

SCAFG District 33 Meeting Minutes – July 12, 2023

Meeting called to order at 5:46 p.m. with the Welcome by Denise M. 12 Traditions read by Yvonne B. 12 Concepts read by Tina N. Those in attendance (12): Kathy H., Tina N., Yvonne B., Denise M., Yolanda W., Cindy C., Terri T., Vivian P., Sandra L., Sandy M., Ruth F., Rose S.

Reports:

- Minutes Secretary – Kathy H. – June, 2023 minutes approved with correction.
- Records Secretary – vacant
- Contribution Treasurer – Terri T. reported she needs to make corrections to her report and will forward for distribution when completed. She did report Alathon ending balance \$1,658.76.
- Disbursement Treasurer – Yvonne B. reported she is waiting for Terri's corrected report and when completed it will be forward for distribution.

Old Business:

- Monthly District Meeting - discussion held on our monthly district meetings to hold in-person, hybrid, or continue zoom only. Also, it was suggested for the district to purchase a computer if the meeting goes hybrid. A preliminary vote taken to see how others in the meeting is considering if vote taken now - as follows: Table vote – 4. Zoom only – 5. Hybrid – 3. It was suggested to resolve this issue before the new board takes over in 2024. Further prayer and discussion needed at next meeting.
- 2023 Proposed Budget – Yvonne B. reported and approved. There will be \$891 remaining in budget for a computer if meeting goes hybrid. Also, you can e-mail Yvonne to send a check that has already been approved on the budget without further approval.
- September, 2023, begins new board selection – be sure to announce at your meetings that it is a 3-year commitment and for any volunteers.
- Newcomer's welcome – "no musts" – is optional reading and it may be copied and read at your meeting.

Service Board Reports:

- Alternate DR – Rose S. – suggested a November in-person workshop from 3-7 pm with speakers, sharing, and snacks on the topic of gratitude. Vote taken and approved to have an early November, 2023, workshop.
- Alateen – Tina N. – reported SCAC was great & kids were fired up (24). Next year the kids wanted a 4–5-day conference since they had so much fun. Hoping to increase attendance to 50-75 next year at the University of Redlands who are very generous and accommodating. Tina wants to get literature in the schools and will work with Irene C. - public outreach for distribution. Alateens are kids ages 13 – 19. SCAC – So Cal Alateen Conference.
- Literature – Yolanda W. – read from the new book "Time for Myself" a page on Tradition 4. You can order this new book now. Also, Alanon Facing Alcoholism and the new Service Manual be given to anyone who asks for them.
- Newsletter – see Webpage
- Archives – Agnes D. – not present.
- Public Outreach – Irene C. – not present.

- 2023 – Alathon – Katie H. – not present.
- 2024 – Alathon – Frances J. – not present.
- Institutions – Vacant
- DR – Denise M. – she will send out information what a GR responsibilities are. Also, see the Service Manual for information as well.

GR Introduction & Reports:

- Sandra M. – Sun 11 a.m. Spiritual – Hybrid - We have a larger attendance in person than online. We normally have between 9-15 people in person and about 6 people online. We sometimes have newcomers, but they don't generally stay long. They may attend 1-3 sessions and then don't return. We do get some people online from out of our area, but they tend to leave the meeting before the end. We don't have difficulties with service. There are many that are willing to be of service.
- Vacant – Mon 6:30 p.m. Charter – zoom – needs a GR.
- Yvonne B. – Mon 6:30 p.m. Glendora – in person – no report.
- Cindy C. – Tues 10 a.m. Step Study – in-person – going strong with 15-20 per week in attendance. She stated concerns being a GR is a 3-year commitment.
- Sandra L. – Tues 7 p.m. Monrovia Candlelight – hybrid. 6 zoom and 3 in-person. She reported frustrated that morale is sometimes good and sometimes not so good. A person paid their 7th tradition for a 1-year subscription for zoom. She is busy being the host and GR but will continue for another year.
- Ruth F. – Tues Diamond Bar 7:30 p.m. – zoom – 6 regular people with newcomers and great speakers/leaders who bring others from all over but doesn't always come back. Confirmed the meeting needs a CMA and they will continue to be in District 33. In 2 weeks will conduct a business meeting to resolve issues.
- Frances J. – Tues Diamond Bar 7:30 p.m. – in-person – not present.
- Katie H. – Wed Upfront – 12:30 p.m. – in-person – not present.
- Kathy G. – Wed 7 p.m. – Step Study – zoom – not present.
- Vivian P. – Thurs 7:45 p.m. Young at Heart 502 Club – in person – small attendance but sometimes 12 people and newcomers. Doing OK. Kathy H. will send copy of in-person meeting addresses and zoom I.D./Passwords for distribution.
- Irene C. – Thurs 6:30 p.m. – Girls Nite Out – in person- not present.
- Terri P. – Thurs 6:30 p.m. – Girls Nite Out – zoom. Denise reported they are struggling in attendance and 7th tradition. Denise suggested meetings, having attendance problems, to appoint a “welcome” person to take their phone numbers and call to encourage their attendance.
- Eleno O. – Fri 9 a.m. Spanish – send minutes
- Agnes D. – Fri SSL 10 a.m. – hybrid – not present.
- Mon – Park Mtg – no GR
- Thurs – Park Mtg – Denise M. – no report.

Next District Meeting: August 9, 2023 at 5:45 p.m.

Meeting closed at 6:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted: Kathy H. – Minutes Secretary