

**Last Intergroup (IG) Meeting:**  
June 13, 2021  
**Voting Members:** 32  
**Zoom Meeting ID:** 933 0564 1004  
**Passcode:** 183729

**Chairperson:** There's google drive folder link that includes service manual. Last month's minutes were approved. Encouraged all to submit written reports ahead of time, [secretary@slaalosangeles.org](mailto:secretary@slaalosangeles.org). If term is about to end for IG reps, please consider staying on IG email list for notification when next round of elections start (probably in November) and please consider taking service to next level with IG service commitment for 2022. Reminder on first Tradition about unity comes first. Recently some sex and love addicts were denied meeting passwords because of not having right affiliation. While it is true fourth Tradition says every group is autonomous, would like to encourage asking ourselves, "are our practices fostering unity, or division?" IG secretary is not an authority and has no power to govern. Tradition two says God is our only authority. Groups are free to interpret the Traditions as they see fit. Asking our groups to consider what Tradition three says, that the only requirement for membership is a desire to stop living out a pattern of sex and love addiction and that, in order to call ourselves a SLAA group, we must have no other affiliation. Please take what you like and leave the rest.

**The Bottom Line Editor:** 13 subscription requests received since Jan 2021 via SLAA LA website. A publication PDF gets emailed out as one-time effort to person who requested subscription. There is no automated subscription structure. On a monthly basis, publication is distributed at SLAA LA IG meetings and IG representatives further distribute at their group meetings. Fresh publication is

downloadable from, <https://www.slaalosangeles.org/the-bottom-line-newsletter> monthly.

**Meeting Registrar:** IG sign-in form has been modified with following options: in-person only, in-person (currently suspended due to covid), 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/jSTvM5krfSNZhinu8>. 4 in-person meetings: Tuesday 7:30PM Neighborhood Unitarian Universalist Church in Pasadena (see Flyers folder), Thursday 6:00PM Silverlake Presbyterian Church in Los Angeles, Friday 7:00PM Beach Meeting in Santa Monica (see Flyers folder), Saturday 9:00AM Lake Balboa in Van Nuys. If meeting is in-person, please make sure to note it on the sign in form and let the Webmaster and The Bottom Line Editor know.

**Phone Line Monitor:** 18 calls received this past month. 4 of them about car warranties. A few people looked for info on meetings and on workshops. 1 person was very upset they were denied access to a meeting because of their sexual orientation.

**Literature:** Marketplaceworks website now used to simplify literature inventory tracking and sales amongst 8 lit reps. Paying \$25/mo for this membership. All lit reps email their sales to [literature@slaalosangeles.org](mailto:literature@slaalosangeles.org) for \_\_\_\_\_ to update their sales and inventory in new system. LA IG will now receive sales reports through this program that \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ have access too. \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ are up to date with current inventory as of 6/10, and just waiting on \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to send their current inventories. To get discounted literature kits for a new in-person meeting, get one once having registered meeting through SLAA FWS. \$80 value for \$36 with variety of all available literature, books, booklets, pamphlets, chips

and cd included (and SLAA LA IG will reimburse \$36, so it's free!), <https://store.slaafws.org/prod/ST-001-S.html>. IG reps in LA can save on tax, shipping, best deal for lit and pick up in-person by visiting SLAA LA IG website literature order page at [slaalosangeles.org/order](https://slaalosangeles.org/order) for avail lit, costs, lit reps emails and area serviced, and how to pay via Venmo or PayPal. Can order shipped lit from Texas through SLAA FWS website, <https://store.slaafws.org/product-list.html>.

**Workshops & Retreats:** "Signs of Recovery" Facing the Challenges of Sobriety on Saturday, July 17, 2021 from 1-4PM PST - See Flyers folder. Free to attend; opens 12:45PM. Focus on 3 of the Signs of Recovery, feature speakers and small group sharing. Zoom Meeting ID 878 0817 8029, Password wrkshp3. For more info, contact IG rep, \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ . Next workshop: September 18, 2021 - Building Partnerships.

**Speaker Seeker Keeper:** 10 contacts to [speakerslist@slaalosangeles.com](mailto:speakerslist@slaalosangeles.com), 7 requests for speakers list. 4 new speakers added, 1 volunteer info updated. Reps can help by announcing every meeting that meetings need speakers and there's no time requirement. Can volunteer or get info at <https://www.slaalosangeles.org/volunteers-speakers-list>. Share the flyer (in Flyers folder) in chat on zoom or pass around at meetings. If need list of available speakers, email [speakerslist@slaalosangeles.org](mailto:speakerslist@slaalosangeles.org).

**H&I Committee:** One panel offered to all Treatment Centers and Institutions. Asking SLAA members who know of treatment centers that might be interested in having their clients attend a SLAA H&I Panel. Treatment Centers only may register via Zoom link provided. Every month on 1st Wednesday at 7PM (7/7, 8/4, 9/1, 10/6, 11/3, 12/1). Reps announce at meeting level - (see attachment

in Reports folder).

**Webmaster:** Website has updates with new flyers (i.g. workshop, international SLAA IRC chat), including downloadable form when making H&I Commitment Announcement at group meeting. 5 in-person meetings are up. Over last 30 days, 2-min average site visit length.

**Conference Diversity Committee Conduit:** \_\_\_\_\_ filling in for \_\_\_\_\_. Workshop subcommittee for planning the diversity and inclusion workshop; meets once a month. Expected to finish slides by end of the year. Reach if interested to join, \_\_\_\_\_ . Committee meets 1st Saturday every month at 9AM Pacific (next call Sat. 7/3/21). Also will meet twice during SLAA ABM (August 3-6, 2021; Tuesday-Friday) and hold elections for next Vice Chair. Trying to gather stories of ESH for Diversity Focus Journal.

**SLAA LA, Inc. Board of Trustees:** [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1PirHlpMKdtYW5zX19B\\_6CDILVpeo2TRv/view](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1PirHlpMKdtYW5zX19B_6CDILVpeo2TRv/view).

**Audio Library Committee:** Recorded speaker shares available, <https://www.slaalosangeles.org/audio> The language in the release form has been updated to include an ask for consent to have a transcript made of the share. Still working out how to get the auto transcript done.

**New Business:** No vote on new motion to list outdoor meeting details. Meetings are not required to list exact time and location when registering meetings. \_\_\_\_\_ elected as H&I Chairperson.

**Tabled Business:** Elections for 2nd ABM Alternate Delegate and Translation Committee Conduit.

**Announcements:** WeHo Recovery Center opens 6/15; Monday 10:30AM meeting starts 6/20 (for people to take service positions). Restarting Pasadena Tues 7:30PM.

"Through sex, charm, emotional appeal, or persuasive intellect, we had used other people as 'drugs,' to avoid our own personal inadequacy." S.L.A.A. Basic Text page 74. Please share your story of using people as drugs and your experience strength and hope in overcoming the desire to use people as drugs. Due July 15th for issue #192, [slaalosangeles.org/the-journal](https://slaalosangeles.org/the-journal)

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### Humor in Recovery

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

Outreach Phone List - Women

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Outreach Phone List - Men

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Outreach Phone List - All gender

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July-Aug  
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# THE BOTTOM LINE



NEWCOMER READING MATERIALS AT [WWW.SLAAFWS.ORG](http://WWW.SLAAFWS.ORG)

## IN-PERSON MEETINGS

### TUESDAYS

7:00PM Long Beach (co-ed, hybrid, closed) | 7:30PM Pasadena (co-ed)

### WEDNESDAYS

8:30AM West Hollywood (all gender) | 6:00PM Long Beach (women, hybrid)

### THURSDAYS

6:00PM Los Angeles (all gender, masks required)

### FRIDAYS

7:45AM Los Angeles (all gender, masks required) | 7:00PM Santa Monica (now until 9/25/21, time changes with sunset)

### SATURDAYS

9:00AM Van Nuys (BYO chair) | 10:00AM West Hollywood (men, starts 7/17/21) | 11:00AM West Hollywood (all gender) | 4:30PM Los Angeles (hybrid)

### SUNDAYS

8:30AM Los Angeles (spirituality, speaker) | 11:00AM West Hollywood (all gender, closed, meditation) | 1:00PM Los Angeles (men, hybrid) | 4:00PM Woodland Hills (all gender, newcomers)

### Virtual Meeting Guide:

[www.slaalosangeles.org/virtual-meetings](http://www.slaalosangeles.org/virtual-meetings)

### In-Person Meeting Guide:

<https://www.slaalosangeles.org/copy-of-current-meetings>

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### INSPIRATION LINES

Call for 24/7 relief to listen and be inspired by recorded Speaker of the week for 6-minutes at 215-574-2120 and/or for 20-minutes at 215-574-2121.

### TELEPHONE MEETINGS

[www.slaafws.org/telephonemeetings](http://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/online meetings](http://www.slaafws.org/online meetings)

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