

PHILADELPHIA AREA INTERGROUP (PAIG) MEETING AGENDA – July 2, 2025

Preliminaries:

Meeting started at: 715 pm

Roll call / Sign-in sheet – done.

Establish a Quorum? (3 Board members & 8 Group reps)- yes

- **Upcoming Events: Save the dates!** (see event flyers @ <https://oa-phila.org/#events> and <https://oa.org/event-calendar/>)
- **Freedom From Bondage** – Sponsored by Quakertown's Fellowship of Hope meeting, Friday, July 4, 9:30-11:30am ET, Zoom Meeting ID: 859 3965 9369, Password: F3llowship
- **Women's Body Image Meeting: First Anniversary** – Tuesday, July 15, 2025, 6-7:30pm ET, in person at the Wissahickon Valley Public Library, 650 Skippack Pike, Blue Bell, PA. Room is down a hall marked "Staff Area" on the left
- **Working OA & Other 12 Step Fellowships** – Sunday, July 20, 2025, 1-3pm ET, Zoom Meeting ID: 840 8195 8572, Passcode: 803054
- **Program is Portable: We Can Travel Abstinently** – Sunday, July 20, 2025, 7-8:45pm ET, Zoom Meeting ID: 854 2208 6370, Passcode: 202356
- **World Service Convention** – Thursday, August 21, 2025 – Saturday, August 23, 2025, Renaissance Orlando at SeaWorld, 6677 Sea Harbor Drive, Orlando, FL. More information at: <https://oa.org/world-service-convention/>
- **Body Image Step Study** – 9 Tuesdays, October 21, 2025, through December 16, 2025, 7-8:30pm ET. Contact Michelle JB: (917) 250-8943 or John B: (914) 720-7785 to register. Free and on Zoom.

This Month's Principle (#7) in the Twelve Steps – HUMILITY - Debbie B shared

Intergroup Inventory

Do we set realistic short- and long-term goals? Had general discussion.

More formally address our goals, group fellowship meet up

Questions/Issues from Groups:

Celeste brought up Artificial Intelligence (AI) enhancements on Zoom meetings. Discussion followed. Suggested to turn off AI in Settings by logging into account at <https://zoom.us>

BOARD REPORTS:

Chairperson (Shari B): will present New Business

Vice Chairperson (Pat S): requested emails with group meeting changes.

Treasurer (Phil S): report Approved

- Previous Balance: \$ 7,553.25
- Total Income: \$ 229.84
- Expenses: \$ 512.76
- Bank Balance: \$ 7,270.33
- Operating Funds: \$ 5,910.33

Secretary (Natasha M): minutes sent out to PAIG's Google group. Approved

World Service and Region 7 Reports:

WSBC Delegate A (Trish M):

On Conference Literature committee; working on secular daily reader

Region 7 Rep C (Natasha M):

On the 12th Step Within / Intergroup Renewal committee; a new combined group and statement of purpose

Proposed policy manual motion for 2025 Fall Assembly (1st weekend of October)

Committee Reports

AWARE (Chris N):

Aware has been sent out and posted to PAIG's website. Includes several workshops/meetings

World Service website's online "Find a Meeting" feature needs updating. WSO is asking for contributions. There is a flyer you can download to take to your meetings.

New PI/PO link podcast available

Program (Jean M):

Excused

Retreat 2025 (Chris N):

Retreat Planning Committee meets once a month

Finalized workshop topics

Registration details published in the **AWARE** and will be available on July 4, 2025

Start talking at your meetings about baskets each group may want to donate for the retreat raffle. These are fundraisers for retreat scholarships

Price has decreased from \$270 to \$250.00 (Retreat Treasury Fund is subsidizing the difference

Scholarships are available. Apply using the registration form on PAIG's website

PI/PO (Alice P):

No ads in papers during the summer (many people are traveling). Will start again in the Fall

Still putting up the sheets with the tear-offs in approved locations locally

Speaker List (Laura L):

Just took over for Maureen. No new requests but available for anyone who wants a copy

Communications (Ed Mc):

2 outreach calls in June and 2 calls in July- following up

Web (Shari):

All flyers and AWARE have been posted to PAIG's website. Contact Shari with anything that needs to be posted.

7th Tradition:

Donations via PayPal: treasurer@oa-phila.org

OLD BUSINESS:

No old business

NEW BUSINESS:

Reviewed “A Step Ahead News” on WSO’s website (<https://oa.org/news/>). More resources available

Closed with Serenity Prayer

Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm

Next meeting: **Wednesday, August 6, 2025 (7:15-8:45 pm)**

Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/3477212196>

Meeting ID: 347 721 2196 Password: 724462

Dial In: 1 301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 347 721 2196#