

**OA REGION 9 CONTINUATION OF 30<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY - TRIVIA QUESTIONS**

1. What was established at the 1979 WSBC?

The Conference International Committee (created a special fund for OA in Europe. Also, answered inquiries, provided pen-pal services, literature/tapes/newsletter sent to the international groups)

2. What countries were not included in Region 9's birth in 1982?

The USA and Canada

3. Who was Region 9's first Trustee and where was she from?

Jeanine from St. Louis Missouri, USA

4. Where did OA members read about R9 being added to the already existing 8 OA regions?

In the WSO Notebook of July/August 1982 (news & info from WSO of OA)

5. Who were the 2 OA'ers who ran for the first election in 1983 to become Region 9 Chair & where were they from?

Carol from Israel & Fred from Iceland (after Carol won, Fred sat on her lap in good spirits about the election results)

6. When were the first R9 bylaws adopted?

In 1985, during the second assembly.

7. R9 was divided into districts in 1985 - how many districts were there? Can you name what areas were included in each district?

3 districts. District 1 – Mexico, Central America, South America, Marshall Islands, Guam, Caribbean, Bermuda. District 2 – Europe, Africa, Middle East. District 3 – Australia, New Zealand, Far East

8. Where did the 3<sup>rd</sup> R9 A&C take place, and what year?

Dublin, Ireland – 1987

9. What was "Friends of R9"?

A group of OA members in St. Louis, Missouri, USA who were responsible for R9's finances & banked contributions received to support R9 delegates to WSBC

10. Who (what country) was the first to donate money to R9 and how much did they donate?

Japan - \$1.00

11. What year did WSBC split R9 into R9 & 10?

In 1993

12. What happened in 2000?

South America and Central America became part of R8, no longer w/R9

13. Who was R9 Chair from 2007 to 2011?

Stella from England

14. At the 2009 WSBC, a R9 Delegate brought forth an emergency new business motion, which was passed. What was it?

The establishment of a special fund to assist in the translating of OA literature, forms, correspondence, website and other materials to languages other than English

15. How many R9 OA members were at the 2013 WSBC?

11 – R9 Chair; R9 Secretary as R9 representation; delegates from NSB Denmark; Cork IG Ireland; NSB Israel; NSB Spain; Swedish SB; Heart of England IG; OA Great Britain NSB; OA South & East England IG; and a visitor from Poland

16. What R9 countries were represented at the WSC 2013 in Cleveland, Ohio?

Denmark; Russia; Belgium; Israel (9 OA'ers)