Minutes for Area 8 Archives Committee in Person at Central Office & On Zoom Feb 7, 2024

Opened meeting at 7:00pm

Opened with the Serenity Prayer

- One AA Birthday recognized: Rick celebrated 49 years.
- One guest who joined meeting: Alan R. (Liaison Registrar for Area 8)
- Committee members present were: Kristine, Rick, Janet, Heidi, Eric, Lore, John

Minutes read and unanimously approved from January

Kristine & Heidi gave recap of Seattle's Archives Committee Meeting

When saving MP3's to computer be sure to title original historical histories as .RAW...

Watched Louisville Archive Building – Very organized and impressive.

Categorized rooms and computer files by: Persons, Places and Things

Audacity is a Computer program that will remove long pauses, etc. It is Free.

Black Cat Systems – Digital Library. Can hold 75 speeches. Advantages are No anonymity required and it's portable.

Old Business

No update on IT. Equipment is being worked on.

Brawley – John enjoyed, speakers, fun, approx. 150 people (about 20 from SD).

Dr Bob's House display is difficult to hang. John will provide blue painters tape to help it hang.

New Business

Archives will be at Wyndham Hotel Lobby, 1355 Harbor Dr Heidi to provide update to this information in group text. A tentative schedule was created for ACYPA on Feb 8-11, 2024

Janet – Oral Histories: John, Chair of Armed Forces. He created this committee and takes meetings to Camp Pendleton. He shows how to set up AA meetings, there are currently 5 meetings now.

Eric – Roots 2024 @ Harding Street, on Sat, 11/23/24 from 11 - 3. Bldg cost \$134. Heidi has confirmed no conflicts. They've been listed on AA and AA Nth Cnty Calendars. Seats 150 with a room capacity of 250. Bldg staff will set up seating and side tables.

Next Quarter – will have Archives work parties, etc.

Next meeting will be March 6th @ 7pm. At the AA Central Office Closed with I am Responsible prayer

Closed Meeting at 7:56pm