

## ACA ARCHIVES COMMITTEE TELECONFERENCE REPORT

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*Meetings held the first Thursday of each month at Noon Central USA*

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**Oral Histories:** Transcriptions for Claudia Black and Robin R. are being corrected. Marcia is doing background research in preparation for developing the questions to be used in the Oral History Interview with Kathleen S.

**ComLine Project:** Scott R. has been contacted and will gather material to send to the archives electronically. Back copies through 2010 are on the website. We are interested in finding copies from 1984-2010.

**Intergroup Archives:** Sally P. is starting to work with the archives of the Connecticut intergroup. This brings up the possibility of helping other intergroups get started with their own archives. We have heard that Ingrid D. is active in the New York intergroup, and Sarah O. is interested for New Jersey. Regions are forming as we speak and creating their archival material, which could be systematically kept if necessary.

We are interested in getting some input from the fellowship about their efforts with local archives, or their difficulties and needs along those lines. This committee could then decide if there are ways we could support those interested in this work. Some support possibilities would be offering committee membership to intergroup archivists, the creation of brochures or workshops to talk about archives, and making our own Otter.ai connection with Zoom available for oral history sessions. This could be done with support from the committee members who know how it is done.

Marcia will talk to the chair of the Intergroup and Region Subcommittees about joining their meeting to see if they have an interest in promoting this. Sally will create a letter for individual intergroups that the committee can work on at our next meeting. This might possibly introduce a survey to obtain information.

**Donations:** Larry T. brought in the Bear Facts Newsletters to the office in Signal Hill.

Anyone interested in participating in this committee should contact Marcia J. on Slack or at [archives@adultchildren.org](mailto:archives@adultchildren.org)