

The East Asian Morning Online Group of Alcoholics Anonymous

Meeting minutes August 31, 2020

Chair: Craig

Voting members: James, Alex (Aussie), Craig, Jenny, Stuart, Dennis W., Anne-Lise

Guests: none

September Service Positions (by acclamation):

Monday (Sunday):

> Chair = Dennis

> Host = James

Wednesday (Tuesday):

> Chair = Alex (Aussie)

> Host = Craig

Friday (Thursday):

> Chair = Casey

> Host = Chris

Next Business Meeting Chair:

> Chair = Stuart

Group Service Rep:

> Jenny G

1. Sec'y Report (we don't really have a secretary, but old business was outlined)
2. GSR report: Jenny reported that Intergroup could not decide on 7th Tradition because they didn't have GSRs at the meeting. She abstained as the whole discussion was about how to organize nighttime meetings. The next Intergroup meeting will be 9/13 and she'll report back.
3. Old business: (All from July 31)
 1. Discussion of need to do something for 7th Tradition. Motion was made and seconded to add this to our format at the beginning of each meeting: "We value the 7th Tradition and at this point encourage members to give to AA locally or through GSO as you feel the need." A majority voted to discuss. After discussion, it passed unanimously. The new format was updated and sent to folks who are chairing meetings.
 2. A motion was made and seconded that "We do not verify attendance at meetings." A majority voted to discuss. Several online procedures used by other groups were posted. They included digital signatures, actions by their respective Intergroups, and one even charged a fee. After discussion, the motion failed to get 2/3 support. Our position remains that the Intergroup has removed the link for verification and we have not agreed on an alternative.
4. No new business

Adjourned.