

9:30am

- Meeting comes to order
  - Beth reads traditions
  - Phil reads concepts
  - Attendee introductions and GR designations

9:45am

- Open mic for Tradition One – Unity
  - Robin – Unified in love for AI-Anon; importance of service structure at group level; don't let personal progress get in the way of group progress
  - Debbie – attend with an open mind, willingness, and able to do what is expected of service; growth through change
  - Kathy – gave a personal example about personal feelings getting in the way, where she wanted a piece of abusive relationship literature to be published for AI-Anon; it was decided that, that controversial piece of literature was not to be published or made available which made her very upset; time that was spent being so passionate about this one piece of literature may have been better spent on something else; Who else is going to suffer due to your own selfishness
  - Cindy – being able to go to colleagues for help and accepting that you are not perfect and that is ok; say what it is and let it go
  - Janet – build upon compromise for AI-Anons growth; everyone's voice is important
  - Vivian – Agenda was changed so preparation was not adequate
  - Phil – Pet calendar shows better unity
  - Ruth – change the idea of me, to we; get outside of yourself; the primary purpose is “what is good for the group”
  - Paula – example of people who leave service or meetings due to group decisions; Give what you can to move forward; Thank you for being here

10:08am

- Paula – Agenda item of bringing a vote for a set central location for Assembly (location would be a subsequent vote) – this would last for a two year trial
  - Judy asked how many GR's are in Idaho
    - Paula replied that there should be 75
  - Open Discussion
    - Judy – no excuses for non-attendance
    - Cheryl – continue to travel
    - Cheryl – shared responsibility; one virtually can save money
    - Rachel – compromise is necessary
    - Marlene – stable location & virtual
  - Jeanne – Motion to vote for a central location for assemblies for a trial period of 2 years
  - Chrissy – seconds motion
    - In Favor – 1

- Opposed– 22
  - Motion for a Central Location does not carry, assembly locations will continue to be a different locations based on hosting district
- Discussion for Fall assembly to be in-person only instead of being hybrid (in-person and on zoom)
  - Nicole – gives points about zoom vs hybrid
  - Chrissy – an IT person needs to be present for hybrid meetings
  - Service manual Guidelines are stated
  - Nicole – Motion to have a virtual (Zoom) area meeting in the Spring and an in-person meeting in the fall for a two year trial period
  - Judy – seconds motion
    - In Favor – 16
    - Opposed – 8
  - Motion carries for a virtual (Zoom) area meeting in the Spring and an in-person meeting in the fall for a two year trial period

Break

12:00pm

- Cindy Alateen Coordinator Speaks
  - When you and others have nothing to say, how do you get them to participate? With Games
    - Hot potato with a book
    - Hangman with slogans, then share what the slogan means to you
    - Memory Games – slogan match (to keep the match you share what the slogan means to you)
    - Random conversation drawing
    - Recovery flashcards
    - Wheel of fortune – color on wheel corresponds to cards to read with things taken from literature, acronyms, medical facts about alcoholism, slogans, steps, etc.
- Alateen panel of three speakers
  - Bob – has had meetings start then not last for more than a year; has found that hearing AA shares bring a reality to Alateen members
  - Mary – kids need consistency; counselor or social worker must be present to report anything that is shared that is reportable by law
  - Sharmaine – started an Al-Anon meeting at the same time and location as an AA meeting, then decided to start an Alateen meeting also at the same time and place as she saw a need for it for her daughter; because alcoholism is a family disease if everyone in the family has a meeting at the same place and time, they can all go together, have their separate meetings, and then leave together
    - Sharlynnne – helps lead the Alateen meeting, kids sponsor other kids

Lunch Break

1:15pm

- Cheryl S – Shared the COB letter and WSC experience

1:35pm

- Paula – Meeting agenda item to approve minutes from Spring Assembly
  - Debbie – Motion to approve meeting minutes from Spring Assembly
  - Beth – seconds motion
    - In Favor – 20
    - Opposed – 0
  - Motion carries to approve meeting minutes from Spring Assembly
- Paula – Meeting agenda item and discussion for area contributions to WSO
  - Paula –presents idea of putting prudent reserves funds into a high-interest savings account and using the interest money accrued as the contributions to WSO
    - Suggestion is tabled and will discussed at a later date
- Jeanne – Opens budget overview discussion
  - (enter changes discussed as marked on Nicole’s papers)
  - Nicole – motion to approve budget as discussed
  - Beth – seconds motion
    - In Favor – 23
    - Opposed – 0
  - Motion carries and discussed budget is approved
- Nicole opens discussion to sell owl
  - June – motion to sell owl and send money to WSO donation for this year
  - Rochelle – seconds motion
    - In Favor – 22
    - Opposed – 2
    - Abstention – 1
  - Motion carries and owl will be sold independently by an individual and the money from the sale will be the Areas donation to WSO
- Point to bring a vote for WSO donation was opened
  - Paula motioned a vote for a \$500 donation to WSO
    - In Favor – 24
    - Opposed – 0
    - Abstention – 1
  - Motion carries and a donation of \$500 will go to WSO
- A discussion was opened about increasing the cost for Assembly lunch (currently at \$25) and registration (currently at \$20) by \$5 each
  - Discussion to make both \$30 was proposed
  - Nicole – Motion to increase the cost of Assembly lunch to \$30 and registration to \$30
  - John – seconds motion
    - In Favor - 22
    - Opposed – 1
  - Motion carries and Assembly costs will increase to \$30 for lunch and \$30 for registration

- Area Coordinators and Delegates spoke about their positions to give others a better understanding of what they do
  - There are still a couple of unfilled positions if anyone is interested you can fill out an application online
- Open Mic for GR's
  
- Early Dismissal