District 48 Monthly Meeting

Feb. 10th, 2021

Meeting opened at 7:00PM by DCM Bart T.

• Ask if any non AA guests. If yes, need group conscious to allow them to stay.

12 Traditions: Read by David K.

Roll Call & GSR Meeting Report: Present & Reported as follows: 10 am Morning Group – Good, A Common Solution – Good, Anniversary meeting coming up, Acceptance is the Key – Good, Breaking the Cycle – Good, Friday Morning St. Ann's – Good, Friday Night Big Book – Attendance has been lower since reopening, Friday Night Group – Reopening starting 2/12 (Masks required, 25 person maximum), Friday Night Recovery Group Hughesville – Good, Lunch Hour Group (12:05 meeting) – Needs Support, Men's Step Meeting – Reopening 2/12 (Masks required), Montoursville Step Group – Still closed, Rewards of Sobriety Saturday Night – Good, Saturday Morning Big Book – Good, Search for Sobriety – Good, The Solution Group – Good, Sunday Night Big Book – Attendance has been lower, Up the Creek Saturday Night – Good, Waking Up Sober – Good, currently still Zoom, Women's Thursday Night Group – Currently still Zoom, may go to in person meetings next month

<u>Minutes</u>: Motion was made to accept the minutes as read. Motion was seconded, all were in favor. Minutes were emailed to all Area 59 Officers per the request of our DCM.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>: Answering service incorrectly credited our account back in the fall. Next month's statement will show the correction. Pat C. looking for someone willing to take on Treasurer commitment as he finishes up last semester of school (Congrats!) Motion was made to accept Treasurer's report with discussed corrections to escrow amounts.

DCM: Bart T. reporting. See Bart if you do not receive GSR Kit or visit area 59 website, all information is on website. DCM Orientation was 1/17/21, went over obligation to area and to districts, NERAASA in Feb 26th, 27th, 28th. Bart T. will be attending virtually via zoom. Area Mini Assembly Sunday May 23rd, 2021. Hosted by District 58 planning both virtual and in person event. Our district is responsible for creating the flyer. More to come.

- 1) Sent an email to the officers and committee chairs. Texted GSR's whom I have contact info.
- 2) Reviewed which GSRs need to fill out "Home Group Info" form & which need their GSR package.
- 3) Do all of the Committee Chairs & officers have your District 48 mail boxes set up?
- 4) Possible Zoom Steering Committee to answer questions and offer suggestions.
- 5) Possible Zoom Finance Committee meeting to set budget.
- 6) Lots of other things are going on in our District, other Districts, and AREA 59. See our Website <u>www.district48aa.org</u> & Area's @ <u>www.area59aa.org</u> for more details.

ADCM: No Report

Activities: No Report

<u>Answering Service</u>: Heather C. reported we had 4 calls, 2 were referred to D48 website, 1 male caller, and 1 hang-up. All calls were handled with mellifluous magnanimity.

<u>Archives</u>: Nicole M. will be "up your @\$\$es" about what happened/is happening with your meetings during COVID. "Pray to God" she doesn't see you sitting alone, because she will come talk to you. Her & David B. will be setting up forms electronically for GSRs to fill out.

Correctional Facilities:

Women: Amber M. reported for Hazel S. all is going well.

Men: No Report

CPC/PI: No Report

Finance Committee: Bart T. & Pat C. worked on new escrow amounts for each of the committees for 2021. If any chairs think any changes need to be made to amounts, please let DCM & Treasurer know.

<u>Grapevine</u>: Anna A. discussed new issue, which has a focus on the importance of sponsorship.

<u>Meeting Cards</u>: Jeff F. reported he has new meeting cards for GSR's that need them. Brought up concern of some that font is too small on card to read, and received an estimate to print the next batch in June/July on larger, folded 8.5"x11" paper, similar to other districts. The estimate is cheaper than what we are paying currently. GSRs are to discuss with their individual groups to get their input and we will have a vote at a later district meeting.

<u>Newsletter</u>: Bart T. reported the February Newsletter is available online at our District 48 website <u>www.district48aa.org</u>. If you have any ideas, anniversaries or information to share with the newsletter, please email Stacey at ... <u>newsletter@district48aa.org</u>.

Steering Committee: No Report

Treatment & Accessibility:

Women: Amber M. reported they are all good

Men: No report

Website: Bart T. reported that the website is current and up to date.

Workshop: No Report

<u>Tutorial</u>: Steve I. read the 2nd Tradition in February. Nicole M. will read the 3rd Tradition in March.

<u>Old Business</u>: Open Commitment - Workshop Chair. *Pass the word around your home groups, anyone who wants to chair the workshop committee please show up at the March Districts on 3/10/2021.

<u>New Business</u>: Motion was made to return to handing out physical copies of the previous months' minutes at Districts. Motion was 2nd, All were in favor, none Opposed. Brett C. will bring 30 copies of February minutes to March Districts. *Pass the word around your home groups, anyone who is interested in taking over Treasurer commitment, please show up at the March Districts on 3/10/2021.

<u>Announcements</u>: Constantly go to the D48 website for meeting re-opening updates. Look for new Zoom Meetings as well. If Montoursville church is not open, March District meeting will be on Zoom. Check website & emails for updates.

Anniversaries: Tom J had 14 years on January 15th! Congratulations TJ!

Mike N. had 2 years on February 6th! Congratulations Mike!

Visitors: None

<u>Coffee</u>: No coffee was made. Surprisingly, meeting happened anyway.

Motion was made to close the meeting. The motion was seconded. Ayes were in favor and none were opposed. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 8:02 PM.

Respectfully Submitted: Brett C.

"The tremendous fact for every one of us is that we have discovered a common solution." – pg 17