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Dear New Meeting Fellow Travelers,

Welcome to Greater East Bay ACA Intergroup #IG648! We are glad you are here and look forward to knowing you and doing service together in support of the fellowship.

You are now listed on the GEBACA website at gebaca.org/meetings. GEBACA lists only those meetings registered by the ACA World Service Organization.

Below is information we hope you find helpful. Please email Carmen B at <chairperson@gebaca.org> for questions or further information.

In Service,
GEBACA Intergroup

Intergroup Representatives

Each meeting is encouraged to send an Intergroup Representative (IGR), through group conscience, to the monthly Intergroup meeting. WE WELCOME YOU!! This level of service strengthens ACA as a whole and provides a greater connection for the meetings to the fellowship and vice-versa. Recovery requirements are one-year in ACA and being an active member of a home group. Each meeting decides the length of the service commitment. Service position responsibilities for the IGR are:

- . attend monthly Intergroup meetings
- . communicate information back from Intergroup to their meeting
- . share concerns, feedback and questions from their meeting to GEBACA
- . bring the fellowship Annual Business Conference proposals to the attention of the meeting

New Meeting Start-up Fund

Intergroup provides start-up funds of \$100 each for two new meetings, to those meetings that request this support. The funds may be used entirely for literature, or a 50/50 split between literature and general use, such as rent for in-person meetings. If your new meeting would like to request start-up funds, please contact Elizabeth W <treasurer@gebaca.org>.

Zoom Support

GEBACA provides zoom rooms to meetings and study groups (step study, traits and LPG) if there is a slot available at the desired time. There is no cost to the meeting or group for this service. To request a slot, please contact Jesse at <webmaster@gebaca.org>.

Literature

Literature orders for books and chips may be placed at <https://gebaca.org/literature-orders/>. Intergroup is able to provide a 10% discount on literature for Bay Area meetings and individual members. Payment is made via Venmo, Paypal, check or cash. (Make checks payable to GEBACA, Inc and mail to 2070 N Broadway #383, Walnut Creek, CA 94596.) Dean P will deliver in the Greater East Bay, usually by meeting halfway, and may be contacted at <literature@gebaca.org>. If you are outside the Greater East Bay area, please go <https://adultchildren.org/literature/> to place your order.

Insurance

Many in-person meetings are located in facilities that provide general liability insurance for groups that meet there, If the facility you meet in does NOT provide insurance for your meeting, GEBACA's Commercial General Liability Insurance Policy covers individual meetings for personal injury, property damage, and personal and advertising injury. For more information, contact Dean P at <literature@gebaca.org>.

Seventh Tradition Contributions to GEBACA

Meetings, groups and individual members may contribute to GEBACA via PayPal, Venmo and by check or money order at <https://gebaca.org/7th-tradition/>. New suggested guidelines for 7th Tradition contributions were adopted by the WSO Board of Trustees and approved by the conference delegates at the November 2022 Quarterly Delegate Meeting. For meetings that have an Intergroup and Region, the suggestion is 50% (of contribution) for Intergroup, 25% for Region and 25% for WSO. For more information, go to <https://adultchildren.org/comline/fellowship-news/new-guidelines-for-contributions-by-aca-groups-intergroups-regions/>.