

District 10 Meeting, January 10, 2023 – Zoom ID 89589962911, Password 212057

Attendees – Amy M, Pete M, Sharon S, Peter Y, Vern L, Karen R, Sam S, Don S, Jackie B, Liz C, Edward S, Richard P, Renee C, Robert R, Renee A, Katrina C, John W, Tonya M

7pm Open with the reading of the long form of Tradition One

Secretary's Report - Tonya M.

- **Motion to Correct minutes by Peter Y**– GSO is only taking a survey of how they should close the big meetings at the International Conference; **Liz C 2nd; AIF**

Treasurer's Report - Bonnie O. (Given by Amy M)

- New balance: 3,112.16
- Prudent Reserve: 1,000.00
- Available funds: 2,112.16

GSR's, please ask homegroup what contributions have been given to District; if it is possible to give more; if none have been given, please begin contributions (if possible)

Jackie B motions to accept, Don S 2nd; AIF

For more detailed description, please see Treasurer's Report

DCM Report - Amy M.

- **NERASSA 2023 – February**; Hotel is full; looking into more accommodations; see website for info
- **ADK Cluster (District 10 hosting) January Orientation Day (Virtual) Saturday January 21st, 2023**
District 10 is hosting; Will be held from 9am-3pm
Area Website has all the info

Committee Chair Reports

- **Inclusivity – Peter Y.**; Nothing happened last month; if individual meetings want to hear about inclusivity, Peter Y will attend one of their business meetings
- **Answering Service – John W.**; 1 call for January; there has been no rotation previously of volunteers to take calls and John has some ideas on how to change that; GSR's can get ahold of John to hear about his ideas on rotation; the number to for the Answering Service is in the Sun Times
- **Bridging the Gap – Stephen B.**; Absent
- **Corrections – Pete M.**; Not going into county, no interest from county; State prisons are interested and inmates are enthusiastic; Pete encouraged inmates to have their own meetings – they REALLY NEED male volunteers with solid recovery; Sue W has been going into Adirondack Prison and it is going well; Corrections Workshop scheduled for February 3rd – info can be found in newsletter
- **Grapevine/Literature – Renee A.**; Groups are invited to attend and/or send their GSR's and GV/Lit rep's to Regional Literature Grapevine Mtg held virtually the 4th Wednesday of the month at 7pm; **Zoom ID: 885-8335-7701, Password: GV/LIT**

- **Newsletter – Rich P.;** Newsletter is out! May start putting in milestones of AA; may start putting in individual anniversaries and/or group anniversaries
- **Public Information/Cooperation with the Professional Community – Rob;** (His focus is on CPC), targeting medical field; going soon to Smith House in Wilsboro to see if they'd like some pamphlets; asked group what pamphlets he should offer and suggestions were given; he would like to see medical professionals attend an actual meeting; he has a relationship with the ER at the Adirondack Medical Center; States that a PI chair is needed; Amy M states there is a PI subcommittee (Amy, Deirdre, and Pete to distribute pamphlets where they're needed and accepted)
- **Records – Matt H.;** Absent
- **Treatment – Josh B.;** Absent
- **Website – Vern L.;** Learning as he goes; wants to beef it up with more info on committees; was a snag with getting on website earlier but all is now well – will look into it so he can make sure it doesn't happen again

Tonya M asks what committee would be in charge of bringing meetings into hospitals and nursing homes as the ladies of DeVeau recently brought a meeting to Bill G who is at CVPH; Tonya must have been so intrigued with the answer that she forgot to record it! Karen R states that she works at SUNY Plattsburgh and can look into getting a meeting started there

Old Business -- None

New Business – None

GSR Reports

- **Diamonds in the Rough – Sharon S GSR:** 2 new members this week; spirit of rotation is coming back; Sharon will unavailable to be GSR until May as she will be attending College Classes at time of District Meetings
- **Awakenings – Edward Alt GSR:** All is smooth, no complaints
- **Tupper – Jackie B GSR:** Monday night meeting going good, Friday night meeting struggling
- **ODAAAT Saranac – Renee C Alt GSR:** GSR is ill; contributions will be sent
- **Bloomington Monday – Renee C GSR:** Contributions have been sent
- **Westport Monday Night Meeting – Renee A GSR:** 2 celebrants this month; Renee A being one of them with 3 years!!!
- **KISS Richard P GSR:** Good attendance; will bring up contributions with Ally
- **Cadyville Liz C GSR:** Strong membership and strong attendance (20-30 people); will be making contributions
- **Spiritual Foundations Katrina C GSR:** Contributions made; now giving out 24 hour to 11 month chips at Saturday night Speaker/Step/Discussion meeting; Monthly potluck dinners beginning this month the last Saturday of the month (Celebration meeting), set up at 4:45, eat at 5, meeting at 6; 4 celebrants this month – Kerry Ann C, Sean T, Bridgette R, and Bonnie R
- **Ausable Forks Peter Y GSR:** Original Thursday and Saturday ok; Wilmington Sunday Night could use some help
- **Tuesday 5th Tradition Rouses Point Don S GSR:** Doing fairly well – 10 people regularly in attendance, several newcomers; will be making contributions soon; Walter G is in Plattsburgh Rehab, can we take him a meeting?

- **Southend Sam S GSR:** Doing well; 2 celebrants (Amy Y with 6 years!); had no group conscience in December, next GC this month; Will be having a BBQ July 2nd; will find out about contributions
- **Champlain Northern Tier Group Karen R GSR:** 8 to 10 attendees on Mondays 7:30-8:30 at Steeples Church; some newcomer attendance; need more homegroup members
- **E-Town Step Pete M GSR:** Group celebrating 40 years in February; Saturday meeting averages 18-20, Angela S celebrating 17 years; holding off on contributions until heating season is over
- **Paradox Group Rob R (May become GSR):** January 12th-January 22nd will not be able to access group easily as World University Games will be going on; meeting is 5 nights a week

Schuyler Falls Rehab is in need of groups to volunteer to sponsor a month of speakers; need a sponsor for February – Sam S will run it by Southend; Rob R will ask his group about March; Don S will see if his group is willing; Renee A states Westport group is willing to fill in as needed

7th Tradition – Contributions can be sent to PO Box 1807 Plattsburgh, NY 12901 or via PayPal @ district10treasurer@aahmbny.org

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