 Do you know your group's WSO ID#? Please memorize it and make sure that your meeting's Secretary and Treasurer have it and use it on any correspondence and/or contributions to any of the service arms.

#4 Creating a Universal Groups Update Form

We'll have a revised form up on the SCWS website before our next Assembly. We're hoping that the form will satisfy the needs of all of the local Information Service offices, plus our needs at SCWS (and WSO) for updating our groups records.

Love in Service, Donna E.. Group Records Coordinator

**grouprecords@scws-al-anon.org or
donna.scws.grc@gmail.com**

Cooperating with the Professional Community (CPC) Coordinator

During the last few months, the WSO referred a teacher and a rehab facility for more information. I connected them with their local district.

I participated in the WSO's conference call hosted by Pat-

rick Q., in which public outreach coordinators from areas all over the country traded information and ideas about how to let more people know about Al-Anon. One of my CPC colleagues talked about how she takes literature and information to professional conferences. At the Area Assembly November 21st, I asked members to contact me through the SCWS website if they know of conferences and workshops for professionals that might welcome Al-Anon information for their clients, students, and patients.

I am planning to go to the next district meeting in my home district to ask for volunteers to help seek out professional conferences where we may distribute "Al-Anon Faces Alcoholism" and other literature. I welcome suggestions from the membership.

Love in Service,
Melva C., CPC Coordinator

Hospitality Coordinator

Thank you to all who brought hospitality items to our Assembly!!

Districts scheduled to bring snacks to the SOS on January 16, 2016 are:

D33, D36, D39, D40, D63 & 66

Looking forward: Districts scheduled to bring snacks to the Committee Meeting on Feb 20, 2016 are:

D8, D12 & D17

With gratitude,
Judy P., Hospitality Coordinator

Institutions Coordinator

Below are the major areas of focus in the coming year:

- 35th Annual H&I Conference with Al-Anon Participation, April 8, 9, 10th 2016, Holiday Inn, 14299 Firestone Blvd., La Mirada, CA 90638
 - Topics: Prisons
 - Hospitals
 - Recovery Centers
 - Schools
 - FAQs
- Collaboration
 - Public Information
 - Cooperating with the Professional Community
 - AA (H&I Intergroup)
 - California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) Volunteer Advisory Task Force (VATF)
- Leverage AA Panels
 - Inventory Panels: Districts
 - Intergroups (AIS/LDC)

AA
Cross Reference AA Panels with Al-Anon Panels
Districts
Intergroups (AIS/LDC)

- Education/Workshops
 - Al-Anon Outreach to Treatment Facilities
 - 1) Institution Modules
 - a) Module One: Preliminary preparations
 - b) Module Two: Assessing opportunities and planning projects
 - c) Module Three: Implementing the project
 - d) Module Four: Evaluating results, making adjustments and celebrating our successes
 - 2) Targeted Groups: Districts
 - Intergroups (AIS/LDC)
 - Assembly

Billy M.
Institutions Coordinator

Literature Coordinator

Literature and more literature for all Al-Anon members! What is the piece of Al-Anon literature, which you read most often?

Promoting, and talking about literature is in the Literature Coordinator job description! So, again I will say that literature in all its fabulous glory will be available at the SOS in January!

Tell your GRs to check their meeting's available literature! I heard from other literature coordinators that many members have never seen all the Al-Anon literature available! Many meetings do not carry an array of literature. Does your meeting keep an array of books and pamphlets? I am standing with our Immediate Past Delegate, Jayme C., to get more literature at our meetings! More ideas will be revealed. It starts with commitment and just one extra different book at a time.

Our literature is meant to be seen, shared, read and re-read! How are do you do this?

- Do you pass on books to schools or to other Al-Anon members?
- Do you have a program library at your home?
- Do you have pamphlets? Forum magazines? "Al-Anon Faces Alcoholism"?
- Does your district put on workshops for its members?
- Do you have literature in your car, just in case you meet someone who may need us?
- Do you have a paper back "How Al-Anon Works" available at your meeting for newcomers? Do you have one in your car "just in case"

you meet someone who could use one?

I have assisted in workshops in my district and will be assisting another district in March on conflict resolution. It will be combining the traditions, conflict and real life issues. Conflict literature will be available for purchase. Are you planning a workshop/toolbox event? District 33 is having a "FUN" workshop in early December. Topics will vary with the last one focused on conflict. Tina's committee is adding in some more fun and other literature for their next meeting.

Like many of you reading this, I am overbooked in a lot of areas of my life. Yet, I will assist in your planning of an event or help you with an idea for an event or workshop. I have time for that. We have so many tools on the WSO site for carrying the message, and using our literature is such a great tie in. I love getting your creative ideas flowing. You are creative and I will assist you in tapping into that creativity. My job is to assist you lead the workshops, so the next one and the one after that will be a breeze for your district. Some of you are old pros. Please share your success with me and others.

Please continue to visit the SCWS website and the WSO website. All have vital and updated information to keep you informed on this road of recovery. And I will continue with a once a month or so email to inform you of any happenings or interesting bits on literature. One DR and the Delegate did follow through with the 10 questions I asked you to share with your district. For that DR, "Conflict Resolution" cards are the prize. You know who you are!

Love in Literature Service,
Kathy G.

Public Outreach Coordinator

Let's thank all those TV stations playing Al-Anon PSAs. More stations need your help, so please visit a TV or radio stations in your district and encourage them to play Al-Anon PSAs. Radio stations play our PSAs at no cost. If your district needs more information, please contact me to find out how to get our Al-Anon PSA's from the WSO.

Counselors in several cities have welcomed Al-Anon literature including social services staff at Whittier Presbyterian Hospital, a counselor at Queen of the Valley Hospital West Covina, and clergy staff at Pomona Valley Hospital.

Recently I received an email from Clair R., Communication to Professionals at the WSO who referred me to Ruth H., Director of Recovery Exchange. There will

be two recovery festivals in January and April. One will be in Culver City and one in Los Angeles. Please contact me if you or your district would like to participate.

This past month our delegate Elizabeth, our CPC Coordinator, Melva and I joined in a conference call with Pat Q., from the WSO. It included Public Outreach Coordinators from across the country. It was great to hear some brainstorming from other Al-Anon members. The topics were (1) how do we get the message out and (2) how do we get others involved?

Pat reminded us to take AFAs to meetings and to ask members to take them to doctor offices or anywhere that people gather while waiting for someone. It doesn't help carry the message to leave AFAs on an Al-Anon meeting table. Pat challenged us by asking what we will do to reach out to our family and friends this holiday season.

Recently our local high school had a holiday boutique. I asked to set up a table and many came by and picked up literature. Our usual focus is health fairs but we can also ask to have a table at other types of venues.

On a personal note, one thing I can do this holiday is to buy a subscription of the Forum magazine for family members. They may not read it all but maybe just the one article they need.

We have recently ordered new Al-Anon tablecloths and new Al-Anon banners. Please contact me if you will be having an event and wish to use them. If your event will be just after SOS in January, you may want to borrow them following that event.

Big hugs and in gratitude, Rose S.
Public Outreach Coordinator

Website Coordinator

Please remember to keep your district and group registration information up to date when your DR or GR and alternates change, by going to **SCWS website** and clicking on **"Get Forms"** in the side menu bar. Also remember to **update email addresses** every time they change as well. DRs, please check your **"District Meeting" information** on our website. From the home page, go to the bottom of the page and click on "District Meetings." Also check the **"Districts and Cities" webpage** by clicking on the **"Area Map"** at the very bottom of the home page. You will then find a link to view a listing of districts and their cities. Please send changes to

webhost@scws-al-anon.org

The "District and Cities" webpage has been updated and now includes a link to an alphabetical list of cities and their districts. The "Area Activities" webpage has also

been revised. From the SCWS home page, click on "Area Activities" in the links at the very bottom of the page. Remember that important news updates are always posted on the home page.

This is just a reminder that our **SCWS "Calendar"** website is available for posting information regarding SCWS and district events and convention information. Please proof-read your flyers carefully and make sure that Al-Anon is identified on the flyer. Before convention information that includes Alateen participation can be posted on our website, a formal Alateen Event Plan must first be approved. You can email

alateen@scws-al-anon.org

for more information. For AA Conventions with Al-Anon and Alateen Participation, please make sure that Al-Anon and Alateen Participation is indicated on the flyer, which can only be posted after the Event Plan is approved.

Following Committee and Assembly meetings, you will normally find presentations posted on our SCWS website

under "**Assembly Presentations.**" Bulletins including information and reports from Committee and Assembly meetings are also posted on our "Bulletins" webpage.

Also remember that the WSO Website at

<http://www.al-anon.org>

has a wide variety of information and resources for your use. If you click on the "**How Al-Anon Works for Me**" tab at the top of the home page, information for newcomers, for spouses and partners, for adult children, for teens, for parents, for grandparents, and for siblings is available. If you click on the "**For Professionals**" tab, information and resources for and by professionals about Al-Anon and membership is available including a request form.

If you notice something that is not working or have any suggestions or questions concerning the SCWS website, please contact me at:

webhost@scws-al-anon.org

With gratitude in service, Irene C., Website Coordinator

Public Service Announcements (PSAs)

How can our meeting or our district help carry the message of recovery through the Al-Anon program?

How about PSAs? If you are interested, start by exploring the WSO website for more about PSAs!

PSAs are free: "Volunteers can make a huge difference in delivering the Al-Anon messages of hope on television and radio. It may be as simple as making one phone call, sending one e-mail, or making one in-person visit to the station. Less than one hour's effort could result in a station broadcasting Al-Anon's PSAs hundreds of times, reaching thousands of people. **It costs your local Al-Anon group nothing**, but it could result in free advertising on local stations that could be worth thousands of dollars in media exposure. Local support for Al-Anon's PSAs is the easiest way to generate what could be huge results."

Did you hear a PSA? "If the stations in your community broadcast Al-Anon PSAs, it's very important that members in the broadcast audience take notice by saying thank-you to the local stations. Stations are more likely to keep playing the PSAs when they know that people in their audience notice—and care." *Sample thank you letters are in the PSAs section of "The Best of Public Outreach".*

How many TV and radio stations are in the US and Canada? "... more than 1,000 broadcast-quality PSA tapes and CDs go to the top stations throughout the U.S. and Canada every year. Not every station receives a copy, and not all of the stations that receive a copy actually play them." *This is just a fraction of what could be with your group's or your district's participation!*

Find EVERYTHING you need to reach out to TV and Radio Stations:

How do we approach a TV or radio station that is not playing PSAs?

Which TV or radio stations already have Al-Anon's PSAs?

How do we contact a TV or radio station?

It's a few easy clicks away: Please find the answer to these questions and additional information in "The Best of Public Outreach – A "How To Do It" Service Tool for Public Outreach Activities" on the WSO website: **al-anon.org** Go to the "Members' Site" tab and find "Public Outreach" in the list of resources available. This site is password protected. Put in a group name followed by the letters AFG. One more step, find "The Best of Public Outreach" and click! Information about PSAs is on pages 21 to 25.

Excerpted from "The Best of Public Outreach", page 21

District Representative Reports

District 3

Central Coast – Northern Santa Barbara County and San Luis Obispo County: Arroyo Grande | Atascadero | Cambria | Cayucos | Lompoc | Los Alamos | Los Osos | Morro Bay | Nipomo | Orcutt | Paso Robles | Pismo Beach | San Luis Obispo | Santa Maria | Solvang

No report was submitted by this district.

District 6

Bakersfield | Delano | Frazier Park | Kernville | Lake Isabella | Mount Mesa | Oildale | Porterville | Shafter | Taft | Tehachapi | Wofford Heights

It has been a pleasure to be of service for District 6. Personally I've learned so much and I watched everyone on the district board grow. I have seen the growth in our GR, too.

The new District Rep will be Cindy S. The new district board is in place and ready to serve.

It was a joy to be of service in District 6.
Love in Service, Roxanne B., DR

District 8

Goleta | Montecito | Santa Barbara | Santa Ynez

No report was submitted by this district.

District 9

Canyon Country | Lancaster | Mojave | Palmdale | Quartz Hill | Santa Clarita | Saugus | Valencia

No report was submitted by this district.

District 10

Adelanto | Apple Valley | Barstow | Helendale | Hesperia | Lucerne Valley | Phelan | Tecopa | Victorville | Wrightwood

No report was submitted by this district.

District 12

Camarillo | Goleta | Guadalupe | Oak View | Ojai | Oxnard | Port Hueneme | Santa Paula | Simi Valley | Thousand Oaks | Ventura | Westlake

Hello everyone,
I've completed my first year as District Rep! I've visited over twenty meetings in Ventura County. It has been interesting meeting newcomers as well as people who have been in program but never had the chance to meet. I love seeing the different formats and person-

alities of the meetings and to see the different economic statuses as well as ages of members. What I see most is how we are all the same in how we are affected by the disease.

The weekend of May 6-8 we will have our "Serenity By The Sea" convention in Oxnard. We will have our VCAAC convention at the Hyatt in Westlake the second weekend in September. District 12 will have an AMIAS training March 26th at St. Columbus Church in Camarillo.

Our district meetings average about 20-25 people. The first hour we cover Al-Anon business in Ventura County and the second hour we are alternating between concepts and guidelines. For example, we discussed Concept One in January. In March we will study a guideline. I'm grateful to be of service as it keeps me focused on my higher power :)

Love in service, Lalena, DR

District 17

Canoga Park | Chatsworth | Encino | Granada Hills | Malibu | North Hills | Northridge | Reseda | Tarzana | Woodland Hills

We have two new men's meetings that have joined our District 17 family and we welcome some new GRs and CMAs.

PUBLIC OUTREACH—Lisa D.

The Outreach committee has been busy creating a business size card. This card gives information on how to call Al-Anon or find the local website. It's a simple tool that anyone can carry in their wallet: police, health professionals, Al-Anon members. It can be easily handed out if the need arises. It says in English and Spanish:

Does someone's drinking bother you?
Find Help and Hope
Al-Anon Family Groups
Call 818.760.7122 or 888.425.2666
www.alanonla.org

ALATEEN—Cathy L., DAL

We had a successful AMIAS Meet and Greet with D21 on Wednesday, October 21 at the Women's Community Center in Encino. The meeting was well attended and included AMIASs from other districts as well as Al-Anon members interested in becoming an AMIAS. We enjoyed a delicious dinner (thank you districts!). Each attendee introduced herself/himself and if he/she was a sponsor, told a little bit about their Alateen or Young Alateen

meeting (where it was located, how many attended, what they liked most about being a sponsor, etc.). It was a wonderful opportunity to share varied experiences being an Alateen or Young Alateen sponsor. We also discussed the need for AMIAs to help fill in as subs for Alateen sponsors when the need arises as well as the need for AMIA chaperones at Alateen events (e.g., conventions, SCAC, fundraisers, etc.).

We are also doing some outreach to sign up new AMIAs in the district to help support Alateen and Young Alateen meetings, as well as providing support at Alateen events. We used D21's outreach flyer as a template and added some of our own district's flavor to it. The intention is to have our GRs have these flyers available at their meetings as well as having the secretaries of these meetings announce the need for certified AMIAs.

Tina S., D21 and I have been assisting the 2016 San Fernando Valley AA Convention with Al-Anon and Alateen participation Alateen convention committee with getting their committee up to date with requirements needed to ensure a successful convention (event plans, AMIA coverage, fundraising, etc.). We look forward to their having a successful convention!

Overall, our current Alateen and Young Alateen meetings are strong and we hope to continue to increase participation in these meetings. Our district agreed to provide Alateen literature to a boys meeting that isn't able to collect a 7th tradition due to their living in a boys home. I look forward to visiting these meetings to see if the district can support them in any way.

Service is Love, Enid M., DR District 17

District 21

East Side of San Fernando Valley: North Hollywood | Valley Village | Studio City | Sherman Oaks | Van Nuys | Valley Glen | Mission Hills | Sylmar | Sunland | Arleta

Improvements in our District Meetings

Our previous District Representative felt that we spent too much time in our meetings hurling information at Group Representatives and not taking advantage of the opportunity to share group challenges and solutions. We restructured our District meeting format to begin with a brief round of sharing about such matters from each of the GRs. We choose one subject from that conversation to put on the agenda for the subsequent District meeting. (We only put one topic on the agenda/District meeting to allow for a meaningful give-and-take.)

The last two "GR-Requested Topics" have been crosstalk and disruptive members. We gather as much information as we can from the *Service Manual* as well as other CAL

literature and use it to spark discussion. The GRs have this information in printed form to take home. It's made our District meetings far more constructive and interactive than just two hours of passing on admittedly important information. And, while we don't know if this has anything to do with it, our District meeting attendance is higher than previous years.

School Outreach

We should have more to report on this in our next report. We are fine-tuning our approach to meet the needs we've discovered in a manner that is realistically within our capacity.

Love in Service,
Marley D., District Rep
Suzanne P, Alternate District Representative

District 24

Altadena | Atwater Village | Burbank | Glendale | La Canada | La Crescenta | Monrovia | Montrose | Sunland | Tujunga

No report was submitted by this district.

District 27

Beverly Hills | Brentwood | Hollywood | Los Angeles | Malibu | Pacific Palisades | Santa Monica | Silverlake | Topanga | West Hollywood | West Los Angeles | Westwood

Greetings SCWS,
On Saturday, October 10, 2015 D27 with the help of Anita Mariko H., DR from D30, collaborated with members of the SCAC Committee (Sean, Angela & Carmen) to staff an Alateen booth at the Models of Pride Resource Fair on the USC campus. This event is the largest LGBTQ youth conference in the country. There were 1,000 attendees. We had the SCWS banner and tablecloth, an assortment of Alateen pamphlets, a huge laminated version of the 20 questions, "Has Your Life Been Affected by Someone Else's Drinking?" plus a bowl full of candy! We gave away ALL the literature and the candy too!

D27s GRs were asked what would make our district meetings more enjoyable and rewarding. One of the suggestions was to invite speakers. We started our new year by inviting Jayme C., our Immediate Past Delegate, to speak on the topic of leadership. We learned a lot!

Some of our GRs and I are planning to attend SWRDM in March. We're very excited.

At long last D27 got our billboard campaign rolling, with the hard work of Sacha S., ADR. They're called

junior billboards and there are 13 of them scattered all around D27. YAY!

It's that time of year again for the LA Times Festival of Books on Saturday and Sunday, April 9 & 10 at USC. The LA Intergroup is selling books again this year. Any member of the fellowship who is interested in doing 12th Step work by volunteering at our booth is invited to participate. Please email our Volunteer Coordinator, Kristine K. at:

volunteers.d27.alanon@gmail.com

Contact Richard at:

D27.scws.alanon@gmail.com

LIS, Richard R., DR

District 30

Alhambra | Altadena | Arcadia | El Monte | Pasadena | San Gabriel | San Marino | Sierra Madre | South Pasadena | Temple City

No report was submitted by this district.

District 33

Azusa | Baldwin Park | Covina | Diamond Bar | Glendora | Hacienda Heights | La Puente | Monrovia | West Covina

Greetings from District 33!

The "Giggle All The Way to Serenity" committee wants to thank you for your love and support. Members loved the fun workshop and the great Al-Anon, Alateen and AA speakers. Attendees enjoyed the program-related games using "Groups at Work" and other tools of the program. The room was filled with many laughs.

Our focus is to continue to carry the message not just for the newcomers, but for ourselves as well. We have ordered "Al-Anon Faces Alcoholism 2016", to reach out to those who are affected by someone else's drinking. They will be distributed at our district meeting to our Service Board, and the Service Board will take them back to your meeting/group.

Our Institutions volunteers are consistently taking panels to Aurora Hospital in Covina, with the cooperation of Al-Anon and AA members. Also Public Outreach participated in a health fair and arranged to run Al-Anon public service announcements on a radio station.

Alateens in District 33 are a great example of how the Alateen program helps the families of Alcoholics. This past year several of our Alateens volunteered as speakers at our district workshop, as well as meetings.

A big THANK YOU to our Alateens for your willingness to be of service.

Starting January 2016, each meeting is encouraged to start passing a donation can for the 2016 Southern California Alateen Conference (SCAC). Donations will provide half of scholarship for Alateens wanting to attend the 2016 SCAC.

We still need men to become Alateen sponsors. There will be a Recertification workshop for Alateen Members Involved in Alateen Service (AMIAS) on Saturday, February 13, 2016 in Glendora. Members who are not already an AMIAS can get certified through an online meeting. You can see the Area Alateen Sponsor Coordinator report as well as a schedule of upcoming online meetings in the Bulletin.

I am so happy to have shared one more year in service, recovery and laughter with ya'll, and let's make 2016 another amazing year! If you are thinking about being of service, there are always plenty of opportunities. My email is

bksimhappy@yahoo.com

Visit our website for future workshops and news information.

www.al-anonesgv.org

Love in service,
Maria M., District 33 DR

District 36

Alta Loma | Chino | Claremont | La Verne | Ontario | Pomona | Rancho Cucamonga | San Dimas | Upland

No report was submitted by this district.

District 39

Banning | Beaumont | Big Bear | Blue Jay | Chino Hills | Colton | Corona | Crestline | Fontana | Indio | Lake Arrowhead | Mentone | Moreno Valley | Norco | Perris | Redlands | Rialto | Riverside | Running Springs | San Bernardino | Twin Peaks | Yucaipa

Our major yearly fundraiser, "The Garden of Hope", was a very big success. We were able to raise an additional \$1,000 over last year and it all translated into profit for the district. We had our fair share of glitches, but in the end the fundraiser was a success and a huge learning experience for all of us.

Our first order of business in September was to determine where we wanted to allocate our profits. After much discussion our group conscience agreed on allocating amounts to our local service center, SCWS, and WSO.

This was truly a labor of love to complete this task. Our service center in particular was very pleased.

We have begun dialogue on at least one workshop for next year. We are also evaluating if we need a district website. And in addition we are planning a potluck in December to celebrate Christmas at our December meeting.

We as a district have an immediate challenge to fill our DAL position. Becky C. has done a wonderful job for the past 3 years and has generously offered to train a new person for us. She feels rotation of leadership is necessary.

District 39 has a strong group of leaders in our Group Reps who are anxious to meet every challenge brought upon them. Our immediate future is a very bright one.

LIS

Kirk S., DR

District 40

Anza | Hemet | Idyllwild | Lake Elsinore | Murrieta | Sun City | Temecula | Winchester

Hello Everyone from District 40,

This year has been busy and rewarding. Mary our Public Outreach Coordinator had to resign due to illness so we all agreed to carry the message in whatever way we can. Each GR takes the AFA magazines where ever they can. They are leaving them in doctor offices and libraries. We also had permission to leave them at a local coffee shop chain. Each group also gives members an AFA magazine to place where ever they chose to place it.

Years ago at our district meeting we voted to add a coordinator to e-voice and information. Kenna, that coordinator, has been able to answer the emails and make telephone call backs. She goes beyond by regularly emailing information to all groups about speaker meetings and whenever we have a dark day for a meeting. The sharing of information has helped many members in our district.

Priscilla, as our web master, is a vital part of District 40. She set up the website and works diligently updating the meeting schedule, GR phone numbers or the contact person for each meeting. She has all service arms and district officer information on the meeting schedule and then dates any changes. Priscilla puts the Colton LDC "Serenity Sheet" online. Priscilla designed a PSA card using our website information to help others find meetings. We also ask her to make flyers to share and make copies for the meetings our GRs attend.

I have no doubt that what District 40 discusses and votes on at our meeting will be on record because our wonder-

ful secretary, Laurie, has not missed a meeting. She always sends a copy of the minutes to each GR and coordinator. Her minutes are read and approved at the following meeting. We do a lot of talking but she keeps up somehow.

Peggy is our treasurer. We had our budget committee meeting and we are looking forward to a good year. This job is continuous. She is so accurate and does an awesome job.

Jan is our Intergroup Rep. sharing information with us from many districts. She is well informed bridging what might be a huge gap of information without her.

Carol is our Fundraiser Liaison planned the last event "Spring Fling". She is truly easy to work with and has created some of the most successful events we have had.

The District Alateen Liaison (DAL) has not been filled. However we all are working together. For the first time District 40 held a recertification workshop this year. We added another one in our budget for next year. We have plans to add a new meeting for our Alateens.

This is my last few months as DR. We set goals, got to work achieving them and set some more. I am most excited because we have reached so many families affected by a problem drinker. The district membership has grown. We are seeing the newcomer return because of how they are greeted and accepted. The meetings keep C.A.L. literature and stays with our primary purpose.

Chris is the ADR with her years as an Al-Anon member and shares her experience and abilities with our district.

Thank you for letting me be of service.
Marie T., DR

District 42

Bermuda Dunes | Blythe | Cathedral City | Desert Center | Desert Hot Springs | Indian Wells | Indio | Joshua Tree | La Quinta | Palm Desert | Palm Springs | Rancho Mirage | Twenty-Nine Palms | Yucca Valley

No report was submitted by this district.

District 45

Culver City | Inglewood | Los Angeles | Mar Vista | Santa Monica | Venice | Westchester

No report was submitted by this district.

District 48

Bell Gardens | Bellflower | Commerce | Compton | Cudahy | Downey | Huntington Park | Long Beach | Los Angeles | Lynwood | Maywood | Paramount | Signal Hill | South Gate | Wilmington

No report was submitted by this district.

District 51

Downey | Montebello | Pico Rivera | Santa Fe Springs | Whittier

Hello Everyone, District 51 has had a busy year!

Alathon: We had our 16th Annual Alathon last October. The theme was "When We Got Busy, We Got Better." We were excited to generate some funds this year, as the 2014 Alathon had a net loss. We hope to get more participation from meetings throughout our district. We also hope to return to a previous location for this year's event and look forward to forming a committee to take on the challenge.

Alateen: We are working to start an Alateen meeting in our district; we have none so far. Our plan is to attach it to an existing Al-Anon or AA Meeting. However, we are still weighing our prospects. We have some good people in our district who are willing to be of service. We hope to have more people register as AMIASs in our district.

Recertification Workshop: Our workshop went on without a hitch on January 30th. It had a small attendance, but we had fun and learned a lot about our responsibility to the Alateen.

New Meetings: We are investigating the possibility of opening up a new meeting in Santa Fe Springs. The location would be ideal. We already have a connection interested in having a regular Al-Anon Institutions panel in Santa Fe Springs.
Love in Service, Sandy M, D.R.

District 54

Carson | El Segundo | Gardena | Haw-Thorne | Hermosa Beach | Lomita | Manhattan Beach | Palos Verdes | Rancho Palos Verdes | Redondo Beach | Rolling Hills Estate | San Pedro | Torrance

No report was submitted by this district.

District 57

Avalon | Bellflower | Cerritos | Lakewood | Long Beach | Los Alamitos | Paramount | Seal Beach | Signal Hill

District 57 will be holding our Annual Alathon on Sat-

urday February 27th from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Lakewood at Mayfair Park. The theme is a "Discovering Choices Dinner", where several appetizing topics will be served up such as "Changed Attitudes" with a helping of "Humility", "Acceptance" with a side of "Happiness", "Perspective" loaded with "Compassion", and "Willingness" accompanied by "Enthusiasm". We hope you can join us!

Our district beginners meeting attendance continues to remain constant providing a welcome affirmation of our purpose of supporting newcomers to our fellowship. Our co-leaders share their experience, strength, and hope with newcomers while also participating in their own recovery.

Our district continues in our Public Outreach efforts, providing speakers on a regular basis to recovery centers in our area. We continue to look for ways to practice attraction, rather than promotion to our program.

Thank you for letting me be of service,
Martha Z., DR

District 60

Anaheim | Brea | Buena Park | Cypress | Fullerton | La Habra | La Mirada | Orange | Placentia | Yorba Linda

No report was submitted by this district.

District 63

Fountain Valley | Garden Grove | Huntington Beach | Santa Ana | Seal Beach | Sunset Beach | Tustin

New officers:

DR: Gene	DAL: Heidi
ADR: Vicki	OC Intergroup Liaison: Bill
Secretary: Graham	Hospitality: Susan
Treasurer: Anna	

District meeting dates for 2016:

January 23, April 23, July 23, and October 22

2015 budget:

Income: \$193 New group donations.

The 2016 budget will be discussed and approved at the January 2016 meeting.

Public Outreach Project:

Schools, courts, hospitals, Orange County Fair; WSO approved poster is available.

Alateen:

District is hosting an AMIAS recertification workshop on Saturday, February 6, 2016, at Mesa Verde United Methodist Church, 1701 Baker St., Costa Mesa.

SOS:

District 63 is sponsoring a workshop on service at the

SCWS SOS on Saturday, January 16, Glendale First United Methodist Church, 134 N. Kenwood St. in Glendale.

Submitted by Gene T., DR

District 64

Overlays all of California South

No report was submitted by this district.

District 66

Corona Del Mar | Costa Me-Sa | Dana Point | Irvine | Laguna Beach | Laguna Hills | Laguna Niguel | Laguna Woods | Lake Forest | Mission Viejo | Newport Beach | Rancho Santa Margarita | San Clemente | San Juan Capistrano | South Laguna

No report was submitted by this district.

District 69

Carlsbad | Carmel Mt Ranch | Del Mar | Encinitas | Escondido | Fallbrook | Oceanside | Poway | Ramona | Rancho Bernardo | Rancho Santa Fe | San Diego | San Marcos | Solana Beach | Solano Beach | Vista

As 2015 comes to an end, I am so grateful for all the hard work our District 69 GRs and members have put in. Our speaker series is drawing to a close allowing opportunities of new ways to carry the message.

We once again hosted "Al-Anon's Got Talent" which was great fun. I am looking forward to even more public and member outreach in 2016.

Andrea D., DR

District 72

Alpine | Bonita | Chula Vista | Coronado | El Cajon | Imperial Beach | La Mesa | Lemon Grove | San Diego | Santee | Spring Valley

Hello from District 72!

District 72 represents 34 meetings located in the southern and eastern regions of San Diego County. Out of the 34 meetings, we have 17 GRs with 14 attending district meetings regularly. All of our District service positions have been filled, with the exception of Spanish Meetings Liaison and Public Outreach.

We had a fabulous Al-Anon longtimers celebration in July, with the theme being "Illuminating Our Paths to Recovery... All Are Welcome to Celebrate with the Longtimers, Our Beacons of Light!" It was attended by over 100 members representing anywhere from the first day in Al-Anon, to over 50 years! Our speakers were incredible, with one speaker having actually met Lois Wilson! I had to pick up my jaw from the floor when I heard Alan

K. share this exciting story! How grateful am to be a part of Al-Anon and District 72!

Many hugs, Marcia M. DR

District 75

Allied Gardens | Clairemont | Clairmont | Hillcrest | La Jolla | North Clairemont | Ocean Beach | Pacific Beach | Point Loma | San Carlos | San Diego | Tier-rasanta

No report was submitted by this district.

Intergroup Reports

No reports were submitted by intergroups.

Convention Reports

AFG Convention Report

Hi Al-Anons,

The 2026-AFG convention is quickly approaching and our webpage is up and running

www.afgconvention.org

You can also link to the AFG Convention webpage by using the SCWS website.

On our website you can register online for the 2016-AFG convention and all the events; including our newest feature bundling the registration, Saturday luncheon, Saturday banquet and Sunday breakfast at a discounted rate! You can also download a copy of the AFG 2016 registration form if you prefer registering by mail (you can also take advantage of the new bundling package by mail).

Our webpage also links you to the Ontario Doubletree hotel to register for a room at the special rate of \$116 per night.

So, make the AFG 2016 convention a fun filled week-end enjoying the opening ceremonies, speaker meetings, marathon meetings (including Spanish and AA), long timers gathering, workshops, boutique, raffles, old fashion Al-Anon hospitality room, etc. Oh, and don't forget the luncheon, banquet, and break-

fast! You can also volunteer to be of service at the convention (to donate to boutique contact Eric S; to donate to raffles contact Angie; and donate to hospitality contact Frankie A. Please see the back page of the AFG registration form for their contact phone numbers)!

Don't forget to register by February 28th to take advantage of the special bundled package and/or reduced registration rates. However, you can still regis-

ter at the convention and, depending on availability, attend the luncheon, banquet and breakfast!

Hope to see you all at the AFG Convention this upcoming April 1st, 2nd, & 3rd, 2016 at the Ontario Doubletree and remember "Just for Today, I will enjoy Life!

Love in Service,
John W
AFG 2016 Chairperson

No other convention reports were submitted.

Style Sheet

Spelling and punctuation for the SCWS Bulletin

There have been many reports submitted over the past year which contained problems with spelling and punctuation. There are also many sentence fragments and sentences that run on to the next sentence or thought. I wanted to take this opportunity to give everyone some helpful ideas when writing your reports in the future.

WRONG WAY OR BE CAREFUL

Alanon

flier (effort)

GR's (Ok as possessive)

DR's (Ok as possessive)

Group's (OK as possessive)

Longtimer's (Ok as possessive)

District (District 21 -OK specific)

ie (incorrect punctuation)

district representative (Ok as general)

web-site

on-line

assembly

committee meeting

week-end

by-laws

BETTER OR RIGHT WAY

Al-Anon or AL-ANON (always has a hyphen) Watch your flyers, too!

flyer (handout)

GRs (more than one) i.e., the GRs voted for our new DR

DRs (more than one) i.e., the DRs attend the Committee Meeting

groups (more than one) i.e., The groups contributions were great

Longtimers (more than one) i.e., Our Longtimers Meeting was a success

district (general) i.e., Our district held our first workshop

i.e., (correct punctuation)

District Representative i.e., I love being the new District Representative

website (no hyphen)

online (no hyphen)

Assembly or Area Assembly (capitalize)

Committee Meeting (capitalize)

weekend (no hyphen)

bylaws (no hyphen)

Spelling: Please try running "spell check" on your report before you send it.

Email: Remember that NO personal email addresses can be included in your report. Please consider creating an email account without personal names or business names in the email address.

Thank you for letting me be of service as your Bulletin Coordinator for 2015. Christy

Balance Sheet

As of December 31, 2015

Dec 31, 15

ASSETS

Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Chase CD 4826	13,627.75
Chase CD 5303	5,009.40
Chase CD 9100	11,600.28
Chase Checking 0863	17,818.16
Chase Savings 2757	15,203.08
Total Checking/Savings	63,258.67
Other Current Assets	
Prepaid Event	1,965.00
Prepaid Expenses	3,857.52
Prepaid Rent	480.00
Total Other Current Assets	6,302.52
Total Current Assets	69,561.19
Fixed Assets	
Accumulated Depreciation	-3,327.00
Furniture and Equipment	3,327.00
Total Fixed Assets	0.00
TOTAL ASSETS	69,561.19
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Prudent Reserve	30,000.00
Retained Earnings	19,111.70
Unrestricted Net Assets	7,067.47
Net Income	13,382.02
Total Equity	69,561.19
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	69,561.19

Southern California World Service of AFG, Inc.
Balance Sheet Prev Year Comparison
As of December 31, 2015

	Dec 31, 15	Dec 31, 14	\$ Change	% Change
ASSETS				
Current Assets				
Checking/Savings				
Chase CD 4826	13,627.75	13,627.75	0.00	0.0%
Chase CD 5303	5,009.40	5,000.00	9.40	0.2%
Chase CD 9100	11,600.28	11,581.53	18.75	0.2%
Chase Checking 0863	17,818.16	18,551.02	-732.86	-4.0%
Chase Savings 2757	15,203.08	200.38	15,002.70	7,487.1%
Total Checking/Savings	63,258.67	48,960.68	14,297.99	29.2%
Other Current Assets				
Prepaid Event	1,965.00	2,447.00	-482.00	-19.7%
Prepaid Expenses	3,857.52	3,553.69	303.83	8.6%
Prepaid Rent	480.00	0.00	480.00	100.0%
Prepaid Travel	0.00	1,085.80	-1,085.80	-100.0%
Total Other Current Assets	6,302.52	7,086.49	-783.97	-11.1%
Total Current Assets	69,561.19	56,047.17	13,514.02	24.1%
Fixed Assets				
Accumulated Depreciation	-3,327.00	-3,195.00	-132.00	-4.1%
Furniture and Equipment	3,327.00	3,327.00	0.00	0.0%
Total Fixed Assets	0.00	132.00	-132.00	-100.0%
TOTAL ASSETS	69,561.19	56,179.17	13,382.02	23.8%
LIABILITIES & EQUITY				
Equity				
Prudent Reserve	30,000.00	30,000.00	0.00	0.0%
Retained Earnings	19,111.70	19,111.70	0.00	0.0%
Unrestricted Net Assets	7,067.47	4,466.30	2,601.17	58.2%
Net Income	13,382.02	2,601.17	10,780.85	414.5%
Total Equity	69,561.19	56,179.17	13,382.02	23.8%
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	69,561.19	56,179.17	13,382.02	23.8%

Profit & Loss

January through December 2015

Jan - Dec 15

Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
7th Tradition	1,605.61
Bulletin Subscriptions	795.00
Convention Contributions	2,510.98
District/Intergroup Contributio	4,460.34
Dividend Income	100.00
Forum Subscription Collection	156.00
Group Contributions	65,846.16
Interest Income	30.85
Sharing of Service Workshop	3,031.00
Total Income	78,535.94
Gross Profit	78,535.94
Expense	
Alateen Process Coordinator	1,654.24
Alateen Sponsor Coordinator	177.47
Bank Fees	57.00
Bulletin Production	684.19
Computer Expenses	490.00
Contribution to WSO	20,000.00
Delegate Equalize Expense	2,447.00
Depreciation Expense	132.00
Equipment Rental	475.00
Event Registration	1,314.00
Forum Subscriptions	143.00
Hospitality Coordinator	391.62
Hotel and Lodging	818.13
Insurance Expense	3,186.00
Meals	1,490.95
Mileage	8,226.52
Office Supplies	1,969.36
Postage and Delivery	1,074.81
Printing and Reproduction	837.69
Professional Fees - Tax Prep	642.50
Public Information Coordinator	1,341.36
Rent	3,710.00
SOS/Team Event	3,462.95
Storage Expense	2,632.17
Suspense	0.00
Travel	7,743.96

	Jan - Dec 15
Website Coordinator	52.00
Total Expense	65,153.92
Net Ordinary Income	13,382.02
Net Income	<u>13,382.02</u>

Southern California World Service of AFG, Inc.
Profit & Loss Prev Year Comparison
January through December 2015

	Jan - Dec 15	Jan - Dec 14	\$ Change	% Change
Ordinary Income/Expense				
Income				
7th Tradition	1,605.61	1,835.25	-229.64	-12.5%
Bulletin Subscriptions	795.00	673.00	122.00	18.1%
Convention Contributions	2,510.98	1,396.59	1,114.39	79.8%
District/Intergroup Contributio	4,460.34	1,589.19	2,871.15	180.7%
Dividend Income	100.00	285.80	-185.80	-65.0%
Forum Subscription Collection	156.00	218.39	-62.39	-28.6%
Group Contributions	65,846.16	63,474.01	2,372.15	3.7%
Interest Income	30.85	50.06	-19.21	-38.4%
Longtimer Meeting	0.00	1,362.00	-1,362.00	-100.0%
Sharing of Service Workshop	3,031.00	4,055.00	-1,024.00	-25.3%
Total Income	78,535.94	74,939.29	3,596.65	4.8%
Gross Profit	78,535.94	74,939.29	3,596.65	4.8%
Expense				
Alateen Process Coordinator	1,654.24	3,146.81	-1,492.57	-47.4%
Alateen Sponsor Coordinator	177.47	495.80	-318.33	-64.2%
Bank Fees	57.00	70.70	-13.70	-19.4%
Bulletin Production	684.19	1,271.60	-587.41	-46.2%
Computer Expenses	490.00	405.00	85.00	21.0%
Contribution to WSO	20,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	100.0%
CPC Coordinator	0.00	150.00	-150.00	-100.0%
Delegate Equalize Expense	2,447.00	2,741.38	-294.38	-10.7%
Depreciation Expense	132.00	1,080.00	-948.00	-87.8%
Equipment Rental	475.00	2,340.56	-1,865.56	-79.7%
Event Registration	1,314.00	2,743.50	-1,429.50	-52.1%
Forum Subscriptions	143.00	197.00	-54.00	-27.4%
Hospitality Coordinator	391.62	583.12	-191.50	-32.8%
Hotel and Lodging	818.13	432.30	385.83	89.3%
Institutions Coordinator	0.00	418.98	-418.98	-100.0%
Insurance Expense	3,186.00	3,195.00	-9.00	-0.3%
Literature Purchases	0.00	511.61	-511.61	-100.0%
Longtimers Meeting	0.00	1,565.60	-1,565.60	-100.0%
Meals	1,490.95	896.05	594.90	66.4%
Mileage	8,226.52	10,568.18	-2,341.66	-22.2%
Office Supplies	1,969.36	1,775.25	194.11	10.9%
Postage and Delivery	1,074.81	2,247.82	-1,173.01	-52.2%
Printing and Reproduction	837.69	1,876.01	-1,038.32	-55.4%
Professional Fees - Tax Prep	642.50	595.00	47.50	8.0%
Public Information Coordinator	1,341.36	89.17	1,252.19	1,404.3%
Rent	3,710.00	5,783.17	-2,073.17	-35.9%

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Profit & Loss Prev Year Comparison
January through December 2015

	Jan - Dec 15	Jan - Dec 14	\$ Change	% Change
SOS/Team Event	3,462.95	3,989.66	-526.71	-13.2%
Storage Expense	2,632.17	2,476.81	155.36	6.3%
Suspense	0.00	-44.20	44.20	100.0%
Taxes and Fees	0.00	45.00	-45.00	-100.0%
Travel	7,743.96	10,572.48	-2,828.52	-26.8%
Voided Check	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%
Website Coordinator	52.00	118.76	-66.76	-56.2%
Total Expense	65,153.92	72,338.12	-7,184.20	-9.9%
Net Ordinary Income	13,382.02	2,601.17	10,780.85	414.5%
Net Income	<u>13,382.02</u>	<u>2,601.17</u>	<u>10,780.85</u>	<u>414.5%</u>

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WORLD SERVICE INC
GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS
October through December 2015

District	Date	Receipt No	Group City and Name	Group No	Contribution	Percent
D03	10/19/2015	4369	Cayucos - Monday Morning AFG	32748	150.00	
D03	10/19/2015	4378	Orcutt - Tuesday Evening Serenity AFG	1659	25.00	
D03	10/19/2015	4353	Paso Robles - Tuesday Noon AFG	30534057	20.00	
D03	12/29/2015	4745	Pismo Beach - Women's Serenity Al-Anon	43977	40.00	
D03 Total					235.00	1.54%
D06	10/19/2015	4366	Bakersfield - Serenity on Sunday	30505678	92.00	
D06	12/17/2015	4712	Bakersfield - Serenity on Sunday	30505678	95.00	
D06 Total					187.00	1.22%
D08	12/10/2015	4670	Carpinteria - Be Good To Yourself AFG	30545452	29.61	
D08	10/26/2015	4429	Goleta - AFG Friday Morning	41540	18.00	
D08	12/29/2015	4751	Montecito - Experience, Strength	30538392	27.00	
D08	10/26/2015	4426	Santa Barbara - AFG for Men	503856	11.85	
D08	10/14/2015	4382	Santa Barbara - How Al-Anon Works	53953	6.83	
D08	12/17/2015	4695	Santa Barbara - How Al-Anon Works	53953	7.55	
D08	10/19/2015	4347	Santa Barbara - Keep Coming Back	29412	9.00	
D08	11/12/2015	4507	Santa Barbara - Keep it Simple AFG	30557154	22.65	
D08	12/29/2015	4740	Santa Barbara - One Day At A Time	53469	45.00	
D08 Total					177.49	1.16%
D09	12/29/2015	4744	Canyon Country - Monday Night Beginners	36683	42.84	
D09	12/03/2015	4642	Santa Clarita - Monday 930 AM Cocoon	65390	45.00	
D09	10/14/2015	4381	Santa Paula - Tuesday Literature	45632	5.00	
D09	11/12/2015	4521	Saugus - Monday Night Tradition 5 Parent	30617692	216.85	
D09	11/16/2015	4568	Saugus - Monday Night Tradition 5 Parent	30617692	52.03	
D09	10/06/2015	4336	Saugus - Saturday Serenity Group	37597	75.00	
D09	10/06/2015	4345	Unknown Meeting D09		45.00	
D09 Total					481.72	3.15%
D10	11/06/2015	4487	Apple Valley - Happy Road to Serenity	60021	10.00	
D10	10/14/2015	4416	Hesperia - Hijos Adultos En Hesperia	30638713	20.00	
D10	12/17/2015	4703	Hesperia - Hijos Adultos En Hesperia	30638713	20.00	
D10	10/26/2015	4425	Victorville - Serenity for Lunch	63736	10.00	
D10 Total					60.00	0.39%
D12	12/03/2015	4632	Agoura Hills - From Survival to Recovery	30578507	19.99	
D12	12/03/2015	4637	Agoura Hills - Wednesday 1245 pm	67262	35.00	
D12	12/29/2015	4746	Camarillo - How AFG Works Tue 715 pm	30514519	32.00	
D12	11/24/2015	4600	Camarillo - Men's Stag	30502484	40.00	
D12	11/16/2015	4569	Camarillo - Paths to Recovery Step Study	42172	10.00	
D12	11/16/2015	4533	Ojai - 8 am Eye Opener	66030	10.00	
D12	11/24/2015	4583	Oxnard - When We Got Busy We Got Better	30507219	15.00	
D12	11/06/2015	4464	Sherman Oaks - Wednesday Al-Anon Family	503508	10.00	
D12	11/16/2015	4537	Simi Valley - Tuesday Night AFG	29992	10.00	
D12	11/24/2015	4615	Thousand Oaks - Thur Evening 630 PM	1748	85.00	
D12	11/24/2015	4606	Ventura - Monday Al-Anon for Adult Child	502129	10.00	

District	Date	Receipt No	Group City and Name	Group No	Contribution	Percent
D12	10/26/2015	4440	Ventura - Parents Thursday 630 pm	30610778	38.00	
D12	10/06/2015	4338	Westlake Village - Women's Stag	502598	100.00	
D12	11/12/2015	4519	Westlake Village -Thursday Men's Stag 60	502576	100.00	
D12	11/12/2015	4520	Westlake Village -Tradition Five Parent	30531749	105.00	
D12 Total					619.99	4.06%
D17	10/14/2015	4411	Granada Hills - Monday Night AFG	30534687	75.00	
D17	12/29/2015	4756	Granada Hills - Recovery Is For Men AFG	30659780	20.00	
D17	11/16/2015	3989	North Hollywood - Friday Women's Solution	502996	118.93	
D17	12/17/2015	4721	North Hollywood - Friday Women's Solution	503666	100.00	
D17	10/19/2015	4348	North Hollywood - Parent Focus	503666	10.70	
D17	10/06/2015	4337	Northridge - 4th Step Study	53521	77.78	
D17	11/16/2015	4555	Northridge - Friday Northridge AFG	1270	50.00	
D17	11/24/2015	4616	Tarzana - Thursday Evening AFG	1739	55.50	
D17	12/10/2015	4655	Unknown Meeting D17		9.00	
D17	12/10/2015	4679	Woodland Hills - Fear to Serenity Parents	30630549	88.00	
D17	11/12/2015	4518	Woodland Hills - Wed Night Parent Focus	503581	85.00	
D17	11/16/2015	4545	Woodland Hills - West Valley Saturday	32433	20.00	
D17	12/03/2015	4634	Woodland Hills - Women's Action	1842	20.00	
D17	12/10/2015	4678	Woodland Hills - Women's Stag AFG AC	50780	60.00	
D17 Total					789.91	5.17%
D21	10/19/2015	4365	Sherman Oaks - Parent Focus Friday Night	30559031	60.00	
D21	12/29/2015	4732	Sherman Oaks - Parent Focus Friday Night	30559031	60.00	
D21	12/29/2015	4733	Sherman Oaks - Parent Focus Friday Night	30559031	60.00	
D21	11/16/2015	4551	Sherman Oaks - Serenity on Sunday AFG	1265	25.05	
D21 Total					205.05	1.34%
D24	10/14/2015	4421	Altadena - Saturday 10AM	65430	55.00	
D24	12/29/2015	4734	Altadena - Saturday 10AM	65430	60.00	
D24	10/14/2015	4408	Burbank - Saturday AM AFG	48987	55.56	
D24	12/10/2015	4663	Burbank - Saturday AM AFG	48987	18.01	
D24	10/19/2015	4373	Burbank - Sunday Night AFG	738	24.67	
D24	11/06/2015	4476	Burbank - Tuesday Night 730 pm	740	30.00	
D24	11/24/2015	4604	Glendale - Monday Night AFG	970	86.00	
D24	12/29/2015	4738	Glendale - Monday Night AFG	970	48.00	
D24	12/29/2015	4730	La Canada - Monday Al-Anon Meeting	39655	86.89	
D24	10/14/2015	4420	La Canada - Parents Group 1030 AM	51517	230.00	
D24	10/19/2015	4354	La Canada - Tuesday 1230 pm AFG	1052	22.14	
D24 Total					716.27	4.69%
D27	11/24/2015	4593	Brentwood - Men's Tuesday Night	29678	21.90	
D27	11/12/2015	4516	Los Angeles - 12&12 Serenity Group	30569277	45.00	
D27	11/16/2015	4544	Los Angeles - Amor Incondicional AFG	30566281	20.00	
D27	11/12/2015	4504	Los Angeles - Architects of Serenity AFG	503532	18.00	
D27	12/29/2015	4736	Los Angeles - Brentwood Friday Lit Study	503532	55.80	
D27	10/14/2015	4389	Los Angeles - Courage to Change	30564433	13.40	
D27	12/17/2015	4720	Los Angeles - Easy Monday AFG	30564433	40.00	
D27	10/14/2015	4418	Los Angeles - GFA Arcoiris LGBT	1162	10.00	
D27	11/06/2015	4478	Los Angeles - Parents Seeking Serenity	66184	69.50	

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D27	11/24/2015	4603	Los Angeles - Practicing These Principles	66184	80.00	
D27	10/14/2015	4414	Los Angeles - Semillas de Esperanza	42842	10.00	
D27	10/14/2015	4400	Los Angeles - Sunday Morning AFG	42842	35.00	
D27	12/10/2015	4669	Los Angeles - Sunday Morning AFG	49565	29.00	
D27	11/24/2015	4597	Los Angeles - Sunday Morning New Beginning	65210	30.00	
D27	10/26/2015	4431	Los Angeles - Thursday Los Angeles Civic	39133	19.65	
D27	10/14/2015	4406	Los Angeles - Thursday Night Parent's Mtg	30582124	50.00	
D27	11/16/2015	4572	Los Angeles - Westwood AFG	30533313	20.00	
D27	12/17/2015	4726	Los Angeles - Westwood La Grange AFG	30533313	70.00	
D27	12/29/2015	4758	Los Angeles - Westwood Noon Tuesday	30582124	18.70	
D27	10/20/2015	4455	Pacific Palisades - Courage To Change	30648089	50.00	
D27	10/06/2015	4339	Pacific Palisades - Serenity in Relation	64140	112.50	
D27	12/29/2015	4768	Pacific Palisades - Serenity in Relation	64140	153.00	
D27	10/14/2015	4419	Unknown Meeting D27		82.00	
D27	12/17/2015	4711	Unknown Meeting D27		70.20	
D27 Total					1,123.65	7.35%
D30	11/12/2015	4512	Alhambra - Wednesday Morning Discussion	651	35.08	
D30	12/03/2015	4693	Eagle Rock - Women's Meeting AFG	30594099	50.00	
D30	11/16/2015	4575	Palos Verdes - Friday Afternoon 1PM	1406	50.00	
D30	10/14/2015	4409	Palos Verdes - Peninsula Hilltoppers	1408	60.00	
D30	10/19/2015	4360	Pasadena - Friday Night	30656352	40.00	
D30	12/29/2015	4731	Pasadena - Monday Night Womens AFG	63505	80.00	
D30	12/29/2015	4759	Pasadena - Wednesday Night AFG	30561911	18.32	
D30	12/10/2015	4659	Rosemead - Saturday Night Literature	30592056	11.00	
D30	11/06/2015	4489	San Gabriel - San Marino AFG	1587	10.00	
D30	10/19/2015	4376	San Gabriel - Tuesday Night	1588	50.00	
D30	12/10/2015	4682	San Gabriel - Tuesday Night	1588	13.00	
D30	11/12/2015	4511	San Juan Capistrano - Monday Morning Meet	30579210	33.00	
D30	12/29/2015	4739	San Marino - Mens Al-Anon	1587	45.00	
D30	11/12/2015	4515	Sierra Madre - Friday 615 pm Step Study	48038	42.15	
D30	10/06/2015	4335	South Pasadena - Saturday Morning	30507920	60.00	
D30	12/29/2015	4735	South Pasadena - Saturday Morning	30507920	56.00	
D30	12/03/2015	4641	South Pasadena - Thursday 745pm	653	146.00	
D30 Total					799.55	5.23%
D33	10/06/2015	4340	Covina - 502 Sunday Morning	30085	30.00	
D33	11/16/2015	4563	Covina - 502 Sunday Morning	30085	15.00	
D33	12/29/2015	4762	Covina - 502 Sunday Morning	30085	15.00	
D33	11/06/2015	4473	Covina - Living in the Solution	500806	25.00	
D33	12/10/2015	4673	Covina - Living in the Solution	500806	31.25	
D33	11/12/2015	4495	Covina - Monday Charter Oak AFG	54521	9.00	
D33	12/10/2015	4665	Covina - Monday PM Beginner's Meeting	0000821	20.00	
D33	12/29/2015	4767	Covina - Wed Night Step Study AFG	40529	15.00	
D33	10/26/2015	4453	Diamond Bar - Tue 730 pm	43146	15.00	
D33	12/29/2015	4761	Diamond Bar - Tue 730 pm	43146	15.00	
D33	11/12/2015	4525	Glendora - Monday Night Glendora Meeting	979	20.00	
D33	11/16/2015	4534	Glendora - Thurs. Girls Night Out AFG	501119	10.00	

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D33	11/24/2015	4599	Monrovia - Attitude Adjustment	30633626	35.00	
D33	11/12/2015	4505	West Covina - Sunday Doctor's Hospital	47132	18.00	
D33	10/06/2015	4321	West Covina - Tuesday Night Book Study	54450	15.05	
D33	12/10/2015	4661	West Covina - Tuesday Night Book Study	54450	12.20	
D33 Total					300.50	1.97%
D36	12/10/2015	4680	Alta Loma - Thursday Night	63850	100.00	
D36	10/14/2015	4395	Claremont - 11th Step Meeting Brown Bag	63330	20.00	
D36	12/17/2015	4725	Claremont - 11th Step Meeting Brown Bag	63330	40.00	
D36	12/29/2015	4741	Claremont - 11th Step Meeting Brown Bag	63330	43.60	
D36	10/26/2015	4441	La Verne - Monday Serenity AFG	50540	40.00	
D36	12/10/2015	4658	Ontario- Saturday Morning Beginners	26495	10.00	
D36	11/06/2015	4486	Pomona - Monday Morning Serenity Group	1388	50.00	
D36 Total					303.60	1.99%
D39	10/19/2015	4357	Corona - How Al-Anon Works - Mon 7 PM	42057	24.60	
D39	11/12/2015	4500	Corona - How Al-Anon Works - Mon 7 PM	42057	13.20	
D39	12/17/2015	4706	Corona - How Al-Anon Works - Mon 7 PM	42057	26.00	
D39	10/26/2015	4424	Corona - Tuesday Night Made a Decision	806	7.00	
D39	10/14/2015	4422	Newport Beach - Women In Recovery	30560896	26.00	
D39	11/12/2015	4514	Norco - Noon Lunchable	500411	40.00	
D39	11/16/2015	4553	Rancho Santa Margarita - Monday Meet	503697	32.00	
D39	12/17/2015	4719	Rancho Santa Margarita - Parent Al-Anon	502884	39.27	
D39	10/06/2015	4326	Redlands - AFG Tuesday 730 PM	501322	25.00	
D39	10/26/2015	4430	Riverside - As We Understood	62948	18.10	
D39 Total					251.17	1.64%
D40	12/17/2015	4715	Hemet - Family & Friends of Alcoholics	32470	54.00	
D40	10/14/2015	4404	Montecito - Easy Does It Noon	54447	42.00	
D40	10/06/2015	4322	Murrieta - Hope for Today	30531203	17.50	
D40	12/17/2015	4698	Temecula - Not the Cause AFG	30537379	10.00	
D40	11/16/2015	4548	Temecula - Rise & Shine AFG	30623990	21.00	
D40	12/29/2015	4763	Temecula - Rise & Shine AFG	30623990	15.00	
D40	12/17/2015	4710	Temecula - Tuesday Night Serenity Session	500986	42.00	
D40 Total					201.50	1.32%
D42	10/14/2015	4401	Cathedral City - How It Works Book Study	30559140	36.60	
D42	10/19/2015	4361	Indian Wells - How Al-Anon Works	60124	40.50	
D42	11/16/2015	4539	Indian Wells - How Al-Anon Works	60124	15.30	
D42	12/17/2015	4707	Indian Wells - How Al-Anon Works	60124	27.36	
D42	12/17/2015	4697	Indio - Unidad Y Armonia	30562407	16.75	
D42	10/19/2015	4349	Palm Desert - Desert Cities Parents	30564705	13.65	
D42	11/24/2015	4586	Palm Desert - Desert Cities Parents	30564705	19.90	
D42	12/17/2015	4713	Palm Desert - Desert Cities Parents	30564705	4.20	
D42	10/06/2015	4332	Palm Desert - Discovering Choices	30559574	31.00	
D42	11/12/2015	4513	Palm Desert - Discovering Choices	30559574	36.50	
D42	12/17/2015	4714	Palm Desert - Discovering Choices	30559574	46.80	
D42	12/17/2015	4718	Palm Desert - Fri Courage to Change AFG	24079	150.00	
D42	10/14/2015	4392	Palm Desert - From Survival To Recovery	30656037	17.40	
D42	10/14/2015	4398	Palm Desert - From Survival To Recovery	30656037	32.18	

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D42	11/24/2015	4582	Palm Desert - From Survival To Recovery	30656037	15.00	
D42	10/14/2015	4384	Palm Desert - Hope for Today	30533315	10.00	
D42	11/12/2015	4494	Palm Desert - Hope for Today	30533315	5.00	
D42	12/29/2015	4749	Palm Desert - Hope for Today	30533315	30.00	
D42	10/19/2015	4358	Palm Desert - Progress Not Perfection	30567903	30.00	
D42	10/19/2015	4359	Palm Desert - Tuesday Night Sharing	1405	38.34	
D42	11/16/2015	4549	Palm Desert - Tuesday Night Sharing	1405	23.49	
D42	12/17/2015	4709	Palm Desert - Tuesday Night Sharing	1405	29.34	
D42	11/06/2015	4475	Palm Desert - Women's Noon AFG	30555014	26.25	
D42	11/24/2015	4592	Palm Desert - Women's Noon AFG	30555014	20.61	
D42	12/17/2015	4704	Palm Desert - Women's Noon AFG	30555014	25.00	
D42	10/26/2015	4436	Palm Desert -Just for Today Wed	30591610	24.75	
D42	12/03/2015	4625	Palm Desert -Just for Today Wed	30591610	4.26	
D42	12/03/2015	4644	Palm Springs - Monday Night Fourth Step	54407	24.00	
D42	10/06/2015	4324	Palm Springs - Paths To Recovery Saturday	61960	22.26	
D42	11/16/2015	4552	Palm Springs - Paths To Recovery Saturday	61960	30.67	
D42	12/10/2015	4671	Palm Springs - Paths To Recovery Saturday	61960	30.56	
D42	11/24/2015	4598	Palm Springs - Tuesday High Noon	62013	32.10	
D42	12/10/2015	4662	Palm Springs - Wed Night AFG Discussion	60635	16.10	
D42	10/20/2015	4462	Yucca Valley - Women of Recovery	500442	15.00	
D42 Total					940.87	6.16%
D45	12/10/2015	4660	Culver City - Tues. Steps to Serenity	833	12.00	
D45	12/17/2015	4724	Santa Monica - Sunday Morning 730 AM	66537	106.00	
D45	11/06/2015	4490	Westchester - Friday Night	1176	10.00	
D45	11/06/2015	4480	Westchester - Saturday 10AM ODAT	50442	160.82	
D45	10/06/2015	4343	Westchester - Stepped Up Group	46821	36.22	
D45	11/24/2015	4607	Westchester - Stepped Up Group	46821	17.70	
D45	12/29/2015	4747	Westchester - Stepped Up Group	46821	30.20	
D45 Total					372.94	2.44%
D51	11/23/2015	4620	Downey Thursday Nighters	854	5.00	
D51	11/24/2015	4580	Pico Rivera - Arcoiris	503453	10.00	
D51	11/16/2015	4570	Whittier - Saturday Morning 9AM	44212	23.00	
D51 Total					38.00	0.25%
D54	10/19/2015	4363	Bellflower - Sunday Afternoon 130 PM	713	45.00	
D54	11/06/2015	4491	El Segundo - AFG Is For Men	63949	20.00	
D54	10/20/2015	4458	El Segundo - Hour of Recovery	503768	30.00	
D54	11/12/2015	4530	El Segundo - Hour of Recovery	503768	35.00	
D54	12/14/2015	4690	El Segundo - Hour of Recovery	503768	25.00	
D54	10/06/2015	4313	El Segundo - Tuesday Nite Conscious	51035	9.88	
D54	11/12/2015	4493	El Segundo - Tuesday Nite Conscious	51035	2.09	
D54	11/16/2015	4543	Gardena - Focus on Feelings 730PM	40348	19.57	
D54	11/06/2015	4479	Gardena - Saturday AM 12&12&12	39919	75.00	
D54	12/29/2015	4742	Hermosa Beach - Sunday Night Literature	42899	43.00	
D54	10/19/2015	4368	Hermosa Beach - Thursday Afternoon Harmon	65307	138.80	
D54	11/12/2015	4528	Lomita - Matters of the Heart AFG	30555478	20.00	
D54	10/06/2015	4323	Manhattan Beach - Tues Night AFG	44242	20.00	

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D54	11/06/2015	4477	San Pedro - Women's AFG	63496	50.00	
D54	10/26/2015	4443	Torrance - Podium Participation	26781	52.40	
D54	10/06/2015	4330	Torrance - Saturday Morning Walteria	54893	30.00	
D54	11/12/2015	4517	Torrance - Saturday Morning Walteria	54893	52.50	
D54	12/10/2015	4675	Torrance - Saturday Morning Walteria	54893	40.50	
D54	12/17/2015	4722	Unknown Meeting D54		100.00	
D54	11/24/2015	4587	Ventura - Friday Afternoon AFG 1230 PM	50500	20.00	
D54 Total					828.74	5.42%
D57	10/06/2015	4327	Cerritos - New Way of Life	769	25.90	
D57	11/06/2015	4465	Cerritos - New Way of Life	769	11.57	
D57	12/10/2015	4674	Cerritos - New Way of Life	769	37.12	
D57	10/19/2015	4364	Lakewood - Thursday 615 pm	53068	60.00	
D57	11/16/2015	4571	Long Beach - Fri Night Candlelight AFG	30555478	37.50	
D57	10/06/2015	4334	Long Beach - Friday Noon	65437	60.00	
D57	10/26/2015	4437	Long Beach - Saturday Morning Belmont Sho	30603386	30.00	
D57	12/17/2015	4708	Long Beach - Saturday Morning Belmont Sho	30603386	28.00	
D57	10/06/2015	4319	Long Beach - Saturday Morning Group	62772	15.00	
D57	10/19/2015	4352	Long Beach - Seaport Marina Sunday	503164	20.00	
D57	10/26/2015	4448	Long Beach - Tuesday 10AM	30523805	105.00	
D57	10/26/2015	4439	Long Beach - Un Profundo Renacer GFA	32208	36.00	
D57	11/12/2015	4499	Long Beach - Wednesday Nite Co Ed Stag	30589578	12.00	
D57	10/14/2015	4407	Los Alamitos - Parents Meeting	30589578	50.00	
D57	10/19/2015	4370	Los Alamitos - Parents Meeting	30589578	866.50	
D57	12/03/2015	4633	Los Alamitos - Parents Meeting	30509033	20.00	
D57	11/16/2015	4538	Los Alamitos - Saturday Afternoon AFG	30515689	10.00	
D57	10/14/2015	4383	Los Alamitos - Tuesday Night Paths	30515689	9.00	
D57	11/16/2015	4554	Seal Beach - Thursday 730PM	1689	50.00	
D57 Total					1,483.59	9.71%
D60	11/24/2015	4591	Anaheim - Tuesday 12PM	665	20.00	
D60	11/16/2015	4547	Brea - Sunday Night	38198	20.00	
D60	11/12/2015	4498	Fullerton - Literature Study AFG	30595954	10.00	
D60	12/29/2015	4765	Fullerton - Literature Study AFG	30595954	10.00	
D60	10/14/2015	4410	Fullerton - Monday Night AFG 730 PM	41921	69.09	
D60	11/06/2015	4469	Fullerton - Sunshine Meeting 1030 AM	30551280	16.96	
D60	11/24/2015	4590	Fullerton - Wed 1230 PM AFG	954	20.00	
D60	12/10/2015	4676	La Mirada - Tuesday Morning 10AM	1080	48.00	
D60	10/06/2015	4331	Orange - Friday Noon	1304	30.00	
D60	12/10/2015	4664	Orange - Friday Noon	1304	20.00	
D60	11/16/2015	4536	Orange - Tuesday Night Candle Lite	64861	10.00	
D60	10/26/2015	4433	Orange - Women's Tuesday Meeting	64306	20.73	
D60	10/14/2015	4394	Placentia - Monday Evening	1372	20.00	
D60	11/24/2015	4588	Placentia - Monday Evening	1372	20.00	
D60	11/24/2015	4602	Yorba Linda - Al-Anon Parent Group	30546077	60.00	
D60	10/06/2015	4317	Yorba Linda - Serenity Seekers Al-Anon	1844	11.00	
D60	10/26/2015	4427	Yorba Linda - Serenity Seekers Al-Anon	1844	14.00	
D60	10/14/2015	4380	Yorba Linda - Tuesday Evening Men's Stag	37360	5.00	

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D60	12/10/2015	4653	Yorba Linda - Tuesday Evening Men's Stag	37360	5.00	
D60	10/26/2015	4438	Yorba Linda - Tuesday Night AFG	37360	35.91	
D60	10/06/2015	4328	Yorba Linda - Women's Literature Study	35663	26.25	
D60	12/03/2015	4630	Yorba Linda - Women's Literature Study	35663	19.65	
D60 Total					511.59	3.35%
D63	10/14/2015	4390	Fountain Valley - Tuesday Aladay	912	14.40	
D63	11/12/2015	4496	Fountain Valley - Tuesday Aladay	912	9.50	
D63	12/17/2015	4696	Fountain Valley - Tuesday Aladay	912	10.00	
D63	10/26/2015	4442	Garden Grove - Thursday Men's Stag	812	50.00	
D63	11/06/2015	4481	Huntington Beach - Fireside Wednesday	1026	42.00	
D63	10/19/2015	4362	Huntington Beach - Keep It Simple On The	62083	45.00	
D63	10/26/2015	4434	Huntington Beach - Monday Morning Attitud	54626	22.00	
D63	11/06/2015	4474	Huntington Beach - Monday Morning Attitud	54626	25.00	
D63	11/16/2015	4567	Huntington Beach - Tuesday 6 PM	48946	8.00	
D63	10/14/2015	4387	Orange - Meeting of Hope AFG	45065	11.28	
D63	11/24/2015	4596	Orange - Meeting of Hope AFG	45065	26.85	
D63	12/17/2015	4700	Torrance - Tuesday Step Study	1423	15.00	
D63	12/29/2015	4760	Torrance - Tuesday Step Study	1423	17.06	
D63	11/16/2015	4564	Tustin - Monday Night Sharing	1770	15.00	
D63	10/14/2015	4399	Tustin - Parents Hope for Today	30508020	35.00	
D63	12/10/2015	4672	Tustin - Parents Hope for Today	30508020	31.00	
D63 Total					377.09	2.47%
D64	11/16/2015	4562	Anaheim - Un Nuevo Amanecer Al-Anon	502633	20.00	
D64	11/06/2015	4483	Baldwin Park - Amor y Libertad	30635583	10.00	
D64	11/06/2015	4484	Baldwin Park - Amor y Libertad	30635583	20.00	
D64	11/24/2015	4609	Calexico - Remanso de paz en Calexico GFA	30518711	10.00	
D64	11/24/2015	4610	Calexico - Remanso de paz en Calexico GFA	30518711	20.00	
D64	11/12/2015	4524	Chino - Gratitude Y Fe	53918	10.00	
D64	12/17/2015	4727	Desert Hot Springs - Gratitude Fe Y	501754	10.00	
D64	11/24/2015	4613	El Centro - Fe Y Esperanza GFA	40705	30.00	
D64	10/06/2015	4315	El Monte - El Nuevo Horizonte GFA	45872	10.00	
D64	10/19/2015	4372	El Monte - El Nuevo Horizonte GFA	45872	10.00	
D64	10/19/2015	4375	El Monte - El Nuevo Horizonte GFA	45872	10.00	
D64	11/16/2015	4541	El Monte - El Nuevo Horizonte GFA	45872	15.00	
D64	12/10/2015	4654	El Monte - El Nuevo Horizonte GFA	45872	8.00	
D64	12/03/2015	4626	El Monte - Hijo's Adidtos Encontrando	30630579	10.00	
D64	11/12/2015	4523	Glendale - Unidad Y Fortaleza De GFA	61158	20.00	
D64	11/12/2015	4501	Hacienda Heights - Armonia GFA	64023	14.75	
D64	10/06/2015	4342	Hawthorne - Recuperacion GFA	30514549	10.00	
D64	12/29/2015	4755	Los Angeles - Los Feliz AFG	1162	20.00	
D64	12/14/2015	4692	Los Angeles - Otro Comienza AFG	61968	20.00	
D64	10/26/2015	4432	North Hollywood - Circula de Ganadores	60303	20.00	
D64	11/16/2015	4556	North Hollywood - Circula de Ganadores	60303	62.50	
D64	11/06/2015	4470	Pacoima - Aprendiendo Amarnos	502033	20.00	
D64	12/29/2015	4757	Pacoima - Aprendiendo Amarnos	502033	20.00	
D64	10/14/2015	4417	Pacoima - Serenidad GFA	30630404	20.00	

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D64	11/24/2015	4611	Pacoima - Serenidad GFA	30630404	20.00	
D64	12/10/2015	4681	Pacoima - Serenidad GFA	30630404	20.00	
D64	11/06/2015	4471	Pacoima - Vivir Con Esperanza	30558001	20.00	
D64	10/06/2015	4341	Pico Rivera - De Regreso a la Plenitud	30508955	30.00	
D64	12/17/2015	4701	Pico Rivera - De Regreso a la Plenitud	30508955	30.00	
D64	11/24/2015	4608	Pico Rivera - Nueva Vida	62616	30.00	
D64	10/19/2015	4377	Pomona - Despertar GFA	66050	20.00	
D64	11/24/2015	4612	Pomona - Despertar GFA	66050	20.00	
D64	11/16/2015	4535	Santa Ana - Grupo Renacimiento	30536379	10.00	
D64	12/10/2015	4668	Santa Ana - La Nueva Luz	1633	25.00	
D64	10/26/2015	4451	Santa Ana - Volver A Vivir GFA	51080	10.00	
D64	11/06/2015	4463	Sun City - One Day At A Time AFG	30558106	8.00	
D64	10/19/2015	4350	Sun City - Sunday Night Serenity	30558091	15.00	
D64	10/20/2015	4461	Sylmar - Pasos De Esperanza GFA	502690	10.00	
D64	11/12/2015	4529	Sylmar - Pasos De Esperanza GFA	502690	20.00	
D64	12/14/2015	4691	Sylmar - Pasos De Esperanza GFA	502690	20.00	
D64	11/16/2015	4558	Thousand Oaks - Literature Study	038928	75.00	
D64	11/16/2015	4561	Torrance - Al-Anon En Espanol	47954	40.00	
D64	12/17/2015	4728	Unknown Meeting D64		25.00	
D64 Total					868.25	5.68%
D66	10/14/2015	4405	Capistrano Beach - Friday Night Capo	30550940	45.00	
D66	11/12/2015	4506	Corona Del Mar - Men's Stag	29128	20.00	
D66	12/17/2015	4723	Corona Del Mar - Men's Stag Attitude and Acce	66399	105.00	
D66	10/14/2015	4393	Corona Del Mar - Tues 7 PM	44101	17.71	
D66	11/06/2015	4492	Corona Del Mar - Tues 7 PM	44101	21.48	
D66	11/16/2015	4532	Costa Mesa - AFG Wed Night	61631	10.00	
D66	10/06/2015	4314	Costa Mesa - Grand Parent Focus	30582029	10.00	
D66	12/29/2015	4766	Costa Mesa - Grand Parent Focus	30582029	4.90	
D66	10/20/2015	4457	Costa Mesa - Let it Begin with Me	61151	20.53	
D66	12/29/2015	4750	Costa Mesa - Let it Begin with Me	61151	28.40	
D66	11/24/2015	4605	Costa Mesa - Monday Night Step	30511150	88.00	
D66	12/03/2015	4627	Costa Mesa - Tue Noon Brownbaggers AFG	47964	12.00	
D66	10/14/2015	4386	Irvine - Love is AFG Friday 730 pm	1041	10.00	
D66	10/14/2015	4388	Irvine - Sunday Night AFG	45275	14.10	
D66	11/12/2015	4508	Irvine - Sunday Night AFG	45275	24.86	
D66	12/17/2015	4694	Irvine - Sunday Night AFG	45275	6.67	
D66	10/19/2015	4379	Irvine - Tuesday Night	50062	67.14	
D66	11/06/2015	4482	Laguna Beach - Men's AFG	44153	15.00	
D66	12/29/2015	4743	Laguna Beach - Men's AFG	44153	43.00	
D66	11/06/2015	4467	Laguna Beach - Saturday AM Step Study	44153	15.00	
D66	12/03/2015	4640	Laguna Beach - Wed Canyon Club	44153	85.20	
D66	10/19/2015	4367	Laguna Hills - Monday Noon	1058	112.50	
D66	12/03/2015	4639	Laguna Niguel - Friday AFG	39918	67.00	
D66	10/26/2015	4447	Lake Forest - Friday Step Study	500666	76.26	
D66	10/06/2015	4316	Lake Forest - Thursday Night	30589825	10.00	
D66	10/20/2015	4456	Mission Viejo - Parents Meeting	30563190	100.10	

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D66	10/14/2015	4412	Newport Beach - Come Saturday Morning	63876	163.44	
D66	11/16/2015	4557	Newport Beach - Come Saturday Morning	63876	73.00	
D66	12/29/2015	4729	Newport Beach - Come Saturday Morning	63876	105.95	
D66	10/20/2015	4459	Newport Beach - Monday Night Al-Anon	30575192	42.49	
D66	10/20/2015	4460	Newport Beach - Wednesday Night AFG	49655	25.00	
D66	11/12/2015	4527	Newport Beach - Women In Recovery	30560896	17.90	
D66 Total					1,457.63	9.54%
D69	11/16/2015	4550	Carlsbad - Changing Attitudes 830 AM	61259	25.00	
D69	12/29/2015	4753	Carlsbad - Changing Attitudes 830 AM	61259	22.50	
D69	10/14/2015	4396	Carlsbad - Experience, Strength & Hope	64594	25.00	
D69	11/12/2015	4502	Carlsbad - Experience, Strength & Hope	64594	15.00	
D69	12/10/2015	4666	Carlsbad - First Wednesday Speaker	503057	20.00	
D69	12/17/2015	4717	Carlsbad - La Costa Live & Let Live	66281	60.00	
D69	12/29/2015	4754	Carlsbad - La Costa Live & Let Live	66281	20.00	
D69	10/06/2015	4320	Carlsbad - North County Men's AFG	30531792	15.00	
D69	10/26/2015	4423	Carlsbad - North County Men's AFG	30531792	6.00	
D69	12/03/2015	4631	Carlsbad - North County Men's AFG	30531792	19.75	
D69	10/19/2015	4355	Carlsbad - Sunset Step Study	65525	23.00	
D69	10/14/2015	4391	Del Mar - Lunch Bunch AFG	48408	17.00	
D69	10/26/2015	4445	Del Mar - Courage to Change Fri. AM	501479	65.00	
D69	12/10/2015	4657	Del Mar - Women Working the Legacies	30627419	10.00	
D69	11/12/2015	4510	Del Mar - Working the Steps.	66846	30.00	
D69	11/16/2015	4546	Encinitas - Moonlight Bch Just for Today	64413	20.00	
D69	12/29/2015	4748	Encinitas - Thurs. Night AFG	880	30.00	
D69	10/14/2015	4385	Escondido - Back to Basics AFG	63269	10.00	
D69	12/29/2015	4764	Escondido - Back to Basics AFG	63269	10.00	
D69	10/19/2015	4351	Escondido - Monday Open Topic	30548251	20.00	
D69	10/14/2015	4415	Escondido - Renacer AFG	63846	30.00	
D69	11/24/2015	4589	Fallbrook - One Day At A Timers Wed AFG	64927	20.00	
D69	12/10/2015	4683	Ramona - Serenity on Saturday Ramona	500353	20.00	
D69	10/06/2015	4325	Rancho Penasquitos - Just For Today AFG	45691	23.42	
D69	10/26/2015	4428	Rancho Penasquitos - Just For Today AFG	45691	14.71	
D69	12/03/2015	4629	Rancho Penasquitos - Just For Today AFG	45691	17.04	
D69	12/10/2015	4656	Rancho Santa Fe - Lunch Bunch	63513	9.25	
D69	10/14/2015	4402	Solana Beach - Adult Children	501208	40.00	
D69	10/26/2015	4446	Vista - Strictly Al-Anon	500420	70.00	
D69	11/06/2015	4488	Vista - Vida Serena	501669	128.00	
D69 Total					835.67	5.47%
D72	11/23/2015	4618	Chula Vista - 1935 Chula Vista	49680	100.00	
D72	12/29/2015	4752	Chula Vista - PAZ Mental	30595797	25.70	
D72	11/12/2015	4509	Chula Vista - South Bay AFG	28684	25.00	
D72	10/19/2015	4374	El Cajon - Close Women's AFG	29519	36.90	
D72	12/29/2015	4737	El Cajon - Close Women's AFG	29519	49.31	
D72	10/06/2015	4329	El Cajon - Live & Let Live	30543404	28.00	
D72	11/12/2015	4503	El Cajon - Live & Let Live	30543404	17.00	
D72	12/10/2015	4667	El Cajon - Live & Let Live	30543404	21.60	

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D72	11/24/2015	4585	Imperial Beach Al-Anon	30555474	15.00	
D72	10/26/2015	4444	La Mesa - Men in the Park AFG	30520975	60.00	
D72	12/17/2015	4716	La Mesa - Men in the Park AFG	30520975	57.50	
D72	10/26/2015	4435	La Mesa - Monday 1PM East County Daytime	1078	23.03	
D72	11/24/2015	4594	La Mesa - Monday 1PM East County Daytime	1078	23.03	
D72	10/19/2015	4356	La Mesa - Serenity At The Lake Sun 9 am	40624	24.49	
D72	12/03/2015	4635	La Mesa - Serenity At The Lake Sun 9 am	40624	29.60	
D72	10/26/2015	4454	Lemon Grove - Al-Anon Recovering Adult	44078	17.00	
D72	11/16/2015	4565	Lemon Grove - Al-Anon Recovering Adult	44078	16.00	
D72	12/17/2015	4699	Lemon Grove - Al-Anon Recovering Adult	44078	18.25	
D72	10/14/2015	4397	Spring Valley - New View AFG	42684	30.00	
D72	11/24/2015	4595	Spring Valley - New View AFG	42684	25.00	
D72	10/14/2015	4403	Spring Valley - TGIF AFG	32706	40.00	
D72	11/24/2015	4601	Spring Valley - TGIF AFG	32706	47.75	
D72 Total					730.16	4.78%
D75	10/06/2015	4318	San Carlos - Serenity Friday Night	65007	14.40	
D75	11/23/2015	4619	San Carlos - Serenity Friday Night	65007	10.00	
D75	11/06/2015	4472	San Diego - Clairemont Clear View	503042	23.57	
D75	11/06/2015	4468	San Diego - Clairemont Friday Night	64471	15.72	
D75	10/19/2015	4371	San Diego - Courage to Change Step Study	1634813	8.00	
D75	12/17/2015	4705	San Diego - Discovering Choices	30583222	25.00	
D75	10/06/2015	4344	San Diego - Free To Be Me Women's AFG	30520218	29.00	
D75	11/16/2015	4542	San Diego - Lost and Found Al-Anon Group	47087	18.00	
D75	10/26/2015	4452	San Diego - Mind Your Own Business	47661	32.80	
D75	12/03/2015	4643	San Diego - Mind Your Own Business	47661	20.25	
D75	12/17/2015	4702	San Diego - Miramar Men's Group AFG	30542169	15.00	
D75	11/12/2015	4522	San Diego - N Clairemont AFG 7pm	1543	25.00	
D75	11/16/2015	4566	San Diego - Parents One Day At A Time	65433	30.00	
D75	11/06/2015	4485	San Diego - Search for Peace	43018	30.00	
D75	11/24/2015	4584	San Diego - UC Mamas & Papas	37117	15.00	
D75	11/12/2015	4497	San Diego - UC Monday Lunch Bunch	30555026	9.65	
D75	11/24/2015	4581	San Diego - UC Thursday Lunch Bunch	48294	14.00	
D75	10/06/2015	4333	San Diego - What a Concept AFG.	30577897	36.17	
D75	11/12/2015	4526	San Diego - Willingness to Change	64054	14.00	
D75 Total					385.56	2.52%
Grand Total					15,282.49	100.00%

District	Date	Receipt No	Group City and Name	Group No	Contribution	Percent
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SCWS DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS
October through December 2015

Date	Receipt No	District	Contribution
10/06/2015	4346	District 10 Contribution	350.00
10/26/2015	4450	District 42 Contribution	500.00
11/16/2015	4531	District 39 Contribution	7.50
11/16/2015	4574	District 08 Contribution	698.63
11/24/2015	4614	District 69 Contribution	250.00
12/10/2015	4677	District 48 Contribution	50.00
			<u>1,856.13</u>

CONVENTION CONTRIBUTIONS
October through December 2015

Date	Receipt No	District	Contribution
10/14/2015	4413	Orange County Convention~Spanish	1,180.00
10/26/2015	4449	San Luis Obispo Convention	200.00
			<u>1,380.00</u>

Southern California Alateen Conference
Balance Sheet

Accrual Basis

As of December 31, 2015

	Dec 31, 15
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Chase Bank Checking	23,825.80
Total Checking/Savings	23,825.80
Total Current Assets	23,825.80
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>23,825.80</u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Balance Equity	1,655.73
Unrestricted Net Assets	22,170.07
Total Equity	23,825.80
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u>23,825.80</u>

Southern California Alateen Conference Balance Sheet Prev Year Comparison

Accrual Basis

As of December 31, 2015

	Dec 31, 15	Dec 31, 14	\$ Change	% Change
ASSETS				
Current Assets				
Checking/Savings				
Chase Bank Checking	23,825.80	7,944.43	15,881.37	199.9%
Total Checking/Savings	23,825.80	7,944.43	15,881.37	199.9%
Total Current Assets	23,825.80	7,944.43	15,881.37	199.9%
Other Assets				
SCAC Deposit	0.00	5,000.00	-5,000.00	-100.0%
Total Other Assets	0.00	5,000.00	-5,000.00	-100.0%
TOTAL ASSETS	23,825.80	12,944.43	10,881.37	84.1%
LIABILITIES & EQUITY				
Equity				
Opening Balance Equity	1,655.73	1,655.73	0.00	0.0%
Unrestricted Net Assets	22,170.07	12,878.44	9,291.63	72.2%
Net Income	0.00	-1,589.74	1,589.74	100.0%
Total Equity	23,825.80	12,944.43	10,881.37	84.1%
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	23,825.80	12,944.43	10,881.37	84.1%

Southern California Alateen Conference Profit & Loss Prev Year Comparison

Accrual Basis

October through December 2015

	Oct - Dec 15	Oct - Dec 14	\$ Change	% Change
Ordinary Income/Expense				
Income				
Contributions				
Scholarship Funds	0.00	331.84	-331.84	-100.0%
Total Contributions	0.00	331.84	-331.84	-100.0%
Total Income	0.00	331.84	-331.84	-100.0%
Expense				
Accountant Fees	0.00	990.00	-990.00	-100.0%
Alateen Bash	0.00	458.00	-458.00	-100.0%
Filing Fees	0.00	45.00	-45.00	-100.0%
Shipping & Postage	0.00	17.46	-17.46	-100.0%
Supplies and Materials				
Food Concession	0.00	411.12	-411.12	-100.0%
Total Supplies and Materials	0.00	411.12	-411.12	-100.0%
Total Expense	0.00	1,921.58	-1,921.58	-100.0%
Net Ordinary Income	0.00	-1,589.74	1,589.74	100.0%
Net Income	0.00	-1,589.74	1,589.74	100.0%

SCWS Directory –Past Delegates, Officers and Regional Trustee

Panel	Delegate	Years	Phone	Email
1	<u>Aura Christenson</u>	<u>1961-1963</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
4	<u>Cecelia Baumwart</u>	<u>1964-1966</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
7	<u>Norris Roberts</u>	<u>1967-1969</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
10	<u>Helen Balder-Rowe</u>	<u>1970-1972</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
13	<u>Elsie Quintard</u>	<u>1973-1975</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
16	<u>Betty R. O.</u>	<u>1976-1978</u>		
19	<u>Pat R.</u>	<u>1979-1981</u>		
22	<u>Bernie Eskey</u>	<u>1982-1984</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
25	<u>Bob L.</u>	<u>1985-1987</u>		
28	<u>Hester Bachelor</u>	<u>1988-1990</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
31	<u>Joyce K.</u>	<u>1991-1993</u>		
34	<u>Kary L.</u>	<u>1994-1995</u>		
34	<u>Rita McGuire</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
37	<u>Willie W.</u>	<u>1997-1999</u>		
40	<u>Kay D.</u>	<u>2000-2002</u>		
43	<u>Miriam M.</u>	<u>2003-2005</u>		
46	<u>Mary M.</u>	<u>2006-2008</u>		
49	<u>Sandie E.</u>	<u>2009-2011</u>		
52	<u>Jayme C.</u>	<u>2012-2014</u>		

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<u>Alternate Delegate</u>	<u>Pete B.</u>			
<u>Area Chair</u>	<u>CB S.</u>			
<u>Area Secretary</u>	<u>Sandy P.</u>			
<u>Treasurer</u>	<u>Eva B.</u>			
<u>Past Delegate</u>	<u>Jayme C.</u>			

Regional Trustee	Joyce B.	757-563-1600	1600 Corporate Landing Parkway, Virginia Beach, VA 23454	wso@al-anon.org
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<u>Area Alateen Process Person</u>	<u>Tarisa</u>	<u>R.</u>			
<u>Bulletin</u>	<u>Christy</u>	<u>R.</u>			
<u>Cooperating With Professional Community</u>	<u>Melva</u>	<u>C.</u>			
<u>Hospitality</u>	<u>Judy</u>	<u>P.</u>			
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<u>Orange County</u>	<u>Jerry</u>	<u>E.</u>			
	<u>Virginia</u>				
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40	Marie T.
42	Jim B.
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54	Linda S.
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Al-Anon Registration/Group Records Change Form (GR-1)

Please send this form through your Area Process or the WSO

1. Group Record

WSO ID Number _____

District Number _____

Area Name (Abbreviation) _____

2. Status

- ☐ New
☐ Change
☐ Inactive
☐ Not Sure If Registered

3. Changes (Check all that apply)

- ☐ Group Name
☐ Current Mailing Address (CMA)
☐ Mtg Place
☐ Mtg Day
☐ Mtg Time
☐ GR
☐ Contact

4. Group/Registration Overview

Group Name _____ Mailing Language _____

Reflects Al-Anon principles and is inviting to all. See [Instructions to fill out the GR-1 Form]. Please note that group names not in compliance with the Al-Anon policy will delay processing of the registration. Contact your Area Group Records Coordinator or the WSO for further information.

Location: Meeting Place _____

Meeting Address _____

City _____ State/Province _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Contact First Name _____ Phone Number _____

Contact First Name _____ Phone Number _____

5. Meeting Details

Day _____ Time _____ ☐ AM ☐ PM

Type: ☐ Open ☐ Closed

Spoken Language _____ Member Count _____

☐ Beginners* ☐ Introductory** ☐ Limited Access

☐ Handicap Access ☐ Babysitting ☐ Fragrance Free

☐ Smoking Permitted ☐ Sign Language

Location Instructions _____

Additional Meeting

Day _____ Time _____ ☐ AM ☐ PM

Type: ☐ Open ☐ Closed

Spoken Language _____ Member Count _____

☐ Beginners* ☐ Introductory** ☐ Limited Access

☐ Handicap Access ☐ Babysitting ☐ Fragrance Free

☐ Smoking Permitted ☐ Sign Language

Location Instructions _____

* Held in conjunction with a regular Al-Anon group meeting; not considered an Al-Anon group. Provide newcomers a simple introduction to Al-Anon.

** Attendance changes frequently; not considered an Al-Anon group. Attendees are invited to go to regular Al-Anon meetings.

6. Current Mailing Address (WSO mail for the group is sent to the CMA postal and e-mail addresses)

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Street/PO Box _____

City _____ State/Province _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Phone Number _____ E-mail _____

7. For Area Use

☐ Group Rep ☐ Other _____

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Street/PO Box _____

City _____ State/Province _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Phone Number _____ E-mail _____

The WSO will register any group designating itself as an Al-Anon Family Group with the understanding that it will abide by the Traditions and that meeting will be open to any Al-Anon members. Al-Anon/Alateen Service Manual (P-24/27), "Digest of Al-Anon and Alateen Policies"

Submitted by: _____ Date: _____ Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Send to: SCWS Group Records Secretary, 10073 Valley View Street, #260, Cypress, CA 90630

This form may be downloaded from the SCWS Website—"Get Forms" - "Group Registration Form" or may be completed on line using a PDF file.

SCWS Group Contributions Form

_____ Al-Anon _____ Alateen Group Name: _____

Group Address: _____

Group City: _____ Day: _____ Time: _____

WSO ID#: _____ Contribution Enclosed: _____

Submitted By: Name: _____

E-Mail Address/Phone Number: _____

Make check or money order payable to: **SCWS**

Mail Contributions to:

SCWS, Attn: Area Treasurer

10073 Valley View St. #260

Cypress, CA 90630

Any questions and/or comments, please contact treasurer@scws-al-anon.org

SCWS BULLETIN SUBSCRIPTION FORM

New Subscription: _____ Renewal: _____ Correction: _____

Cost: \$15.00 per year and enclosed is \$ _____ for _____ years

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Make check or money order payable to: **SCWS**

Mail Subscription and Payment to:

SCWS, Attn: Area Treasurer

10073 Valley View #260

Cypress, CA 90630

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Map to Assembly/Committee Meeting Location-Glendale First United Methodist Carlson Hall.....

