

GREATER WESTERN USA REGION (REGION 2)

*Building relationships between
Adult Children, meetings, and Intergroups
in the western United States*

MINUTES 25 JUNE 2026

7 – 8:30 pm Pacific Time



Zoom ID: 892 0095 8890 Passcode Region2

Open with the ACA Serenity Prayer at 7:01 p.m. Pacific Standard Time.

Roll call – Present were: Roger, Jim, Carole, Pam, Marjia

Quorum: Met

Visitors: Al – SoCal IG, Courbet – Region 6

Minutes of 28 May 2026: Moved by Carole, Seconded by Roger, Minutes were approved

Officer Reports

Chair – Roger: No correspondence from WSO on copyright issue

Vice Chair – Vacant:

GWU Rep to WSO – Vacant:

Executive in Charge of the Entity – Carole: Will find out from bank how we transfer banking to someone else or add someone to the account to safeguard the treasury if the ECE becomes incapacitated, maybe a doctor's note or death certificate. Changing banks is not Carole's preference.

Treasurer – Jim: Not reflected on this report 6on ex \$1000 we donated last month 6on ex WSO International Literature Scholarship Fund; funds did not transfer until June

MAY 26, 2026 REPORT (always 1 month behind)

Opening Balance	5/1/2026	\$16,765.29
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Donations & Credits

e-Deposits	\$395.10	5/13/26
Zelle	0	
Donor Box	\$375.83	5/18/26
Total Credits	\$770.93	

Charges

Adobe	\$ 19.99	5/11/26
Zoom	\$219.90	5/18/26
Total Charges	\$239.89	

Total Balance	5/31/26	\$17,296.33
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Prudent Reserve

Required Minimum	\$ 500.00	
Additional Reserve	\$1,000.00	
Publishing Reserve	\$9,000.00	
Total Reserve		\$10,500.00
Disposable Balance	5/31/26	\$ 6,796.33

Recording Secretary – (Pam): *We need a new Recording Secretary*

Old Business – Committee Reports

Informational Technology – Website: Jim gwuregion.org

- Added items – Have done general maintenance and worked on donations page
- Traffic on website: Total visitors – 21,526; total views – 4852; past 30 days views – 498

Informational Technology – Zoom Accounts: Carole

- Our Zoom business account allows us to increase the number of groups we host as well as to have two meetings occurring at the same time

Database – Pam: To assist SoCal IG to reinvigorate their Intergroup, I amassed a database for them to reach out to about 84 ACA meetings in their area. In doing so, I found newly formed meetings that I added to our mailing database!

Newsletter –Vacant:

Special Events – Vacant (need Chair):

- Pam – Father’s Day Marathon with Region 5 – Went well; people shared once and then were silent for the rest of the day with focus only on Father which resulted in shutting down ½ hour early; considering having about 3 speakers per hour lined up in advance; also need to coordinate with Region 5 the roster of speakers, times, and states in which residing (confusion with 2 Joes from Northeast Region).
- Region 2 is considering mini-marathons of 6 hours in length for Halloween/Day of the Dead on November 1, a Sunday (Rational & Irrational Fear; Loved Ones Passed; Losses), Thanksgiving on November 26 (Attitude of Gratitude), and either Christmas (New Beginnings)

Literature – Brett or Carole

- Progress on editing Reparenting My Inner Child workbook: Chapters are being assigned to editors; the editing team meets on the last Friday of each month

Old Business

Copyright Issue

- Drafted a response to a WSO email dated 5/7/26; Sent 5/15/26; Tamara replied 5/26/26; no correspondence since then

Projects for using disposable balance? Carole moved, Roger seconded to table discussing these topics until next month; motion carried

- Scholarship fund to assist forming Intergroups and other Regions to form or establish their own websites?
- WSO Scholarship Fund

New Business

- Jim: Worldwide fellowship website and built-in message board – not a lot done on this yet; will bring costs of website (about \$300 a year) and research on costs of website message boards 7on ext meeting
- Courbet: Information from Region 6 – WSO gave them a one-month notice that Region 6 would be delisted from WSO website for not having a minimum of 3 affiliated Intergroups

Intergroup & Meeting Reports

Central Coast ACA (IG076) – Jim: Continuing to maintain growth; updating website; 2 new meetings in Morro Bay

Orange County – (IG 620) – Dan L: Absent

SoCal ACA (IG630) – Al T: Stephen has stepped down; Elisa is contacting meetings in Los Angeles area to join the Intergroup; Al is here in Elisa’s place to get an idea of what the Region does; we need to decide how to use Robert’s Rules of Order

5 Sacramento Meetings #CA1479 – Marjia: We are transitioning to holding business meetings on Zoom; had volunteers set up for Sacramento Convention, but the Convention was cancelled

Australia – Brett: Absent

Nevada – Andy: Absent

Washington State – Fr. Stephen: Absent

Region 6 – Courbet: Doing outreach to meetings without Intergroups or Regions; giving away 3 books; have monthly workshops for questions that is going well

Concerns – None

New Business for Next Month

- Need to define Zoom use policy

Motion to Adjourn: Carole moves, Roger seconds, motion carries

Close with the Serenity Prayer

Adjourned at: 8:30 pm

Next Meeting (last Thursday of each month): 30 July 2026 at 7:00 pm Pacific USA Time