IEFNA LGBTQ Liason Report 8/10/2024

<u>Chair Report</u> - Celita G.- attended SCRAW and participated in Gender-Neutral Language topic. She'll also be attending WSLD to speak on Gender-Neutral Language.

<u>Vice Chair Report</u> - Jay M.- discussed Halloween event. Event filer was approved by activities - He will not be able to make it to the activities meeting. Hes asking if someone could attend the activities committee. It will be the 1st Wed of the month at 7pm @ RSO.

Secretary Report - Amber R.(filling in for Marc)- Quorum was met.

<u>Treasurer Report</u> - David A (Not present)

<u>LGBTQ Area Liason Positions</u> - VACANT : Area DE Habla Hispana Sur De California, Desert Empire, Eastern Sierra, Greater Los Angeles, North East Los Angeles, Santa Clarita, West End & Bay cities.

Westside - Eren H. - Volleyball event - The monthly Westside NA volleyball game is on the 2nd Sunday of every month: Sept 15 (TBD). Volley court area in front of 2600 Ocean Front Walk, Venice (Look for the big white flag).

OC - Jennifer C. - Aug 24th 2024 will be OC Unity Day. Doors open at 6pm, speaker meeting from 7:30 to 9:00pm and the dance starts at 9:00pm. Sept 14, 2024 will be the PRBQ. From 11am till 3pm with the speaker meeting starting at 12:30pm.

SFV - Ross H. - Has a New monthly meeting, 1 hour meeting, 3 hour dance - Kickoff Fundraiser @ 21210 Erwin Street, Woodland Hills Sat September 7th 4 - 8:00 pm

South Coast - Michelle D. - Chilli Cook off in October - Meeting last Wed of every month where there is food/BBQ.

Southern Antelope Valley - Debra R - Sept 2nd Labor day picnic/raffle/food \$5 food. Mon 7pm. LGBTQ meeting needs speakers - Please call (661) 405-9209 or angels4debra99@yahoo.com

Northern Counties - Garret L.- Working on promoting our committee with others, especially with Men's Stag Meeting, (would like to start LGBTQ meeting - requesting a mentor).

LGBTQ Committee Liaison - VACANT COMMITTEE POSITIONS: Activities, Convention, Cruise, Phone lines Website, Youth.

PR - Ralph U. - PR event weekend of Regional convention in Anaheim. Also please let Ralph know if there are any Recovery centers that need a literature rack.

Event in Oct 26, 2024 "Clean and Spooky"
In need of a setup and teardown person - Need 2 speakers - 1 ally and 1 queer - Rose G (909)524-6626 is handling speakers - contact her if you have any suggestions. Motion passed to approve to print Fliers.

Spanish Speaking Convention- Amber R (424)558-4654 - Requesting readers for LGBTQ meeting 7 readers for Sept 27- 10pm and also 7 readers Sept 28th - 3pm text Amber if interested

LGBTQ Spanish directory has been finished and is going to be printed.

SCRCNA workshop speakers from France- Our workshop will be Saturday Oct 12, 2024 at 11:30am - 1pm in room 204 SCRCNA45

Event Coordinator Position - We need a Co- Coordinator.

Next Meeting Sept 14, 2024 1-3pm Zoom ID 2021001953 Pw 232323 October meeting will not be Hybrid- Online only