

District 5
Monthly General Service Meeting
MINUTES of June 9th 2022
Church of the Foothills
19211 Dodge Ave. Santa Ana, CA 92705

Zoom Info: <https://zoom.us/j/8970371755?pwd=WFdCdWFBVytCNzVpckROU2h6N0xKQT09>
PASSWORD: 06101935

Opening

Hybrid Meeting called to order by Isaac M., DCMC at 7:01 p.m. with the Serenity Prayer.

GSR Preamble read by: Melissa A.

District 5 Statement of Purpose read by: Ashley A.

Rules read by: Isaac M.

Introduction of new GSRs and Alt-GSRs: Noelle P., Wednesday Women Solution, Tustin 7-8pm.

Tradition 5: Matt D.

Volunteer for Tradition 7: Gina H.

Concept 5: Ryan H.

Volunteer for Concept 7: Ashley Y.

Introductions of all in attendance – GSRs, District Officers and Visitors

- **Visitor(s)** Alex W., Alt. Delegate Area 09, Mitchell B., Delegate Area 09.
- **Guest(s)** Derek C., David A.

- **Total Attendance: (20 In-Person / 8 on Zoom)**

Celebration of June Birthdays: None

Questions, Concerns, Suggestions or Problems reported by Attendees:

Tami C., are there any requirements for the Registrar position. Isaac M., we will be talking more about that in Old Business.

REPORTS

OFFICER REPORTS:

- **DCMC/Isaac M.:** I have attended a lot of committee's meetings, District 5 Movie Night meeting, there was a lot of great discussion. Also, we will be talking to another District to collaborate with them and get an event going. We will be reaching out to the other DCMC's from that district. I also attended the area event and was able to get the problem resolved with the member from the Spanish District. We also had our Delegate Shareback. Also working with the Intergroup Event Planning Committee on District 5's participation in the Picnic, which will be happening on August 27th. There will be a sign in sheet for anyone who wants to

volunteer for that event.

- **Alternate DCMC/Greg A.**, I did participate in the Area Event and listened to Mitchel's Shareback. I am looking forward to hearing again tonight.
- **Treasurer/Vicki R.:**
 - Treasurer's Report
 - Beg. Balance: \$ 4,204.96
 - Total Contributions: \$ 401.37
 - Total Expenses: \$ 238.35
 - End. Balance with Prudent Reserve: \$ 4,367.98
 - End. Balance without \$1,500.00 Prudent Reserve: \$ 2,867.98
- **Registrar: (Open): Vicki R. fill in.** 20 In Person and 8 on Zoom. Please make sure if you have any changes in your Group's to please filled out the correct forms.
- **Secretary Ryan H.:** As always super grateful to be of service as District 5 Secretary. The copy of the minutes was email mailed out and also available in person. "Any questions on the minute's as written?" With no questions. Thank you very much. Isaac M. has called for a motion for acceptance. Matt D. made a motion and Rachel Y. seconded. Motion Passed.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **Archives (Rachel Y.):** Not a whole lot to report. I did attend the Area event. But did not meet up with the other Archive people. the next Archive meeting is scheduled for next Monday, and I will be attending that. I also have been going around my meeting and asking if other woman on my group who would like to share their stories for the other woman in the Area.
- **Grapevine (Roger F):** This month's theme on the website, www.aagrapevine.org, is stories from "Long Timers." There is also a podcast which is released every month, on Monday at 9am, this months are: "Cybriety", and "sick as our secret" and this month's quote comes from Co-founder, "alone in the town I was scared of death of getting drunk. I was no longer a teacher or a preacher. I was an alcoholic and knew that he needed another alcoholic as much that one could need. Driven by this, I was faced with Dr. Bob". The Grapevine "It is the Meeting in Print." It has been in continued printing since 1946. Also subscribe on www.aagrapevine.org also has an Instagram account.
- **Public Information (Open):** No Report
- **Convention Liaison (Manny A.):** (Absent)
- **H&I Liaison (Scott B.):** We will be meeting this Sunday, as we meet every second Sunday of the month at the Garden Groove Alano Club. Institutions will be meeting at 4pm and Hospitals be meeting at 6pm. Please come check us out, all are welcome.
- **Accessibilities (Open):**
- **C.P.C. (Open)** No Report
- **Intergroup Liaison (Gina H.):** The Intergroup meeting was last night. Here are some quick highlights. The treasurer report came out, even though they were not present. You will notice there was a good amount of spending. There is a good reason for that. Because the Lifeline was not printed last year and now it's being

printed again. The year-to-date is up because of this and also a bill from an accountant from 2020. They also want to make sure your meetings info is up to date on the Meeting App, because that is what they are using for the website. H&I always needs support. As Scott B. has reported. The Lifeline is always looking for articles, artwork. You don't need to be a professional writer, they will help clean it up. P.I., will be at the OC Fair and having their booth. July 15th-22nd. and volunteers are needed. But please just sign up for one shift. Just to let more participate. The link for the website is, <https://ocaa.org>, to sign up. Also, the Intergroup Picnic, was mentioned before the date has changed, it is on August 27th, from 12-3pm. Volunteers are needed.

- **Newsletter (Vicki R.):** Hopefully everyone got the copy of the latest Newsletter which is out. The next edition will be out in August or September. Some are available in Person, but not in color. The Area has posted the Newsletter to their website, <https://msca09aa.org> and also on the District website, <https://district5msca09.com>. Hopefully you got my email, and always looking for submission.
- **GSR School (Open):**
- **Literature (Steve C.):** There is no literature, so there is no report.
- **Cooperation with Professional Community / CPC (Open):**
 - **DCM East Orange (Steve C.):** No Report
 - **DCM West Orange (Greg A.):** No Report
 - **DCM Santa Ana Alano (Open):** No Report
 - **DCM Santa Ana (Open):** No Report
 - **DCM Women's Day and Evening (Open):** No Report
 - **DCM Men's Groups (Open):** No Report
 - **DCM North and South Tustin (Chris Wh.):** Absent
 - **DCM Friendship Club AM (Open):** No Report
 - **DCM Friendship Club PM (David "Jr" L.):** No Report

OLD BUSINESS:

1. **District 5 involvement in the Intergroup Picnic Recap: Isaac M.,** I did attend the Special Event's Committee, the date had changed to August 27th. The flyer is out and as soon as it comes out. I will pass it along in an e-blast with the hyperlinks to the Sign-Up sheet for volunteers. And also available in the Lifeline. But unfortunately, this date falls on my daughter birthday and I will not be able to attend. If there is anyone interested in helping. Maybe setting up a GSR Table or something like that. I will bounce these ideas off them. So, if your interested, please come and see me.
2. **District 5 Event Update. Vicki R.** We did have our first meeting on May 26th. Were we decided to have it on July 16th. 6-9:30pm, the location will at the Church of the Foothills, the movie will be recovery based. The next planning committee meeting will be on June 23rd. It will be held at 6pm, via Zoom. The food will be pizza, popcorn, water, soda, and coffee. The Church has decreased the room rental to \$210.00. please go back to your meetings and please let me know on approximate members who plan on attending. We just want to make sure we have enough for all those who attend. The estimate cost of the event will be given in next month's meeting. **Roger F.** has verified that actual location of the place where the move is being held. Also verified the room capacity of the event. And asked if the church has limited the capacity of the event. And we will be practicing Social Distances. The capacity of the room 282 people. The room configuration is not yet decided, as the total number of participate is unknown.
3. **Tabled Discussion on District 20, Spanish Woman Meeting, joining District 5. Isaac M., Ryan H. and I** got together with other members at the Area Meeting and got her in touch with other Spanish Women and

she got into the correct district and is plugged into the write groups. As we told her if there is anything else. Please let us know. Its great that we were able to help her when another AA member came to us an we were able to help.

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Registrar Open: Isaac M.**, the requirements are in the Guidelines. And as always, its willingness is the key. There are some computer skills. **Vicki R.**, please take it back to your groups to see if they would like to be of service.

PROGRAM: Delegates Shareback: Mitchell B.

Please see the files below for all the great information provide by our Delegate.



Key-Takeaways-Talkin Area-09-72nd-GSC-R 1-72ndGSC_Advisory- 72nd-GSC-Picnic-Tabl
g-Points-72nd-GSC-Treportback-2022.05.20Actions-w-EDW-Englise-Slides-English-2022

Volunteer GSR Report: No Report

Tami C, has volunteered for next month.

Motion to Adjourn: Tami C.

- **Seconded by:** Jasper C.
- **Motion Passes**

Meeting closed out with Responsibility Prayer.

“I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere reaches out for help, I want the hand of A.A. always to be there. And for that, I am responsible.”

Please visit www.msca09aa.org for additional information on upcoming events.

ANNOUNCEMENTS – AREA 09

[MSCA Area 09 Service Workshop](#)

Next Workshop is July 21st, 2022 7:00 pm- 8 pm. Third Thursday of Every Month Meeting ID: 873 6607 8505
Passcode: Area09panel72

[MSCA09 Assembly](#)

Mid-Southern California Area 09 Area Assembly - Delegate Shareback Hosted by 21 on August 14th, 2022 @ 8:30 am - 3:00 pm ZOOM: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm Register in advance. www.msca09aa.org
Zoom Code: 835 0804 4336 Password: service

Respectfully Submitted by Ryan H., District 5 Secretary