# District 25 DCM Report Area 59 - Panel 75 April 1st, 2025

### Attended Events:

### SEPIA Round Up

Friday, March 7th - Sunday, March 9th, 2025 The Grand Hotel 1045 Beach Ave Cape May, NJ 08204 \$40 on or before March 1st, \$45 after

# Area 59 Second Quarterly Meeting

Sunday, March 9th, 2025 (9a - 4p) Doors open at 8a, meeting starts at 11a. 109 Clubhouse Court, East Stroudsburg PA 18302

## Upcoming Events:

**New Literature from AAWS** 

Wednesday, April 2nd, 2025 (7p - 8p) Online: Zoom ID 884-531-9831 (no password) Presentations on the *Plain Language Big Book* and *Black in AA* 

## 2nd Anniversary Celebration - Miracle on Pechin St. Meeting

Wednesday, April 9th, 2025 (7p - 9p) Salvation Army Adult Recovery Center 4555 Pechin St., Philadelphia, PA 19128

# Thursday Night Beginners 28th Anniversary

Thursday, April 10th, 2025 (7p - 9p)

Holy Cross Church 140 E Mount Airy Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19119

# Pre-Conference Sharing Session

Saturday, April 12, 2025 (9:30a - 4p) St Paul's United Church-Christ 1979 Weavertown Road Douglassville, PA 19518

## West Oak Lane 52nd Anniversary

Friday, April 25th, 2025 (7:30p - 9:30p) Reformation Lutheran Church 1215 E Vernon Rd., Philadelphia, PA 19150

# **Good News Group BINGO Fundraiser**

Friday, May 2nd, 2025 (7p - 10p) 6809 Center 4842 Umbria St., Philadelphia, PA 19128 (\$10/person, taking donations for prizes)

# Mini Assembly 1 - Delegate Conference Report

Saturday, May 17th, 2025 (10a - 3p; registration at 9a) Valley Point Church 209 Bethel Rd., Glen Mills, PA 19342

# **Annual Memorial Day Picnic**

Sunday, May 25th, 2025 (12p - 4:30p) Peace Valley Park Pavilion #3, New Galena Rd., Chalfont, PA 18914 Potluck sides appreciated, family friendly, two speakers at 3:00p, hosted by D23 Report:

- Final Agenda Items for the General Service Conference
  - General Service Conference in NYC 4/27/25 5/3/25
  - Pre-Conference Sharing Session 4/12/25 (Savannah B. has volunteered to share a position on an agenda item!)
- 2nd Quarterly Area Meeting
  - I can have (would love to have) guests!
  - Sharing our collective experience:
    - Discussion of equipment usage and ownership at District meetings
    - Considering and increasing the Prudent Reserve
    - Courts incentivizing service in AA
  - 2025 Budget Proposal for Panel 75
    - Area 59 contributes \$8,050 to the GSO in addition to the minimum fee of \$2,200 (all in: \$10,250)
    - Majority of budget is for GSC, Area 59 Officers, Area 59
      Subcommittees, Technology Servant & Translators (employees)
  - Area 59 is accepting nominations for the Guest Observer at EPGSA
  - Getting the word out about the Grapevine!
    - The Grapevine has a magazine in print, an app, a podcast, a YouTube channel, and an Instagram account. Check it out and spread the word!
- EPGSA November 14th-16th, 2025 at Lancaster Wyndham
  - Last year they broke even, which is the goal
  - Please starting preparing for the cost of attending
  - The Convention Committee is looking for a Treasurer: please email <u>convention@area59aa.org</u> if you are interested or know someone who may be.
- May 17th Mini-Assembly and Delegates Conference Report (I volunteered District 25 for the Registration Table)
- Treatment & Accessibilities Subcommittee
  - Bilingual Share-a-Day planning

- Making a motion for changing the Area 59 font at our next Quarterly Meeting
- Finishing our poster board for Accessibilities
- I got a Braille Big Book!
- Area 59 is *still* looking for a new Archivist (email <u>archivist@area59aa.org</u>)
- PA Hospitality Suite at AA International Convention
  - Sign up to volunteer or contribute