

Welcome to
**OUR MOSTLY AGNOSTIC
GROUP OF DRUNKS**
Zoom Meeting!

HOST- RED

BACKUP DANCER - BLUE

CLOCK MASTER – GREEN

MAGIC MARKER - PURPLE

SCRIPT TEXT – BLACK

BACKUP DANCERS MUST HAVE CERTAIN SETTINGS ENABLED IN THEIR ZOOM CLIENTS. PLEASE REFER TO THE END OF THIS SCRIPT

**DOWNLOAD THE CURRENT SCRIPT FROM THE LAUNCHPAD
CHOOSE ONE PERSON TO READ THE PREAMBLE AND ANOTHER TO
READ THE RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT ONCE PARTICIPANTS
ENTER THE ROOM. INFORM THE MAGIC MARKER.**

**DOWNLOAD THE CURRENT SCRIPT, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND
ATTENDANCE SLIPS FROM THE LAUNCHPAD.**

- **BEFORE ADMITTING ANYONE, START SCREEN SHARE AND
CHECK THE “SHARE SOUND” BOX AND MAKE SURE “OPTIMIZE**

An AA group will be judged by the worst behavior of its members.

FOR VIDEO CLIP” ARE CHECKED. SHARE YOUR BROWSER SCREEN THEN STOP THE SCREEN SHARE.

- **SET THE CHAT SETTINGS TO “HOST and CO-HOST ONLY”**
- **CHANGE YOUR NAME TO “BACKUP DANCER - your name”**
- **OPEN THE ROOM FOR TRUSTED SERVANTS AT 6:45 ET**
- **GIVE CO-HOST PRIVILEGES TO THE CAST AS THEY ARRIVE. ADD THEIR ROLE TO THE BEGINNING OF THEIR NAME. E.G. “BACKUP DANCER – name”**
- **START ADMITTING PARTICIPANTS ONLY WHEN YOU HAVE A BOUNCER OR ANOTHER CAST MEMBER WHO CAN BOUNCE FOR YOU.**
- **AT MEETING TIME, CLICK ON ‘MUTE ALL’, THEN UNCHECK ‘ALLOW PARTICIPANTS TO UNMUTE THEMSELVES’**
- **SCREEN SHARE INTRO**
- ***ONCE THE INTRO BEGINS, SPOTLIGHT THE HOST***
- **WHEN INTRO STOPS, END SCREEN SHARE**

Good evening everyone, my name is _____ and I’ll be your alcoholic HOST this evening. Welcome to Our Mostly Agnostic Group Of Drunks, located in beautiful downtown Orlando, Florida. We meet in Orlando every Tuesday and Saturday in-person, and here on Zoom every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 7 PM Eastern Time, 4 PM Lazy Time.

This is an *OPEN meeting* of Alcoholics Anonymous. *Anyone* may attend an OPEN meeting, including those who have problems other than alcohol. Because of this, the group asks that we focus on the *solution* rather than the problem. I’d like to introduce you all to my backup dancer this evening. Say Hi, (**BACKUP DANCER**)!

- **ADD SPOTLIGHT ON YOU – STAY SPOTLIGHTED**
- **INTRODUCE YOURSELF**
- **PREPARE PREAMBLE FOR SCREEN SHARE**
- **PREPARE TO UNMUTE PREAMBLE PARTICIPANT**

Let's start with a moment of silence to focus on why we're here.

- **OBSERVE ABOUT 10 SECONDS OF SILENCE *TO GIVE THE (BD) TIME TO PREPARE THE SCREEN SHARE.***

Thank you. I've asked _____ to read the AA Preamble

- **SCREEN SHARE PREAMBLE. - MAKE SURE "SHARE SOUND" IS CHECKED, AND OPTIMIZE FOR VIDEO CLIP IS CHECKED**
- **UNMUTE PREAMBLE PARTICIPANT**

In Alcoholics Anonymous we share our experience, strength and hope with each other that we may solve our common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. There are no dues or fees for A.A. membership; we are self-supporting through our own contributions. A.A. is not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, organization, or institution; does not wish to engage in any controversy, neither endorses nor opposes any causes. Our primary purpose is to stay sober and help other alcoholics to achieve sobriety.

- **MUTE PREAMBLE PARTICIPANT**

Thanks _____. Okay, it's time for our group's announcements:

- **CLICK ON PREAMBLE TO SCREEN SHARE WEBSITE**

If you are new to our meeting or secular AA in general, I'd like to direct your attention to our group's website, O-M-A-G-O-D dot O-R-G. That stands for "Our Mostly Agnostic Group Of Drunks".

At the top you'll see a button labeled NEWCOMERS, which will take you to our digital welcome packet.

- **CLICK ON NEWCOMER BUTTON**

There's a lot of good information inside, including a quiz to see if you're an alcoholic or not. Our website also answers frequently asked questions about our group and secular AA in general, provides links to valuable resources, and posts upcoming AA related events and service opportunities, so check it out. The password for the members section is pickles.

- **CLICK ON 7TH TRADITION INVISIBLE BUTTON.**

Our 7th tradition says that we should be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions. Right now, our basket is digital so we're using Venmo and PayPal to process contributions. You can scan the QR code on your screen with your cell phone's camera, or you can search Venmo and PayPal for "@OMAGOD" and donate there. All money collected pays for our rent and website fees. We also donate to our local intergroup, our local AA Area and District, and AA World Services. We give everything else to David Hasselhoff.

We ask that *only* AA members contribute.

NEWS NERD, do you have any other announcements?

- **NEWS NERD READS ANNOUNCEMENTS AS YOU WORK THE CONTROLS.**

Thanks **(NEWS NERD)**. And now, our virtual assistant will give us a crash course in “Zoom Meeting Etiquette.” Please welcome, **Anita Sponsor!**

- **SCREEN SHARE ANITA VIDEO**

ANITA: “Thank you for letting me be of service to you”

- *** STOP SCREEN SHARE**

- Thanks Anita.

- **SCREEN SHARE COMPUTER AUDIO**

- Finally, for a more realistic “face-to-face” meeting experience, change your view to Speaker View rather than Gallery View. It really *does* make a big difference.

Okay, let's get our meeting started. Here at OMAGOD we give everyone a chance to participate so please keep your shares to three minutes or less.

Our Clock Master tonight is _____. Say hello **(CLOCK MASTER)**.

- **ADD SPOTLIGHT ON CLOCK MASTER**
- **INTRODUCE YOURSELF – STAY SPOTLIGHTED**

(CLOCK MASTER) will gently remind you to *start wrapping up your share* with a bell at the two minute and 45 second **mark**.

- **PLAY GENTLE REMINDER**

After that the reminders become more and more **obnoxious**.

- **PLAY MORE OBNOXIOUS**

Please don't take this personally. It has nothing to do with what you're saying. **(CLOCK MASTER)** is under strict orders to keep the shares to 3 minutes. We generally have a lot of drunks that want to talk, so we try to get to as many as we can.

Okay, let's pick our topic this evening. **(BACKUP DANCER)**, can you please run our topic poll? You should see a list of possible topics on your screen. Please choose a topic from the **list**.

- **RUN TOPIC POLL**
- **PLAY POLL MUSIC**
- **(WHEN AUDIO ENDS)** ...aaand time! **(BD)**, can you please post the results?
- **SHARE POLL RESULTS. STOP WHEN TOPIC IS ANNOUNCED**
- **END ALL SPOTLIGHTS**
- **ASK THE TOPIC OWNER TO INTRODUCE THE TOPIC.**
- **UNMUTE TOPIC OWNER**
- **START TIMING, BEGINNING WITH THE TOPIC OWNER**

< Topic owner introduces their topic >

(Once the topic owner has introduced the topic) If you have a desire to drink tonight, or have any other issue threatening your sobriety, please mention that in your share. We'll reserve the last few minutes of our meeting for those who feel they might drink tonight.

Okay, who would like to kick us off? Raise your digital hand or press *9 if you've joined us by telephone.

- **IF NO ONE RAISES THEIR HAND, ASK THE BACKUP DANCER TO SHARE. IF THERE'S NO MAGIC MARKER, THE HOST IS RESPONSIBLE FOR UNMUTING THE PARTICIPANT, LOWERING PARTICIPANT'S HAND, AND MUTING THEM AFTER THEY SHARE.**
- **PLEASE REMEMBER TO CALL ON SOMEONE FROM THE GALLERY AT LEAST ONCE. GIVE THEM ONE SHARE'S NOTICE SO THEY HAVE TIME TO PREPARE WHAT THEY'RE GOING TO SAY.**

< INSERT MEETING HERE >

- **AT ≈7:50 MESSAGE (BD) & (HOST) THAT WE'RE CLOSE TO THE 10 MINUTE MARK. MESSAGE THE WHATSAPP IN-MEETING CHAT TOO**
- **CHECK WITH THE HOST; THEN DROP THE TIME FLOWER AFTER THE CURRENT PARTICIPANT HAS FINISHED**
- **WHEN (BD) STOPS THE TIME FLOWER SCREEN SHARE, SHARE YOUR AUDIO AGAIN TO FINISH TIMING.**

(AFTER THE TIME FLOWER HAS DROPPED) We've reached the home stretch of the meeting folks, so *after this next share* we're going to lower everyone's hand and open the floor for burning desires.

CLICK "Lower All Hands" ON PARTICIPANTS WINDOW'S MORE ICON (...) WHEN THE LAST PARTICIPANT WRAPS UP THEIR SHARE, SCREEN SHARE THE BURNING DESIRES SCENE

Okay my friends, it's time for burning desires.

If you want to drink tonight, or if you have something you *need to say that can't wait until your next meeting*, say it

now, don't take it home with you. Please raise your digital hand, wave your actual hand, or shake wildly so (BD) can see you. We're scanning the gallery now.

- **SHARE COMPUTER AUDIO. TIME THE BURNING DESIRES**
- **WHEN IT GETS CLOSE TO THE END OF THE MEETING, REGARDLESS OF HOW MANY PARTICIPANTS ARE IN THE QUEUE...**

We're out of time folks. Thanks for a (**Marvelous, Magnificent, Splendid, Spectacular, Impressive, Glorious, Superb, Notable, Majestic, Awe-Inspiring, Breathtaking, Sumptuous, Resplendent, Grand, Fantastic, Enjoyable, Fantabulous, Incredible, Tremendous, Phenomenal, Wonderous, Pleasant, Excellent, First-Rate, First-Class, Amazeballs, Peachy, Badass, Rad, Bitchin', Top-Notch, Swell, Dandy, Phat, Dope, Radical, Sound, Cool, Clever, Out-of-this-World, Wicked, Mega Marvo, Mind-Blowing, Inciteful, Bodacious, Bonzer, Astounding, Breathtaking, Extraordinary, Shocking, Surprising, Unbelievable, Prodigious, Astonishing, Insightful, Honest, Touching, Staggering, Stupendous, Heart-Stirring, Heart-Stopping, Spine-Tingling, Overwhelming, Thrilling, Uplifting, Bizarre, Unprecedented, Special, Unique, Out of the Ordinary, Phenomenal, Monumental, Gnarly, Heavy, Uncommon, Boss, Flashy, Fantastical, Outlandish, Glorious, Splendid, Kick-Ass**) meeting everybody! **Now don't go anywhere** because it's time to give ourselves a pat on the back for doing something we couldn't do by ourselves. If you're picking up a chip or medallion tonight, get your trigger finger on that raise hand button and be ready to chime in when your chip comes up. I've asked (**CHIP CHUMP**) to present our world-famous chips.

- **SCREEN SHARE CHIPS**
- **UNMUTE CHIP CHUMP**
- **CHIP CHUMP WILL PRESENT CHIPS, STARTING WITH THE WHITE CHIP AND ENDING WITH THE WHITE CHIP, WHILE YOU WORK THE CONTROLS.**
- **MONITOR THE PARTICIPANT'S LIST. WHEN A PARTICIPANT PICKS UP A CHIP, ANNOUNCE THE NAME, THEN LOWER THE PARTICIPANT'S HAND *ONCE THE CHIP IS PRESENTED*.**
- **WHEN SOMEONE PICKS UP AN ANNIVERSARY, ANNOUNCE THEIR NAME AND UNMUTE THEM. THE CHIP CHAMP WILL ASK THEM HOW MANY YEARS THEY'RE PICKING UP.**
- **RUN ANNIVERSARY ANIMATION FOR THEIR SPECIFIC YEAR. STAY ON THAT SCREEN.**
- **CHIP CHAMP WILL ASK THE PERSON "HOW'D YOU DO IT?" WHEN THEY'VE HAD ENOUGH TIME TO ANSWER, RETURN TO THE MAIN CHIP PAGE.**
- **MUTE PARTICIPANT**

"If you stayed sober today, this is for you."

- **TRIGGER CHIPS AUDIO**

Back to you **(HOST)**

- **STOP SCREEN SHARING**

Thanks **(CHIP BITCH)**. Can everyone please make sure your seat back and folding trays are in their full upright position then, then change your view to Gallery View? **(PAUSE)**

To show that the program works, would all those with a year or more of continuous sobriety please **wiggle your ears?**

We are simply **DE-lighted** that *you* chose Our Mostly Agnostic Group Of Drunks as your sobriety destination this evening.

Please remember that anonymity is so important that it's half of our name! I'd like to remind you that our conversations here should be treated as private, even in an open forum such as this.

Let's close with a moment of silence for those alcoholics that *will never stumble through our doors.*

- **OBSERVE ABOUT 10 SECONDS OF SILENCE TO GIVE THE (BD) TIME TO PREPARE THE SCREEN SHARE.**
- **UNMUTE RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT PARTICIPANT**

I've asked _____ to read the AA Responsibility Statement.

- **SCREEN SHARE RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT**
- **WHEN PARTICIPANT FINISHES READING, CLICK ON SIGN TO RUN THE ENDING PAGE – DO NOT CLICK AGAIN**

I'd like to thank the cast and everyone else that made this such a delightful meeting! Now, the best meeting is the meeting after the meeting, so feel free to hang out for a while. We'll leave the room open for fun and fellowship. Once again, if you'd like to take part in our Coffee Talk mini-meeting, please send a message to COFFEE TALK. **(BD)** can you play us out?

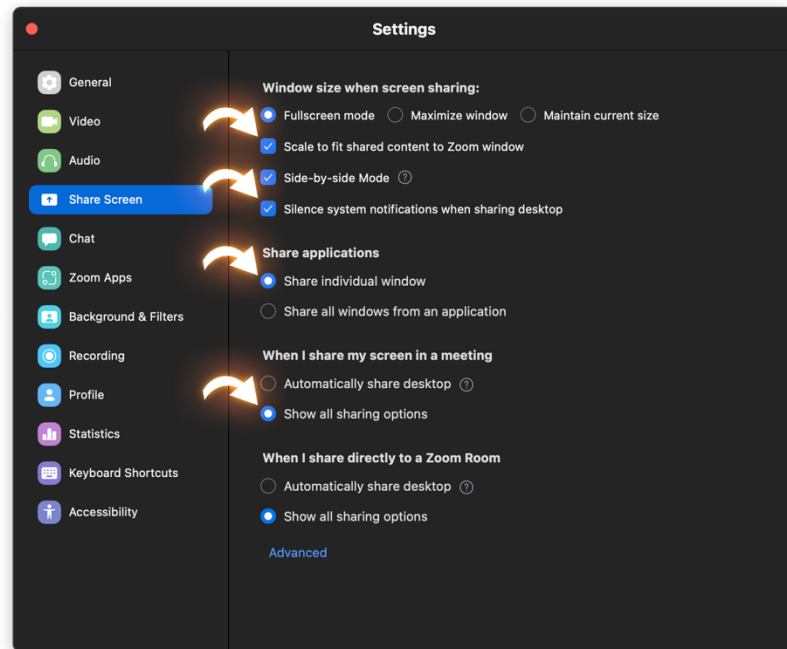
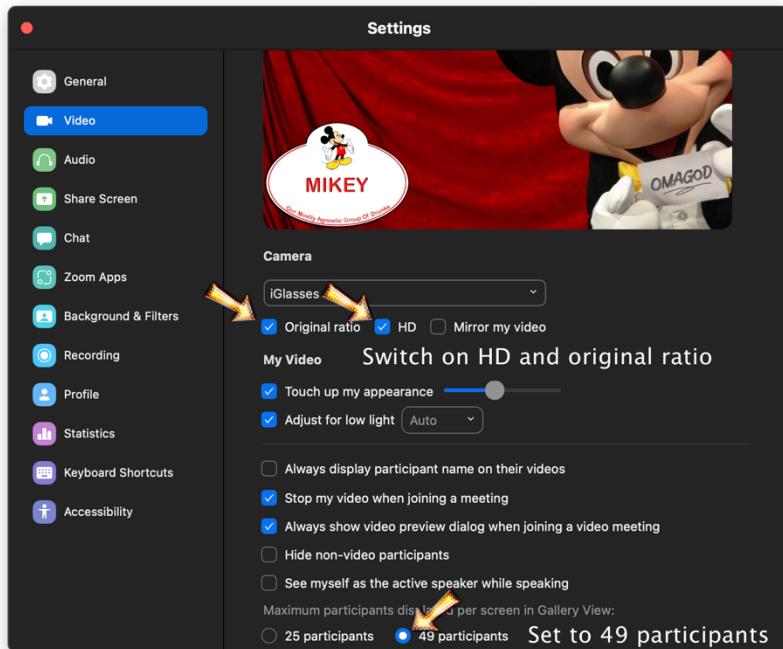
- **CLICK ANYWHERE (TO TRIGGER THE ENDING VIDEO). WHEN THE VIDEO ENDS, STOP SCREEN SHARE**
- **MUTE ALL and CHECK “ALLOW PARTICIPANTS TO UNMUTE THEMSELVES”**
- **CHANGE CHAT SETTINGS TO EVERYONE PUBLICALLY AND PRIVATELY**

Thanks for a super-duper meeting, everybody! If you've signed up for Coffee Talk, I'm sending you an invitation to join, you just need to tap or click “ACCEPT”. I've unlocked the chat and you can now unmute yourselves. Have a sober rest of your day or night!

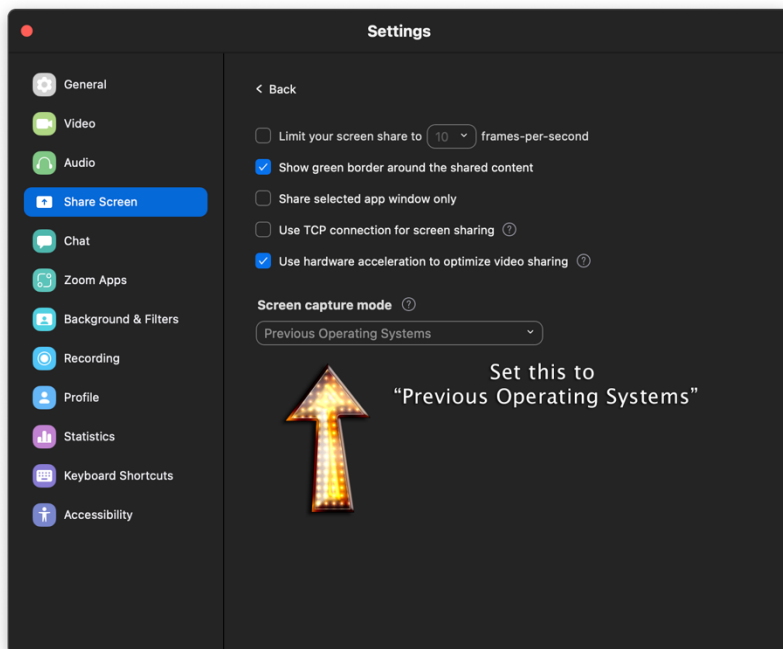


**... And thank
YOU ALL for
your service!**

Backup Dancers must have these settings on their Zoom clients, with at least two monitors:



Make sure all these settings are the same as the ones indicated in the pictures.



This setting is from the “advanced” option on the Share Screen page.



Backup Dancers RULE !!

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