

CoDA Literature Committee
May 8, 2021, 4:00 pm EST
Minutes

Attendance: Terry (Chair), Salle, Barbara, Gillian, Alyse, Leslie, Abbey, Sara (Secretary)

Absent: Teresa

1. Meeting was not recorded
2. **Opened** with the CoDA Service Prayer and Service Concept Five at 4:08 EST
3. April **minutes** were accepted
4. Need volunteer to attend Chairs Forum, Thursday, May 20th at 7:00 EST Salle can attend most of it.
5. Discussed wording of **Tradition Seven** “A” vs “Every” CoDA group....
We decided to suggest “Every”
6. **CLC Completed Project.** Completed GCing the Motions
 - a. ***Newcomer Handbook, Second Edition***
 - b. ***Making Choices*** Needs draft watermark
 - c. **Coloring Book**
 - d. ***Twelve Tradition Prayers***
 - e. ***Extended Serenity Prayer***
 - f. ***Codependency & Recovery: The Differences*** (Make a service item and later can be used in something else.)
 - g. ***Twelve Concepts Booklet. Assigned motion.*** Leslie spoke with Dan. Most of our suggestions were accepted.
7. **Ongoing Projects, no reports, except for the workbook**
 - a. ***Growing Up in CoDA Growing Up in CoDA*** with Spanish Outreach (Terry)
 - b. **New Daily Reader**
 - c. ***Story Gatherers***
 - d. ***Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions Workbook*** CoRE will reprint as is in the fall 2021 and wait to put the Step prayers and our changes in until the printing following 2022 CSC. We wrote responses to some of Yvonne’s suggestions We discussed whether or not Webster’s dictionary should be mentioned and quoted. The subcommittee will discuss this more on May 24th.
8. **Other things**
 - a. **CoRe, CLC joint motion re: how to process literature submitted by VEs.** **CLC to look at email from Yvonne, which is posted in Google Docs in CLC Documents.**
 - b. **Literature Task Force** Nothing to discuss
 - c. **NorCal’s 40 Questions** for Steps 4 & 5 (following the 30 Questions for Steps 1, 2, & 3) were discussed. Salle shared via email with CLC.
 - d. **Meet & Greet & Orient** potential new members June 12, 45 minutes before our regular CLC meeting
 - e. **CoRe Reprints, All is well**

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NOW: Common Threads, Peeling the Onion, and Twelve Step Handbook

8/10/21 4019 *Making Choices*, in process

10/8/21 4010A *What is CoDA?* done

1/6/22 4010B *What is CoDA?* (folded) done

2/2022 64016 *Tools of Recovery*, we may want to edit

f. **Retreat** last weekend in September

g. **Submissions** How to accept and reject? Tabled

h. Terry will contact **Pam W/Connections** for submissions

9. **Goals for next year**

1. Help write the daily reader
 2. Polish *Growing Up in CoDA*
 3. Finish *Story Gatherers*
 4. Complete major edits on *The Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions Workbook*
 5. Look at *Tools of Recovery* to see if it needs editing
 6. Hold a retreat
 7. Add new members
 8. Policies and Procedures update, Terry and one or two other volunteers
 9. Style Sheet update
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10. *Meet & Greet & Orient: Saturday, June 12, at 3:15 pm EST
11. Next meeting: Saturday, June 12, 4:00 pm EST, 1:00 pm Pacific
12. **Ended** around 6:00 pm EST