

Al-Anon – Southern California World Service (SCWS)

Area World Service Committee (AWSC) Meeting – Saturday, February 20, 2022;
District Representative (DR) Report District 8, Santa Barbara,
Larry B, started DR service position 1/1/20; Our cities: Santa Barbara, Isla Vista,
Goleta, Carpinteria, Montecito, Summerland, Santa Ynez, Solvang; 33 meetings:
28 English, 5 Spanish Speaking; 15-20 GR's attend our district meetings.
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- D8 has 2 new Spanish Speaking meetings that are meeting face-to-face.
- Formed Speaker Meeting Committee – (Debra, Tina, Alejandra) create a speaker meeting template to help coordinator run the meeting using CAL; suggesting guidelines to follow.
- Voted to add “In The Loop” to our D8 website. Local news publication, The *Independent*, considering anonymous Al-Anon stories from local fellowship shares.
- There is a Group Records service opportunity for District 8. Mala doing this for D8.
- Reinstated D8 liability insurance for 2022 as more FTF vs hybrid meetings in D8.
- Reading the 12 Concepts and 5 Warranties, Tradition of the month, and KBDM (knowledge based decision making) principles at our monthly district meetings.
- Participating in the AA Convention with Al-Anon participation October 14, 15, and 16.
- Creating a “business meetings” template for AFG's to consider using for their meetings.
- Grateful to have participated in the SCWS liability insurance task force chaired by Laura H. Task force recommended Area 4 use treasury funds to provide liability insurance for SCWS meetings if they ask for it to cover their individual meeting.
- Chairperson of the SCWS Area 4 Work Group for Liability Insurance.
- DR goals: Study of the Concepts with my Service Sponsor, Tommie Rae, using Paths to Recovery and Reaching for Personal Freedom. Now studying the Service Manual 2018-2021, V2.