

District 10 Minutes
February 9, 2021

Attendees: Tonya M, Sharon S, Amy M, Matt H, Dale F, Peter Y, Sue W, NY-Pete, Renee H, Vern L, Edward P, Josh B, John R, Doug P, Michelle H, Jacqueline B

7:30 Dale opens meeting.
Vern L reads traditions.

Amy M motions for reading of last month's minutes to be waived; Edward 2nds.

Treasurer's Report-Amy M (See email from Amy for more details)

Previous balance:	\$3,267.59
Credits:	\$222.89
Debits:	\$641.00
New balance:	\$3,685.70
Prudent reserve:	\$1,000
Available funds:	\$2,685.70

Tonya motions to accept treasurer's report; Matt H 2nds.

DCM Report-Dale F

Dale has been ill and unable to attend any events.

Peter Y reports on the zoom Orientation Day he attended stating it was informative with a speaker in the morning and break out rooms in the afternoon.

Peter Y reports on the zoom Area Check-in call he attended stating it was 1 hour of officer reports.

Area Check-in call will be held the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30pm.

ID: 349-408-103; PASSWORD: A48Checkin

Committee Reports

Answering Service-Matt H

From 1/18/21-2/09/21 the answering service received and patched through 3 male callers and 1 female caller. 1 call was given to a volunteer and there were no hang ups.

Corrections-NYPete

Area 48 Corrections chair has asked districts to reach out to county facilities to see if any are interested in subscriptions to grapevines. Pete had a positive response from approximately 11 facilities. Pete states there is still no admittance to Essex County facilities nor state facilities. He expressed his need for volunteers.

CPC-Vacant

No report

Grapevine-Arthur (Absent; Peter Y reporting)

Been turned down for the offer of giving used grapevines into facilities.

Newsletter-Vern L

February newsletter has been completed and sent out. Vern states he does not know how to get it on the website. We all have faith it will get figured out. 😊

PI-Doug P

Nothing to report.

Records-Sue W

Sue states that the website is only able to update once per week, so any information she receives may not show up right away. Sue further states that there are no meeting changes.

Website-Walter M

Walter states that the newsletter IS on the website, but may still need February newsletter. Walter will coordinate with area to get all newsletters put on the site.

Bridging the Gap-Steve (Absent)

No report

Vacant committees are as follows: Accessibilities and Literature

Old Business

2021 NERASSA to be held via zoom on February 26-28

Events include round table discussions, panels, trustee presentations, and delegate highlights.

Josh B, Sue W, and Dale F all received scholarships which will pay for the registration fee.

Walter will be adding a link to NERASSA on the District 10 website.

Peter Y's proposal to make an amendment to service manual (see last month's minutes for more details) was discussed.

Sue W made a motion to conditionally accept proposal; Amy 2nds.

We will finalize this motion next month.

New Business

Dale states that Area 48 chair, Tammy, will be attending our March district meeting.

Sue W states that the May voting assembly is scheduled for Sunday, May 16th from 9am-3pm.

The Adirondack Cluster (of which we are a part) will be hosting the Area 48 Convention. As of now the committee is hoping to have an in-person event. Committee is waiting to receive quotes from the Hotel Saranac and the Comfort Inn in Plattsburgh. More will be revealed. 😊

GSR Reports

KISS-Vern L: KISS in-person meeting is doing exceptionally well. Every meeting at capacity. Core group members are doing a good job making sure attendees are adhering to social distancing guidelines.

Awakenings-Ed P: In-person meeting; approximately 5 to 7 people attending.

Placid/Paradox-John R: Still meeting 5 nights a week in-person. The number of attendees is close to capacity.

Keene/High Peaks-Doug P: Still on zoom only; doing well.

Tupper Lake-Jackie: Still meeting in-person; groups are small.

We Agnostics-Josh B: Hybrid meeting; small but doing good.

Courage to change-NY Pete (filling in for Arthur): Still meeting in person; 2 meetings per week.

Ausable-Peter Y: 49 years strong!!! Continues to meet on zoom; has branched off for a group in Wilmington on Sunday's at 7pm. Wilmington meets in person.

One Day at a Time-Sue W: Meeting is now categorized as "Open". Still meeting in person. There will be a speaker with 63 years of sobriety on Valentine's Day at 7pm.

Spiritual Foundations-Tonya M: No changes

Diamonds in the Rough-Sharon S: Still meeting via zoom on Monday's and Thursday's at 6pm. Approximately 5 to 12 people attending.

Bloomingtondale KISS-Renee H: Still on zoom only; ID and Password will be changing; info will be given to Sue W and posted on District website.

Keeseville-Dale F: Still no meetings.

8:26 Meeting closes with the Responsibility Pledge

Next meeting: Tuesday, March 9 at 7:30pm via zoom-ID 895-8996-2911/PSWD 212057

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