MID-SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA 09 DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEMBER CHAIR REPORT

District 12 **DCMC**: Romy Starr

District Committee Meeting, First Thursday of every month

• Day/Time: December 2nd, 2021

7:00-7:30pm GSR School/Traditions and Concepts Workshop

7:30-9:00pm Business meeting

• Place: Zoom

Meeting ID: 820 3777 7884

Passcode (case sensitive): service12

District Info

• Number of active meetings/groups registered in District 12: 85

• Number of dark meetings in District 12: 87

• Number present at District Meeting: 51

District Highlights for the month of December:

Greetings from District 12! We welcomed two new GSRs to our D12 family! The Board gave its last reports of the Panel and we were able to highlight all that we have done together over the past 2 years. We kept our meetings and our spirit of service alive online, we continued to hold service events virtually, we contributed our surplus funds to GSO and Grapevine/La Vina, and as soon as we were able to gather together in person, we threw a huge Labor Day Picnic to showcase all that General Service can do! The Board also expressed extreme gratitude for the opportunity to be of service to District 12. We then heard a wonderful presentation by the Area Accessibilities Chair regarding the joint venture with CEC and Technology to make sure we are reaching everyone in this digital age! We got a Service Manual sneak peek and let all our GSRs know that we have print copies to give to them just as soon as we get back to our in-person meetings! Everyone is so excited! We are hoping to get back together in February 2022. Our Guest Speaker for the evening was Dean B, past Delegate for Area 08. He inspired us all to continue to be of service, and to rotate "on" and not "out". And he also reminded us that we are the successors to our founders; it's our responsibility to keep AA alive! Then we launched into a little holiday fun! We had a "best holiday outfit" contest as well as an AA memory tray game! A great time was had by all, and we awarded Grapevine 2022 wall calendars and AA books as prizes! We concluded the evening with a recitation of "Twas the Night Before Christmas, AA Style." Our Board and Committee Chairs took turns with the stanzas, and it was a lovely and moving conclusion to the meeting, to the year, and to Panel 70. It was the honor of my lifetime to serve District 12 as the DCMC, and I look forward to continuing my service to District 12 in the years to come!

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