District 48 Monthly Meeting

May 10th, 2017

Meeting opened at 7:00 PM by DCM Sue M.

12 Traditions: Read by John.

Roll Call & GSR Meeting Report: Present & Report as follows: 10 AM Morning Group — good, 12+12=24 Tuesday Night — good, A Common Solution — good, Friday Morning St. Ann's — good, Friday Night Big Book — good, Friday Night Group — good, Friday Night Recovery Group Hughesville — good, In The House — good, Monday Night DuBoistown — good, New Freedom Group—Alt. MC Club — good, Off The Hook Young People's Meetings — Asked about Insurance for Meetings, Picture Rocks (Monday Night Group) — good, Plain and Simple Wednesday Night — good, Promises of Sobriety — Monday Night — good, Rewards of Sobriety — Saturday Night — Needs Support, Saturday Morning Big Book — good, Search for Sobriety — good, Sunday Night Big Book—Rescue Workers — good, The Solution — good, Thursday Night DuBoistown — good, Thursday Night Women's Group — good, Up the Creek Saturday Night — good, Waking Up Sober—Sunday Morning Muncy — good, Wednesday Night—Muncy — good, Williamsport Group Tuesday Night — good, Young People in Recovery — good.

<u>Minutes</u>: April minutes were read. Corrections made. A motion was made to accept the minutes as read with corrections. Motion was seconded, all were in favor. Minutes were emailed to all Area 59 Officers per the request of our DCM.

<u>Treasurer's Report/ Finance Committee</u>: Sam E. gave the treasurer's report. Motion was made to accept the treasurer's report with corrections. Motion seconded, all were in favor. The District 48 Balance and Line Item costs were discussed.

John made a suggestion that the GSR's take to their home Group our District Treasurer's Report. Let their Home Group members know about the Districts current financial staus and suggest that the \$60/\$30/ \$10 payments – to consider \$60 to District for a while to help the District carry the message. All were in agreement.

<u>DCM</u>: Sue M. has a copy of her expense report and will pass it around for all to review. Flyers & Announcements: Area 59 Delegate's Conference Report – Mini Assembly. Sat., 06/10/2017 – Theme: Supporting Our Future. Location: Spring Brook Volunteer Fire Co., 20 State Rt. 690, Spring Brook Township, PA 18444. Doors open @ 8:00 am, program starts@ 10am.

July 22nd, 7 Years AA in Lancaster get together. Every year at the EPGSA they ask for guest observers. If you know a person such as a Pastor, Priest, Judge, etc., we will nominate that individual to come to the Nov. Convention.

ADCM: No Report

<u>Answering Service</u>: Diana Bailey reported we received 4 calls in April. 3 were for information only. All calls were handled.

Archives: No Report

Correctional Facilities:

Women: Hazel S. reported PRC & Correctional Facilities are good. Looking for Speakers one Friday a month to share their story for times and location, see Hazel.

Men: Harry M. reported all is well.

CPC/PI: Taryn M. reported that she took literature to Genesis, Pine Street Bldg., and asked where the

Methadone Clinic was located.. Taryn added that she would be willing to take orders for Big Books, similar like we do for coins to help offset shipping charges.

<u>Grapevine</u>: Kate reported on the May Grapevine issue. Lots of articles about diversity in this month's issue. Also some articles on Drugs and Alcoholics make for interesting reading.

<u>Meeting Cards</u>: Tom reported at the June meeting final changes to card must be made. New meeting cards will be printed a few days after the June 14th, 2017 GSR meeting. See Tom for meeting cards.

Newsletter: Kate M. reported that printing costs was discussed at the business meeting earlier in the evening. The newsletter is now available in print and online. She is getting personal anniversaries from the home groups to include in future newsletter issues. Asked for help from all GSR's to get their meeting Anniversary as well. Kate thanked everyone for their contributions and to please keep them coming. ***Kate announced she will be relocating, needs a volunteer to take over the newsletter, Rhianna volunteered, Thanks Rhianna.

<u>Finance Committee:</u> Sam E. as Chairperson for the committee announced that the 6:30 pm, Meeting on 05/10/2017, was well attended. Lots of suggestions regarding printing costs for the newsletter and other GSR Monthly Meeting handouts were discussed. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Steering Committee: No Report

Treatment & Accessibility:

Women: Mary S. reported she is having regular meetings with her group.

Men: Tom reported - Andy needs help, a volunteer every other Wednesday at White Deer, 7:00 pm Meeting. Also, ask your home groups for men volunteers to share their story, they are needed.

<u>Website</u>: Bart T. reported that the website is current and up to date.

<u>Workshop</u>: Claude reported that he and a few others are tossing around some ideas for some Workshops in August or September, 2017.

<u>Activities</u>: Gidget reported Annual District Picnic - Sept. 9th, 2017 at Pavilion #3, more info to come. All are welcome. This info is also posted on the Facebook AA activities page.

<u>Tutorial</u>: Tim read the 5th Tradition in May. Gary will read the 6th Tradition in June.

Old Business: Gidget reported Coin Order goes in on 05/20/2017.

New Business: No Report

Announcements: None

Anniversaries:

Bart had 4 years on April 27th! Congratulations Bart!
Karyn had 37 years on April 28th! Congratulations Karyn!

Visitors: None

Coffee: Gary/Lee had coffee ready for April meeting. They will make it each month for this panel.

Motion was made to close the meeting. The motion was seconded. Ayes were in favor and none were opposed. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted:

Bart T.