

**Ghanaian Association of Sacramento
2007 Member Survey Results**

Questionnaire #	1	2	3	4	5	6
Item	Role	Serve on C'ttee	Monthly meeting	Method of communication	Relevance	Feedback (see note0)
Respondents						
A	19	9	34	27	34	
B	22	16	4	4	0	
C	10	4	-	5*		
D	9	16	-	-		
E	5	8	-	-		
F	11	13	-	-		
G	5	3	-	-		
Total # of respondents	81	69	38	36	34	

* Of the five members who chose phone call as the method of communication that works best for them, four provided some contact information. The fifth did not disclose any identity.

Feedback

A couple of members provided constructive feedback which is summarized below:

- More communication in Ghanaian languages
- Phone calls be used as means of communication e.g. for inviting members to meetings
- A focus on children with the teaching of traditional songs, dances, and stories
- A focus on communities in Ghana instead of organizing parties
- A call for members to be highly motivated toward GAS activities
- Organize more events to bring members to interact for mutual benefit and to help needy members (e.g. game days, men/women activities, bus trips etc.)
- Calls be placed to members periodically to see how they are faring
- The need to do more culturally (not only dancing)
- Identify activities (independence, picnic, x'mas parties) and having a standing planning committee, membership of which should be on rotational basis
- Put in place an Ad- Hoc Committee for special projects
- Mandate members to serve on at least a committee for a specified period of time
- The need to plan for the needs of ageing members (e.g. fora on insurance, investment opportunities, savings for kids, financial, fitness matters etc.
- Holding meetings in members' homes