



Young Adults and ACA Teens Subcommittee of Member Services Committee

Under Fellowship & Public Engagement Collaboration Committee (FPECC)

June 2023 Monthly Report

Young Adults and ACA Teens Meets: 3th Thursday Monthly 2pm Eastern on Zoom 2: 87078928342 (321654)

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Young Adults and ACA Teens SC Purpose: We provide support to young adults and teens in their recovery from the consequences of the upbringing in the alcoholic and dysfunctional families to help them keep hope alive and see the ways of more healthy behavior. We believe this can give them chance to be their own people, who will be able not to repeat the abusive models they used to see from their early years.

Highlights:

- We are seeking help from members interested in:
 - A **co-chair** for subcommittee such as helping a chair with the meetings organization, subcommittee work planning and preparing the reports
 - A **secretary** for subcommittee meetings such as preparing the minutes, collecting the contacts of the regular members and informing
 - A **tech host** for subcommittee meetings such as calling on people with raised hands, help counting votes, sharing documents on screen that are being discussed
 - **Outreach** to groups and servants who are/were involved in the ACA Teen work to gather more up-to-date information and gain more help from the interested fellows

- In June Subcommittee was focused on the starting the regular meetings:
 1. There was made an announce of the restarting of the work of Subcommittee on Traveler
 2. Contacted the servants from Russia about the possibility to interview teens who already attend ACA Teens meetings
 3. Contacted the servant from Russia with 2 years of experience in organizing ACA Teens in Samara (the longest period in the country) with the idea to have regular meetings for servants all over the country
 4. There was held the first Subcommittee meeting after a long break.

- One of the main goals of SC work is preparing a program literature for the teens
- It is important to get the possible feedback to understand better how to attract teens to the ACA Teen meetings
- For success it is vital to build the trust between ACA Teen meetings organizers, teens and their parents
- For starting ACA Teen meetings the laundry list and the Bill of Rights are highly recommended



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- For more effective work it will be possibly helpful to collaborate other committees like Archives Committee and the Literature Committee
- It would be better to focus on the teens first as they are future young adults.

YAT SC meeting will be on Thursday, **July 20, 2023** at 2pm Eastern Time Zoom 2: 87078928342 (321654).