

ACA Teen & Young Adult Subcommittee (T&YA) April Report

April, 2020, Teen and Young Adult Subcommittee

We are slowly developing into an ACA resource clearinghouse for teens and young adults. We are gathering information and inviting speakers to share their experience. This helps with the development of ACA Teen and Young Adult meetings. We are seeking fresh ideas on the monthly subcommittee teleconference.

We are operating around central questions.

- ❖ What do we need to make the ACA program known - or better known - among teens and young adults?
- ❖ How can we attract teens and young adults to ACA?
- ❖ How can we be of assistance to teens and young adults?

Every 3rd Wednesday of the month 6pm UTC/2pm ET

<https://zoom.us/j/446358110>

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- Created the report for the ABC 2020.
- From March our subcommittee is called ACA Teen, and Young Adult.
- The writing team is in the final stage of the trifold for teens.
- We have sent in our trifold for the ABC/AWC and other ACA conventions, describing what the Subcommittee does.
- We have sent in our yearly Subcommittee report for the ABC binder.
- In our monthly subcommittee call we reached a group conscience for creating an ACA Teen Meeting Format.
- After the ABC the working group started with the development of the ACA Teen Format.
- An ACA member who is facilitating teen meetings, is offering to give training for ACA members who would like to step up and support teen meetings.
- ACA Teen and Young Adult Subcommittee is looking for speakers (people involved or have been involved with ACA young people meetings) for the monthly Subcommittee calls.
- ACA Teen and Young Adult Subcommittee is looking for people who can draw simple and recognizable characters, toons, drawings etc, for young people.

- The Subcommittee is looking for ACA members who are working with children and young people like teachers, child and teen psychologists, therapists, counselors or others.
- A Teen Sponsorship document is under review.
- ACA Teen and Young Adult is looking for ACA members who would like to work with teens and are willing to get a background check.
- A regular ACA adult meeting, intergroup or region is encouraged to sponsor an ACA Teen meeting by providing funds for ACA literature and rent and any other expenses that may be needed to assist the ACA teen meeting.
- Keeping in touch with ACA teens to further collaborate with us for future projects.

Our next meeting is May 20, 2020 - 6 pm (20:00) UTC

For questions, please email: youngadults.teens@adultchildren.org

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