

District 48 Meeting
March 11, 2015
DCM Chris M.

Meeting opened at 7:00 PM

12 Traditions: Read by Rick

Roll Call: All present except: 10 AM Group, 12+12=24, 4th Dimension Group, As Bill Sees it, Early Risers Saturday Morning Muncy, Friday Morning St. Ann's, Gratitude in Action TLC, Living Life Sober, 12:05 Lunch Hour Group, Montoursville Step Group, New Beginning, Off the Hook Young People's Group, Picture Rocks Monday Night, Saturday Morning Gratitude, Saturday Night Jersey Shore, Saturday Night Picture Rocks, Staying Sober, Thursday Night Duboistown, Tuesday and Thursday Noon Group Muncy, Tuesday Night Live DuShore, and Weekend Recovery.

Minutes: Minutes were read. Motion to accept minutes as read, motion seconded, ayes, none opposed, motion carried.

Finance: Our Treasurer Claire stated there would be a Finance Committee Meeting at 6:30 prior to our next District Meeting.

Treasurer: The Treasurer's Report was made available. Claire stated that beginning balances and are reflected in the report, and the math matches. The District statement matches the statement from Jersey Shore State Bank. Additionally the Treasurer's Report includes contributions made from the groups, broken down by month. Motion to accept Treasurer's Report, motion seconded, ayes, none opposed, motion carried.

DCM: Chris stated she did not attend NERASSA, due to the fact she had to work, but she did attend the Area Meeting in Sauderton, PA. Chris reported the Area mainly discussed Delegate approved travel for the upcoming year. Chris also brought back flyers she received from the Area Meeting for our District.

Answering Service: Bart is still looking for volunteers for the Hotline, and has been handing out sign-up sheets. He received 2 hang-up calls over the past month from tele-marketers.

Archives: NR

Correctional Facility:

Women: NR

Men: Greg reported all commitments were filled and he is still looking for volunteers, 1 year sobriety and no parole or probation is required to volunteer. Greg also stated that another member of our District, Tom S., asked if the District would possibly donate Back to Basic texts for the Prison so he could conduct a workshop with the inmates. Chris stated groups could donate but not the District, seeing that the Back to Basic books is not considered AA approved literature.

PI/CPC: Taryn reported she met with Lisa, Susquehanna Health, and Dr. Pickney, New Life, and gave them literature to pass out.

Literature: Rick reported he spent all but \$4 of the Literature budget on literature for PI/CPC.

Meeting Cards: Tom reported he has new meeting cards and has been taking them to the VA clinic. He also reported the Clinic is looking for past Military personnel to volunteer, for more information see Tom. Michelle asked if we were following a standard for new meetings going onto the meeting card, after some discussion we found the standard in our District 48 handbook on page 16, and discovered some meetings were on the card that did not follow the standard.

Special Needs: NR

Treatment Facility:

Men: NR

Women: Gladys reported she was trying to get ahold of the contact person from District 42 to collaborate and discuss a new meeting. Chris spoke to the contact person from District 42 and it was decided that we all should work on filling the commitments we currently have before starting a new meeting. The District discussed protocol for taking a meeting in these facilities, John asked if Gladys was chairing the meetings, she said she is now, and Samuel shared his experience when he was a volunteer.

Website: Bart posted our District 48 handbook and a link to the Atlanta International Convention on the website. Bart asked if he could make the District monthly minutes and the Treasure's report available on the website, and the answer was yes.

Workshop: NR

Activities Committee: Michelle reported that the Committee had a meeting and is planning the next event.

Steering Committee: Sue reported she needs a committee to help revise the District 48 manual, she has currently been revising it on her own and needs help. Rick, Gladys, Bart, and Taryn volunteered to help.

Newsletter: Commitment still has not been filled.

Tutorial: Tradition 2 was read by Rick with no comments to follow. Mike will read tutorial for April.

Old Business: NR

New Business: Gladys asked the district if she could get chips and medallions for the groups in our district, like Otis once did, and the District voted yes, as long as Gladys makes her report prior to the start of the District monthly meeting. Michelle again brought up the issue of

meetings getting on the District meeting card without following the protocol provided in our handbook. Some discussion was had on this topic the solution seemed to be follow the handbook.

Announcements: 0

Anniversaries: 0

Visitors: 0

Coffee: Brittney is keeping us caffeinated for the month of March.

Motion made to close the meeting, motion seconded, ayes in favor, none opposed, motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:03 PM

Respectfully Submitted,
Michelle M. ☺