



Sonoma Online NA Business Meeting
SEP 24, 2023

Sonoma Online NA Business Meeting Attendees:

X = in attendance

General Group Positions		Name	Date Position Started
x	Treasurer	Kelly	3/15/2020
x	GSR	LA	5/28/2023
	Secretary		

Noon Meetings									
Secretary				Co-Host			Literature		
DAY	(X)	Name	Date position Started	(x)	Name	Date Position Started	(x)	Name	Date Position Started
MON		Nicole	3-20-2023		none			Cindy	
TUE	x	Monica	1-31-2023		Richard	9/15/2023		Greg	10-1-2022
WED	x	Jeff	10-1-2022		none			Mae	10-1-2022
THU		Alan	5-1-2023	x	Zee	7-30-2023		Twila	
FRI	x	Monica (temp)		x	Steve C	7-21-2023		Cindy	7-1-2022
SUN 10am		Tawny	3-1-2023		Tracy L			Sam	7-30-2023

Secretary				Co-Host			Literature		
DAY	(x)	Name	Date Position Started	(x)	Name	Date Position Started	(x)	Name	Date Position Started
MON	x	Dana	4-1-2023		BK	10-18-2021		Dominique	7-17-2023
TUE	x	LA	12-13-2022		Janice	8-26-2023		Dominique	7-18-2023
WED	x	Steve	9/15/2023		Jenny	8-30-2023		Nicole B	8-30-2023
THU		Open		x	Tyler A	12-1-2022		Kathleen	
FRI		Chelie	5-1-2023		BK	?	x	Tyler C	6-24-2023
SAT	x	Nicolette	7-15-2023		Crysal K	8-5-2023		Dominique	7-1-2023
SUN	x	Jimmy B	4-15-2023		BK	?	x	Steve C	7-2-2023

Others in Attendance:

Urgent Business: none

Treasurer Report:

Treasures Report	
Total in EB Bank Account (Sources Venmo & PayPal)	\$180.98
Zoom fees to be paid for year through Sept 2024	\$0
Bank Fee	\$6.00
Prudent Reserve	\$100.00
Total available funds for contribution to Area	\$74.98
Motion to contribute available funds to SCFNA (Y/N)	N

GSR Report: See report



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See Report online at: <https://sonomaonlinena.org/service/service-meeting-notes>

- The area motion passed
- Newsletter winter theme is “fellowship” deadline is NOV 9th email newsletter@sonomacountyna.org
- Birthday on birthday list you can submit https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdOIQ6CXszSbaHarIIKX3ScjLUhwOH-TI8YR_R_-hMILE2yIlg/viewform
- Halloween Dance on Oct 29th in Cotati (see flyer online)
- Nov 3rd will be a Day of the Dead Celebration in 15010 Armstrong Woods Rd Potluck Guerneville
- There will be Marathon Meetings again this year in Cotati for Thanksgiving and Christmas.
- 12 Concepts & 12 Traditions service study on Zoom and in person.

Group Discussion:

Old Business:

- **Topic wheel –**
 - There is an existing wheel a member made: <https://wheelofnames.com/tgs-p66> (add as another link called “NA Wheel”)

Topic Wheel or Board

We use a topic wheel/board to select topics to share on. Please indicate that you would like to speak, then we will select a topic you may share on that, ask for another topic, or share on whatever recovery related topic you want.

[Link to Topic Wheel](#)

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- **Shorten the Secretary Script:** *Tabled to OCT*
Discuss if clarity statement should be added and what info can just be in the chat.

New Business:

- **What Co-Host should post in chat** Tabled to OCT
- **Prudent Reserve** – increase to \$300 (passed) funds will be held until new reserve limit is met.
- **OCT 29, 2023 (can we change to different night – it is SCFNA Halloween Dance** (except in October it will be the 4th Sunday on Oct 22nd)
- **Marathon Meetings:** Should we do any? 3 members would help, some members don’t think its necessary. There is another group that is also doing a marathon meeting. 5 yes; 3 no. Zee & Dana will be the coordinators. Kelly will email coordination stuff. Old Flyer approved with dates and times and code adjusted.



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- **Christmas Marathon meetings?** Tabled till Oct
- **Newsletter** – Group will gather input for the newsletter.
 - **Fellowship:** How do online meetings contribute to your experience of fellowship?
 - How do you foster an environment of fellowship?
- **WhatsApp group** – Some members of our group are in a WhatsApp group (it's an unofficial way that people have been communicating in between meetings).
 - Is this something that we want to adopt as a group.
 - People have different understanding of what it is to be used for.
 - There can be “admins” of a group.
 - WhatsApp can be useful for newcomers to help them get connected.
 - If we do a WhatsApp group officially then we need to have some kind of guidelines around it.
 - It can get chaotic with too many things
 - Why do we need it for our group?
 - People can get offended by content ...it's a lot on an admin
 - If it is public or tied to non-trusted servants, then it can cause problems
 - You have to be invited to the WhatsApp to join
 - If a bomber gets invited then its chaos
 - Good way to communicate with people overseas
 - Tool for fellowshiping not necessarily for group business
 - There is enough WhatsApp groups for people who need them

As a group we decided that we **do not** want an official WhatsApp group.

Business Meeting Secretary: The position is open. No nominations (tabled till Oct)