Last Intergroup(IG) Meeting:
July 11, 2021
Voting Members: 41
Zoom Meeting ID: 933 0564 1004
Passcode: 183729

Chairperson: SLAA Los Angeles IG Service Manual is in the IG google drive, and is a great resource to answer all questions about service at IG level, all the "hows" and "whys" of what happens at IG meetings. Additionally, the SLAA Fellowship Wide Services(FWS) Annual Business Meeting(ABM) is coming up in the first week of August. although the ABM will be virtual again this year, the members of the FWS Board of Trustees(BOT) will be visiting LA in the days before the ABM. Their message to LA IG is, "We wanted to let you know that most of the BOT members will be in LA for our annual face-to-face meeting on July 29-31. If any members of the LA IG would like to meet with the whole BOT (or any BOT members) we would like to make ourselves available (we have limited times available). We are also all planning to attend an S.L.A.A. recovery meeting on the beach on that Friday evening." If interested, show up to the Friday night meeting on the beach on 7/30 or just let me know and I will put you in touch with them.

Record Keeper: Minutes from June were approved with one amendment from Diane.

Treasurer: See attached report in Reports folder. Beginning bank balance $25,121.12. June income is Intergroup ($1,487.93), FWS($141.15), H&I ($126.40) and Literature ($425.50) at monthly total of $2,180.98. June expenses is USLI Liability INS (-$1,655.00), ABM (-$190.00), Lit Purchase (-$400.80), USPS (-$132.00), Other (-$26.90) at monthly expense total of $2,404.70. The ending bank balance is $24,897.40. Donations are down a tad. There's a way to donate directly to intergroup from the website. _____ brought up an Amazon donation button as an option to choose SLAA Los Angeles.

The Bottom Line Editor: The current phone line, 310-595-8741, is updated on the publication. The IG Zoom meeting ID and passcode are included. Main feature shows list of in-person meetings according to the website's list as of 7/8/21.

Meeting Registrar: Given that in-person meetings are starting up again, the form has been modified with following options: in-person only, in-person(currently suspended due to covid), hybrid both in-person and online, online only). Added question if meeting is planning to start in-person meetings, and if so when plan to? Please sign in at https://forms.gle/6Rb5TXPwsPCfLKUf6. Know of 16 in-person meetings, more details on the website, https://www.slaalosangeles.org/copy-of-current-meetings. If a meeting that existed prior to pandemic is restarting in-person, please make sure to note it on the sign in form and let the Webmaster and The Bottom Line Editor know. If you are starting a new in-person meeting the prior rules apply; have a representative attend two IGs and sign in and your meeting will be added to the in-person meeting list.

Phone Line Monitor: 17 calls this month. 2 people looking for literature information, but not wanting to order online. Some calls were looking for meetings outside of Los Angeles.

Literature: June report on 7/11; from 6/20 - 7/9, we sold $659.55. Attached are .cvs for inventory and sales and June audit; not exact June sales due to still working on kinks with Marketplaceworks. Lit sales picking up with more in-person meetings reopening. When will we(if ever) go back to in-person IG? Forseeable influx of lit reps requesting lit orders. Kudos to Lenore who brings in bulk of sales. If you are starting a NEW MEETING in LA area, you can get free literature kit. Register your meeting with SLAA FWS and they will send you a starting lit kit for about $30, then you can send your receipt to treasurer@slaalosangeles.org for LA IG to reimburse you. Have CDs for $6, from workshops and speakers, great for driving if you have an older car. Also have SLAA bookmarks for sale at $1.50 "A laminated list of references to pages for topics from 'Actions' to 'Withdrawal' in the SLAA Basic Text. Compliments your Basic Text. Make a great raffle item or newcomer gift!" and a pocket tool kit for $1 that fits right in your wallet. And Metal Medallions for 1 - 22 years of sobriety!

Workshops & Retreats: Next workshop is September 18, 2021 - Building Partnerships. For more info, contact IG rep, _____ or _____. 24th Annual Malibu retreat is in the works for Thanksgiving weekend of this year.

H&I Committee: 6 attendees and 4 new to committee. One Zoom panel active on 1st Wed monthly at 7pm - info for Treatment Centers available on website. Treatment Centers only may register via Zoom link provided. Every month on 1st Wednesday at 7PM (9/1, 10/6, 11/3, 12/1). Still asking all group meetings to create H&I rep position to inform fellowship about H&I and expand service abilities. Announcement available on website (and in Reports folder). Note new H&I committee meeting time starting August at 2pm following IG meeting.

Speaker Seeker Keeper: Reps can help by making meeting announcements that meetings need speakers and there is no time requirement. Volunteer or get info at the following link, **https://www.slaalosangeles.org/volunteers-speakers-list**. Share flyer at meetings. For list of available speakers, email **speakerslist@slaalosangeles.org**.

Webmaster: There is a constantly changing, not-officially verified list of in-person meetings now on the website. Find the link on the main page and enjoy! If your in-person meeting wants to be listed on the SLAA LA website, please email registrar@slaalosangeles.org and webmaster@slaalosangeles.org. Please attend the IG meeting, as our original way of verifying meetings was having them attend the IG meeting at least twice.

Journal Rep: The journal is your "meeting in a magazine." New question due 7/15 for issue #192. Sober Dating Questions for Discussion available on Amazon.

Sponsorship Committee Conduit: Working on new sponsorship pamphlet and possibly a sponsorship book.

Conference Diversity Committee Conduit: Meets 1st Saturday of the Month at 9AM Pacific. Also will meet twice during the ABM and hold elections for next Vice Chair. Workshop subcommittee working on Diversity and Inclusion workshop slides, which are expected to finish by end of year. Meets 3rd Thursday of the month. Reach _____ if interested. Trying to gather stories of ESH for Diversity Focus Journal.

New Business: (a) Motion (_____) to establish prudent reserve for IG equal to 1 year of normal (in-person) operating expenses = $24,000. Motion amended to establish 6 months of $12,000. Tabled until August. (b) Elections to fill vacated positions. No volunteer for 2nd ABM Alt Delegate (tabled). Translation Committee Conduit is _____. Steps, Traditions and Concepts Committee Conduit is _____.

Special Announcement from SLAA FWS regarding the ABM: Board Technology Committee (BTC) requires behind the scenes assistance. Anyone interested can email _____ at _____

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"Pink Cloud According to Dictionary.com, Pink clouding, or Pink Cloud Syndrome, is a phenomenon many recovering addicts experience when they first go into recovery. When pink clouding, they feel a sense of euphoria that's then followed by a crash once reality sets in. Have you experienced a "pink cloud" in recovery? If so, please describe your experience and how it impacted your recovery. How did you maintain your connection to Program/spirituality?" Due Sept 15th for issue #193. Answer on Google form: https://forms.gle/XVcsE1eWVwjHkFm69

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Humor in Recovery

Got something funny that reflects recovery? Submit a joke or cartoon to the Editor.

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Virtual Meeting Guide:
www.slaalosangeles.org/virtual-meetings

In-Person Meeting Guide:
https://www.slaalosangeles.org/copy-of-current-meetings

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TELEPHONE MEETINGS

www.slaafws.org/telephonemeetings
View daily schedule with listed time zones and about how to connect.

"Focus on Sponsorship" Weekly
Telephone Meeting in support of Sponsorship
515-604-9094
Access code 456542963#

"We Are Not Alone" Daily
Telephone Meeting for Women
Meetings are held on an unpublished conference call phone line every day. Call-in number not publicly posted to ensure privacy.

ONLINE MEETINGS
www.slaafws.org/onlinemeetings

For any *last minute meeting time or location changes,* be sure to *email the* Registrar at registrar@slaalosangeles.org AND leave a message on the phone line at 310-595-8741.