Welcome OC AIS Board members. I am pleased to serve as the Board Chair for the 2023-2024 year, along with DJ K as the Co-Chair and Sarah G. as the Ex-Oficio.

The Al-Anon International was a huge success with close to 4,000 attendees. You may want to download recordings (at a cost) from https://www.walkthetalkrecordings.com/al-**anon-international-convention-06-30-07-02-2023-albuquerque-nm.** We are eagerly awaiting the arrival of our newest book- “A Little Time for Myself”. If you’re looking for a particular title, call the office first to confirm we have it. Office hours are as follows:

**Tue., Wed., Thurs., & Fri.  
9:30 am-1:30 pm**

**Saturday  
9:30 am-1:00 pm, 2:00-4:30 pm  
(Closed for Lunch from 1-2 pm)**

We strongly encourage purchasing literature from the OC office. Al-Anon loses revenue when it’s bought from online sellers’ websites. Al-Anon and Alateen must pay the third-party hosts for those websites, and in the process lose money.

The Office Oversight & Continuity Committee has been meeting regularly each month to help streamline operations and reporting structure. It is also rewriting the by-laws to conform to the proposed changes. The committee handles decisions regarding the office, so the Information Services Board and Meeting Reps can focus on local meetings, events, and 12th-step work.

The annual Holiday Alathon will be held on Saturday 12/9. Location to be determined. Volunteers needed. (**Questions? Text or call Lauren H at 714-376-4613)**

If the meetings you attend do not have an Information Services Rep (ISR), urge the members to serve. It’s a wonderful way to give back to the program and connect with folks from other meetings.

Looking forward to serving with you all

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