

Preview of the Area Committee Meeting
July 2015

There was lots of loving discussion this month as the three housekeeping motions from the June ACM were presented as new business. Those motions were as follows:

- That Archive Committee purchase a desk, not to exceed \$300
- That the BTG Committee implement a pilot program offering short term correspondence with certain prison inmates, similar to the GSO program for long term correction correspondence, using the BTG P.O. Box to facilitate inmate volunteer communication. The pilot program is to be evaluated by the committee after an initial six month trial period.
- That CNCA purchase Quick Books on line plus services at a cost not to exceed \$40 per month

These will be items of Old Business at the next ACM. Doug R. had two surprises for us. First was a special visitor, Mrs. Kuniko I., Past World Service Meeting Delegate (Japan) & Past Regional Trustee, and the second surprise was that he is now serving as an Appointed Committee Member on the Trustees' Literature Committee. And then we all got to sing Alcoholics Anonymous happy birthday and celebrate 80 years of happy, joyous and free by eating cake. Cake with Big Book Blue frosting on it. Looking forward to seeing some of you in Atlanta, Georgia. But most of all, I am looking forward to the summer Assembly right here in Petaluma Ca.

In service and gratitude,
Joann L.
Panel 65 CNC Area Chair

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