

Last Intergroup(IG) Meeting:
August 8, 2021
Voting Members: 43
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. Would be unable to attend the September meeting, yet would still send out agenda and other documents. Submit written reports in advance as usual. _____, our previous IG Secretary, would run the meeting. Would like to start elections for IG officers beginning in October. It would be an arduous task as we have over 25 positions to fill, so would like to streamline the process as much as possible. Please start thinking now about what positions you might like to take and/or who you might want to nominate. More info will be coming soon!

Record Keeper: See last month's minutes in Google Drive IG folder. _____ is filling in.

Treasurer: See detailed July report in Reports folder. Beginning bank balance \$24,897.40. July income is Intergroup (\$7,460.51), FWS(\$194.23), H&I (\$134.03) and Literature (\$1,333.46) at monthly total of \$9,122.23. July expenses are CA Assoc. (-\$75.00), FWS (-141.15), ABM (-\$190.00), Lit Purchase (-\$452.50), Zoom (-\$16.34), Other (-\$243.45) at monthly expense total of (-\$1,118.44). The ending bank balance is \$32,901.21. There's an Amazon donation button as an option to chose SLAA Los Angeles.

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publication is in the IG google drive flyers folder. Share this digital copy at your virtual meetings.

Meeting Registrar: See separate report in Reports folder, with instructions for getting new in-person meetings listed, plus an up-to-date list of ALL current in-person meetings! https://drive.google.com/file/d/1wv3eaPfbNZSAUySGFOP5o_STQlyzqY3N/view?usp=sharing There's 27 meetings happening in person. Woodland Hills has been temporarily suspended.

Phone Line Monitor: There were 8 or so calls.

Literature: Total literature stock is \$8057.65. In the last 30 days we've sold \$1521.35. We have 86 different items for sale. We have 2558 items total in stock. Suggestion for Lit Reps to improve sales- try highlighting one piece of lit you like in your announcement and then of course always sharing the link in the chat to our order page, slaalosangeles.org/order. We buy in bulk for max discount and our IG covers taxes and shipping so in-person lit is the best deal if live in LA, but you can still always buy directly from slaafws.org where there are more items like audio converted lit options, or all the Spanish lit(that we in LA IG do have for free available upon request, email literature@slaalosangeles.org if you would like some). I have heard some Amazon options being announced, but not sure that they should be suggested? Attached is lit inventory pdf of our current stock, the 2021 quarterly(April-July) and July only .cvs reports, <https://drive.google.com/file/d/12HBFaqY5wGpMMAAq8tyWVKTCco-5PIHN/view>

Webmaster: There is a new spreadsheet of in-person meetings.

Workshops & Retreats: Presents BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS, "...we came to find intimacy with ourselves, intimacy with God, and then intimacy with others."

Saturday, September 18th from 1-4pm PST via Zoom. Free to attend; workshop opens 12:45pm and starts 1pm PST. Our Basic Text suggests that a major sign of recovery is the ability to form trusting 'partnerships' with ourselves, God, and others. However, fear, resentment and our character defects can undermine this task. Join members of SLAA as we explore barriers to healthy relationships. There will be a speaker on each topic and each speaker will be followed by small group discussions. The workshop won't focus on building primary-exclusive partnerships but rather on the daily relationships we have with ourselves, God, and with others. For more information, contact your IG Rep or _____ or _____ Zoom ID 843 0633 4257, password wrkshp4.

H&I Committee: Check the flyer in the drive folder. Meets on Zoom every 2nd Sunday at 2 pm after IG, MTG ID 879 7219 0670, passcode Service.

Speaker Seeker Keeper: 12 inquiries for volunteer speakers and 6 people requesting list. Look at flyers folder.

Annual Business Meeting(ABM) Delegates: _____ submitted oral report and will put a written report in google drive. _____ and others attended ABM with delegates from all the SLAA meetings. Contact them for details.

Tabled Business: Motion B - the physical meeting location for next month. Motion C will be postponed as well.

New Business: Motion A - Operating Reserve. Motion (SLAA LA Board) to establish an operating reserve of \$15,000 based on six (6) months operating costs (\$10,000) plus literature reserve (\$5000). Each year at the end of the third quarter (9/30), after all ABM expenses have been paid, the

Treasurer will donate any amount over \$15,000 to SLAA Fellowship-wide Services. (See attachment) Pros- _____we don't want to hoard money. _____seemed to be a good number. _____self supporting goes beyond bills and having a prudent reserve. Vote: 47 in favor - unanimously passes. Motion B - Meeting Location. Motion to change the location of our 2nd Sunday of the month meeting to SHARE! Culver City. (See attachment.) Questions - _____, _____is the old place available? The old place has no reopening info. _____asked about 100 people. _____-spacious, same amount of space as previous, may need to adjust lit table. _____ - Never been, but are there open windows? _____-no, just a door ventilation system updated. _____ and _____-have we voted to go back face to face? No. _____ - we need to vote about vaccination. _____ - is there parking? Parking lot, street parking, includes ramp. Can people stand outside? Yes. Pros: _____ - we will follow LA county guidelines. _____ -it's a nice space, concerns about going in person, door only goes to a hallway. _____ - good to get back to in person meetings, parking is a problem, Zoom helps. Cons: _____-there's a 4th wave of COVID - motion needs to be more specific about distancing and masks, concerned about vaccination proof (with retreats specifically). _____ - concerned about distancing to the extreme edge of LA (thinking of people from _____). _____ -not sure if we've explored other options. In favor: 43%, 21. Against: 35%, 17. Abstain: 22%, 10. _____ -if we table this, they might not have the room. Motion: _____ moves that we revisit next month. _____ seconds. Majority want more time to revisit topic next month. _____ felt there should be more options and an informed group conscious. _____ & _____ -we could give _____ \$25 to hold space. This should be a 2/3 vote, we never used to do abstentions. _____ -seemed like we were voting on 2 things.

"Have you found that Higher Power has shown you the truth about something important gradually rather than immediately upon your demands? Please share your experience, strength, and hope with truth being revealed in Higher Power's time." Due Nov 15th for issue #194. Answer on Google form: <https://forms.gle/mULRvffhqVS8GwTX8>

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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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THE BOTTOM LINE



NEWCOMER READING MATERIALS AT WWW.SLAAFWS.ORG

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

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

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Women & Non-Binary Pathfinders In Person Meetings

Monday 10am - 11am
Tuesday 10am - 11am
Friday 10am - 11am
Friday 8:30pm - 9:30pm
Saturday 10am - 11am

In Person Location:
Pathfinders Club
3367 Glendale Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90039

Hybrid Zoom option is available for these meetings. Refer to slaalosangeles.org Virtual Meetings list for Zoom access info.

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

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

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.

SLAA LOS ANGELES IN-PERSON MEETINGS LIST AS OF 9/10/2021

DAY	TIME	IN PERSON OR HYBRID	LOCATION	NAME OF MEETING	COMMENTS
SUNDAY	8:30 AM	In-Person Only	Los Angeles State Historic Park 1245 N. Spring St. Los Angeles, CA 90012	Focus on Spirituality	10 minute speaker, then shares. We meet at the Northwest corner of the park. Entrance is at Mesangers St and Spring. Exact coordinates are 34.0700275, -118.2292796 . We do 10 min meditation. 10 min share. and open sharing. You need to bring something to sit on - the grass is usually wet. And it gets sunny- umbrella is welcome. You can park in the metered parking lot or on the street for free.
SUNDAY	11:00 AM	In-Person Only	West Hollywood Recovery Center room 1 626 N Robertson Blvd West Hollywood, CA 90069	Serenity on Sundays	Closed meeting. All genders. Speaker and Sharing. Meditation. LA County Policy on Masks.
SUNDAY	1:00 PM		Pathfinders Club 3367 Glendale Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90039	Sunday 1pm Men's Stag	Men's Stag - Enter through door to the right of the main entrance door or the back door in alley if main door to Pathfinders is locked, as staff are not always present in the office, that day may remain locked during meetings. - Registrar <i>Warning, heard one anecdote that the meeting wasn't there in person when someone showed up the other day. Only one report so far. - Webmaster</i>
SUNDAY	4:00 PM	In-Person Only	SHARE! 6666 Green Valley Circle Culver City, CA 90203	Newcomers "A Path to Healthy Relationships"	Starts 7/18 Co-Ed Speaker Chips Given Newcomer Focus
MONDAY	7:30 AM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	Harmony Toluca Lake Church 4301 Cahuenga Blvd Toluca Lake, CA 91602	"Thank God it's Monday: Valley Edition"	1 Hour Alternates between a guest speaker and a Step from the SLAA basic Text
MONDAY	8:30 AM	In-Person Only	West Hollywood Recovery Center 626 N Robertson Blvd West Hollywood, CA 90069	Thank God It's Monday	No size limit, but please bring a mask Parking at Weho Library on San Vicente All gender
MONDAY Women and Non-Binary Only	10:00 AM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	Pathfinders Club 3367 Glendale Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90039	Women and Non-Binary Monday	Women and Non-Binary Only
MONDAY	Noon	In-Person Only	Colorado Center 2500 Broadway Avenue Santa Monica, CA 90404	Building Relationships	One Hour All Gender Group Sharing

MONDAY	7:00 PM	BOTH In-Person Only	Downtown SHARE! 425 S Broadway Los Angeles, CA 90013	All Welcome Downtown	All Gender Chips Given Newcomer Focus NOTE To attendees: please show up at least 5 minutes before the meeting. For safety reasons access is monitored. Our greeter will be at the door.
TUESDAY Women and Non-Binary Only	10:00 AM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	Pathfinders Club 3367 Glendale Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90039	Women and Non-Binary Tuesday	Women and Non-binary ONLY
TUESDAY	7:00 PM	BOTH In-Person AND Online Note: Normally 1-5 People Meet in Person	St. Luke's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 5633 E Wardlow Rd Long Beach, CA 90808	Long Beach 7 pm Study St Luke's	All Gender Literature Study Chips Given Closed Please bring a mask and be prepared to sit outdoors in the enclosed courtyard, depending on the number of participants Note: Normally 1-5 People Meet in Person
TUESDAY	7:30 PM	In-Person Only	Neighborhood Unitarian Universalist Church 301 N. Orange Grove Blvd, Room 25 (upstairs) Pasadena, CA 91103		All Gender C - Closed Meeting H - Handicapped Access N - Newcomer Focus SP - Speaker Meeting B - Book Study L - Literature Meeting K - Chips Given
WEDNESDAY	8:30 AM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	West Hollywood Recovery Center 626 N Robertson Blvd West Hollywood, CA 90069 online ID: 88066048247	Healthy Relationships	Will be both online and in-person For online password, email: WeHoRecoverySLAA@Gmail.com
WEDNESDAY Men only	5:30 PM	In-Person	Farmers Market Community Room 3rd and Fairfax 6333 W. 3rd Street LA, CA 90036	Fantasy Island	Men's Stag 1 Hour Everyone Shares
WEDNESDAY Women only	6:00 PM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	Atlantic Alano Club 600-1/2 Redondo Ave Long Beach, CA 90814 online ID: 86479319674	Women's Love Addiction	Women only
WEDNESDAY	7:30 PM	In-Person Only	West Hollywood Recovery Center 626 N Robertson Blvd West Hollywood, CA 90069	Restored to Sanity	Steps 1 2 & 3 in the Day We Are in All Addicts Welcome / Masks Required Park at Library on San Vicente
WEDNESDAY	8:30 PM	In-Person Only	Pathfinders Club 3367 Glendale Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90039	Meditation	All Gender

THURSDAY	6:00 PM	In-Person ONLY	Silverlake Presbyterian Church 2930 Hyperion Ave. 90027	Thurs 6pm Brunswick In-Person SLAA	Outdoors in an amphitheater, socially distanced. 1.5 hour, 20 minute speaker, tag-pass sharing on a topic. Chips given for time and for steps. Birthdays celebrated.
THURSDAY	6:30 PM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	SHARE! 6666 Green Valley Circle Culver City, CA 90203	Courtship: From Fantasy To Reality	All Gender Chips Given Closed (identify S.L.A.A. only)
FRIDAY Women and Non-Binary Only	10:00 AM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	Pathfinders Club 3367 Glendale Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90039	Women and Non Binary	Women and Non Binary Only
FRIDAY	7:00 PM	In-Person ONLY	Santa Monica - Parking lot 8 North on the beach	11th Step by the Sea	Meeting is on the beach between Lifeguard tower 8 and Volleyball Courts. Bring a beach chair and blanket.
FRIDAY Women and Non-Binary Only	8:30 PM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	Pathfinders Club 3367 Glendale Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90039	Women & Non-Binary	1 Hour Women & Non-Binary Only Speaker
SATURDAY	9:00 AM	In-Person Only	Lake Balboa (See Notes) Yellow Gate by Woodley Lakes Golf Course 6331 Woodley Ave Van Nuys, CA 91406	Reunited and it feels so good	Look for directions to Woodley Lakes Golf Course. Road to golf course and park is off Woodley. Drive west passing the golf course. You will see the park entrance. (Yellow gate) Park on the left. Walk across the road to grassy area by trees. 6331 Woodley Ave, Van Nuys would be the entrance. 6300 Balboa Blvd is the address of the park, but the meeting is close to that entrance mentioned above. BYO Chair! Map coordinates if confused: 34.185120 -118.493715
SATURDAY	9:30 AM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	MCC - United Church Of Christ 5730 Cahuenga Blvd North Hollywood, CA 91601	Fantasy, Romance, Intrigue	All gender, 1.5 hour
SATURDAY Women and Non-Binary Only	10:00 AM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	Pathfinders Club 3367 Glendale Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90039	Women and Non Binary	Women and Non Binary Only - Sober Sex
SATURDAY Men Only	10:00 AM	In-Person ONLY	The Log Cabin 621 N Robertson Blvd West Hollywood, CA 90069	SLAA Beach Boyz	Men's Stag
SATURDAY	11:00 AM	BOTH In-Person AND Online	West Hollywood Recovery Center 626 N Robertson Blvd West Hollywood, CA 90069	Tools of Recovery	
SATURDAY	4:30 PM	In-Person ONLY	Pathfinders Club 3367 Glendale Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90039	Sober Dating	The In-Person meeting and the Online meeting are now two separate meetings