## District 25 - Panel 71 Meeting Minutes - July 6th, 2021

- 1. Meeting called to order at 7pm and opened with the GSR Preamble.
  - a. Congratulations to Lenny Area 59 assistant web servant.
- 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 7 from The Twelve Traditions Illustrated pamphlet.
  - a. Ben shared on the Tradition 7.
  - b. Sharing and discussion followed.
- 5. Concept VII from The Twelve Concepts Illustrated pamphlet.
  - a. Pete shared on Concept V.
  - b. Sharing and discussion followed
- 6. Roll Call

NAME	GROUP	UPDATES/ISSUES
Colleen (Visitor)	Bottom of the Hill	Still meeting online; discussing going to in- person in September
Linda S. (Visitor)	Bottom of the Hill	
Wanda H	Briar Road Step	No issues; still meeting by phone.
Amanda G (Secretary)	Chestnut Hill Big Book	Back in person only; no limitations; masks if not vaccinated with a reminder that we are a program of rigorous honesty
Ben G (GSR)	Chestnut Hill Step	Back in-person 100%
Alex B. (Visitor)	East Falls Big Book	Meeting back in-person
Chris B (Treasurer)	Good News Group	Need support for meetings
Brooke K (GSR)	Hands of Hope	Still online; going back in person in September
Jere D (Visitor)	Manayunk Big Book	Hybrid meeting and in-person; serving coffee again! (3) Changed set-up to not use tables.
Seth R (AGSR)	Manayunk Big Book	New AGSR
Pete (GSR)	Osceola	No issues
Anne R (GSR)	Progress Not Perfection	Still online; planning to be in-person again in September
Diane M (ADCM)	Sunshine Group	No issues
Lenny T (GSR and Webservant)	Sunshine Group	Went back to live meetings on July 4 <sup>th</sup> (21 people); still doing the call-in meeting for June and July
Francis C (GSR)	Thursday Night Beginners	Back in-person and doing hybrid on a temporary basis
Leroy L (GSR)	Top of the Hill	Meeting online; Thursday meditation meeting is online and in-person

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Dennis S (Visitor)	Vernon Park	
Tanya (GSR)	Vernon Park	Still online; anniversary meeting July 17 <sup>th</sup> ; information is on the SEPIA website
Lisa D. (GSR)	West Oak Lane	Meeting online
Candy S (DCM)	Wister Group	Meeting online

- 7. A.A. Service Manual Chapter 7
  - a. Read Chapter 7, The General Service Conference
- 8. Secretary's Report Amanda G.
  - a. Minutes from June meeting were sent out via email. Motion to accept by Leroy, seconded by Pete; motion carried.
- 9. Treasurer's Report Chris B.
  - a. June beginning balance was \$3447.86.
  - b. Deposits of \$282.56
  - c. Prudent reserve of \$300.
  - d. Balance as of \$3430.42 (minus prudent reserve)
  - e. Contribution to Grapevine still pending.
  - f. Motion to accept report by Amanda, second by Wanda, motion carried.

### 10. ADCM Report - Diane M.

- a. Attended Greater Philadelphia Grapevine Committee meeting workshop on June 19<sup>th</sup>. AA Grapevine in a Time of Change.
- b. Grapevine committee meets the second Thursday of the month, 7 to 8 pm, and everyone is welcome. Information is posted on the <u>District 25 website</u>. ID: 509 568 0294 PW: 628025
- c. Posted online and by mail in print.
- d. Grapevine is now on Instagram.

## 11. Web servant's Report – Lenny T.

- a. District25aa.org for all links and information.
- b. Now the assistant web servant for Area 59.
- c. Calendar and Bulletin Board pages for event announcements.
- d. Traffic to the District 25 website January to June 2021
  - i. Visits to District25AA.org Jan 2021 =694
  - ii. Visits to District25AA.org Feb 2021 =865
  - iii. Visits to District25AA.org Mar 2021 =649
  - iv. Visits to District25AA.org Apr 2021 =896
  - v. Visits to District25AA.org May 2021 =705
  - vi. Visits to District25AA.org Jun 2021 =860
  - vii. In all of 2020 there were 4898 visits. In all of 2019 there were 3845.

#### 12. Old Business

a. Chris B compare our treasury pre-pandemic to end of May. Approximately \$1000 more in the treasury now.

#### 13. New Business -

- a. Chris needs address to send the check for the Grapevine contribution.
- b. Amanda spoke with District 26 DCM about doing a joint workshop.
- c. Tradition VIII Leroy

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- d. Tradition IX -Tanya
- e. Concept VIII Leroy
- f. Concept IX Candy
- 14. DCM Report Candy S.
  - a. 6/1/2021 Conducted monthly District meeting.
  - b. 6/4 and 6/5 Attended NERF (Northeast Regional Forum)
  - c. 6/13 Attended QAM (Quarterly Area Meeting)
    - i. Took place on Zoom, September meeting is planned in-person.
    - ii. They use the Declaration of Unity to open the meeting.
    - iii. Reviewed the information provided via the COVID feedback forms.
    - iv. Archivist will make a binder and an online file with the information.
    - v. Planning an in-person EPGSA November 12-14<sup>th</sup> in Lancaster. Registration is \$20. Needs volunteers. Contact delegate@area59aa.org.
    - vi. 1673 active groups in Area 59
    - vii. \$75,000 in funds in Area 59 treasury; looking for suggestions for using funds for the membership.
    - viii. State convention is August 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> needs volunteers.
    - ix. Area 59 is requesting group histories. Submit to Area 59.
  - d. 6/19 Attended Grapevine Workshop
  - e. 6/20 Visitation attempt via Zoom to Serendipity Group
  - f. 6/21 Visitation to Monday Night Steps
  - g. 6/26 PI Subcommittee meeting
  - h. 6/28 Visitation to Top of the Hill
- 15. Motion to close meeting at 9:01 pm by Wanda, second by Leroy. Motion carried.
- 16. Next Meeting: Tuesday, September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021 @ 700 PM. Zoom room open at 6:30pm.