

## 12-19-2020 INTERGROUP MINUTES

Valley Sierra Intergroup OA/HOW #09599  
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December 19, 2020, 11:10 am, Zoom Meeting

Serenity Prayer. Twelve Traditions. Seventh Tradition.

### Introductions -

State first name, Intergroup Board or Rep position, or Visitor

*Lynne T. chair*

*Cat T. treasurer, phone list*

*Janice T. web admin*

*Joan M. secretary*

*Sue S. co-chair, literature*

*Violet Thurs rep*

*Mary B Saturday rep*

### Establish a quorum (7). Find a Timekeeper.

*We have a quorum*

*Timekeeper: Sue S.*

### BOARD MEMBER AND COMMITTEE CHAIR REPORTS -35 minutes

Chairperson, Lynne,

- Idea: For Intergroup Zoom meetings, to use the same Zoom id and password every month, She will investigate this.*

Co-Chairperson, Sue S., *No report*

Secretary, Joan,

- No report*

Treasurer, Cat,

*Money is coming in from the Zoom meetings, doing fine.*

World Services Rep. Lynne (Working WSBC committee to April 2021)

- *Sue to become World Service Rep in April.*
- *Vote will be in January to determine if it will be virtual or in person.*

World Services Rep. Sue S. (April 2021 to April 2023)

Region 2 Rep. Cynthia, *Report attached.*

Region 2 Rep. Lynne (January 2021 to January 2023)

Website Admin. Janice,

- 160 views, everything going well

Phone List, Cat, No changes

Literature, Sue, *No report. Please go to OA website for ordering literature.*

PI Planning/Health Fair, Elizabeth,

*Not present*

Zoom Admin., Sonora area, Cat

- *No problems. Lynne figures out administrative details and sends out a link for every meeting.*

Zoom Admin., Modesto area, Kevin

*Not present*

TOPICS -

- WSO has scheduled a 1-30-21 meeting of the 2020 WSBC Delegates to vote on having WSBC 2021 held virtually. I, Lynne, your 2020 WSBC Delegate, will be attending and voting Yes to hold WSBC 2021 virtually this coming April, 2021. We anticipate this will pass. Sue S. is our 2021 WSBC Delegate and will attend it if it is done virtually.

- How is Modesto's Zoom meeting going? Our Thursday 5:45 pm OA-HOW Steps & Traditions meeting went Zoom a month ago and I, Lynne, registered it with OA.org 2 weeks ago. Two weeks ago, we had 4 OA members attending from OA.org in addition to our regular attendees and a different 4 this last Thursday who saw our meeting on OA.org. So far, we are having no problems having our Zoom link being on OA.org. To start a Zoom meeting, contact Cat (Sonora area) or Kevin V. (Modesto area).

*Thursday Sonora Zoom meeting is registered on oa.org as an official meeting. People have been finding the meeting through oa.org.*

*Contact Cat in Sonora, Kevin in Modesto for further information.*

- Cynthia's Region 2 Assembly Report

*Lynne presented high level report, details attached.*

*Needs speakers for region 2, July 9-11 in San Diego, also virtually.*

- Reviewing Joan's spreadsheet of Intergroup Board positions, the only position ending 12-31-20 we have not filled is Treasurer, which Cat is willing to continue doing, if no one else is interested. Cat, has anyone approached you interested in being Treasurer? Is anyone present today interested?

*Cat is willing to continue.*

- The Virtual Region is organizing a December 24th/ 25th Fellowship Zoom Open House for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, all day until midnight. I, Lynne, will be serving from 9 pm to 11 pm on 12-24 and 9 pm to midnight on 12/25. Are you interested in taking a 2 hour time slot? If so, email Claire and tell her what times you are available on 12-24 and/ or 12-25 at [opipovirtual@gmail.com](mailto:opipovirtual@gmail.com)

*What do you do in timeslot? See website for further information.*

*Volunteers talk to anyone who shows up. People serve in Breakout rooms, 2 people every hour.*

- Do we want a Spring Day in OA? Virtual? Could do, for example, making a God box together, but do it virtually, such as Rhonda had suggested but was unable to do, due to COVID Protocol, at our Fall OA Get Together at Dr. Ralph's Yurt - as one idea to consider. Other ideas?

Virtual day could include virtually making god boxes or some other craft. Joan suggested art therapy session, using a theme like trusting our higher power? Does someone like to chair the day in OA? When – May? Bring up to meetings. Come up with subject, find out if people are interested. Saturday or Sunday? Which is good in May?

*To be continued next month. Bay area having virtual day in OA in Bay area on January 30. Janice says she may not be able to attend and info will be up on our website shortly.*

*Topic next meeting, research info for next month. The group suggests the topic Believe.*

*Joan and Lynne to discuss.*

*--no other topics for today*

NEXT Intergroup Meeting: January 23, 2021, 11:10 am, Zoom Meeting

### **TOPICS FOR NEXT INTERGROUP MEETING**

Any more thoughts on a Spring Day in OA? Virtual?

- Have OA 24/7 Welcome Room pilots started?
- Report on the 12-24/ 12-25 Fellowship Zoom Open House.
- How are our Zoom Meetings going? To start a Zoom meeting, contact Cat (Sonora area) or Kevin V. (Modesto area).
- When will WSBC 2021 Motions be available for Sue S. to go over with us?
- Janice will report on SF Day in OA, Jan 30. We could attend to get ideas for our own day in OA

7TH TRADITION REPORT. READ/APPROVE MINUTES. CLOSING PRAYER.

*Minutes approved.*

ADJOURNMENT