LGBTQ Liaison Report

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The purpose of the Southern California Regional Narcotics Anonymous LGBTQ Committee is to supply outreach services to help the LGBTQ suffering addict feel part of the life-saving fellowship of Narcotics Anonymous. By Following our traditions, our outreach services will be inclusive of all suffering addicts. Anyone may join us, regardless of age, race, sexual identity, creed, religion, or lack of religion.

LGBTQ Directory

- We do have 11 LGBTQ 15 NON-LGBTQ for a total of 26 TOTAL, some in person and some of the Virtual Platform.
- We are working on A LGBTQ Directory like the youth directory on the regional website LGBTQ is working on the same as a committee. We are trying to add any groups that may have an active Attendance of LGBTQ members. If you would like to be added, this is not changing any tags in the region, just adding to another directory, So please contact me if your group would like to be added.

"NA PRIDE" Newsletter

- We are looking for submission of stories poems for Newsletter which we have voted for the name of "NA Pride" You Can Submit your stories for the Southern California Region LGBTQ "NA Pride" Newsletter to <u>nalgbtqnews@googlegroups.com</u> Submissions can be anonymous as well
- I saw the mockup of the newsletter. We have some submissions, so we are looking for more we would love to add on and make it big for the first newsletter
 - There some edits; we are still going through some stories to check grammar
- The Newsletter will be a pdf on the Southern California regional website that possible may be printed out

Dance and Speaker for June 26th "Coming Out" of Quarantine

- Is in the process of obtaining Location and Zoom Id. It will be a hybrid meeting which will start at 5 pm -7 pm with three speakers who we are on the hunt for, so if you would like to be a part of that, go ahead and reach out to me about the Dance and actually event will start at 3 pm- 5 pm From 5 pm to 7 pm the speaker portion will start.
 - From the information I have gathered at this moment, it will be no entrance fee, just a suggested contribution. There will be a few tables and chairs are available for pop-ups, but you are suggested to bring chairs of your own and pop-ups if needed.

LGBTQ PR

- There is talk of a proposal for the region to put flyers of NA on city bus benches in the LA county area; there is some feedback about having the city emblem on the same bench P R will sending reps. to gain more information
- If There are any LGBTQ events/organizations, you may know about or would like to reach out to spread Gift of Narcotics Anonymous

So. Cal Region Convention

• LGBTQ Is going to attend a committee meeting to see if the possibility of having a booth to Spread the rainbow message of recovery to all addicts is still up in the air but stated that having a slot somewhere throughout the event would not be a problem just a matter of when.

Southern California Regional LGBTQ Committee, in unity with The Paradise Strong Book Study Group of NA, presents "Sandwich" went great. We had a 30-35 group in attendance, and the story of "Sandwich" was a blessing to hear.

Upcoming Events

Next Service Works Will be on July 10th from P R & Websites. P R will be presenting information about how .to run a hybrid meeting best.

More information to come

SoCal LGBTQ NA committee Presents **on Saturday, June 26**^{th,} "Coming OUT" of Quarantine.

Dance from 3 pm to 5 pm PDT Speaker from 5 pm to 7 pm PDT

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