

December 2025 Meeting Minutes: SWFLOA Intergroup

Call To Order: 10:35 a.m. by Jodi S (acting chair) with the Serenity Prayer

Dec. Agenda: Approved with the addition of Holly M as Secretary

Nov. Minutes: Approved with dates of the Region 8 conference in Charlotte corrected to Mar 13-15

Roll Call: 10:42 a.m.

Present: Elva B, Jodi S, Alice H, Bonita K, Carol F, Roz M, Roz S, Sharon W, Bob W, Tom L, Holly M

Not Present: Janice S, Cherie M, Peggy H, Gil P

Visitors: Pat H, Lynne K

12 Concepts: Concept 12 was read in its entirety

Officer/Committee Reports:

Chair: VACANT (JODI S and CAROL F, presently acting-co-chairs, are seeking service volunteers)

Vice-Chair: VACANT (We are seeking service volunteers for all vacant positions)

Secretary: HOLLY M Outgoing secretary Pat H thanks Peggy H and Holly M for their help. Incoming secretary Holly M thanks Pat H for her generous service, including collected minutes for the past 5 years' meetings and supplies, and Carol F for her help with these minutes. Pat H adds that she has our sobriety chips/coins that she can send to those marking time in recovery or give to another IG member to keep/send.

Treasurer: ALICE H We started November with \$6,722.49. Received donations from 3 meetings totaling \$245. Expenses included \$39.98 for storage unit rental, and \$107.88 for Blue Host for our website, totaling \$147.86. As of Nov 30, our accounts total \$6,819.63. The greater amount of our funds is allocated: \$500 for PIPO/Literature Fund, \$1,000 for Retreat Scholarship Fund, \$200 for Prudent Reserve, and \$3,000 for WSO/Region 8 Rep Expenses. These 4 areas total \$4,700. The remaining balance for other expenses is \$2,119.63. Pat H asked if we should suspend the reserve for Retreat Scholarships; after discussion, this passed 9 Aye, 0 Nay, 1 Abstain. Report accepted as amended. IG Members: Contact Alice H or Carol F if you have not received the Nov treasurer's reports via email.

Region 8: ROZ S Notes that 2 of our members attended the excellent Nov Service Workshop. R8 is seeking unaffiliated meetings to invite into our region. IG Members: Roz S's report has been forwarded to us via email; contact Carol F if you have not received it.

WSO: VACANT (We are seeking service volunteers for all vacant positions)

12 Steps Within: VACANT We are asking to use the **Friday 4:00 p.m. meeting** (hosted by Gil P) for **12 Step Within Day on 12/12/25: ZOOM ID 334 897 618, Password 509290**. There are also other 12/12 events posted on the schedule at OA.org. Please share this info with our meetings and aim to reach out to newcomers, absent, and returning members on the 12th of each month.

PI/PO: BONITA K Actively seeking more forums for distributing info about OA to the public.

Website Manager: CAROL F 239-560-1156 No report.

Zoom Administrator: NANCY C New position and service volunteer. Researching Zoom master setting recommendations from other service bodies to make our meetings safer from “Zoom bombers” and other disruptions. Carol F proposed Nancy C give a progress report; vote passed.

Meeting Reports (IG Reps):

Sunday 6:30 pm: Well-attended meeting, especially Speaker week (Tom L)
Monday 10:45 am: Rep could not attend IG this month (Janice S)
Monday 6:00 pm: Could use support, as only 0-3 people logged on in recent weeks (Roz M)
Tuesday 10:00 am: Needs IG Rep (VACANT)
Tuesday 5:00 pm: Nice core group, 3-5 regulars, with many newcomers and visitors (Holly M)
Wednesday 8:15 am: Regular 8-10 attendees (Bob W)
Wednesday 10:00 am: Big Book meeting, going well (Elva B)
Wednesday 12:30 pm: Face-to-face meeting (Naples), 10-15 attendees (Jodi S for Cherie M)
Wednesday 1:30 pm: Well-attended Big Book meeting, 6-8 regulars
Thursday 10:30 am: “Little but mighty,” averaging 5-6 (Sharon W)
Thursday 4:00 pm: Well-attended Big Book Step Study (Roz M)
Friday 4:00 pm: Rep could not attend IG this month (Gil P)
Friday 5:30 pm: Face-to-face meeting (Naples), thriving with returning snowbirds (Roz M)
Saturday 9:00/9:30 am: Rep could not attend IG this month (Peggy H)
Saturday 1:30 pm: Face-to-face meeting (Cape Coral), averaging 2-5 members (Jodi S)

Old Business:

Zoom Account: Added Nancy C as new Zoom Administrator, researching and overseeing SWFLOA Zoom account and potential changes to master settings to secure/streamline mtgs.

Electronic Donations: Alice H and Pat H reviewed our history with payment apps and noted that our bank will not connect with these outside apps, which it finds neither secure nor reliable.

Please discuss with our meetings and report back in January. Meanwhile encourage meeting members and visitors to keep donations local and to steer out-of-country donors to OA.org.

New Business:

Nancy C is being asked to report on Zoom administration and any suggested changes.

Carol F will get info from OA.org on a detailed Service Pamphlet we discussed.

We will discuss/vote on possibly increasing the seed money we give to start-up new meetings.

Good and welfare: Please keep in your prayers Bonita (eyes), Peggy and Frank (health issues)

Adjourned: 11:27 a.m. by Jodi S (acting chair) with Serenity Prayer

**Next SWFLOA IG Meeting:
Saturday, January 3, 2026, at 10:35 am.
Carol F (acting chair)**