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RIAFG AWSC Meeting Minutes

October 24, 2024

Attendees: Chris E, Elaine H, Kim C, Phyllis H, Dean H, Jackie W, Barb W, Brandon H, Lisa Marie R, Sally K, Anna P, Laurie S, David G, Terri L, Beth P, Maggie w, Claudia P, Scott M, Holly R.

Readings: 12 Tradition, October Concept of Service read by Jackie and Warranties read by Kim

Minutes: Minutes of September 12th meeting reviewed for acceptance but deferred until screenshot shown as attendee had not received theirs. Once down there was a motion to accept with come changes.

Introduction: Name and AWSC Position

Old Business:

Fall Assembly reviews summarized there were 7 available. These were positive evaluation for venue and food. Thank you to Holly R. and Chris E. for their efforts here. The review for content itself written using single words may have been limited because of the lateness of the hour and the need for cleanup.

A special word of thank you to Jackie W. for welcoming our Spanish speaking family to the meeting.

New Business

1. The literature is available for order immediately. Wendy and Elaine worked with WSO to expedite the reordering process, and we are grateful. The debit card is in Wendy's name. That situation will be addressed.

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2. It was pointed out that minutes from AWSC meetings cannot be formally accepted until AWSC meeting and not for the Assemblies until the next Assembly which delays communication. It was recommended that a clearly marked draft be sent out by the Chair to the committee members with a deadline for return for condition approval. Following this, a 2nd clearly marked draft be sent to the webmaster for posting as 2nd draft on the website with copy to all AWSC members. This will provide the Program members with faster and more open transparency. As above, the final approval is through the Assembly.
3. Area emails and password: Dean setup passwords many years ago. Were they setup by position or password or personal. Who has this information now? There are issues with validation, and they are not easily accessible. Beth had success with a password 4 months ago. Kim will investigate the possibility of an RIAFG domain. Going forward there should be more than one individual with access. This will be discussed further at our next meeting in December.
4. AA Convention in Newport RI February 7th, 8th and 9th 2025 will have Al-anon presence. Further details for discussions at our next meeting.
5. Webmaster reports that forum information is under literature and includes guidelines for writing and submitting articles for the Forum. Webmaster also reports stats for September 25th – October 24th ;
Unique visits 1122 Pages viewed 3291 Average pages viewed per visit 2.8
6. There was a proposal for alternating meeting date options.

Closing Prayer: Meeting Adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted in service,

Anna P.

AWSC Area Secretary



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