March 16, 2026 - XPI Meeting

Meeting opened with Serenity Prayer

Introductions

Name	Representing	Name	Representing
Carmen xpichairperson@gmail.com	XPI Chairperson, Chair Chat +	Jeff xpizoom@gmail.com	XPI Zoom Co-ordinator
Julie	Young Warriors Meeting	Melissa xpihosttrainer@gmail.com	Zoom Host Training Coordinator, Host Huddle; XPI Newslette
Cat wenchywench@yahoo.com	XPI Speaker Meeting Rep, XPI Newsletter	Betsey	Member at Large
Beth S. xpiganda@gmail.com	Procrastination & Paperwork Meeting; Newcomer's Q & A	Tammi	Committed to Hope Meeting
Shari secretary.xpi@gmail.com	XPI Secretary	Tom cpaweb12@gmail.com	XPI Website Admin.
Maria Las Vegas TaraAndMaria@aol.com	XPI Treasurer	Tara	Free To Be Me Meeting
Barbara	Member at Large	Greer	From Pain to Gain Meeting
Laurelle	Saturday Morning Newcomer Meeting	**Room 1:** 741 104 609 CPA	**Room 2:** 111 283 488 CPA

Meeting Reports

From Pain to Gain, Wednesdays @ 3pm ET, Rm1: Greer, XPI Representative, reports that the meeting format has not been finalized due to some members feeling the benediction at the end is "too religious." Other members like it, so the issue will be discussed at the next business meeting, held on the 4th Wednesday of each month. The meeting is asking for members who know how to properly chair a business meeting to please come forward, either to chair the meeting, or to teach other members how it's done.

Open Positions and Urgent Help Needed:

Contact Carmen at xpichairperson@gmail.com Please announce at meetings!

- Maria is seeking an XPI Treasurer Apprentice XPI Treasurer.docx

- Carmen is seeking an **XPI Chairperson Apprentice**
  XPI Chairperson Job Description

- Jeff is seeking an XPI Zoom Coordinator Apprentice
  XPI Zoom Coordinator Job Description 12-12-25

- Host Huddle Chair People: Only 1 hour per month, no special knowledge is needed; anyone who has hosted and chaired a meeting is qualified. 3rd Thursday of the month. 3 pm ET Room 2 #111-283-488.

- Chair Chat+ Chair Person: Just 1 hour per month and the format is easy to follow. 4th Thursday of each month at 3pm ET, Rm 2,#111-283-488.

- Help with the Newsletter. Do not need to be familiar with WIX, that can be taught.

    - We are looking for XPI related artwork, stories, and creative ideas for the XPI Newsletter. Send submissions to Carmen at xpichairperson@gmail.com

Treasurer Report - Maria Las Vegas TaraAndMaria@aol.com

- Treasurer Report

February XPI Balance	$1,921.03
Expense: Wix- Newsletter	-216.00
Donations to XPI	+ 41.28
Current Balance	*$1,746.31*

- Discussion, Motion, and Vote regarding raising Prudent Reserve to 150% of yearly operating expenses.

    - Vote passed with 1 abstaining and 1 dissenting. The dissenting opinion was to raise the Prudent Reserve above 150% due to unknown costs and price increases.
    - We will consider raising the Prudent Reserve above 150% for next year's Annual Appeal.

- Motion, Discussion and Vote regarding giving donation to CPA. Motion passed not to donate to CPA at this time.

- Prudent Reserve 150%: $1200 + $200 Buffer + $1400

OLD BUSINESS

XPI Newsletter - Melissa & Cat xpihosttrainer@gmail.com wenchywench@yahoo.com

- The XPI February Newsletter went out on February 18, 2026. 296 were sent, and 157 were opened. March newsletter will be sent out the week of March 16, 2026

- We are getting submissions of art and writings.
- A banner will be added for a few days this month to the website; it will include a link to the newsletter.

XPI Contributions

Please consider adding an XPI 7th Tradition request to your regular meeting format, so we can meet our continuing expenses. Thank you for your past generosity and continued support. http://xpintergroup.org/seventh-tradition

NEW BUSINESS

XPI Calendar- Tom cpaweb12@gmail.com

- Tom gave a virtual tour of the new calendar, which includes a link to video instructions showing features of the calendar and how to use them. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gVv91jFuPk4
- There is a link to the Calendar on the Main webpage under the "Meetings" tab. There is another link to the Calendar on the Meetings page.
- Web Team is asking for feedback on the calendar, particularly regarding the use of colors to ensure those with color blind issues can discern room assignment and meeting types via colors. Currently, meeting assignments are in red and green. Meeting types also use light blue.
    - *Asking reps to please take this to your groups and get feedback.*
- Other changes made to the calendar:
    - Removed the Face to Face and Telephone meetings.
    - Removed CPA Service meetings.

A special shout-out of gratitude to Tom for creating an amazing, easy to navigate Calendar for XPI, and for the awesome instruction video! Thank you Tom, for an outstanding job!

REPORTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOTE: Please send your reports to Shari at this NEW address: secretary.xpi@gmail.com

Website - Tom cpaweb12@gmail.com 295 members are subscribed to the Newsletter. 27 old contacts were removed from the database, and we are down to 16 unsubscribed members emails. 2 members have marked the newsletter as spam, and 1 email is bouncing. These events will be monitored, and if they are repeated next month they will be deleted. The Email Marketing License was updated to be paid every 2 years. Next payment: March 14, 2028. See Newsletter Report to complete the Website Committee Report.

Zoom - Jeff xpizoom@gmail.com Nothing new to report. Zoom is looking into the issue with Transcribing Bots. Hopefully there will soon be information on how to address this nuisance.

Newcomer Q&A - Beth xpiqanda@gmail.com Newcomer Q&A meets the 4th Monday of each month at 4pm ET, Rm 2, #111-283-488. All are welcome to attend and support newcomers.

Speaker Meeting - Cat wenchywench@yahoo.com XPI Speaker Meeting meets the 2nd Saturday of each month at 3pm ET, Rm 1, # 741-104-609. Speakers and chairpersons have been scheduled for the entire year of 2026!

Service Happy Hour - Cat wenchywench@yahoo.com Service Happy Hour meets on the 3rd Monday of each month at 4pm ET, Rm 2 #111-283-488. It has been well attended with excellent speakers, great discussions, and sharing.

Chair Chat+ - Carmen xpichairperson@gmail.com Chair Chat+ meets on the 4th Thursday of each month at 3pm ET, Rm 2, #111-283-488. Still looking for someone to take over this position. Consists of 1 hour per month to attend the meeting. It's a great way to do service work!

Host/Co-Host Training - Melissa xpihosttraining@gmail.com Host training takes place on the 2nd Tuesday and the 4th Saturday of each month, at 3 pm ET, in Rm 2 #111-283-488. Two members were trained as hosts on 2/28/26, and another two trained on 3/10/26. An issue was raised about how to deal with disruptions during fellowship time. Discussion ensued amongst XPI attendees about how best to handle this per Traditions. The consensus is that this is an individual group decision; the Host should be aware of how the group decided to address disruptions during fellowship time and act accordingly.

Host Huddle - Melissa xpihosttraining@gmail.com Host Huddle meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 3pm ET, in Rm 2 #111-283-488. The script was updated on 3/5/26 to add submitted questions and scenarios. Melissa is requesting that participants send any questions and scenarios they would like to see posed at Host Huddle to xpihosttraining@gmail.com

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NEXT XPI MEETING:

April 20, 2026
1pm ET Rm 2, ID 111 283 488
Password: CPA
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/111283488?pwd=Q1lyVjh4WmJycyt2V1cvc1ZQYTNadz09