Alt. Delegate- ACM Report February 16, 2023

Good evening Everyone,

Wishing everyone is doing well tonight. I want to thank District's 9 & 17 for allowing us to be here with them tonight and be connected with our area committee meeting (ACM) from El Centro, California, we are so lucky to only be a couple of hours, driving distance away from end to end points within our geographical area, in some other areas, the traveling is far more than just a few hours, and now in days, staying connected virtually is also a blessing for most of all AA matters.

During this past month we started visiting some districts and groups, along with some A.A events. We will continue to be busy in general service the next few months and as the year progresses. Some of my activities during the month were;

- The Mock Conference ad hoc committee has continued to meet as we plan and get ready for the Pre-conference assembly planned for this year.
- Friday, January 27th, I stopped over to Central Office, Fina Friday Feast to join the programs committee that evening, there was pizza & drinks, a large size of about sixteen that gathered to inform themselves from the program committee and/or support this wonderful way of encouraging members in joining a committee service. The next final Friday feast will be on Feb. 24th, from 3-5pm.
- I was invited to attend and participate in District's 18, General service Workshop on the 29th of January, it was so nice share about the GSRs duties, responsibilities, and involvement in our area's activities.
- February 3rd, I did attend Districts 15 meeting, I was invited to be there with our Treasurer Lyn & Alt treasurer Rob as they shared on area and GSO contributions and the effectiveness of our 7th tradition to carry the message, lots of great questions were asked at that night's meeting.
- On February 4th & 5th, I went up in Anaheim, CA for the 50th ACYPAA Conference, it was such an amazing weekend with our young people in A.A, lots of great activities planned out, amazing panels throughout the days. I'm sure you have heard or will be hearing on how ACYPAA will be in town next year, 2024. Registration did open up if you wish to register (I did so already) and support the conference roundup and/or donate some scholarships to some sponsee or someone you know. It has been great seeing continued support from our area to the young people over the years, the continued commitment and involvement of young people in our area is vital to the outreach of more twelve step work this committee provides to our fellowship.

That's all I have for you tonight, remember that is there are any questions at the moment in regard to the pre-conference timeline process, conference agenda items or as we approach the pre-conference assembly, please let us know, we are here to help.

Thank you for allowing me to be of Service.

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