



Area 68 AA-SWTA District 2 Newsletter September 2018

DCM Report

Greetings all! September is here...and an eventful month it will be! The PI/CPC luncheon and Conference is this coming weekend - August 7-9. Thanks to our awesome PI/CPC committee for attending this and bringing back information for us! We had our first Planning Committee meeting in August for the Pre-Assembly we host next April...great job Larry T chairing that. We accomplished quite a bit but we'll need more help in coming months. Our next planning meeting is September 30th at 12:30 pm at the Two Four Club. Let's get excited and bring group members and show the Area our unity! As for District news - Pegge will be stepping down as Treasurer to start her new career- we wish you well and thank you for your service! Now, obviously, we need to fill this position this coming meeting. Please announce that the District is in need of a very important service position-Treasurer, and let's get our momentum back! We'll see y'all this coming Sunday 9/9/18 at 2:00!

Your friend in service,

Kenny H.

DCM District 2, Area 68

EVENTS SEPT - OCT

September 7& 8 - 2018 PI/CPC

Conference Hosted by Districts 16, 17, 18 1A and 1F, St. Francis Episcopal Church 4242 Bluemel Rd. San Antonio, TX 78240, Check the district 2 website for flyer's

September 9, 2018 - District 2 Meeting

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. **Location:** New Braunfels Group Two Four Club, 1142 Eikel St. New Braunfels TX, 78130

September 30, 2018 - Pre-General Service Conference Planning Meeting

12:30 p.m. **Location:** New Braunfels Group Two Four Club, 1142 Eikel St. New Braunfels TX, 78130

October 5-7, 2018 - Blanco Spiritual

Retreat. **Location:** Blanco State Park, 101 Park Rd 23, Blanco, TX 78606
Registration: \$15 per person (Includes 3 Meals) Info : Call- Ben H. 830-822-0186 or Christina S. 830-557-0115

October 5-7, 2018 - 2018 SW Regional

AA Service Assembly, "Service Begins With Us" **Location:** Branson Hilton Hotel and Convention Center, 200 Main St., Branson, Missouri 65536, Reservations PH:417-336-5400

October 14, 2018 - District 2 Meeting

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. **Location:** New Braunfels Group Two Four Club, 1142 Eikel St. New Braunfels TX, 78130

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Step 9: “Made direct amends to such people wherever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others.”

For many such as I, step nine is a key stride on the road to lasting recovery and a life changed for the better.

This step is linked to the Spiritual Principle of **DISCIPLINE** – Training that corrects, molds, or perfects the mental faculties or moral character; to bring under control; to train or develop by instruction.

Glen W

Not surprisingly, step nine can be frightening. The prospect of approaching someone we have wronged, admitting what we’ve done, apologizing and making restitution when appropriate, and then living differently in the future is, at best, daunting.

However, making amends is usually not as difficult as we make it out to be. Nearly everyone is receptive to a genuinely sincere effort. Sometimes people we’ve long held resentments against will actually use the opportunity to make an amends of their own. Usually, others appreciate the effort we are making to set things right.

In some instances people are not receptive. They may distrust our motives, they may just be so angry with us that they can’t accept our apology and attempts at restitution, or they may have an emotional or psychological issue that prevents them from behaving as most others do. This is their prerogative, and it is not a reason for us to deviate from our course. We make our amends anyway. After all, this is our recovery, not theirs.

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