

CNMI VIRTUAL MEETING

June 13, 2026

ATTENDANCE. Officers: Leslie, Chair; Deborah, WSBC Delegate

Committee Chairs: Mary, ECC; Sue M., Special Events; Erin, Young Adults; Trish, Newsletter.

Intergroup Reps: Sarah, Sunday 8:30 am; Laura, Monday 7 pm; Annamaria, Tuesday 12 noon; Afton, Wednesday 6 pm; Juliette, Wednesday 7 pm; Regina, Friday 11 am; Taylor, Saturday 11 am.

1. Opening – Leslie called the meeting to order at 9:00 am followed by the Serenity Prayer.

2. OA Readings

For Today – June 13	Sue M.
Step 6	Sarah

3. Introductions. Trish announced that our webmaster, Deb McDonald, passed away while on vacation. Mary said CNMI is still under contract for services. She will contact Deb's husband.

4. Agenda review – Leslie.

Mary moved that "OA-CNMI Digital Banking Report" submitted by Trish be discussed under Item VI, "Treasurer's Report" and that Item X, "CNMI Calendar," delete "May" items; include nominations for Board Elections in August.

Motion to accept the June 2026 CNMI meeting agenda as amended was passed.

5. Secretary Report – Kathy not present.

Motion to accept the May 2026 CNMI meeting minutes as submitted was passed.

6. Treasurer Report (position vacant; Leslie, Kathy, and Carol are performing Treasurer duties).

Mary reported that Intergroup has received 80% of its projected total of donations for 2026. Donations from the Twelfth Step Within group totaled \$242.11. Silent Retreat income, including registration fees and donations, now totals \$159. MaryLou, the SRPC treasurer, will be sending reports.

Mary pointed out an error in the May 2026 Expense Report. The \$742.75 that appears under "Donations" should appear under "Reps/Delegates – Region III" as reimbursement to Vivian, our regional rep, for expenses incurred attending the Region 3 Assembly.

Leslie made two deposits totaling \$261 to the CNMI bank account.

Motion to accept the May 2026 Treasurer report was passed.

Trish presented her "OA-CNMI Digital Banking Report." She met with an officer at the Juan Tabo branch of Bank of Albuquerque and asked him 1) what is required to add or remove individuals as signers on our account and 2) what are their digital wallet options. Her report included answers to these questions as well as information on debit cards for individual signers and digital banking technology. She discussed "FinTech," which enables customers to digitally access and manage their bank accounts and said she can schedule a demo of online banking features.

Treasurer Report - continued

Mary said if she had access to the bank account she could retrieve information and no longer have to rely on Kathy. Leslie said everybody who is a signer can review the bank accounts but not necessarily make transactions. She said she was told that CNMI has one main account with Bank of Albuquerque and that the Silent Retreat account is sub account of our main bank account. Sarah suggested moving forward with setting up online banking to simplify the Treasurer's job. Leslie said she is concerned with establishing our new Treasurer as a signer on the bank account. She was told by Sonia at Bank of Albuquerque that we can add signers to the account without having the other signers present.

7. World Service Business Conference Delegate – Deborah.

Deborah reported that she is on the "Unity With Diversity" committee as part of the "MOMA" ("Make OA More Accessible") subcommittee. She also said she needs to submit receipts for expenses incurred as delegate to this year's World Service Business Conference.

8. ECC – Mary.

Mary is working to identify the things she can do now that we no longer have Deb McDonald as our webmaster. This includes updating the meeting schedule, which she will attend to quickly. She said she received a document from Deb McDonald that contains codes, email addresses, and passwords. She will contact Pat O. and Avery Ainsworth, the people who set up our website, for assistance.

Leslie said she was given the name of someone who can provide website services. We have already paid Deb McDonald through August 2026. Mary said we have money set aside for webmaster services but we haven't yet paid it. Leslie suggested convening a committee to deal with website management issues. She and Mary will meet to discuss these issues.

9. Region 3 Representative – Vivian not present (submitted report).

- Region 3 Fall Assembly/Convention and retreat will take place in Glen Rose, TX, in November.
(Assembly will be November 5-6; retreat will be November 6-8.)
- Quarterly Relapse Prevention workshop – TODAY on Zoom.

10. CNMI Calendar of Activities – Leslie.

June	OA Bingo – Sunday, June 21, at Albuquerque Public Library – Central and Unser branch.
July	No activities.
August	Publication of nominations for Board elections (first notice). Make second round of scheduled contributions to WSO and Region 3. Sponsorship Day – third weekend in August. Reminder to apply for Regional Rep funding for Fall Region 3 Assembly and Convention.

11. New Business – Leslie.

Leslie made a motion that the September Intergroup meeting be moved to September 19 so as not to interfere with members' observance of Rosh Hoshana.

Motion to move September Intergroup meeting to September 19 was passed.

12. Intergroup Rep Reports.

Afton – Wednesday 6 pm virtual. Group is looking into obtaining a new Zoom account.

Juliette – Wednesday 7 pm in person. Group is sponsoring a “God box event” on Saturday, September 26, at the Unitarian Church on Carlisle Blvd. NE (group’s meeting place).

13. Committee Reports

Special Events - Sue M. OA Bingo event will be Sunday, June 21, from 2 pm to 4:30 pm, at Albuquerque Public Library – Central and Unser Branch, 8081 Central Ave. NW. She also announced a new meeting beginning July 2 in Rio Rancho. It will be in person, Thursday 1:30 pm, at the Mesa Club, 3301 Southern Blvd. SE (same location as Friday 5:45 pm meeting). The group hasn’t decided on the meeting’s focus.

Silent Retreat (Vanessa not present). Add MaryLou, SRPC treasurer, as signer on the Silent Retreat bank account.

Young Adults – Erin attended the Region 3 PI/PO committee meeting. The PI/PO committee is creating letterhead to use in contacting professionals. Erin plans to use this same letterhead to contact medical professionals in Las Cruces. She is still developing business cards with QR codes. She has questions about the “Power of We” logo (used in Spring 2026 Region 3 Assembly and Convention), as she would like to use it on the business cards her committee plans to distribute. She will discuss this with Deborah, our WSBC Delegate.

Newsletter - Trish does not have statistics regarding newsletter distribution since Deb McDonald provided those. She will meet with Mary to set up next month’s newsletter.

14. Cell Phone – Annamaria.

Total calls received May 10 through June 13, 2026, was 25. Of these, 2 were valid inquiries about OA, 3 were of unknown origin (responded to with texts directing callers to OA websites), and the remaining 20 were business solicitations.

Items for July 2026 CNMI meeting agenda:

Trish – gather information about “FinTech” digital banking services.

Mary – redefine / reassign website duties now that we are without a webmaster.

Leslie – contact individual she mentioned who provides website services.

15. Closing.

- a. Serenity Prayer.
- b. Meeting adjourned at 9:27 am.

Next meeting: Saturday, July 11, from 9 am to 10:45 am. Zoom ID: 869 7822 5089.

Respectfully submitted,

Annamaria, Acting Secretary