

GROUP CONSCIENCE: A DESIGN FOR LIVING INTERGROUP

Sunday 7^h September 2025, 8.20am – 8.45am

Via ZOOM Meeting

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www.ad4l.info

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(Co Chair Stef or Michael is available to answer any questions at above email)

All members are welcome to attend the monthly Group Conscience. It is set for the first SUNDAY of the month after the regular AD4L meeting.

8:30am – 9:15am

Present:

Executive Committee:

Co Chair: Stef & Michael

Intergroup Rep:

Co-Treasurers: Joanne
Nikki

Service Positions:

Minute Taker: Linda

Group Members Present: Joanne, Stef, Linda C, Robyn, Brendon W, Tali, Nikki T, Carolyn, Julie Anne, Michael L, Hana B, Lee-Anne, Traci G, Voilet F, Ali, Caro, Joanne, Sim, Sue M.

The meeting was opened by Co Chair Michael L with the reading of the Serenity Prayer and by Nikki T reading Tradition.

1. **Previous Minutes** – Acceptance of draft minutes from the August Group Conscious

- a. **MOTION:** The minutes from the August Group Conscious Meeting be accepted as submitted.

Moved: Michael L **Seconded:** Nikki T

MOTION CARRIED

2. **Reports**

a. **Chair Report**

Report: Michael L
See report below.

b. **Treasurer Report**

Report: Nikki, Joanne
See report below.

MOTION: To donate \$1,278.55 AUD to world service OA

Moved: Joanne **Seconded:** Stef

MOTION CARRIED

c. Virtual Region Report

Report: None

d. Special Event Committee

Report: None

3. General Business:

A. Service Position Description:

Robyn presented report: Committee met and discussed abstinence requirements changes, wording changes.

The committee will meet again next month.

B. Virtual Region Open House October 24/25th

Mini convention – With Workshops, Speaker meetings

AD4L will be assisting in service at this event

Meeting closed with OA Promises by Michael L

Chair Report

Welcome to this month's AD4L Group Conscience Meeting – thank you all for being part of this community.

UPDATES & REVIEW

Following up from the August Group Conscience, the meeting format was updated to reflect the agreed Set Aside Prayer. This has been distributed to all meeting leaders and the website has been updated.

We are also updating formats and scripts to reflect the term “meeting leader” consistently.

Since last month, a special committee has also been reviewing the AD4L "Position Descriptions" document (available from the resources page of our website). Our service roles have grown over the years, and the technology has changed. This review is aimed at reflecting more accurately the roles as they currently are and to support new members interested in learning more about service at AD4L.

All proposed updates are currently being reviewed by AD4L volunteers and will be brought forward for formal discussion at next month's Group Conscience meeting.

NEWS FROM VIRTUAL REGION

AD4L is participating in Virtual Region OA "Open House" this October.

We are excited to explore AD4L's participation, as it is an opportunity to introduce (or reintroduce) members of VR to our daily AD4L meetings and support our service work in carrying the message to a wider OA community.

SPEAKER SERIES

Our Speaker Series will conclude at the end of this year. A special thank you to Joanne for guiding us through the Big Book each month!

In the coming months, we'll discuss ideas for special meetings and events in 2026, including a possible Marathon. We'd love to hear your thoughts and input as we plan the next chapter of this journey.

COMMUNITY

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who shows up in service and helps carry the message, as well as to all who attend our daily meetings. We encourage you to spread the word about AD4L and invite others who may benefit from what we offer.

Yours in Service,
Michael & Stef

AD4L Treasurers Report 6th SEPTEMBER 2025 (all Currencies are in AUD \$):

Below you will find the report for the September Group Conscience. AD4L received **\$720.25** (net of PayPal Withdrawal Fee) in contributions. On behalf of our Fellowship, our sincerest gratitude to everyone who continues to support AD4L.

Our available funds for donation is **\$1278.55**. As this amount is now over one thousand AU dollars our Group Conscience is to now bring it to a vote this month to consider making a donation to OA.ORG.

NOTE: AD4L maintains 2 reserve amounts: Annual World Service Business Conference (\$3500AUD); and the annual ZOOM Administration Reserve (\$850AUD).

Yours in gratitude and service: Jo B, Nikki M

6th SEP 2025, in AUD \$\$			
Available CASH on 2nd AUG, 2025			558.30
Plus	Income	PayPal-Contributions*	680.25
		Donations to bank acct	40.00
		Bank Interest	-
		Other	-
Less	Expenses	Zoom	-
		Website	-
		Donations**	-
		Bank fees	-
		Other	-
Available CASH on 6th SEP, 2025			1,278.55
		Prudent Reserve	850.00
		World Service Business Conference Reserve	3,500.00
		Other Reserve	
Total CASH Including Reserves on 6th SEP, 2025***			5,628.55

*Amount shown is net after PayPal Withdrawal Fees

**Donation made through PAYPAL and amount listed includes Transaction Fee

***All of which is in Bendigo Bank Account at time of writing