

District 48 Monthly Meeting

August 9th, 2017

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

12 Traditions: Read by Theresa.

Roll Call & GSR Meeting Report: Present & Report as follows: 10 AM Morning Group – good, 12+12=24 Tuesday Night- Needs Support, A Common Solution – good, Friday Morning St. Ann’s – good, Friday Night Big Book – good, Friday Night Recovery Group Hughesville – good, In The House – good, Just Do It – good, Men’s Step Meeting – good, Monday Night DuBoistown – good, Montoursville Step Group – good, New Freedom Group–Alt. MC Club – good, Off the Hook Young People’s Meeting – good, Plain and Simple Wednesday 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.

Minutes: July minutes were read. A motion was made to accept the minutes as read. Motion was seconded, all were in favor. Minutes were emailed to all Area 59 Officers per the request of our DCM.

Treasurer’s Report/ Finance Committee: Sam E. gave the treasurer’s report. Motion was made to accept the treasurer’s report with corrections. Motion seconded, all were in favor.

DCM: Sue M. reported Registration forms for EPGSA are on the table, please get the forms in ASAP. Sue will be going to the EPGSA paid for by District 48.

Sue M. reported that she has an attendance list for all Groups/Meetings. She will be checking up on those who have not been attending our monthly GSR Meetings.

Area 59 Online Contributions are up & running. Check it out on the Area59 website and feel free to make a donation.

Green Cards on Self-Support were passed out to all GSR’s to read at their respective meetings. We need to start supporting District 48. Take back to your groups and announce the District needs funds to carry the message.

ADCM: No Report

Answering Service: Diana B. reported we received 10 calls in July. 5 were for info. only, 1 hang up & 4 calls were handled beautifully by our Hotline volunteers.

Archives: Ellen D. reported she has been going to meetings & taking pictures of the buildings where our meetings are held.

Correctional Facilities:

Women: Hazel S. reported everything is going well.

Men: John reports PRC is going well.

CPC/PI: Taryn M. reported that she took cards to TLC & Genesis House.

Grapevine: Nicole reported on the August Grapevine issue. She commented on one article dealing with New Comers – Help make them feel welcome. Nicole passed the August Grapevine around the room.

Meeting Cards: Tom reported he has the new cards. If you need cards see Tom. Tom gave cards to the V.A. Outpatient Clinic/Counseling and also to Milton.

Newsletter: Kate reported the Newsletter will be available online this Weekend.

Finance Committee: Sam reported she will check into options and gather information on costs & alternatives to our AA Hotline Answering Service. All voices are welcome.

Steering Committee: Claude reported he will be reviewing our current District 48 Manual to see if any changes are warranted.

Treatment & Accessibility:

Women: No Report

Men: Francis reported all is well.

Website: Bart T. reported that the website is current and up to date.

Workshop: Claude reported they had a meeting, the Date of December 2nd, 2017 has been chosen for a Workshop at St. Joe's, more info. to follow. Claude asked if all GSR's can take back to their home groups, a need for donations of Big Books & 12 & 12's. They would like to be able to raffle off or give them away at the workshop.

Activities: Gidget passed out a flyer for our annual District Picnic to be held 09/09/2017.

Tutorial: Kate read the 8th Tradition in August. Mike C. will read the 9th Tradition in September.

Old Business: No Report.

New Business: Sue M. invited Lowell to answer any question GSR's may have about the upcoming EPGSA event.

Taryn reported availability of an ad in the Webb Weekly for \$7.40. Motion made to run ad for 8 weeks. Motion 2nded, discussion followed. Ellen inquired if the committee had the funds. John suggested District needs to be frugal. Rhianna suggested looking into free advertising. Taryn made a 2nd motion to run ad for 4 weeks. Motion 2nded, discussion ensued, vote taken, Ayes 22 – Nays 4, minority discussion heard, motion carried, Ad will run for 4 weeks.

Announcements: Sue M. announced she has flyers for her Home Groups Annual Alkathon October 28th, 2017

Anniversaries:

Randy had 11 years on July 24 th !	Congratulations Randy !
Francis had 1 year on August 4 th !	Congratulations Francis !

Visitors: None

Coffee: Lee had coffee ready for August meeting. Gary/Lee will make it for September meeting.

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 8:06 PM.

Respectfully Submitted:
Bart T.