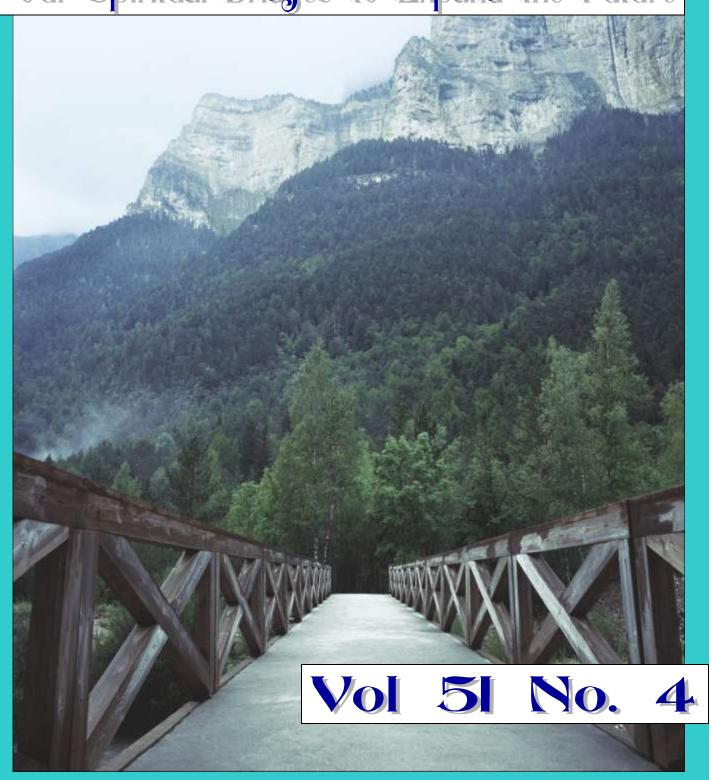
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Committee Agenda—Saturday, February 20, 2010

New District Representative Orientation – Craft 9:00 a.m.

Room

District # 10:00 a.m. - Starting time– Please be Prompt Traditions read by:

Officers Reports

Chairperson - Jayme P

Treasurer's Report - Heidi T.

Alternate Delegate's Report - David B. Delegate's Report - Sandie E.

Past Delegate's Report - Mary M.

Minutes Secretary - Amanda C.

Records Secretary's Report & Roll Call - Kathi L.

Old Business:

New Business:

Observe 7th Tradition

(Continue the meeting while baskets

are being passed)

unch Break

1:00 p.m. – Reconvene - Please be Prompt

Concepts read by:

Hospitality Report: Del L

Host districts for May Committee Mtg.

Convention Chairpersons' Reports

So-Cal. AA Conv. 2010 - Al-Anon AFG Convention 2010

So-Cal. Alateen Conf. (SCAC)

Coordinators' Reports:

Alateen Sponsor Coordinator: Lea R.

Alateen Coordinator: Anita S.

Archives: Kathy G.

Bulletin: Truck S.

Literature: Juan P.

Website: Ben P

Cooperating w/Professional

Community: Carolyn S Institutions: Rodger P.

Public Information: Tim P.

District Representatives' Reports

Intergroup Liaisons' Reports

nland Empire

Intergrupal Hispaña: (L.A. County)

Los Angeles County

Orange County:

San Diego County

Ventura County

Ask It Basket - Q's & A's: Alternate Delegate

Closing time - 4:00 p.m. - Close with Al-Anon Declaration Al-Anon related Announcements (only if time permits)

Plea<u>se help</u> clean up after and stack the grey chairs against the back wall and folding chairs in Craft Room.

Submit printed report and e-mail report to the Minutes Secretary at Secretary@scws.al-anon.org and then e-mail a copy of the report to the PLEASE LIMIT REPORTS to 2-3 minutes (does not apply to Officers) Bulletin Editor at Bulletin@scws@al.anon.org.

DISCUSSION on a motion - please keep to 2-3 minutes at the mic; if your opinion has already been shared; please sit down to avoid repetition.

CELL PHONES: please turn them OFF or set to SILENT mode

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Mark your Calendars!



Southern California World service Area (SCWS) Events SCWS Web-site: http://scws-al-anon.org

All SCWS meetings are held at the Fullerton Senior Service Center Please plan on attending for the duration of the meeting to take advantage of all the experience has to offer! - If you are unable to stay please bring your alternate with you.

February 11 - 14, 2010

38th Annual All California Young People of Alcoholics Anonymous (ACYPAA) Convention with Al-Anon Participation
Town and Country Hotel, San Diego, CA
For more information http://www.acypaa2010.org/al-anon.php

February 13, 2010

Heart Talk 2010 "A Day of Love in Al-Anon", District 10 Al-Anon Fundraiser The Clubhouse, 27801 Mountain Springs Road, Helendale, CA 92342. For more information call Judy B. at (760) 952-1471 or http://www.scws-al-anon.org/documents/calendar_flyers/Heart%20Talk%202010%20flyer.pdf

February 13, 2010

District 57 Annual Alathon, 10 AM to 4 PM, An Al-Anon Love-In Mayfair Park Swim Pavilion Room 5720 Clark Ave, Lakewood, CA

February 20, 2010

SCWS Area Committee Meeting, 10 AM to 4 PM Fullerton Senior Citizens' Center 340 W. Commonwealth Ave, Fullerton, CA

Hospitality for February 20 Committee Meeting: Districts 2, 8, and 17

March 5 - 7, 2010

Pacific Region AA Service Assembly (PRAASA) with Al-Anon Participation Radisson Hotel, 6225 West Century Blvd, Los Angeles, CA For more information, visit the http://www.praasa.org/praasa/

March 26 - 28, 2010

2010 Southern California AFG Convention, Dancing Our Way Through Recovery Doubletree Hotel, Ontario, CA For more information, visit the convention website

April 1 - 4, 2010

33rd Annual San Diego Spring Round Up
AA Convention with Al-Anon/Alateen Participation
San Diego, CA
Volunteer Opportunities: SDSPU@betmeil.com_committee

Volunteer Opportunities: SDSRU@hotmail.com, committee members needed

April 12-16, 2010

World Service Conference Wyndham Hotel, Virginia Beach

May 15, 2010

SCWS Area Assembly Meeting, 10 AM to 4 PM Fullerton Senior Citizens' Center 340 W. Commonwealth Ave, Fullerton, CA

Hospitality for May 15
Assembly Meeting:
Districts 3, 24, 27, 42, 60 and 64

July 1 - 4, 2010

AA International Convention with Al-Anon and Alateen Participation San Antonio, TX

August 21, 2010

SCWS Area Committee Meeting, 10 AM to 4 PM Fullerton Senior Citizens' Center 340 W. Commonwealth Ave Fullerton, CA

November 5 - 7, 2010

2010 Antelope Valley Al-Anon Convention Willingness is the Key Holiday Inn Palmdale, CA

November 20, 2010

SCWS Area Assembly Meeting, 10 AM to 4 PM Fullerton Senior Citizens' Center 340 W. Commonwealth Ave Fullerton, CA2010

Our next Meeting is on February 20th

Who needs to attend?

District Representatives, Officers, Coordinators and Liasons

How do I get there?

Plan A: Carpool with someone who knows!

Plan B: Drive to (map on last page):

Fullerton Senior Service Center 340 W. Commonwealth Ave. Fullerton Thomas Guide, pg 738, G7 91 Riverside Fwy, exit Harbor Blvd. North Pass Orangethorpe and Valencia, t Turn left onto Commonwealth.

Officer's Reports

Delegate: Sandie E

Dear Al-Anon Family Groups Member:

It is amazing and unbelievable to me that we are ending our first year of Panel 49. Serving as your Delegate has been such a learning experience—one of discovery, enthusiasm, joy, fear, surrender, learning and most of all, love. It's incredible that we are looking at the 2010 World Service Conference in April. I am excited that I've been asked by the Conference Leadership Team to cochair a workshop entitled "Responsibility as a Conference Member to Expand our Circle of Hope." We should be able to come up with some very interesting ideas to discuss.

It is with sadness that I report that Mary Spurlin, mother of our Executive Director and longtime WSO volunteer, passed away on Monday, November 2. Anyone wishing to honor Mary's memory may do so by making a memorial contribution to Al-Anon or the American Cancer Society. Condolences to Ric and John Dool, may be sent in care of the WSO.

LOVE GIFTS: Can it be? It's time to put on your creative hats on and have fun with your district making "Love Gifts". These little do-dads (bookmarks, book thongs, and all the other wonderful things you come up with, are displayed during the Conference and during the breaks, the delegates go "shopping" for love gifts. I can't tell you how much fun it was to receive the boxes, display the items and and watch as delegates go from station to station picking up remembrances from the Areas in the U.S. and Canada. The items sent to me last year went like hotcakes, as our way of sharing Al-Anon love with the members of the Conference.

You can send this year's love gifts to me at the Conference Hotel in April,2010. I will have a flyer with more specific information at the February Committee Meeting.

Much of the news from WSO will be shared with you today by our Coordinators, such as the "When Love is Not Enough: the Lois Wilson Story" movie on the Hallmark channel; the Al-Anon History Book, and many other things.

I want to tell you how exciting it was to attend our FIRST Northern SOS on October 26 in Arroyo Grande. What a success. I want to thank Districts 48, 57 and 9 for inviting me to attend your district meetings. So much can be discussed and questions answered in the smaller groupings. Thank you also to Districts 51 and 27 for asking me to participate in their Alathons. Unfortunately, a muscle pull in my back kept me from attending D27. Ow.

I am so happy to serve our fellowship as Delegate for California South. Thank you for the honor.

With love in Service, Sandie &

Immediate Past Delegate: Mary

I am looking forward to today's "Hot Topics" as they are ideas that come from all of you and perhaps we can have a really workable forum on solutions to them (i.e. Alateen Questions, Disruptive Members and our Bulletin discussion). Start thinking about "Hot Topics" for our next Assembly and let your DRs know what you would like to have discussed at the May Assembly.

We still need to decide whether we want to have an evaluation sheet on our SCWS meetings (Committee and Assembly). As I stated in my last report, we could compile a series of questions on what DRs and GRs think and feedback on they want at our meetings and how they rate our meetings.

For those of you interested, PRAASA will be here in So. Calif., at the Radisson Hotel at LAX and it would be great if as many as possible are able to attend this AA function with Al-Anon participation since it is in our "backyard," and the cost would be minimal. Do remember that this is an A.A. service assembly and so the focus is on their service.

During the next couple of months I will try and compile a spreadsheet of World Service events in our Southwest Area that not only some of the Board may want to attend but some of you as well. These events will be ones that do not conflict with our four annual meetings and will primarily be either Assemblies, Committee Meetings or perhaps the new presentations put on as an Area function by WSO.

Here comes the "rules" again. Now we have 11, what do you think? Will we have twelve after the conference in the spring? Could I have 11 new GRs come up front and present them? If you would like a copy of them I would be happy to

send to you in a PowerPoint file. These "rules" help with using the KBDM (knowledge based decision making) process in our meetings.

Soon we will be putting on "our show" for those districts that have the most Forum (En Accion) subscriptions; I know the entire Board can hardly wait to entertain you!!

So far there have been no changes to our By-Laws and I will be keeping track of any that occur. I am really enjoying being a part of your service board as the Immediate Past Delegate and anticipate a great next two years.

Yours in Service, Mary M

Chair: Jayme P

Buon Giorno. Buenas Dias and Hello to all of Southern California Area 4. I am pleased to tell you that the Assembly in November was so well attended that we literally ran out of chairs! When I opened the meeting I was amazed at how many people were in attendance.

Welcome to all newly elected Group Representatives and District Representatives and I especially want to thank the past Delegates who continue to attend the Assembly Meetings. We need your experience, strength and hope and I am so grateful to all of you who still find the time to be there for us who are serving at this time. You are the BEST!

I believe that the HOT TOPICS are very popular and I am so excited about it all. Each of the rooms where the Hot Topics discussions were held was overflowing. Remember to let your District Representative know of any future Hot Topics you

would like to hear at the Assembly in May 2010!

I was so pleased that we were able to host the AFG Ways and Means and I understand they sold quite a bit at the Assembly. In addition, they had all of their flyers, information and registration forms ready to be distributed to the various districts.

We passed the SCWS budget for 2010 and we also passed the motion to send the delegate to the International Convention which would be held during his/her panel.

The SCAC Alateens served lunch for everyone and they not only made a tasty Chinese Chicken Salad but served it in record time to all of the many attendees. I know that the Alateens were quite pleased with the money they raised by serving the lunch! It was a win – win situation for all of us! Thank you Alateens!

The Forum Subscription challenge is becoming very exciting. The three top districts are: District 33 with 58 new subscriptions, District 57 with 61 new subscriptions and District 12 with 71 new subscriptions! This is fantastic. Remember the prize for the district with the most Forum subscriptions ~ The SCWS Board will come to your District Meeting and perform a skit!

I remain a very grateful member of the World Wide Fellowship of the Al-Anon Family Groups and a very humble, teachable Chairman of California South, Area 4.

God doesn't call the qualified he qualifies the called.

Love in service, Jayme P, Area 4 Chairman Panel 49 SHJNES

Acronyms Used in Al-Anon/Alateen

AFG - Al-Anon Family Group(s)

AIB - Ask It Basket

AIS - Al-Anon Information Service

AWSA – Area World Service Assembly AWSC – Area World Service Committee

CAL - Conference Approved Literature

CAT - Conference Approved Tapes

CMA - Current Mailing Address

CPC - Cooperating with the Professional Community

DR - District Representative

GR - Group Representative (WS)

GSO - General Service Office

(Countries other than U.S. & Canada)

H & I - Hospitals & Institutions

IAGSM - International Al-Anon General Service Meeting

IR / ISR - Intergroup Representative /Information Service Rep.

LDC - Literature Distribution Center

LRSP - Long Range Study Panel

NPIC - National Public Information Canada

PFA - Publications Franchises Al-Anon (Canada)

Public Information

PO - Public Outreach

PSA - Public Service Announcement

RSS - Regional Service Seminar

RT - Regional Trustee

SCAC - Southern California Alateen Conference

SCWS - Southern California World Service

SOS - Sharing Of Service

SWRDM -Southwest Region Delegates' Meeting

SWRSS - Southwest Region Service Seminar

SWRT - Southwest Regional Trustee

TAL - Trustee At Large

WS - World Service

WSC - World Service Conference

WSO - World Service Office

Minutes of Committee Meeting, August 15, 2009

Chairperson, Jayme began the meeting at approximately 10:10 a.m. with the Serenity Prayer. The 12-Traditions were read by Tim P.; Public Information Coordinator.

Chairperson - Jayme P. welcomed the group and described her experience in Italy. Remind DRs that if there is Alateen at conventions that there must be something in there bylaws/information in writing that they will be using Registered Sponsors.

Treasurer's Report - Heidi T. (See Bulletin for full report). Also remember to make checks out to Southern California World Service or SCWS.

Delegate's Report - David B. (See Bulletin for full report) - Did not supply a report for the last Bulletin, is perfectly imperfect. New Bulletin subscription e-mail contest will be going until the May Assembly.

Past Delegate - Mary M. (See Bulletin for full report).

Minutes Secretary - Amanda C. asked if there are any corrections or changes to the February 21, 2009. DR 21 Tina stated that Paula DR 27 needed to be added to the Old Business "Communicating back to our Groups. Kathi L., Records Secretary Coordinator, stated that the "Records Secretary Report & Roll Call" line nine

Old Business

Hot Topics

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Disruptive Members - 26

Alateen Sponsorship/Alateen Membership/Transitioning Alateens - 30

7th Tradition/Group Funds - 2

Outreach to Our Own Members - 10

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Service Manual - 4

Conference Summary - 4

The top three "Hot Topics" were chosen for the Assembly.

Bulletin with Truck, Ben and DR 66 Chris will facilitate

<u>Disruptive Members</u> with Amanda C., Carolyn S., Tim P., Ada DR 51, Linda DR 54, & Sandi P. DR 57.

<u>Alateen Sponsorship/Alateen Membership/Transitioning Alateens</u> with Kathi L., David, Heidi, Lea, Anita S., Loreina DR 10, Tina DR 21, Paula DR 27, Aurora DR 39.

Lunch break between approximately 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.

Meeting reconvened with Concepts read by Tina, DR 21.

Ask-It-Basket Questions - David B., Alternate Delegate

Coordinator & DR Reports Given (See Bulletin for reports)

Reports due for printing in the Bulletin by September 1, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

Amanda C

Minutes of Assembly Meeting November 21, 2009

Chairperson Jayme P. started the meeting at 10:05 a.m.

Serenity Prayer and Welcome.

Introduction of Past Delegates, New DRs & New Grs.

See Bulletin for full report.

Traditions Read by Diane, District 57

Treasurer's Report - Heidi T. - See Bulletin for full report.

Presented 2009 3rd Quarter Profit and Loss Statement, 2010 Budget Information and past budget information.

A motion was made by Michelle, District 72, Mike, District 42 seconded to approve the 2010 Budget as stated. Budget Approved.

Delegate's Report - Sandie E. - Will put full report of the Delegate's Corner on the SCWS' website. Will be going to the World Service Conference in APRIL?? And is requesting that groups send love gifts to the conference. More information will be forthcoming.

Alternate Delegate's Report - David B..

Discussed SOS in Arroyo Grande and SOS, January 16th in Fullerton.

Updated assembly on Forum competition.

Past Delegate's Report - Mary M. - See Bulletin for full report.

Minutes Secretary - Amanda C.

A motion was made to accept the SCWS Assembly Minutes of May 16, 2009 with changes by Walter, District 45 and seconded by Paula. Motion was approved.

The SCWS Chair has assigned an ad hoc committee to review the past motions to ensure that they have been followed up.

Our districts have an opportunity to order some of the blue AFG table cloths that our area has and several districts have ordered them. If you want to order one you need to contact the Minutes Secretary within the next week.

Records Secretary's Report & Roll Call - Kathi L. - See Bulletin for full report.

Roll call taken.

Hospitality Report - Del L. -

Host Districts for February Committee Meeting: 8, 12, and 17.

Host Districts for January 16th SOS: 33, 36, 39, 40, 63, and 66.

New Business

SCWS to send current Delegate to International Convention which is held during his/her panel by providing airfare, hotel and stipend for meals for days of convention. If AA and Al-Anon International Convention held in same panel current Delegate to attend Al-Anon International Convention. Motion was made by Jessica, District 57 and seconded by Martha, District 30. Motion was approved.

Convention Reports - See Bulletin for full reports

AFG Convention 2010

So-Cal AA Convention 2009

So-Cal Alateen Conference SCAC

Lunch Break 12:20 PM

Reconvened at 1:20 PM

Concepts read by Julie, District 57.

Broke into Hot Topic Discussions: See Bulletin for reports.

Bulletin

Disruptive Members

Alateens

Coordinators' Reports - See Bulletin for full reports.

Intergroup Liaisons' Reports - See Bulletin for full reports.

Ask It Basket - Qs & As - Alternative Delegate.

Announcements

Closing

Respectfully submitting,

Amanda C

Treasurer's Report, November 21, 2009

What a pleasure it has been to serve as your area treasurer this year. Thank you all for allowing me to be of service. I would like to say a special thank you to the members of Glendale Friday Night 8:30 PM Group because they have been so helpful in helping fold and stuff envelopes with me. When I remember I bring with me the contribution receipts to the meeting and there are always willing volunteers to help prepare the envelopes for mailing. One of the great gifts of Al-Anon is learning that I don't have to do anything by myself. If anyone else is interested in being of service in this area of service, please do not hesitate to contact me at any time, I can always use the help.

Forms for reimbursement are on the side counters under the cabinets. Please be sure to use the correct form for the correct reimbursement. There is a special form for mileage and a separate form for other reimbursements related to any Assembly related costs for those that have been asked to provide some material, copy or other items. Please remember that in order to be reimbursed for mileage you must have traveled over two hundred miles round trip. SCWS has approved a mileage reimbursement of \$.40 a mile after the first 100 miles. As group representatives, you should be charging your meetings for reimbursement of mileage not coming from SCWS. District representatives should be getting their reimbursements from the district. In Southern California we truly believe it should not cost you to be of service to Al-Anon. The mentioned reimbursements from the various meetings that you represent as a group representative is also your donation for the 7th tradition basket at the assembly.

Also, on the counter are group contribution forms. These forms have been created in order to make the job of matching a groups contribution to the right group easier. There are a lot of forms and I would appreciate any assistance I can get in getting these forms out to the various group treasurers. The forms clearly let the treasurers know how to make out the checks and where to send them. They also ask for specific information from each of the treasurers about their meetings so that all I have to do is follow the form to be sure that I am crediting the right group without having to run extra reports, look at other reports or attempting to make a guess. The books are set up in QuickBooks and the format of the meeting list is by city and group name. In the data base for the meeting list I have the district information and group identification number as back up. Listing just your group identification number on the check without a contribution form slows down the process of that particular check. Listing the group name on the check causes a lot problems if I don't know what city the group is, i.e. a treasurer listed that the check was for a Tuesday 4th step study group in District 17. Guess what, there are four 4th step study meetings in District 17 and all of them on Tuesdays. There is no way of matching that check to a specific meeting and therefore the contribution was credited to the general unknown meeting. Using the old district number city and day combination of group identification numbers that SCWS used to use to identify groups does not really help me either as I really don't understand that system not to mention that a lot of that information is no longer part of the group records report. Bottom line, please have your treasurer's submit the group contribution form with their contributions.

It has also come to my attention that some of your meetings treasurer's are a little zealous in getting their checks processed. Please inform your treasurer's to allow at least 6 to 8 weeks for their checks to clear. If they are concerned about wether their check has been received by SCWS, they can always contact me for confirmation. It costs SCWS \$6.00 for every check that is returned for non payment no matter what the circumstance is. Not to mention that in today's economy banks are being more particular about returned checks and this could affect our customer status with our current financial institution. According to the by-laws of SCWS it is only required that a pick up of the post office box is done a minimum of two times a month. SCWS voted to have a permanent address and therefore the post office box was obtained a number of years ago. However, I live a distance from the where the post office is that houses the post office box and that particular post office closes the entire building down by 6:00 PM Monday through Friday and is currently only open till 1:00 PM on Saturdays. I do attempt to make a pick up more then two times a month but this is not always possible. Once the pick up is made there is a process of sorting out the envelopes for treasurer, records secretary and other members of the

board. It is for this reason that Lea, our Alateen coordinator has requested that all mail for Alateen be sent to her directly. The mail for other board members is then forwarded to that particular person. The mail for the treasurer is then sorted again for contributions, bills and reimbursement requests. The bills are handled first because we want to remain current with our current vendors. The reimbursement requests are handled second in order to get the funds disbursed to the requestor to prevent them from any hardships for being of service and lastly the largest of the mail is the contributions. As I have already explained there is a lengthy process of handling each contribution. There are about three hundred or so checks that I am processing through the system and each check takes some time to get processed. Once the checks from that pick up have been processed a deposit still has to be accounted and copied and gotten to the bank. I am in no way complaining but trying to let everyone know how it works and to please have some patience with the process and just a reminder that I am a volunteer here and still need to have a way of providing for my family, be an Alateen sponsor, attend Al-Anon meetings regularly and have a life. I love what I get to do for Al-Anon and Alateen and in no way would what to be anything but the best I can be for service but I am not perfect. Your understanding in this matter is greatly appreciated and I would also appreciate it if you could remind your treasurer's of this fact.

The contribution report is printed in the Bulletin each quarter. The 2nd quarter's report in the current Bulletin is really the master report and was the one that I accidently sent to the Bulletin editor, I apologize for my error and promise to be a little more careful in the future. If anyone has any questions about their meetings contributions, please feel free to contact me at any time.

The budget for 2010 has been compiled and is being presented to the assembly for approval today. Budgets are guesstimates based on history, projections and planning. Everyone should have a copy of the actual costs history for conducting business for Southern California World Service from the years ending 2000 through 2006, a copy of the Preliminary Budget for 2010 which includes the history of actual costs for years ending 2007, 2008 and the year to date of October 2009. The history of the actual costs is for each of you to have a little history of what the actual expenditures for SCWS have been over the years.

The approved budget for 2007 was for a total of \$38,200.00 for both income and expense. The actual expenditures for 2007 was a total \$46,260.00 with an actual income amount of \$47,257.00. The budget accepted for 2008 was for a total \$38,850.00 and the actual expenses for 2008 were a total of \$36,832.40 and an income total of \$47,756.20. Please note that the actual numbers for 2007 and 2008 have been rounded off by the previous treasurer for simplified reporting. The major changes that I propose for the 2010 budget are as follows:

Line item 14 - Group Services A/C Chair - should be removed from the budget as this position is no longer a valid position on the current board.

Line item 18 - Membership Comm A/C Chair - should be removed from the budget as this position

Who has Voice and/or Vote?

Assembly Meeting

Group Representatives VOICE and VOTE
District Representatives VOICE
Officers VOICE
Coordinators VOICE
Past Delegates VOICE

(Intergroup Liaisons and AWSC Convention Chairs give report only - No voice nor vote unless also a GR.)

Committee Meeting

District Representatives VOICE and VOTE
Officers VOICE and VOTE
Coordinators VOICE and VOTE
Intergroup Liaisons VOICE and VOTE
AWSC Convention Chairs VOICE and VOTE
(Conventions: AFG, So-Cal AA & SCAC)
Past Delegates VOICE

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is no longer a valid position on the current board.

Line item 21 - Public Outreach A/C Chair - Should be removed from the budget as this position is no longer a valid position on the current board.

Line item 31 - SWRSS/SW Reg. Serv. Sem. - Should be removed from the budget as World Service is no longer conducting any Regional Service Seminars.

Line item 43 - Misc. Supplies/Oper. Exp. - All expenses operating or supplies should be in relation to a particular board position and not left open for interpretation of its accountability.

A motion for acceptance of the budget needs to be made and seconded in order to have final approval of the budget.

So far I have received from Districts 45, District 24, District 12 and District 9 their contact and donation information. I am still looking for other districts to submit their contribution and contact information so that I can have a complete list of to whom and where to send contributions for each district. With this information I hope to be able to create a universal group treasurer's reference sheet and from there a universal contribution form for the ease of all group treasurers. I will also need contribution information from each of the information service offices and/or central offices located within our Area. Please submit your districts, AIS contribution information to me as soon as possible.

For the third quarter of 2009, which are the months of July, August and September the overall profit was \$3,127.46. Please see the Profit and Loss report for complete details on the income and expenses for the 3rd quarter of 2009. With the Profit and Loss report for the 3rd quarter I have included the year to date totals up through the end of the 3rd quarter for your review. We are pretty much on budget for the year and as I start to prepare for the closing of 2009 I don't anticipate any additional large expenses. Thank you to all the groups that submitted contributions during the third quarter. Southern California World Service is grateful for them and the profit and loss report is the detailed information on what those contributions were used for.

The current balances as of October 31, 2009 are as follows:

- A. The operating account had a beginning balance of \$14,544.95. There were twelve checks that cleared on the October bank statement for a total of \$4,028.15 and three deposits totaling \$4,039.37 from the same bank statement, leaving a bank statement cleared balance of \$14,556.17. There are an additional sixteen checks that have not cleared the current bank statement for a total of \$3,161.98 and one deposit made on October 31, 2009 for a total of \$2,713.44. Leaving a register balance of \$14,107.63 as of October 31, 2009.
- B. For the CD account ending in 01222, the beginning balance for the period ending October 31, 2009 was \$5,799.11. The interest earned on this account for October was \$3.20, leaving a register balance of \$5,802.31 for the period ending October 31, 2009.
- C. For the CD account ending in 00560, the beginning balance for the period ending October 31, 2009 was \$13,668.85. The interest earned on this account for October was \$8.71, leaving a register balance of \$13,677.56 for the period ending October 31, 2009.
- D. For the CD account ending in 00624 the beginning balance for the period ending October 31, 2009 was \$5,767.97. The interest earned on this account for October was \$13.29, leaving a register balance of \$5,781.26.
- E. The total of all bank balances as of October 31, 2009 is \$39,368.76. After our prudent reserve balance of \$25,000.00 the amount of liquid funds is \$14,368.76.

A final reminder that all reimbursement requests should be presented to me no later then 2:30 PM for disbursement today. Any reimbursement requests received after 2:30PM will be mailed to the requestor during the following week. This will allow me to participate and clean up in a timely manner.

Thank you all once again for allowing me to be service to the area. If anyone has any additional questions and/or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at any time. It truly is a pleasure being of service as your treasurer.

Respectfully submitted: Heidi T

2009 3rd Quarter Profit and Loss

_	Jul 09	Aug 09	Sep 09	TOTAL	Jan - Sep 09
Ordinary Income/Expense					
Income					
7th Tradition	0.00	133.80	0.00	133.80	772.31
Bulletin Subscriptions	16.00	0.00	0.00	16.00	56.00
Convention Contributions	690.48	0.00	0.00	690.48	690.48
District/Intergroup Contributions	80.00	300.00	0.00	380.00	683.20
Forum Subscription Collection	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.81
Group Contributions	5,546.19	3,384.21	4,180.00	13,110.40	32,166.27
Interest Income	39.68	38.30	24.34	102.32	339.51
Sharing of Service Workshop	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,654.00
Total Income	6,372.35	3,856.31	4,204.34	14,433.00	37,377.58
Expense					
Background Checks	0.00	0.00	370.00	370.00	1,110.00
Bulletin Bulk Mail	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	940.03
Bulletin Production	0.00	0.00	1,094.76	1,094.76	3,201.28
Computer Expenses	277.97	21.60	0.00	299.57	355.67
Contributions	4,326.45	0.00	0.00	4,326.45	4,326.45
Hotel and Lodging	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	763.00
H & I Conference	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	95.00
Hospitality Supplies	0.00	15.34	0.00	15.34	125.59
Literature Purchases	252.01	0.00	0.00	252.01	252.01
Meals	110.37	0.00	0.00	110.37	306.66
Miscellaneous	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mileage	547.67	645.47	128.51	1,321.65	5,519.61
Office Expenses	754.23	53.79	333.73	1,141.75	2,531.54
Postage and Delivery	208.53	0.00	291.55	500.08	753.60
Printing and Reproduction	393.90	-16.92	492.14	869.12	2,183.94
Professional Fess - Other	0.00	40.00	0.00	40.00	60.00
Rent Expenses	80.00	730.00	53.34	863.34	2,434.34
SOS Expenses	0.00 0.00	0.00 0.00	0.00 0.00	0.00	1,519.45
Special Events	60.00	60.00	60.00	0.00 180.00	953.00 540.00
Storage Expense Southwest Delegates Regional	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	340.00
Travel Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,198.86
Website Expenses	7.95	7.95	7.95	23.85	31.80
World Service Conference	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,890.00
Total Expense	7,019.08	1,557.23	2,831.98	11,408.29	34,431.83
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Net Ordinary Income	-646.73	2,299.08	1,372.36	3,024.71	2,945.75
Other Income/Expense	0.00	-102.75	0.00	-102.75	-82.42
Other Exepense Other Expense	0.00	-102.75	0.00	-102.75	-82.42 -82.42
Total Other Expense	0.00	102.75	0.00	102.75	82.42
Net Income	-646.73	2,401.83	1,372.36	3,127.46	3,028.17
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	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	YTD	Prelimary
			Estimated	BUDGET
	2007	2008	2009	2010
			Oct 2009	
INCOME:				
Bulletin Subscriptions	74.00	12.00	56.00	50.00
7th Tradition	1,318.00	1,198.70	772.31	1,200.00
Convention Contributions	111.00	647.92	767.14	500.00
Dist./Intergrp.Donations	1,456.00	1,150.00	683.20	1,000.00
Group Donations	42,800.00	42,596.96	36,176.57	39,570.00
Interest Income	770.00	500.06	364.71	500.00
Other Income	11.00	590.06	15.81	0.00
Longtimer Meeting Income	0.00	243.50	0.00	0.00
S.O.S Income	717.00	817.00	2,992.00	3,000.00
TOTAL INCOME	47,257.00	47,756.20	41,827.74	45,820.00
EXPENSE:				
Bulletin Bulk Mail	2,303.00	1,901.42	2,106.73	2,200.00
Bulletin Production Exp.	6,088.00	3,905.98	5,051.34	6,500.00
Comp.Hdwe & Software	211.00	50.00	355.67	500.00
Group Services A/C Chair	38.00	50.00	0.00	0.00
Alateen Co-ord. Exp.	4,054.00	2,528.00	2,399.33	2,700.00
Archives Co-ord. Exp.	0.00	1,350.00	0.00	100.00
Hospitality Co-ord. Exp.	653.00	550.00	357.51	400.00
Membership Comm A/C Chair	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00
Bulletin Editor Exp.	398.00	50.00	0.00	100.00
Literature Co-ord. Exp.	57.00	450.00	83.26	400.00
Public Outreach A/C Chair	37.00	50.00	0.00	0.00
CPC Co-ordinator Exp.	378.00	250.00	190.76	400.00
P. I. Co-ord. Exp.	1,260.00	250.00	131.55	400.00
H & I Conference	102.00	1,110.00	373.40	400.00
Institutions Co-ord. Exp.	0.00	500.00	0.00	200.00
Web Site Co-ord. Exp	182.00	100.00	0.00	100.00
Delegate Equalizer Fund	1,959.00	2,000.00	1,890.00	1,950.00
Delegate WSC Expense	500.00	660.00	500.00	500.00
Other Area mtgs (P.R.A.A.S.A., etc)*	5,388.00	1,500.00	2,622.38	4,000.00
SWRDM/SW Delegate Mtg.	939.00	686.00	2,367.45	2,000.00
SWRSS/SW Reg.Serv.Sem.	2,295.00	310.00	0.00	0.00

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DR/GR/Liaison Mileage/Hotel	3,056.00	3,796.00	1,836.28	3,000.00
Officer/Co-ord. Mileage/Hotel	4,551.00	3,112.00	4,222.01	4,500.00
Alternate Delegate Exp.	159.00	100.00	0.00	100.00
Chairperson Exp.	0.00	50.00	354.33	500.00
Delegate Exp.	1,021.00	300.00	703.48	700.00
Minutes Secretary Exp.	0.00	75.00	7.34	100.00
Past Delegate Exp.	0.00	50.00	322.51	250.00
Records Secretary Exp.	0.00	250.00	310.50	400.00
Treasurer Exp.	523.00	275.00	2,637.70	2,500.00
Bank Charges & Fees	15.00	100.00	12.00	50.00
Liability Insurance	3,453.00	2,793.00	215.50	3,000.00
Misc.Supplies/Oper.Exp.	23.00	105.00	0.00	0.00
NSF Checks/Bad Debts	37.00	50.00	100.00	100.00
Translating Equipment	0.00	0.00	2,937.00	0.00
Professional Translator	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
Corporate Expense	0.00	25.00	0.00	150.00
Website	0.00	150.00	39.75	100.00
Rent - Archives Storage	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00
Rent - Committee/Assembly	4,221.00	4,000.00	2,301.00	2,920.00
Rent - Hospitality Supplies	768.00	800.00	540.00	900.00
Special Meetings - Other	0.00	0.00	456.00	500.00
Longtimers Meeting Exp.	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00
S.O.S. Expense	1,591.00	2,000.00	2,529.70	3,000.00
TOTAL EXPENSE	46,260.00	36,832.40	37,954.48	45,820.00
SURPLUS Before Contribution to WSO	997.00	10,923.80	3,873.26	0.00
Prudent Reserve	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00

The following budget line items are requested to be elminated from the budget:

Group Services A/C Chair Membership Comm A/C Chair Public Outreach A/C Chair SWRSS/SW Reg.Serv.Sem. Misc.Supplies/Oper.Exp. Rent - Archives Storage

Southern California World Service no longer supports action committees therefore no longer need to budget for action committees.

World Service Office no longer will sponsor any RSS All expense items should be catagorized properly Archives does not have a separate storage space

Dis	strict/Group	City	Group ID	3rd Qtr	YTD
3.	Just for Today AFG 730 PM	Arroyo Grande	60857	90.00	90.00
3 '	Women's Wednesday Night Willingness	Arroyo Grande	30518695	0.00	50.00
3 '	Wednesday 12x12 Step	Atascadero	067048	5.00	10.00
3 .	Atascadero Monday Nite AFG 683 730 PM	Atascadero	000683	60.00	150.00
3 .	Atascadero Friday Noon Book Study Group	Atascadero	041842	5.00	30.00
. 3	Atascadero Thursday 530 PM	Atascadero	064375	0.00	22.50
3 (Cayucos Monday 10 AM	Cayucos	32748	75.00	165.00
3]	Lompoc Monday 7 PM Serenity AFG	Lompoc	001109	25.58	64.15
3]	Los Osos Friday Courage to Change 7 PM	Los Osos	61145	57.21	76.56
3]	Morro Bay Keep It Simple Monday Evening	Morro Bay	064309	0.00	65.00
3	Tuesday Noon AFG	Paso Robles	30534057	0.00	5.00
3 '	Women's Serenity Al-Anon 530 PM	Pismo Beach	43977	30.00	45.00
3]	Pismo Beach Tuesday Nite Step Study AFG	Pismo Beach	060242	28.00	58.00
6	SOS Serenity on Sunday	Bakersfield	30505678	20.00	20.00
6	Wednesday Courage to Change	Bakersfield	054824	0.00	54.00
6	Tuesday Night Southwest	Bakersfield	26588	20.00	40.00
6]	Bakersfield Monday Night Stockdale West Group	Bakersfield	000697	20.00	40.00
6	Lake Isabella Monday Evening	Kernville	028384	26.00	26.00
6	Monday Night Tehachapi	Tehachapi	064595	10.00	40.00
6	AFG Fellowship	Wofford Heights	501758	0.00	20.00
6	Wednesday AFG	Wofford Heights	00502704	20.00	20.00
8	Courage to Change	Santa Barbara	026344	0.00	39.75
8]	Fragrance Free Literature Study	Santa Barbara	00500920	75.00	120.00
8]	How Al-Anon Works Thus 6PM	Santa Barbara	053953	18.68	25.28
8 1	Men's Stag Al-Anon	Santa Barbara	503856	6.00	6.00
8	One Day At A Time	Santa Barbara	053469	15.00	15.00
8 :	Step-A-Month Study Group	Santa Barbara	061334	9.11	27.56
8 3	Sunday Morning Serenity Group 11AM	Santa Barbara	1639	0.00	133.50
	Santa Barbara Friday Morning Center 10 AM	Santa Barbara	041540	50.00	130.00
	Santa Barbara Tuesday 8PM	Santa Barbara	029412	45.00	105.00
	Cocoon Friday 930 AM	Canyon Country	500493	10.70	10.70
	Cocoon Monday 930 AM	Canyon Country	028701	10.70	10.70
	Cocoon Saturday	Canyon Country	28501 - 65392		10.70
	Cocoon Sunday 1030 AM	Canyon Country	028601	10.80	10.80
	Cocoon Thursdy 930 AM	Canyon Country	504269	10.70	10.70
	Cocoon Wednesday Noon	Canyon Country	65391	10.70	10.70
	Step & Tradition Meeting	Canyon Country	502515	30.00	148.00
	Tuesday 930 AM Canyon Country	Canyon Country	67204	10.70	10.70
	Walk As You Talk Tuesday 700 PM AFG	Palmdale	46773	60.00	80.00
	Canyon Country Beginners Meeting	Santa Clarita	36683	40.00	80.00
	Saugus Saturday Serenity Group	Saugus	037597	21.52	36.86
	Beginner's Meeting McBean Parkway 1230 PM	Valencia		0.00	13.89
	Friday 1230 Beginners Meeting	Valencia	42761	16.50	16.50
	Thursday 630 PM Step/Tradition AFG	Valencia	42761	0.00	6.64
	Wednesday Nite Keep Coming Back AFG 730 P	Valencia	047916	18.69	123.26
	Apple Valley Happy Road to Serenity 11 AM	Apple Valley	60021	50.00	60.00
	Hesperia Monday Morning Discussion Group	Hesperia	28188 1014	0.00 14.40	20.00 14.40
	Hesperia Thursday 11AM Serenity Meeting Phelan Al-Anon	Hesperia Phelan	054782	5.00	14.40
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District/Group	City	Group ID	3rd Qtr	YTD
12 Saturday 10AM Paths to Recovery Step Study	Camarillo	00042172	40.00	110.00
12 Courage to Change AFG	Camarillo	43526	12.00	27.00
12 Montecito Easy Does It Noon	Montecito	054447	64.00	139.00
12 8AM Eye Opener	Ojai	066030	18.00	18.00
12 Paths to Recovery St. Johns 700 PM	Oxnard	62365	0.00	7.50
12 When We Got Busy We Got Better	Oxnard	30507219	0.00	15.00
12 Santa Paula Serenity Tuesday	Oxnard	045632	0.00	15.00
12 Saturday Morning 4th Step Study AFG 930AM	Santa Paula	041538	0.00	15.00
12 Friday AFG	Simi Valley	063851	15.00	15.00
12 Sunday Evening Al-Anon Group 7PM	Simi Valley	038026	8.52	8.52
12 Tuesday Night Al-Anon 700 PM (Rehab)	Simi Valley	029992	0.00	45.00
12 Thousand Oaks Saturday Morning 1000 AM	Thousand Oaks	38928	45.00	90.00
12 Ventrua Monday Lunchtime/Noon Al-Anon Group	Ventura	41249	15.00	24.00
12 Sunday Night Step & Tradition Study 5PM	Ventura	45277	9.00	18.00
12 Tuesday Afternoon 130 PM 4th Step Study	Ventura	64141	0.00	15.00
12 Women In Recovery	Ventura	502221	0.00	15.00
12 Ventura Friday Afternoon AFG 1230 PM	Ventura	50500	0.00	45.00
12 Al-Anon Family Group	Westlake		0.00	17.70
12 Tuesday Westlake AFG 7PM	Westlake	0064865	0.00	78.00
12 Women's Stagg	Westlake	502598	17.70	17.70
12 Women's Writing Group	Westlake	054169	43.00	63.00
12 Westlake Village Wednesday 1245 PM	Westlake	067262	62.00	107.00
12 630 Monday Night Parent Focus Al-Anon Meeting	Westlake Village		0.00	30.00
12 Friday Step Study	Westlake Village	1745	18.00	25.78
12 Thousand Oaks/Westlake Village New Comers	Westlake Village	- 7 12	45.00	90.00
12 Thursday Men's Stag 6 PM	Westlake Village	502576	60.00	110.00
12 Tradition Five Parent Focus	Westlake Village	30531749	30.00	61.00
17 Monday Night Men's Stag 730 PM	Canoga Park	504011	53.35	153.35
17 Canoga Park Thursday Evening 630PM	Canoga Park	38944	0.00	50.00
17 Have Al-Anon Will Grow Meeting	Encino	64469	148.77	195.94
17 Encino Monday Nte Literature Study	Encino	050014	93.14	240.90
17 Encino Sunday Evening 730PM	Encino	46245	0.00	35.00
17 Courage to Change	Malibu	66193	100.00	100.00
17 Malibu Monday Afternoon 12:30PM	Malibu	24150	0.00	150.00
17 Monday Night VA Hospital 7PM	North Hills	037302	43.40	68.37
17 Family Group of Northridge Friday 1230 PM	Northridge	001270	0.00	101.95
17 Tuesday Northridge 4th Step Study	Northridge	053521	28.25	28.25
17 Northridge Monday 8PM	Northridge	000984	0.00	25.00
17 Tarzana Thursday Evening AFG St. James	Tarzana	1739	23.62	57.67
17 From Survivors to Recovery	Woodland Hills	30531750	233.11	233.11
17 Tradition Five Al-Anon Family Group Friday	Woodland Hills	45693	50.00	200.00
17 Tratidion Five Tues Step & Book Study 7:45PM	Woodland Hills	53567	0.00	16.00
17 Tuesday Night Book Study 630PM	Woodland Hills	52038	125.70	125.70
17 Wed Night Parent Focus Group	Woodland Hills	503581	0.00	262.86
17 West Valley AFG Saturday 9:30 AM	Woodland Hills	32433	0.00	149.30
17 Women's Stag Action Group Thursday 10AM	Woodland Hills	1842	10.00	35.00
21 Easy Does It	North Hollywood	050275	70.00	113.00
21 Hope for Today 815AM	North Hollywood	500515	57.50	131.50
21 Solutions and Serenity	North Hollywood	503666	0.00	38.03
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21 The Thursday Night Tools for Living AFG	North Hollywood	001268	23.20	32.88
21 Wake Up and Smell the Coffee	North Hollywood	064305	0.00	94.40
21 Women's Friday Noon	North Hollywood	503666	59.48	104.24
21 Focus on Recovery	Sherman Oaks	30509646	22.47	35.74
21 Live and Let Live	Sherman Oaks	502106	68.72	68.72
21 Monday Sherman Oaks AFG	Sherman Oaks	0028362	0.00	11.45
21 Serenity on Sunday AFG	Sherman Oaks	1265	60.15	111.02
21 Wednesday Al-Anon Family Groups Book Study	Sherman Oaks	503508	0.00	20.00
21 Sherman Oaks Step Study Women's Mtg. 7:30 PM	Sherman Oaks		0.00	93.92
21 Monday Noon AFG 1st Christian Church	Studio City	048882	71.51	141.45
21 Parents Focus	Studio City	502996	10.00	74.00
24 Altadena Saturday 10AM	Altadena	065430	0.00	30.00
24 AFG Burbank Saturday Little White Chapel 10:00	AM			
	Burbank	048987	131.30	131.30
24 Sunday Twilight Women's Meeting	Burbank	66711	40.00	40.00
24 Tuesday Evening Little White Chapel 7:30 PM	Burbank	000740	0.00	37.50
24 Burbank AM Literature Al-Anon	Burbank	669775	14.00	18.80
24 Burbank Sunday Nite 7:30 PM	Burbank	738	24.40	153.04
24 Monday Noon Al-Anon	Glendale	000971	21.50	21.50
24 Sunday 10:00AM Windsor Club	Glendale	30514801	0.00	10.00
24 Glendale Friday Night AFG 830 PM	Glendale	000969	0.00	14.59
24 Problem Sharing & Beginners Meeting	La Crescenta	30519052	0.00	56.00
24 Friday 1230PM AFG Living With Sobriety	LaCanda	48478	0.00	200.00
24 Thursday 7 O'Clock Let's Rock Men's Stag	LaCanda	048039	208.50	418.50
24 Thursday Afternoon Step Study 1230 PM	LaCanda	001053	0.00	41.19
24 La Canada Tuesday Afternoon 1230 PM	LaCanda	001052	54.60	159.26
24 La Canada AFG	LaCanda	48985	13.04	13.04
24 La Canada Blue Print for Progress Mon AFG	LaCanda	46168	63.26	158.71
24 La Canada Parents Group 1030 AM	LaCanda	51517	0.00	200.00
24 La Canada Wed Step Study 730PM	LaCanda	001054	10.00	45.00
24 Friday Young Alateen	Montrose		35.00	35.00
24 Saturday 9AM Step & Tradition Study AFG	Montrose	48986	0.00	54.19
24 Montrose Friday Night 645	Montrose	00023994	44.00	44.00
27 Beverly Hills Tuesday Noon Meeting	Beverly Hills	0048228	80.00	508.93
27 Brentwood Sunday AFG Step Study	Brentwood	0001138	109.31	109.31
27 Brentwood Tuesday Afternoon AFG 12:30 PM	Brentwood	036091	0.00	254.00
27 Hollywood - How It Works	Hollywood	30507294	0.00	35.00
27 Hollywood Tuesday Noon Living With Sbriety	Hollywood	0001151	84.00	179.00
27 Los Feliz AFG	Los Angeles	0001162	53.00	53.00
27 Thursday Los Angeles Civic Center 1215PM	Los Angeles	49565	25.00	50.00
27 Tuesday 730 PM Mt. Washington	Los Angeles		76.47	76.47
27 Wed Night AFG 8PM	Los Angeles	65849	42.00	65.04
27 Los Angeles Beginners Meeting Arlington	Los Angeles	1134	0.00	45.80
27 Los Angeles Wilshire Wednesday Night AFG	Los Angeles	0001157	5.00	5.00
27 Saturday Noon Adult Child Focus	Los Angeles	62375	114.00	114.00
27 Men's Fireside Stag AFG	Pacific Palisades	Applied For	47.30	47.30
27 Saturday Morning Mort's Deli 730 AM	Pacific Palisades	64140	90.00	90.00
27 Saturday Noon Al-Anon Courage to Change	Pacific Palisades	3008783	0.00	95.77
27 Sunday Morning (Mort's Deli)	Pacific Palisades	065210	8.00	9.95

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27 Pacific Palisades Slogan Study 1000 AM Pa	acific Palisades	63023	0.00	84.00
2	ilverlake	66793	190.63	533.35
27 Sunday Morning AFG - AT Center/Griffith Park Bouley		00775	170.03	000.00
	ilverlake	42842	249.96	521.82
	est Hollywood	029235	131.40	356.82
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**	est Los Angeles	066184	75.74	163.49
	/estwood	039133	0.00	114.00
·	/estwood	503532	117.30	267.30
	lhambra	000651	50.00	75.00
5 6	lhambra	652	20.00	40.00
	rcadia	042047	0.00	25.00
•	asadena	00063505	44.69	212.38
-	asadena	43698	0.00	4.00
•	asadena	46915	0.00	80.00
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•	an Gabriel	0001587	5.00	25.00
	an Gabriel	1588	51.40	160.23
3 & \	ierra Madre	048170	0.00	23.00
<i>y</i> &	ierra Madre	048038	40.00	40.00
J I J	outh Pasadena	30507920	0.00	36.77
·	outh Pasadena	000653	79.25	209.64
•	emple City	1741	0.00	7.50
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	ovina	0054521	5.00	5.00
•		000500806	20.00	94.00
	ovina	827	0.00	8.25
•	ovina	823	15.00	15.00
	ovina	65666	20.00	50.00
3	ovina	035662	17.70	27.70
	ovina	825	15.00	60.00
	ovina	40529	0.00	10.00
	lendora	00979	30.00	30.00
• •	lendora	30517649	0.00	30.00
	Ionrovia	30527674	3.00	3.00
1	Ionrovia	00501501	9.00	15.00
_	ista	500420	0.00	30.00
,	Vest Covina	61503	0.00	9.00
	est Covina	1824	52.00	118.00
_	lta Loma	1021	0.00	94.00
36 Thursday Night How Al-Anon Works Book Study 6:30			0.00	<i>y</i> 0
	lta Loma	63850	40.00	90.00
	lta Loma	0001780	10.00	10.00
, i	hino	0044442	10.00	10.00
	lairemont	0063330	20.00	45.00
• •	lairemont	46166	90.00	90.00
	ntario	26495	10.00	20.00
	omona	001388	9.20	21.20
	omona	025401	10.00	20.00

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36 Woman to Woman	Rancho Cucamor	ng	47.00	47.00
36 taying In The Solution	San Dimas	060605	0.00	10.00
36 Changing Format AFG 7:30PM St. Marks	Upland	047714	0.00	30.00
39 Hope for the Future (Alateen)	Big Bear Lake	3052264	5.00	5.00
39 Big Bear Wednesday 12:30 PM	Big Bear Lake	0066176	15.00	15.00
39 Keep It Simple	Redlands	30510341	11.00	27.18
39 Wednesday Night Al-Anon Discussion	Riverside	0001461	10.00	10.00
39 Rerside AFG - Wed Nite Hearing Impaired	Riverside		0.00	15.50
39 Riverside As We Understood	Riverside	62948	36.15	62.15
39 Riverside Friday Night Live	Riverside	1457	0.00	22.00
39 Twin Peaks Thursday Night	Twin Peaks	503292	0.00	17.50
40 Family & Friends Alcoholics	Hemet	32470	170.00	170.00
40 Tuesday Al-Anon Group	Murrieta	30531203	7.77	7.77
40 Hope for Today	Muttieta	30531203	0.00	17.15
40 Progress Not Perfection 630 PM	Temecula	65359	33.00	33.00
40 Thursday Morning Literature Study	Temecula	30504289	10.00	20.00
40 Women's Stag Meeting	Temecula	41018	21.00	21.00
42 Cathedral City AFG	Cathedral City	0054407	0.00	5.00
42 Friday Noon Courage to Change	Indian Wells	52240-3	0529504 0.00	75.00
42 How Al-Anon Works - Tuesday Noon	Indian Wells	60124	39.00	192.80
42 Paths to Recovery Book Study	Indian Wells	65245	40.00	166.53
42 Indio Thursday Night	Indio	035408	0.00	30.00
42 Al-Anon Monday 1200 PM Step Study & Trad	Palm Desert	34746	0.00	15.00
42 St. Margaret's Palm Desert	Palm Desert	24074	0.00	10.00
42 Courage to Change	Palm Springs	000502729	24.87	33.15
42 Monday Night 4th Step Meeting	Palm Springs	54407	15.27	21.82
42 Paths To Recovery Saturday 10:00 AM	Palm Springs	61960	30.70	132.12
42 Wed Night AFG Discussion Group 6:30 PM	Palm Springs	60635	6.70	46.39
42 Caring and Sharing Al-Anon Group	Rancho Mirage	1405	270.00	592.50
42 Monday Night ADCH	Yucca Valley	30507885	0.00	5.00
45 Steps to Serenity	Culver City	833 -	47902 50.00	50.00
45 Culver City Sunday Night	Culver City	0026660	37.00	37.00
45 Culver City Wednesday Night 7:30 PM	Culver City	30665	24.03	62.08
45 Monday Night ACA Women's Meeting	Culver City	0049504	102.39	102.39
45 LaTijiera (Fox Hills) Knox Church Fri 8PM	Los Angeles	1156	0.00	60.00
45 Mar Vista Thursday Nite	Mar Vista	028507	0.00	22.30
45 4th & 5th Step Writing Meeting 11:15AM	Santa Monica	001663	34.00	58.00
45 MWF 735 AM One Day At A Time	Santa Monica	033829	378.72	535.32
45 Parents Meeting	Santa Monica	30512389	141.40	201.40
45 Rose Garden Thursday Meeting	Santa Monica	0061784 -	65561 25.01	80.01
45 Sunday Night 730PM Arizona @18th	Santa Monica	1669	32.00	83.00
45 Sunday Santa Monica ACA Al-Anon Mtg	Santa Monica	502462	45.00	55.00
45 Santa Monica Sunday Morning 730 AM	Santa Monica	066537	0.00	11.00
45 Santa Monica Thursday	Santa Monica	053369	180.00	360.00
45 Monday Night Recovery Group 730PM	Westchester	050214	1.38	9.13
45 Westchester Friday Night	Westchester	0001176	10.00	10.00
45 Westchester Saturday 10AM ADOT Study AFG	Westchester	50442	50.53	257.79
45 Westchester Stepped Up Group Thursday 8PM	Westchester	046821	111.12	210.28
51 Downey Thursday Nighters	Downey	854	65.00	140.00
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51 Tuesday Morning 10AM	La Mirada	1080	0.00	50.00
51 Living in the Solution	Los Angeles Montebello	30518409	0.00	30.34
51 Thursday 630 PM	Pico Rivera	051067 001367	0.00	10.00 60.00
51 Mon Evening Al-Anon			10.00	
51 East Whittier/La Habra Tuesday Night 7PM 51 Saturday Morning 9AM	Whittier	1830 44212	0.00 40.00	51.00 80.00
,	Whittier Whittier	029953	60.00	172.50
51 Whittier Wednesday Night 700 PM		051035		112.30
54 Tuesday Nite Conscious Contact 7:30 PM	El Segundo	503768	14.65 50.00	80.00
54 El Segundo Lunch & Share	El Segundo	63949	0.00	80.00
54 El Segundo Men's Meeting 54 Focus on Feelings 730PM	El Segundo Gardena	040348	30.29	72.56
_	Gardena		60.00	87.63
54 Gardena Saturday AM 12&12&12 Meeting	Hermosa Beach	39919 0001420	70.47	95.47
54 Hermosa Beach Saturday 10AM AFG	Hermosa Beach	42899	17.50	17.50
54 Hermosa Beach Sunday Night Literature				253.56
54 Hermosa Beach Thursday 12 PM	Hermosa Beach Manhattan Beach	65307	115.60	
54 Steps to Serenity Tues Noon		032292	20.39	70.89
54 Manhattan Beach Tuesday Nite AFG 7:30 PM	Manhattan Beach	44242	37.75	77.75
54 Palos Verdes Parent Group	Palos Verdes	43570	33.10	83.10
54 Monday Morning Step Study 10AM	Rollings Hills Esta		0.00	5.00
54 San Pedro Men's Stag	San Pedro	67329	0.00	175.00
54 El Prado Alateen Meeting	Torrance	0001757	10.00	10.00
54 Thursday Nite Back to Basics AFG 7:30 PM	Torrance	0001754	0.00	46.23
54 Torrance Podium Participation Monday 7:30	Torrance	26781	80.00	142.00
54 Torrance Saturday Morning Walteria 9 AM	Torrance	54893	86.54	217.20
54 Torrance Thursday 10AM	Torrance	1756	30.00	70.00
54 Torrance Tuesday Night Del Amo	Torrance	0001752	0.00	100.00
57 Bellflower Sunday Afternoon 130 PM	Bellflower	000713	20.00	80.00
57 Cerritos Mon PM New Way of Life	Cerritos	769	73.80	169.61
57 Lakewood Freedom	Lakewood	24666	0.00	20.00
57 Lakewood Thursday 615PM	Lakewood	53068	76.98	126.98
57 Marina Pacifica Mall Sunday Noon	Long Beach	29857 - 65183	10.00	58.00
57 Saturday Morning Group	Long Beach	62772	43.90	53.90
57 Tuesday Morning Faith In Action Family Group	Long Beach	30521517	0.00	69.60
57 Long Beach Friday Noon	Long Beach	65437	37.50	37.50
57 Long Beach Tuesday 10AM	Long Beach	503164	0.00	30.00
57 Bellflower Tues 11AM	Paramount	000714	0.00	40.00
57 Monday Step Study	Seal Beach	30511645	0.00	13.00
57 Seal Beach Thursday 730PM	Seal Beach	0001689/6341	19.00	80.00
60 Brea Sunday Night	Brea	38198	9.75	9.75
60 Buena Park Friday 8PM	Buena Park	733	10.00	23.39
60 Buena Park Thursday Night Al-Anon	Buena Park	0023971	5.00	5.00
60 Tuesday Night 730 St Irenaeus Church	Cypress	44559	45.00	65.00
60 Monday Night AFG 730 PM	Fullerton	41921	6.50	34.91
60 Eastside Christian Church 7:30 PM	Fullerton	30284	0.00	15.00
60 La Habra AFG	La Habra	063268	15.00	15.00
60 Tuesday Night Candle Lite Meeting	Orange	048361	10.00	32.00
60 Orange Friday Noon	Orange	001304	29.48	91.40
60 Placentia Monday Evening 8 PM AFG	Placentia	1372	20.22	150.08
60 Al-Anon Parent Group	Yorba Linda		40.00	40.00

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60 Yorba Linda Monday 10 AM Step Study	Yorba Linda	31730	60.00	224.07
60 Yorba Linda Tuesday Evening Men's Stag	Yorba Linda	37360	9.25	9.25
60 Yorba Linda Tuesday Night	Yorba Linda	66240	48.00	96.90
63 Sunday 7pm AFG	Fountain Valley	0046199	4.50	13.50
63 Tuesday Aladay Al-Anon 12:30 PM	Fountain Valley	912	22.00	55.07
63 Meeting of Hope AFG	Garden Grove	405065	39.53	102.77
63 Thursday Night Men's Stag AFG 8 PM	Garden Grove	812	230.00	483.00
63 Garden Grove Thursday Night Women's Meeting	Garden Grove	30528664	15.00	40.00
63 Al-Anon 12 Step Fogcutters 7:30 PM	Huntington Beach		0.00	33.89
63 Fireside Wednesday Night Al-Anon	Huntington Beach		22.20	22.20
63 Monday Morning Attitude Adjustment AFG 10:00 A	-			
	Huntington Beach	n 054626	96.10	140.10
63 Monday Night Fogcutters -12 Step Study	Huntington Beach	0001029	4.63	21.83
63 Thursday 100PM Getaway AFG	Huntington Beach		6325 37.30	47.30
63 Tuesday Nite Men's Stag	Huntington Beach		20.00	40.00
63 Huntington Beach Thursday AFG 7PM	Huntington Beach		15.00	120.30
63 Santa Ana 715 PM	Santa Ana	1773	48.20	48.20
63 Keep It Simple On the Beach 10AM	Sunset Beach	62083	0.00	57.57
63 Monday Night Literature Study	Tustin	001770	21.88	55.86
63 Parents Hope for Today Al-Anon Family Group	Tustin	30508020	38.72	101.72
63 Tustin - SOS Sunday Night	Tustin	30300020	84.64	84.64
64 Mi Nueva Vida	Buena Park	054134	0.00	10.00
64 Canoga Park Friday 7PM Buscando Amarme	Canoga Park	30512487	0.00	20.00
64 Mon & Wed 12PM El Nuevo Horizonte	El Monte	045872	0.00	35.00
64 Accion es Rucperacion	Fullerton	502567	0.00	10.00
64 Central De Hollywood	Hollywood	63844	0.00	25.00
64 Aprendiendo A Amarnos	Pacoima	502033	0.00	45.00
64 Arcoiris	Pico Rivera	503453	0.00	10.00
64 Nueva Vida Tues & Fri	Pico Rivera	62616	0.00	60.00
64 Esperanza Fe Yaccion	San Juan Capistra		0.00	20.00
64 La Nueva Luz Monday & Friday Evening	Santa Ana	001633	0.00	25.00
66 Corona del Mar Men's Stag	Corona del Mar	29128	30.00	54.00
66 Corona Del Mar Thurs 630PM OC#6607	Corona del Mar	051828	23.70	46.70
66 Corona Del Mar Tuesday 7 PM	Corona del Mar	44101	126.00	182.00
66 Break Away Parents Meeting	Costa Mesa	500486	78.39	148.57
66 Monday Night AFG	Costa Mesa	30511150	130.00	330.00
66 New Directions Wednesday 1130AM	Costa Mesa	6670	0.00	200.00
66 Survival to Recovery Study 10AM	Costa Mesa	61151	156.86	426.59
66 Costa Mesa Thursday Noon Meeting	Costa Mesa	813	0.00	12.00
, c	Costa Mesa	000813	8.35	8.35
66 Newport Mesa AFG				
66 Be Good to Yourself Al-Anon 730PM	Dana Point	28351	20.00	59.40
66 Thursday 7:30PM Dana Point Harbor	Dana Point	037440	17.50	37.50
66 12 Stepping on Tuesdays 9:30 AM	Dana Point	064893	0.00	24.01
66 Hope for Today	Irvine	3057916	0.00	20.00
66 How Al-Anon Works Step Study 7PM	Irvine	54429	69.50	89.50
66 Love is Al-Anon	Irvine	001041	5.00	85.00
66 Mariner's Church Literature Study Thurs. 7:00 PM A	AFG Irvine	0053895	20.00	27.00
66 Irvine Sunday Night AFG	Irvine	45275	48.00	108.00
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66 Irvine Tuesday Nite 7:30 PM	Irvine	50062	32.85	122.39
66 Irvine Wed Night Al-Anon	Irvine	060299	41.00	41.00
66 Canyon Recovery	Laguna Beach	30508851/663	0.00	55.50
66 Laguna Parents Meeting	Laguna Beach	00501647	127.80	335.37
66 Saturday Morning Step Study 10:30AM	Laguna Beach	051094	15.00	25.00
66 Laguna Beach Monday Noon Al-Anon	Laguna Beach	0001058	45.00	56.10
66 Laguna Niguel 12:30PM Friday Al-Anon	Laguna Niguel	033918	34.57	90.11
66 Tuesday 10:00 AM Meeting	Laguna Woods	501725	0.00	57.50
66 Saturday 8AM Parents of Alcoholics	Newport Beach	63876	77.60	507.07
66 Friday Noon Group	Newport Beach	53312	33.00	73.00
66 Monday Night Al-Anon	Newport Beach		45.00	90.00
66 Saturday 10 AM	Newport Beach	0052585	150.78	150.78
66 Monday Meet the Week Courage to Change	Rancho Santa Mar	garita		
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66 Parent Al-Anon Meeting 6:30	Rancho Santa Mar	garita		
C	•	502884	20.81	47.94
66 How Al-anon Works Book Study	Rancho Viejo	504122	0.00	16.00
66 Butterflies are Free AFG 8PM	San Clemente	50311	7.50	7.50
66 San Juan Capistrano Thursday 10AM AFG	San Juan Capistran		90.68	311.38
66 South Laguna Saturday Nite Live	South Laguna	1714	24.73	50.89
69 Changing Attitudes 8:30 AM	Carlsbad	61259	0.00	63.90
69 Experience, Strength & Hope Tusday 730	Carlsbad	64594	35.20	64.70
69 Into the Solution	Carlsbad	500883	17.50	57.50
69 Let It Begin With Me	Carlsbad	0063951	10.00	10.00
69 North County Men's Al-Anon 9AM	Carlsbad	30531792	0.00	27.20
69 Carlsbad Monday Night Discussion 730 PM	Carlsbad	757	13.25	45.25
69 Wednesday Nite Al-Anon New Beginnings	Carmel Mountain I			
,		0065751	0.00	20.00
69 Working the Steps, Traditions & Concepts	Del Mar	066846	24.41	90.54
69 Del Mar Earlybirds AFG	Del Mar	0050721	0.00	50.00
69 Solano Beach Thursday Sunnyside-Up AFG 8 AM	Del Mar	48686	40.00	84.30
69 Tuesday Night Total Sharing AFG	Encinitas	49098	4.50	20.30
69 Encinitas Moonlight Beach Just for Today	Encinitas	0064413	19.85	51.02
69 One Day At A Timers Wednesday Noon Al-Anon	Fallbrook	064927	20.00	60.00
69 Saturday Morning Discussion	Oceanside	61150	40.00	45.00
69 One Day At A Time 10AM	Rancho Bernardo	27438	50.00	95.00
69 Just For Today AFG	Rancho Penasquito	s 45691	10.00	10.00
69 Rancho Santa Fe Lunch Bunch	Rancho Santa Fe	063513	45.00	70.00
69 Adult Children Survival to Recovery	Solona Beach	00501208	15.00	22.00
69 AFG Literature Study Group	Solona Beach	502540 - 4	87486 13.00	31.00
69 Courage to Change	Solona Beach	501479	30.00	30.00
69 Miracle In Progress 8AM	Solona Beach	061605	10.00	32.00
69 Monday Morning Step by Step	Solona Beach	502817	25.00	52.56
69 Del Mar Lunch Bunch	Solona Beach	048408	0.00	25.00
69 Ventura Thursday Morning 10AM	Ventura	1797	30.00	52.50
72 Alpine AFG	Alpine	30521976	0.00	30.00
72 Patience, Tolerance, Acceptance 1030AM	Bonita	52916	0.00	20.00
72 Hilltop Al-Anon	Chula Vista	000780	24.00	24.00
72 Tuesday 7PM Women's Closed Al-Anon	El Cajon	029519	40.00	149.00

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72 Wednesday 645PM Fletcher Hills Step Study	El Cajon	61841	43.51	91.51
72 Men in the Park	La Mesa	30520975	75.00	125.00
72 La Mesa Monday 1PM East County Daytime	La Mesa	1078	54.77	191.19
72 La Mesa Sunday 9AM Serenity At The Lake AFG	La Mesa	40624	104.61	177.37
72 North Clairemont Al-Anon Group 700 PM	San Diego	0001543	25.00	75.00
72 Recuperacion Y Tolerancia HAA	San Diego	67189	0.00	50.00
72 Santee Serenity	Santee	501009	17.00	17.00
72 Tuesday Morning New View Al-Anon 10AM	Spring Valley	042684	73.50	153.50
72 Spring Valley Friday 10AM T.G.I.F. Al-Anon	Spring Valley	032706	0.00	201.00
75 Lost and Found Al-Anon Group 5:30PM	Clairemont	47087	90.00	195.58
75 Clairemont Day Time AFG	Clairemont	1529	15.00	24.00
75 Clairemont Friday Night Al-Anon 6PM	Clairemont	064471	51.00	112.00
75 Hillcrest Friday 12:15PM Fireside AFG	Hillcrest	46160	0.00	5.00
75 TLC Tierra Santa Al-Anon	Kearney Mesa	026182	5.00	13.20
75 La Jolla AFG Step Study	La Jolla	46737	7.00	7.00
75 Parents One Day At A Time 645 PM	Loma Portal	065433	30.00	70.00
75 Adult Children Survival to Recovery 10AM	Pacific Beach	051127	0.00	50.91
75 Courage to Change Step Study	Point Loma	1634813	0.00	20.00
75 Point Loma Willingness to Change Discussion 7PM	Point Loma	0025428	19.23	39.23
75 Clairmont Clear View	San Diego	00503042	30.00	30.00
75 Fireside Al-Anon	San Diego	0046160	5.00	5.00
75 Free To Be Me Women's AFG	San Diego	30520218	49.00	64.00
75 Mind Your Own Business St. Dustans Wed	San Diego	47661	40.83	98.51
75 Tues Noon Downtown Lunch Bunch	San Diego	1531	18.50	18.50
75 San Diego Thursday Noon Easy Does It Al-Anon	San Diego	60417	0.00	14.59
75 Thursday Noon Lunch Bunch	University City	48294	72.50	147.50
75 Unique Character of AFG Step Study	University Heights	064581	0.00	15.00
District 10	, ,		0.00	200.00
District 27			80.00	80.00
District 40			0.00	58.35
District 51			300.00	300.00
District 63			0.00	44.85
Wed Nite Friends of Fran	Los Angeles		114.15	114.15
AALA Roundup	-		50.58	50.58
AFG Convention			200.00	200.00
San Fernando Valley AA Convention			439.90	439.90
SCWS General Group Contributions			158.85	158.85
Unknown Meeting - 6653			0.00	37.87
Unknown Meeting - 6660			0.00	79.65
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Total			14,179.88	33,538.08

Coordinator's Reports

Alateen Sponsors

As of August 14, 2009, we have 97 fully qualified and certified meetings in our area and 5 pending. We have 590 certified and pending sponsors.

On September 26th WSO held a conference call for AAPP's (Area Alateen Process Persons) and Area Alateen Coordinators.

We discussed the definition of an Area Alateen Process, its elements and their definitions, requirements and their definitions, construction of a process, and responsibility. (Who is responsible?)

Some specifics that were brought up were training, accountability, confidentiality, communication, problem sponsors, identification and recertification, sponsoring across geographic boundaries, and e-communication.

Issues that I thought we should address in our Area are:

Training. I feel we should institute training as a requirement. There is a lot of misunderstanding about what a sponsor does and does not do in a meeting, what their legal responsibilities are, how to handle disruptive members, financial questions, etc. We have much good guidance in our literature. Alateen, whether it is an older teen meeting or a young Alateen meeting, are Al-Anon meetings and must be conducted as such as far as is possible. ("Preteen" is a misnomer. Nowhere in our manual or literature is this classification used. WSO does not recognize it and meetings that register this way are asked to change it.)

References. When signing off on a potential sponsor's application, the DR or Alateen Coordinator should be the designated signer and if that person does not know the applicant, it should be made a part of the record who gave us the reference, whether it was someone's Al-Anon sponsor, another Alateen sponsor, etc.

Communication. Each district should have an Alateen Coordinator who would be responsible for status checks and who can visit the meetings and provide training. DRs and Alateen Coordinators should be aware of who the sponsors are in their districts and maintain contact with the meetings. The Alateens should be able to contact the DR or Coordinator if they feel there is something questionable going on in the meetings.

Geographic boundaries. We have a boundary with Nevada and the Al-Anons in Bishop and other cities close to the border are a part of the Nevada Area and attend their Assembly. We should have a guideline concerning this.

Identification. We need to come up with a method of identifying sponsors and certifying their annual re-certification that does not involve the WSO number. The WSO number is just a number WSO gives to everyone who contacts them, whether it is to order literature, register a meeting, or notify them of the certification of a sponsor.

A discussion board is in the works to allow Process Persons to communicate with each other and problem-solve.

At the SOS North, we had an Alateen Sponsor workshop attended by about 12 members. There was a good mix of new sponsors, long-time sponsors and those interested in sponsoring. A lot of information was shared and it was a very productive meeting. We discussed membership, the difference between young Alateen and Alateen meetings, attracting and keeping members, working with PI coordinators to reach new members, maintaining order and dealing with disruptive members.

LJS, Lea R

Archives

Good day Area 4 Al-Anon members, For those of you who attended the SOS workshop on January 16th, you got to see and hear Helen, a member of Al-Anon since before Al-Anon began. I also had the pleasure to hear her at the SOS up North this year and was very excited David and his SOS committee invited her to be in the program. Any of us in Al-Anon today are here because of people like Helen. For her, it was a matter of loving an Alcoholic and knowing he needed help. That led to the meetings we have today. Through finding help for him, she found help for herself. The ladies who joined with her back then, we owe a debt of gratitude. Probably the best way to repay that debt is to keep coming back and to give to others what we have been so freely given.

Helen's story is part of our SCWS archives. That is easy to see. But you, all of you in the" Worldwide Fellowship of Al-Anon" are part of them too. Just by suiting up and showing up and

being of service! It is that simple and that is how it **CPC—Public Outreach** has been done since the start of Al-Anon. I am having a wonderful opportunity to look through the boxes of papers, notes, books and notebooks that make up SCWS archives. We have copies of a variety of the early letters in Al-Anon history between Lois W. and early members. We also have countless meeting minutes where I see many names of people I know today who have been of service for many, many years. How wonderful is that! There are so many interesting items, yet we know there is more to find. The long timers in your group may have letters they wrote or convention or service papers you could get copies of! Sound like something you could do? Remember

that once these things are gone, they are gone! Let us not let another year pass that we do not find these items. Make it a project in your District. If you have

an archive board person....you are halfway there!

I look forward to sharing some of these things with you from our archives. Also, if you would like the traveling Archives for any event in your District, please send me a message. My email is in the bulletin,

Fun in Service, Kathy G

Bulletin

Let me apologize for the bulletin being late. The good news is that I got a job, the bad news is that between catching up to work and the holidays, the bulletin got delayed until now.

We had a good discussion at our hot topic on whether to distribute the bulletin electronically. I want to thank all participants for their comments and suggestions. I am pursuing electronic distribution, but we will continue to use regular mail for those who want it.

In case you find the theme and numbering of this issue confusing, this is the issue covering the November Assembly, hence it's the fourth issue of 2009, and carries the old conference theme.

As always any suggestions for improvement are welcomed.

Love in Imperfect Service Truck

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A CPC presentation was made to District 10 in Victorville on Wednesday, on September 23rd. We discussed how meetings ordering Al-Anon Faces Alcoholism is a simple project for groups to provide attraction through professionals to people in need. Please contact me if I can be of service to vour district.

AFA 2010 can be ordered again by Wednesday, February 9^{th, 2010,} for April 2010 delivery. You can find an order on line or obtain an order form on line from the WSO.

We reach professionals in their places of work such as domestic violence agencies, medical facilities, health organizations, employee assis-

> tance programs, probation and parole offices, social work agencies, alcoholism clinics/treatment centers, churches and ministerial staff, federal, state, and local

alcoholism agencies, government offices, law enforcement agencies, universities, public and private schools, and business and professional organizations.

My sources are Al-Anon Guidelines 38 and 29. I look forward to working with districts and Intergroups to make our fellowship known to professionals.

Love in Service, Carolyn S

Hospitality

We aren't perfect. The welcome we give you may not show the warmth we have in our hearts

for you. After a while you'll discover that though you may not like all of us, you'll love us in a very

special way - the same way we already love you.

It is hard to believe that it has now been a year since I started this commitment. I would like to thank all of my helpers, the DRs and everyone who helped make this year a success.

Host districts for the February 20, 2010 Committee meeting are 8, 2 and 17.

The host districts for the May Assembly meeting are: 2, 24, 27, 42, 60 and 64.

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Institutions

Hello to you all in SCWS-land,

The unofficial 3 obstacles to success, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Years are over. The

Institutions job is wonderful! I'm working on AFG portion of 4-30, 5-1/2, AA H&I convention in Long Beach. Please come, the recovery you can cut with a knife, or even a file from a loaf of bread. www.socalhandi.org. On Sat the AFG luncheon will be awesome, SCWS's Tim and his fam will show us the miracles AFG can bring when we work "It". Panels are going strong, but I'd love you tell me who, where and when. See you soon.

Rodger P

PI—Public Information

Since the May Assembly, our two tabletop displays have crisscrossed Southern California. They provided information at literature at a Native American Day of Reconciliation at the Sherman Indian School in Riverside in May. They have also been used for a health fair in Hollywood, an Alateen training workshop, a sponsorship workshop, several Alathons and several AA conferences with Al-Anon participation. We have one on display at the Assembly and hopefully two districts will take the displays home for upcoming events.

I have consulted with several Districts who have public outreach coordinators. Ideally every district will have a public outreach coordinator who can work with Carolyn on Professional Outreach, Roger on Hospitals and Institutions and me for public information. We are keeping the goal of public information simple: "Telling people about Al-Anon who don't know about it."

I sent an e-mail to all DRs on November 20 with three items of interest.

- 1. I attached an order form for Al-Anon Faces Alcoholism 2010. The new deadline is in early February with delivery by April. Unfortunately the copies which SCWS ordered will not be available for the November Assembly. Hopefully we'll have them by February.
- 2. There was information about new public service announcements which we received from World Service.
- 3. I passed along information about a new Hallmark TV movie about the life of Lois W! Winona Ryder is playing Lois and Barry Pepper is playing Bill W. Al-Anon World Service cooperated extensively with the writers. Since the movie is about Lois W. and not about Al-Anon's history per se, there are no serious issues of anonymity.

When we have the date and time of the program, this will be a wonderful opportunity to share Al-Anon with our families and friends.

Tim P

Records

I am continuing on with the challenge that is group records. So many times it is like solving a puzzle... It is really helpful when an update continues all of the information needed about a group, i.e. The group name, where and when it meets, including the name and address of the location (such and such Church). If the GR is also the CMA (Current Mailing Address) then only one name and address is needed on the registration form. If your group has a separate CMA, then both names and addresses are needed on the registration form. It works better to have the GR or a long time member of a group be the CMA so that we aren't changing the CMA every 6 months or so.

It is also very important to submit a change form when a group is no longer meeting. Our database has many meetings that no longer exist. We will, in turn, notify WSO that a particular meeting is disbanded.

You may submit a change either by completing the change form and mailing it to the address listed on it; by submitting the change on line through the SCWS website, or by emailing the information to me. We are continuing to use the new single form to make for SCWS and WSO. I have brought more copies with me. Please help yourself to them. Please remember if you send a change to SCWS you DO NOT need to submit it to WSO.

It is possible for me to figure out what district you group is in, and even what number your group has, but it takes me time, so if you could have that information on your change forms (hard copy or electronic) it would be very helpful and save me some time.

I put together a list that shows how many meetings and how many GR's are in each district. Because I happen to like numbers, the list also shows the percentage of GR's in each district. We continue to have a few districts that have a lot more meetings in them than others.

I want to take this opportunity to thank District 42 and District 9 for the thorough job they did of going through the meeting list I have and updating it according to their records.

I also need to make amends to the Board as it appears I forgot to add their names and addresses to the Bulletin list.

Thank you again for letting me serve Kathi L

Website

There is really not much to report on this quarter. The summary page of which cities are included in each District was updated based on the current database of registered meetings. I also strive to keep the District Planning meeting information current as it changes. You didn't know the website listed the District Planning meetings? Check out http://scws-al-anon.org/district_meetings.php to determine when and where your District meetings are held.

This coming year I'm plan on reworking the website. It is long overdue for a facelift. I need a few people to help me come up with a new design and concepts for re-organizing the existing information. If you would like to help, send me an email message. The heavy duty work won't start until late Spring or early Summer, but we can start throwing ideas around now and see where they lead.

If you would like an Al-Anon related event listed on the Calendar page of the website, please email your request, and any associated flyers, to listevent@scws-al-anon.org.

As always, if you notice something that is not working on the website or have any questions concerning the website, please contact me at webmaster@scws-al-anon.org.

Love in Service, Ben P.

Convention Chairmen

AFG

As your committee Chairman I am excited to share with you the news about the 2010 Al-Anon Family Groups Convention! The 34th Annual AFG Convention is March 26, 27 and 28, 2010. It will be held at the Doubletree Hotel in Ontario CA. Our theme this year is "Dancing Our Way Through Recovery". So put on your 50's poodle skirts, peddle pushers, or leather jackets (for that "Fonzie" look) and dance your way through recovery with us! It will be a fabulous week-end of high

energy, with lots of fun and excitement to share with our Al-Anon family and friends!

Some special highlights will include a live comedy night of entertainment on Friday with professional comedians. These people are members of 12 step programs who take their shows to well known comedy clubs (such as the Improv).

The dance on Saturday night will have "a whole lot of shakin' goin' on" with music provided by a professional live band called "Silver Beat". They will be playing songs of the 50's, 60's and 70's for our dancing pleasure. They also perform at several Las Vegas venues.

Traditional events include our luncheon and banquet (with outstanding speakers!), marathon meetings and Longtimers Tea. There is a full Alateen program lined up as well as an amazing Spanish program! Participation meetings will also be available Friday and Saturday for the AA program.

I would like to invite you to come to our remaining planning meetings and encourage you to "carry the message" about this wonderful convention. Feel free to contact me for any questions or information.

(626)484-1233.

It is an absolute honor and privilege to be of service in this amazing fellowship that has truly brought laughter and happiness back into my life!

Laureen B

Intergroup Liasons

Los Angeles

Hi from the L.A. service board

We are working to get our service books ready for the new service board. There was good work done by all board members, but I'd like to give a special yea to our Historian Pat R He is saving a lot of our history, so it won't be lost, because of age.

We are in the

process of moving the Intergroup meetin place. Our first meeting in the new location, will be in March.

This is my last

meeting as part of the board, and I want to thank you for making this commitment, fun.

Love and service

Love and Service
Betty B

District Representatives

District 3

SOS North was a blast! Our first annual event. Thank you to the SCWS attendees and Julie, District 3 past DR. Our speaker was Helen from Atascadero. She is quiet charismatic and has allot of Al -anon history to share. Did you know that Al-anon was first known as 'The Dry Mates'? She was a part of changing that to what we know it to be today. My last report invited everyone to our SLO convention and Santa Maria convention. They were both successful and our planning committees are already starting to assemble for next year. The first scheduled 2010 annual event will be 'Serenity by the Sea' @ Pelican Point in Pismo Beach. The event will be held on March 6th with continental breakfast and buffet lunch provided for \$35 registration. The tickets go fast! Flyers will be available at the SCWS SOS workshop in January. If you want more information, please contact Wilma @ pch4wilma@charter.net.

We are also excited about creating a website in our District. We hope to be up and running in 2010!

Thanks for the honor of serving! Charlene A.

District 12

District 12 is plugging away as fast as it can go. This first year of being District Rep has been challenging and rewarding. The district has been excellent and the Group Reps are awesome. I truly have not had so much fun. So far we have covered a lot of topics out of the service manual during our work shops. The answers do lie in that service manual. Also the response from the GRs have been all positive.

I am looking forward to next year. Next year looks like I will have an Alternate DR. Looking forward in the help in district and see if we can have more events in district 12.

Truly fun in service Mike M. DR 12

District 17

District 17 is working hard to support the Alateen meetings. We are conducting a free Alateen Sponsor Training Workshop on February 27, 2010. We hope this will encourage Alanon members to feel excited and confident about being of

service to Alateen members.

District 17 is also in the process of putting together an Alanon Sponsor Workshop which will be held in the San Fernando Valley during midyear 2010. More will be revealed when you read the next bulletin!

We are pleased to be of service because we know we are making a difference!

District 21

Sherman Oaks, Van Nuys, Studio City Valley Village, No Hollywood, Sunland, Arleta, "East end of San Fernando Valley"

First of all, we were excited to find that out of the 24 active meetings listed in the meeting directory for our district (the east end of the San Fernando Valley), we have 21 GRs and several Alternate GRs. Of the 3 remaining meetings without GRs (yet), 2 of those are registered with WSO and only 1 does not (yet) have a WSO id#.

We had a writing workshop in December so that district members could get together and write about their experience, strength, and hope for *The Forum*. Three talented writers/comediennes ran the workshop and came up with wonderfully stimulating exercises that had everyone writing up a storm.

Several district members have participated in panels at a residential treatment center in our area. We have provided panel members at a family meeting and have continued to be asked back each month. We're "spreading the message" to friends and family.

Our district finally sees how important it is to spread service to many members and for DRs to delegate service positions to others. We have an H & I coordinator, an Alateen liaison, a minutes secretary, and a regular member volunteered to oversee putting our literature in all of our area's public libraries. "Participation is the key to harmony."

Our adjoining District 17 is going to be hosting an Alateen Sponsorship Workshop in the next few months; we will be lending support on the day of the event and will encourage our newly certified Alateen sponsors to attend.

We're encouraging our GRs and regular members to participate in PRAASA in March. One of our three legacies is service, so PRAASA is a great place to learn and share about service, service, service, service!

Tina S

District 27

We donated \$200 to the 35th annual Thanksgiving Potluck in Hollywood, which had a special poignancy as Jack Kissel died two weeks before the event. He and his wife Jean started the potluck 35 years ago in their dining room. Our love and condolences to the Kissel family.

Paula,

District 30

Greetings and Good Day to all!

I am pleased to report that our Group Representatives are increasing in number! We have 4 new Group Reps so far and working hard to find more.

Welcome to our new Group Reps! With more representation from our District Groups we can accomplish much more... Together we can accomplish much.

Our District Alathon was a great success. The speakers were awesome and a great amount of

good information was shared. We had a wonderful attendance and sharing from our District Alateens and from the Committee of the Southern California Alateen Conference (SCAC). A

Al-Anon Declaration

Let It Begin With Me When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, let the hand of Al-Anon and Alateen always be there, and - Let It Begin With Me Service Manual pg 24

panel of Alateens shared their experience, strength and hope and all in attendance were grateful to hear them. Some people said they had never heard an Alateen share before and the experience was very moving. The pot luck was delicious as all the Districts Group Reps came together to make it a big success. A HUGE thank you to all the Group Reps who attended the Alathon and did service. Without your willingness to do service, it would not have been possible to give all in attendance a wonderful day of information, sharing, love and fellowship.

We are planning to attend PRAASA as a district and working on ideas for a Public Outreach project. More wonderful things to come in my next report. Until then I wish love and serenity to all, from a very grateful member of the World Wide Al-Anon Family Groups.

love in service, Martha M

District 33

Baldwin Park, Covina, Diamond Bar, Glendora, La Puente, Monrovia, and West Covina (East San Gabriel Valley)

I am happy to say that District 33 now has Group Representatives from 100% of the meetings in our District. We have outstanding support for our projects and events which continue to grow in popularity due to the dedicated service of our board members and GRs. We are now preparing for our next workshop focused on the new book, *Discovering Choices*, and the Journey to Healthy Relationships. The workshop is scheduled to take place on December 5 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Hope Lutheran in Glendora.

The date for out annual Alathon has now been scheduled for June 19, 2010, from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. also at Hope Lutheran in Glendora. This is always a great event so please try to join us if you can. Emily M. is our 2010 Alathon Chair, and she has put together a fantastic planning commit-

tee. Planning meetings will start in January. We have also elected our 2011 Alathon Chair, Barbara C., who will act as co-chair of this year's event. We continue to be

enthused and excited about new project or event possibilities, so please let me know if you have any new ideas of suggestions for future events.

With gratitude in service. Jrene C

District 42

Hi everyone – My name is Cathy S. and I will be District 42's new DR for the next three years (effective January 2010), representing the Palm Springs, Yucca Valley to Blythe areas. I am a transplant from District 54 (South Bay) and committed to carrying the message of Al-Anon Family Groups.

District 42 has been very active in Public Outreach carrying the message of Al-Anon and Alateen around the Coachella Valley. We have been requested by the schools (Desert Sands Unified School District) to attend a monthly meeting hosted by the school district. Barbara P. is acting on behalf of Al-Anon Family Groups to represent

us and attend the monthly meetings. Palm Springs School District has a student assistance program and Barbara P. is also representing Al-Anon Family Groups at those meetings. They are working with the high school, to be able to have an Alateen Meeting on campus.

Last April we started a "Newcomer's Meeting" using the G-2 Guidelines issued by WSO in Virginia Beach. This "Newcomer Meeting" runs for a six-week period and is conducted by two volunteers that go through the various meeting formats, topics, slogans, service manual, etc. Newcomer's can attend the meeting whatever week they start, but only need to attend for six weeks. The Newcomer Meetings have become so successful; we are now offering them on Wednesday at 10:30 AM and Thursday at 5:30 PM. Both meetings are held at our Literature Distribution Center located at 73441 Fred Waring Drive, Palm Desert and are an hour long.

Our district also holds a speaker meeting every other odd month on the third Friday evening of the month (January, March, May, July, September and November). Our next speaker meeting will be January 15, 2009 and our speakers will be Tracy H. from Palm Desert and Sarah R., from Costa Mesa. This last September we had Howard and Pat P. from Arizona and in November we had Frances R. from Palm Desert and Thomas B. from Los Angeles. If you are interested in purchasing a CD, please contact me directly. (The proceeds from the CD sales go directly to District 42).

Love, Cathy

District 45

District 45 had our meeting on 01-06-2010

We started a new year with entusiasm, specially because we are getting closer and closer to our yearly Alathon. This year will be the 14th year. February the 13 valentines weekend, we are excited because this is a way to carry the message and have a full day of recovery, food and fun.

We decided to invite Alateen to speak at our next District meeting being that we need to start carrying the message of SCAC and would like to have the teens start us up with their experience strength and hope about the Conference, and suggestions of how to carry the message.

We try to motivate each other regarding the forum contest and ways to push subscriptions.

We have three service positions open in our district; Alternate DR, Alateen leason and Secretary.

We decided to order 200 copies of Alanon faces Alcoholism in English and 200 in Spanish to carry the message.

At the end we had a nice cake for couple of Al-Anon birthdays and everybody knows to bring hot topics to the next Assembly meeting.

Love in service Emilce L

District 60

We've put together (thanks Peggy) a new Group Representative introduction packet with information that should help our new GRs become effective more quickly.

This ends my term as District Representative. I'd like to thank all the Group Reps and District 60 officers who helped keep us going. Our new District Rep is John S, and I know he, and the new panel will do a fine job.

Love In Imperfect Service Truck

District 72

Greetings from District 72! This is the closing of our first year of three together. It's exciting to see how much these GRs have come into action.

We had our joint workshop with District 75 and our GRs absolute shined from leading breakout sessions to finding solutions when we found we were locked out of the church hall and kitchen.

District 72's Group Representatives are active by bringing information to their groups and leading their groups with inventory meetings. Some of them are working on our Bus Shelter Ad Public Outreach Project, another is working on a transition from Alateen to Al-Anon meeting, while one is building a relationship with our San Diego Intergroup. Last month we did a group inventory at the district level and renewed our continued district wide commitment to reach out to the meetings that have no GR representation. I am blessed with such an awesome group of those willing to step up in service. As a district, we are truly practicing the concept of, "participation is the key to harmony". They have been so contagious in their excitement, that a few visitors have decided to join us here in

this assembly today.

Due to a serious illness, Melisa P. had to step down from her position as District Representative back in August of this year. Our entire district and several meetings sent her good wishes and loving Al-Anon support. We are happy to share that she is on the road to recovered physical health as she walks her journey of recovery. I assumed the District Representative position and the group voted Tiffany W. in as the new Alternate District Rep. She is very much my right arm and we keep the lines of communication open between us and our Group Representatives. We have been given a lot of love and support and are full of gratitude and excitement for what the next two years will take place.

In love and service, Marilu H.

District 75

Dear Friends,

District 75 has elected a new panel! Kathy A. is our new DR. Kathy has been our Alateen liaison for the last three and has done a wonderful job. Kathy is full of enthusiasm and can-do spirit, and we are so glad she is willing to take this leadership position. She is also a super cool surfer chick. The District voted to have co-ADRs, and so Leslie D. and Liz K. stepped up to share that responsibility.

We have continued our outreach, and in December we attended a family services exhibition to get the Al-Anon message out to the many military families in San Diego.

So ,it is time for me to step down. I have been DR for 4.5 years, as I finished our previous DR's term and then did one of my own. It has been a great life-changing experience. I have met some of the coolest people, including a wonderful boyfriend, and I have really boosted my recovery and my leadership abilities. I look forward to continue to be of service to the Fellowship.

Love in service, Louise K.

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Chairperson	chairperson@scws-al-anon.org
Cooperating with Professional Community	cpc@scws-al-anon.org
Delegate	delegate@scws-al-anon.org
Forum	forum@scws-al-anon.org
Group Records Coordinator	grouprecords@scws-al-anon.org
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Literature	literature@scws-al-anon.org
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Hot Topics

Disruptive Members

Our breakout session had about 150 or so attendees. The first item discussed was what a disruptive member is. A handout was distributed and the following list was compiled from the breakout committee, as well as suggestions from attendees at the assembly:

A mentally (or physically) ill person who is unable to control his or her actions.

A loud, hostile, or controlling person who does not engage in loving interchange. (These disruptive members can literally "hold a meeting hostage" because other members are afraid to make waves; some members are shy and it is easier to let someone rock the boat than to do something about it.)

Someone who brings a dog (guide dogs excluded), knitting, or other outside issues with them to the meeting. Someone who lets their child's behavior disrupt a meeting. A man dressed as a woman.

A member who interrupts the meeting with jokes or comments, or comments on another person's share or addresses another member personally during the meeting.

Someone who is sexually inappropriate toward one or more members of a meeting.

Someone who out yells/talks and won't let a meeting begin.

Are these items listed above a disruptive member, or just disruptive behaviors? In the 12th Tradition it says "Anonymity is the spiritual foundation of all our Traditions, ever reminding us to place principles above personalities." A previous delegate Bob Lahann suggested what if the 12th Tradition was listed first; would we consider disruptive members differently? As each meeting is autonomous,

groups will need to review all of the principles of the program (12 Steps, 12 Traditions and the 12 Concepts) and see how or if the group needs to address the disruptive member. [Stress Knowledge-Based Decision Making based on the principles of the programs, not on personalities or opinions.]

Talk to each other, reason things out with someone else, but let there be no gossip or criticism of one another. Instead let the understanding, love, and peace of the program grow in you one day at a time.

Service Manual Pg 24

The breakout session then worked in groups using pamphlets *The Concepts Al-Anon's Best Kept Secret? (P-57), Al-Anon's Twelve Traditions Illustrated (P-60)* or the Al-Anon Service Manual. Groups discussed how the principles could be used to address a disruptive member. An additional handout was given discussing solutions for working with a disruptive member. Members then shared what worked in their meetings and also disruptive members shared some of their experiences.

SUGGESTED SOLUTIONS FOR WORKING WITH CONTROLLING/DOMINATING/DISRUPTIVE MEMBERS

From the 2007 World Conference Summary, page 36:

Suggestions for working with controlling, dominating members:

Chair a meeting with a topic that focuses on whatever principle is being violated.

Start another meeting – my program opened up and the new members who came got involved in service.

Learn ways to focus on the principles of the program so as not to give power to domineering and disruptive members in our meetings.

Review the index of the Service Manual to shed light on some solutions.

Study the Traditions and our abundant literature for answers to most questions and problems.

Visit problem meetings and participate in presenting solutions.

Use the District Representative and Delegate as sources of information. However, the group must resolve its own problems.

Give them a job with clearly defined authority.

Other Suggestions:

Chair a meeting using "The Al-Anon Focus" pamphlet.

Chair a meeting on Tradition One.

Establish principle-based guidelines for meeting conduct. This helps maintain principles above personalities and promotes a unified and harmonious environment. Chair a meeting on Knowledge-Based Decision Making and business meetings.

Chair a meeting on Tradition Two using the "Paths To Recovery" pages 145-147 for example.

Chair a meeting on Concept Nine – "Good personal leadership at all service levels is a necessity....."

Have a meeting on the Traditions (Pamphlet P-17); or have a meeting using the book "The Al-Anon Family Groups" Classic Edition (Copyright 2000), pg. 165, Chapter 24 "Application of the Twelve Traditions to Group Problems" written by Lois W.

Children running around - Start a Preteen or an Alateen meeting at the same time.

Take a Group Inventory G-8.

Dual Member Issues - One group reads at every meeting "What an Al-Anon Member is and What an Al-Anon Member isn't."

Invite a SCWS Board Member to come to your meeting.

Amanda C

Miembros de punta

Nuestra reunión paralela había alrededor de 150 o más asistentes. El primer tema discutido fue lo que un miembro de punta es. Un folleto fue distribuido y la siguiente lista fue compilada por el Comité de ruptura, así como las sugerencias de los asistentes a la asamblea:

A mentales (o física) persona enferma que es incapaz de controlar sus acciones.

Una persona fuerte, hostil, o controlar que no se involucra en el intercambio de amor. (Estos miembros perjudicial puede, literalmente, "celebrar una reunión de los rehenes" porque los otros miembros tienen miedo de hacer olas, y algunos miembros son tímidos y es más fácil dejar que el barco de rock alguien que hacer algo al respecto.)

Alguien que lleva un perro (los perros guía no incluidos), tejido, u otros temas fuera con ellos a la reunión. Alguien que permite el comportamiento de su hijo interrumpir una reunión. Un hombre vestido como mujer.

Un miembro que interrumpe la reunión con los chistes o comentarios, o comentarios sobre la participación de otra persona o dirección de otro miembro personalmente durante la reunión.

Alguien que sea sexualmente inapropiado hacia uno o más miembros de una reunión.

Alguien que grita fuera / conversaciones y no permitirá que comience una reunión.

¿Son estos temas que figuran por encima de un miembro perturbadores, o simplemente las conductas perturbadoras? En la Tradición 12 dice "El anonimato es la base espiritual de todas nuestras tradiciones, recordándonos siempre anteponer los principios por encima de personalidades." Un delegado de los anteriores Bob Lahann sugirió lo que si se incluyó la Tradición 12 de primera, que se considera miembros de la punta de manera diferente? En cada reunión es autónoma, los grupos tendrán que revisar todos los principios del programa (12 pasos, 12 tradiciones y los 12 conceptos) y ver cómo o si el grupo necesita para hacer frente a los miembros de punta. [Estrés basada en el conocimiento de decisión basado en los principios de los programas, no en personalidades u opiniones.]

La reunión paralela se trabajó en grupos utilizando folletos La Conceptos Al-Anon's Best Kept Secret? (P-57), Al-Anon Doce Tradiciones Ilustradas (P-60) o el de Al-Anon manual de servicio. Grupos discutido cómo los principios se podría utilizar para abordar un miembro de punta. Un folleto adicional fue dada debatir soluciones para trabajar con un miembro de punta. Continuación, los miembros comparten lo que funcionó en sus reuniones y los miembros también compartió algunos perturbadores de sus experiencias.

Las SUGERENCIAS PARA TRABAJAR CON CONTROLAR/DOMINANDO/

MIEMBROS DISRUPTIVOS.

Desde el Mundial de 2007 Resumen de la Conferencia, página 36:

"Sugerencias para trabajar con controlar, dominando a miembros incluidos:

Presidente de una reunión con un tema que se centra en el principio de lo que está siendo violado.

Iniciar una nueva reunión - mi programa de apertura y los nuevos miembros que vinieron se involucró en el servicio.

Aprender maneras de centrarse en los principios del programa a fin de no dar el poder a los miembros dominantes y perturbadora en nuestras reuniones.

Revisar el índice del Manual de Servicio para arrojar luz sobre algunas soluciones.

Estudia las Tradiciones y nuestra literatura abundante para respuestas a la mayoría de las preguntas y problemas.

reuniones problema de visitar y participar en la presentación de soluciones.

Utilice el Representante de Distrito y Delegado como fuentes de información. Sin embargo, el grupo debe resolver sus propios problemas.

Les Da un trabajo con la autoridad claramente definida.

Otras sugerencias:

Preside una reunión que utiliza "El Foco de Al-Anon" folleto.

Presidente de una reunión sobre Tradición.

Establece pautas de principio-basó para encontrar conducto. Esto ayuda a mantener que principios encima de personalidades y promueve un ambiente unificado y armonioso.

Presidente de una reunión basada en el conocimiento sobre la toma de decisiones y reuniones de negocios.

Presidente de una reunión sobre la Tradición Dos utilizando los "caminos hacia la recuperación", por ejemplo, páginas 145-147.

Preside una reunión en el Concepto Nueve – "liderazgo personal Bueno en todos niveles de servicio es una necesidad....."

Tener una reunión sobre las Tradiciones (P Folleto-17), o tener una reunión con el libro "The Al-Anon Grupos de Familia" Classic Edition (Copyright 2000), pág. 165, Capítulo 24, "Aplicación de las Doce Tradiciones de los Problemas del Grupo", escrito por Lois W.

Niños corriendo - Comenzar un preadolescente o un Alateen reunión, al mismo tiempo.

Tome un inventario Grupo G-8.

Dual miembros Ejemplares - Un grupo lee en cada reunión "¡Qué Al-Anon es y qué miembros de Al-Anon miembros no lo es."

Invite a un miembro de la Junta SCWS para ir a su encuentro

Amanda C

Alateen

Alateen sponsors have responsibilities to themselves and their groups:

Work your Al-Anon program by attending meetings regularly, having a sponsor, educating yourself, staying in contact with other sponsors, your district and the Area for support. Contact your DR or myself to schedule training workshops.

Make sure your meeting is registered, help the Alateen members take responsibility for the affairs of the group, observing the Traditions and Concepts, and provide a safe meeting.

Remember: Alateens are capable of conducting their own meeting; the meeting is not a place for the sponsor to work out his/her childhood issues; we are not professionals.

Alateens talk about: their lives and problems which are a result of living with the disease. As sponsors we bring the focus back to the principles of the program. We listen, listen, listen.

See the SCWS website for forms to start meetings, guidelines for sponsorship and literature discussing these topics

Lea R.

Alateen Blog Presentation:

Alateen chat meetings are coming soon. They will be at scheduled times, with Alateen Group Sponsors and many safety features.

49 out of 50 Attorneys General did a study and found that cyberbullying is more of a problem than sexual predators!

Teaching kids is the key: Gave out a number of websites and tips.

Yours in service, Paula, DR27

Electronic Bulletin Distribution

I would like to thank all the attendees for their contribution to the discussion. We had about 20 people in attendance, all of whom were passionate about the subject. The reasons for and against electronic distribution were discussed with members giving their personal take on the issues.

Email distribution has it's pros and cons; it is faster and simpler in some ways, but there could be limits due to anti-spam restrictions n the part of some internet service providers and the size of the file could be a problem for downloading on slower connections. Not everyone has an email address or can easily get email. One member has to go to the library to access email where long download and or print would not be acceptable. The cost for SCWS would be lower, with some offset because groups would print the bulletin themselves.

The paper bulletin has advantages for several members, including easy reference with or without a computer and the phone numbers and addresses of members. At least one member

Anonymity is an issue with any form of electronic distribution. Perhaps this could be solved with regular mail distribution of the SCWS directory; since it doesn't change much, it also could be mailed less frequently.

Several members present volunteered to be on a committee to help the Bulletin Coordinator with a plan to move to electronic distribution. However, we would retain regular mail distribution for all those who either do not want or can't receive electronic distribution.

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SCWS Directory

Past Delegates

Panel	Delegate	Phone	Email	Years
1	Aura Christenson	Deceased		1961-1963
4	Cecelia Baumgwort	Deceased		1964-1966
7	Norris Roberts	Deceased		1967-1969
10	Helen Balder-Rowe	Deceased		1970-1972
13	Elsie Quintard			1973-1975
16	Betty (Reed) O'Bannon			1976-1978
19	Pat Roche			1979-1981
22	Bernie Eskey	Deceased		1982-1984
25	Bob Lahann			1985-1987
28	Hester Bacheller			1988-1990
31	Joyce Kaler			1991-1993
34	Kary Lewis			1994-1995
34	Rita McGuire	Deceased		1996
37	Willie Williams			1997-1999
40	Kay Dornbusch			2000-2002
43	Miriam McKenna			2003-2005
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