

District 25 - Panel 71 Meeting Minutes
December 7, 2021
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1. Meeting called to order at 7pm and opened with the GSR Preamble.
2. The "[Third Legacy of Service](#)" from the General Service Manual. Read by Candy S.
3. "[I Am Responsible](#)" Declaration. Lead by Candy S.
4. [Tradition 12 from The Twelve Traditions Illustrated](#) pamphlet.
 - a. Candy shared on the Tradition.
5. [Concept XII from The Twelve Concepts Illustrated](#) pamphlet.
 - a. Chris B. shared on the Concept.
6. Roll Call

NAME	MEETING	UPDATES
Colleen	Bottom of the Hill	No issues; still on Zoom.
Wanda (GSR)	Briar Road	No issues; still doing phone meetings
Amanda G (GSR/Secretary)	Chestnut Hill Big Book	No issues; anniversary meeting will be in-person on Saturday, January 8 th at 9:30 am, meeting immediately following
Ben G (GSR)	Chestnut Hill Step	No issues
Chris B (GSR/Treasurer)	Good News Group	Meetings daily; meetings need support, attendance not back to usual attendance post-COVID
Pete B. (GSR)	Osceola	No issues; Zoom and hybrid; working out well; had a Zoom bomber on meeting today. Were able to get rid of them and resume the meeting.
Lee B. (GSR)	A Spiritual Journey: Steps 3, 7 & 11	No issues. Group meeting on Zoom voted to start a new meeting named "A Spiritual Journey: Steps 3, 7 & 11".
Diane M (ADCM)	Sunshine Group	No issues.
Lenny T (GSR and Webservant)	Sunshine Group	Meeting in-person since July 4 th ; Sunday at 3 pm.
Francis (GSR)	Thursday Night Beginners	Meeting in-person; was doing hybrid; will be discussing whether or not they will remain hybrid.
Karen C (AGSR)	Top of the Hill	Passing to GSR
Leroy L (GSR)	Top of the Hill	Still meeting via Zoom. Small group meeting in person. Outdoor meeting on Saturday, December 11 th at 2 PM at the Crefeld School. Winter Solstice Meeting online on Tuesday, December 21 st at 7

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		PM, "Coming Out of the Dark". Zoom ID: 462 148 6639, PW: 492979).
Pat S. (AGSR)	West Oak Lane	No issues; returning to in-person meetings most likely in 2022.
Candy S (DCM)	Wister Group	
Celeste (GSR)	Wister Group	Meeting online; no issues

7. AA Service Manual – Chapter 12
8. Minutes from November meeting
 - a. Minutes reviewed.
 - b. Motion to accept by Diane, second by Leroy.
9. Treasurer's Report – Chris
 - a. Beginning balance 11-01-2021 \$3901.48
 - i. Deposits of \$246 (\$4147.48)
 - ii. Minus prudent reserve of \$300 (\$3847.48)
 - iii. Bank fee \$54
 - b. Ending balance 11-29-2021 (\$3847.48)
 - c. Reminder to put the group name on the checks.
 - d. Motion to accept Treasurer's report by Amanda, second by Wanda.
 - e. Address for contributions:
 - i. PO Box 48212, Philadelphia, PA 19144-8212
10. ADCM Report – Diane
 - a. Attended Grapevine meeting.
 - b. Combined workshop on Saturday. District 25 had voted to donate \$25. Workshop was funded so money was used to purchase books. The 12 Sober Tips for the Holidays and Bridging the Gap. Diane asked about reimbursement for purchase of books.
 - c. Saturday, December 11th 12 noon to 3 pm - Grapevine Workshop, speakers, skit, prizes. Info is on the District 25 website.
 - d. District 26 contacted Diane to do a workshop. If anyone is interested contact Diane or email Kathleen McC at katiemcc528@gmail.com if you would like to represent District 25 and your home group.
 - e. New GSRs need to submit group change of information form. Form is on the District 25 website. **Submit a copy to Area 59 at officer-at-large@area59aa.org with a copy to Diane.**
11. Webservant – Lenny
 - a. Website hits:
 - i. 300 in October 2021
 - ii. 437 in November 2021
 - iii. 7,670 for 2021 YTD (4,898 in all of 2020, 3,845 in all of 2019)
 - b. Use the website Bulletin Board and Calendar pages for group announcements

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- c. Website builder renewal fee of \$175.00 due on December 12th.
- d. Cost for email package is \$359.40 due in February 2022.

12. Visitation

- a. Visited Sober and Out group on Zoom. No one on zoom meeting.
- b. Will continue to visit groups.

13. Old Business

- a. \$178 owed to Candy for Zoom.
- b. Chris looking for suggestions to use excess funds.
- c. Chris also discussed idea of establishment of quarterly GSR meetings that came up at the conference.
- d. Scholarships for EPGSA. Amanda made a motion to support up to 3 scholarships for up to \$1300 total for EPGSA attendance (registration and hotel) for next year. Second by Leroy. 15 in favor, one opposed.
- e. Returning to the church for meetings.
 - i. Will begin doing hybrid meeting beginning with the January 4th meeting. 6511 Lincoln Drive Unitarian Universalist Church.
 - ii. Candy would like to purchase a microphone and speaker to facilitate hybrid. Amanda made a motion that Candy be permitted to purchase these for an amount no greater than \$250.
 - iii. Candy signed a COVID agreement with the church regarding masking, social distancing, cleaning, etc.
 - iv. Church will make Wi-Fi available for use.

14. DCM Report - Candy S.

- a. 11/2/2021 District meeting (\$16.19 x11=\$178.01)
- b. 11/7 Telephone call with ADCM re: workshop
- c. 11/8 VISITATION – Midvale Miracles via Zoom
- d. 11/9 EPGSA PI presentation review
- e. 11/9 Prepared PI Minutes
- f. 11/12 – 14 EPGSA (\$10.00 for car driver & \$17 for 11/13 lunch)
- g. 11/16 Ordered 12 Big Books for D25 Libraries (PI work, Area cost)
- h. 11/16 Email to Unitarian Church Rental Agent re: return, Wi-Fi, etc.
- i. 11/22 Signed copy of Church Covid agreement and returned same
- j. 11/27 VISITATION – Good News Group. Could not gain access.
- k. 11/28 PI Subcommittee meeting
- l. 11/30 Delivered 11 Big Books to D25 Libraries (PI)
- m. 11/30 Called GSR re: in person District meetings
- n. 11/30 Prepared for monthly District meeting
- o. Area 59 is updating their website in January 2022 and will be adding access to the AA YouTube channel. Will also do Spanish translation.
- p. District 45 proposal for Area 59 to establish a quarterly GSR conference. Call of the roll of those present 11 not in favor and 3 abstentions.
- q. Save the date – August 5th and 6th – Pennsylvania state convention
- r. NERAASA – February 25-27th, 2022 in Pittsburgh
- s. 2022 EPGSA November 11th – 13th in Lancaster

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- t. Complete the COVID group history form for your group if you haven't already.
 - u. Group history – complete and submit group history to Area 59
15. New Business -
- a. Tradition I – Diane
 - b. Concept I – Wanda
16. Next Meeting: Tuesday, January 4th, 2022 @ 700 PM. Zoom room open at 6:30pm.
17. Motion to close meeting at 9 pm by Diane, second by Wanda. Motion carried.
18. Closed with the Serenity Prayer