

2025 Yearly Meeting Business Agenda-SCYM

Thursday April 17th, 2025

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

1. Welcoming and Recognition of Indigenous Lands for all of SCYM
2. Reading from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship
3. Introduction of Clerks and Review of Agenda
4. Introduction of Visitors
5. Introduction of SCYM staff
6. Introductions of Tech Support (Kevin King, Edwin Campbell, Chris Drexler, Liz Wolff)
7. Call for Friends to Create the SCYM 2025 Epistle
8. Preliminary Nominating Committee Report
9. Preliminary Treasurer's Report & Budget Presentation
10. Representative Reports:
 - a. Louisiana Interfaith Conference
 - b. Texas Impact – Joanna Vaughn
 - c. Quaker Earthcare Witness
 - d. Right Sharing of World Resources
 - e. Quaker Religious Education Collaborative (QREC)
 - f. Austin Tan Circa de la Frontera
11. Discuss FGC Lawsuit and lack of process to make decisions on similar issues.
12. Adhoc committee on Quaker Revitalization.
13. Announcements
14. Epistle Reading
15. Closing Worship

Friday April 18, 2025

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

1. Reading from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship
2. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session
3. Introduction of Visitors
4. Call for Friends to Create the SCYM 2025 Epistle
5. 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
6. Announcements
 7. Epistle Reading
 8. Closing Worship

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

1. Reading of an excerpt from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship
2. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session
3. YM Committee Reports
 - a. Ministry & Care
 - b. YM Worship Committee
 - c. Communications
 - d. Technology Committee
 - e. Yearly Meeting Planning Committee
 - f. Archivist
 - g. Ad hoc Procedures Manual Committee
4. Announcements
5. Epistle Reading
6. Closing Worship

Saturday April 19th, 2025

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

1. Reading from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship
2. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session
3. Committee Reports (continued)
 - a. Peace & Justice Committee Report
 - b. Faith & Practice
4. Announcements
5. Epistle Reading
6. Closing Worship

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

1. Reading from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship
2. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session
3. Treasurer's Report with proposed budget for approval: Bill Wilkinson
 - a. Faith and Practice, not to exceed amount
4. Committee Reports (continued)
 - a. Youth Program Support
5. Registrar's Report
6. Other Business:
 - a. Updates from any other SCYM groups or events
 - b. Any additional business
7. First Reading of 2025 SCYM Epistle
8. Announcements
9. Epistle Reading
10. Closing Worship

Sunday, April 20, 2025

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

1. Reading from State of Meeting Reports, Opening Worship
2. Review of Agenda and action items from previous session
3. Nominating Committee Report
4. South Central Yearly Meeting State of the Meeting Report
5. Youth Program Report
6. Reading and approval of 2025 SCYM Epistle and Young Friends Epistle
7. Memorial Minutes & Minutes of Celebration
8. Minutes of Appreciation
9. Announcement of 2025 RM: November 21-22, 2025 (Online)
10. Announcement of 2026 YM: March 29-April 1, 2026 (Online); April 2-5, 2026 at Greene Family Camp
11. Closing Worship