

2026 Yearly Meeting Business Agenda-SCYM

Thursday April 2th, 2026

6:45pm-8:00pm Business Meeting 1

1. Opening Worship
2. Welcoming and Recognition of Indigenous Lands for all of SCYM
3. Reading from State of Meeting Reports - YM Worship
4. Introduction of Clerks Table and Review of Agenda
5. Introduction of SCYM staff
6. Introductions of Tech Support
7. Introduction of Visitors - Clerk
8. Call for Friends to Create the SCYM 2026 Epistle
9. Preliminary Nominating Committee Report
10. Preliminary Treasurer's Report & Budget Presentation
11. Representative Reports:
 - a. Louisiana Interfaith Conference
 - b. Texas Impact
 - c. Right Sharing of World Resources
 - d. Quaker Religious Education Collaborative (QREC)
 - e. Austin Tan Circa de la Frontera
 - f. Friends Peace Teams
12. Announcements
13. Epistle Reading – YM Worship
14. Closing Worship

Friday April 3, 2026

9:00am-10:15am Business Meeting 2

1. Opening Worship
2. Reading from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship – YM Worship
3. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session - Clerk
4. Introduction of Visitors - Clerk
5. Call for Friends to Create the SCYM 2026 Epistle
6. Representative Reports (continued)
 - a. American Friends Service Committee
 - b. Friends Committee on National Legislation

- c. Friends General Conference
 - d. Friends for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender & Queer Concerns
 - e. Friends Peace Teams
 - f. Friends World Committee for Consultation
7. Announcements
 8. Epistle Reading – YM Worship
 9. Closing Worship

6:45pm-7:45pm Business Meeting 3

1. Opening Worship
2. Reading of an excerpt from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship - YM Worship
3. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session - Clerk
4. Representative Reports (cont):
 - a. Quaker Earthcare Witness
5. YM Committee Reports
 - a. Finance Committee
 - b. Youth Program Support
 - c. Ministry & Care
 - d. YM Worship Committee
 - e. Communications
 - f. Technology Events
 - g. Yearly Meeting Planning Committee
 - h. Archivist
 - i. [Procedures Manual Coordinator](#)
6. Announcements
7. Epistle Reading - YM Worship
8. Closing Worship

Saturday April 4th, 2026

9:00am-10:45am Business Meeting 4

1. Opening Worship
2. Reading from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship - YM Worship
3. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session
4. YM Committee Reports (cont):
 - a. Faith & Practice

- b. Peace & Justice Committee Report
5. Announcements
6. Epistle Reading - YM Worship
7. Closing Worship

2:45pm-5:15pm Business Meeting 5

1. Opening Worship
2. Reading from State of Meeting Reports - YM Worship
3. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session
4. Treasurer's Report with proposed budget for approval
5. Committee Reports (continued)
 - a. Registrar's Report - Denise Wilkinson and/or Tom Taber
6. Other Business:
 - a. Updates from any other SCYM groups or events
 - b. Any additional business
7. First Reading of 2026 SCYM Epistle
8. Announcements
9. Epistle Reading - YM Worship
10. Closing Worship

Sunday, April 5, 2026

9:00am-10:30am Business Meeting 6

1. Opening Worship
2. Reading from State of Meeting Reports - YM Worship
3. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session(s)
4. Nominating Committee Report
5. South Central Yearly Meeting State of the Meeting Report
6. Youth Program Report - Coordinator
7. Reading and approval of 2026 SCYM Epistle and Young Friends Epistle
8. Memorial Minutes & Minutes of Celebration
9. Minutes of Appreciation
10. Announcement of 2026 RM: November 20-21, 2026 (Online)
11. Announcement of 2027 YM: March 21-24, 2027 (Online); March 25-28, 2027 at Greene Family Camp.

12. Closing Worship