Area 8 San Diego-Imperial County
Archives Committee Minutes
September 2, 2020 7:00 – 8:00 P.M.

Attendance:

Renee R.	Allan R.	Mike S.
John B.	Julie O.	Tom C.

Opening: Serenity Prayer

Introductions/Birthdays: No birthdays.

Approval of Minutes: Approved.

Read Practical Experience from the GSO Archives Workbook

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Chair's Activities since last meeting

● Attended ACM via Zoom on 8-20-20.

● Contacted IT regarding necessity of a ZOOM ID for the ROOTS event.

● Began work on ROOTS flier.

● Wrote interview questions for Dan D.

Business:

ROOTS Event

- Via Zoom
- Three speakers, 20-25 minutes each, interview format, 18-19 questions each.
- Discussion of ROOTS event. Now that we have committed to Zoom.
- Speakers confirmed:
    o Dan D. – Got sober 1967 in Massachusetts (New England AA); *Interviewer: John B.*
    o Bobbie C. – Chair of International Convention in 1995; *Interviewer: Mike S.*
    o Gail N. – Sobriety Date: 6/1/72. First ROOTS Chair 35 years ago; *Interviewer: Renee R.*
        ▪ Reviewed interview questions for Dan D.
        ▪ Renee read the interview questions for Gail N.
        ▪ Mike will draft the questions for Bobbie C.
        ▪ John would like to send out questions to speaker by the end of the month.

- IT: Area 8 Delegate will buy an additional license from the Area Zoom for 3 months. This will allow us to practice and conduct dry runs prior to the event.
- Flier: John to edit and finalize the invitation in time to be distributed at the next Area Assembly.
- Committee members should announce it at AA meetings they attend.

Structure & Guidelines Revisions
- Reviewed Section 3: Area Archivist (3.1-3.8)
    - o 3.1: Question whether the Area Archivist needs to attend the ACM as well as the Archives Committee Meeting and the Area Assemblies.
- We will review Section 4 at the next meeting.

COVID Related Materials
- No new reports of items/materials related to Archives.

Next meeting: October 7, 2020

Responsibility Pledge   I am responsible.
When anyone, anywhere,
Reaches out for help,
I want the hand of AA always to be there.
And for that: I am responsible.