

April 7th, 2021

District 1 GSR Minutes, Butler Area

Opening Session (Roy R.) The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm with the serenity prayer. Tradition 4 and Concept 4 were read.

Roll Call and Secretary Report (Tracy S.) present. A motion was made to accept the March 2021 minutes. The motion was seconded. No discussions or corrections. The minutes were approved.

Roll Call: 16 of 35 GSR's present, 7 of 10 coordinators present; 4 of 4 officers present.

Secretary's Report: (Tracy S.) If you are a new GSR or coordinator, or if any homegroup information has changed, please see the secretary to fill out a group Change Form.

If you have not received the minutes and you are a GSR, coordinator, or officer, please contact the secretary. If you see a mistake, please email the secretary.

DCM (District Committee Member) Roy R present.

On April 15th, 2021 at 5:30pm. There will be an Area 60 GSR meeting on zoom for all GSR's. This will be beneficial for GSR's. This will help you learn what all you position entails and ask any questions that you may have.

On the 20th of every month there will be meetings for DCM's and alternate DCM's.

Alternate DCM (Damian G) present Damian announced meetings in our district that are still open and ones that are following the CDC regulations due to the pandemic.

Treasure's Report (Jason G) present. A motion was made to accept the March 2021 treasure report. The report was approved. A copy of the treasure's report is attached to the end of the minutes.

Answering Service (Bruce B) present. Cabot We Accept has the phone for the month of April. The Trinity group will have the month of May. Raeann B. took the phone for June. July is covered as well. Then August through the end of the year need covered. Please take this back to your homegroups.

PI/CPC Coordinator Report (Christopher B) present. A monthly Area 60 meeting will be held for PI/CPC coordinators. Will announce the date when it becomes known. Pamphlets have been distributed around the district.

Hospital (Jan H) absent. Currently no meetings are being held at the hospital due to the pandemic.

Web Chair (Garret E) absent. No report.

Activities Committee (Mindy F) present. The Gratitude Dinner will open at 11am on November 14th, 2021 at the Sons Of Italy. Tickets will be \$15.00. A flyer and tickets will be available soon.

3rd Annual End of Summer Celebration Picnic will be August 21st, 2021. It will be held at the Pine Shelter at Alameda Park. Free to attend. More info will come soon.

Committee is still looking for a place for the Singing Taco Meeting.

There is talk of a dance and bowling. Will need support.

Mindy motioned to get the \$1000.00 from the District for activities for the year. Motion was seconded and approved.

The next Activities Committee meeting will be April 29th, 2021 at 7:30pm at Grace Calvary **Church**. Come join and serve our district.

Gaiser Center Coordinator (Raeann B) present. West Sunbury has the month of April. Wednesday Night Big Book will take the month of September. October through December open. Please take this back to your homegroups so we can get the remainder of the year covered.

Davis Archway (Matt S.) present. September and October are still open. Please take back to your homegroups to try and get these months covered. A year to speak and a year to chair. Males only. If your homegroup says their going to take a month make sure that you show up. If this continues to be an issue Matt will be stepping down.

Men's Jail (Dave W alternate) present. The jail is not currently letting meetings come in. They will need people to step up once meetings resume. The jail coordinator will be stepping down. Please take back to your homegroups so we can get this position filled.

Women's Jail (Chrissy F) present. The jail is currently not allowing meetings to come in. Chrissy spoke with Area 60 Women's Jail Coordinator and she will be working closely with Erin to try and get meetings to be allowed into the jail. Grapevines are still being taken in for the inmates.

Open Positions John S gave his qualifications for the Alternate Secretary position. After a vote he is now the new Alternate Secretary for the District.

Old Business: Last month we had a discussion on donating to the Area, GSO, and the New York office every quarter. After taking this back to homegroup and it being voted on, we will donate after the Gratitude Dinner in November. This is how it has been done in previous years.

It was voted on and approved to buy \$200 worth of soft back Big Books to be mailed to the Men's and Women's Jail.

New Business: a proposal was made to donate 99.00 each to Area 60, GSO, and New York office. This will be done after the meeting tonight.

A motion was made and approved and seconded.

Sunday Night Sobriety has closed its meeting. Spiritual Experience is taking over some of the possessions from that meeting. It would be at Saint Pete's church. Jamie C. will discuss with Sunday night sobriety to see if its possible to get what was left in their bank account to start the new speaker meeting. Also, trying to keep the same group number.

More information to come on this next month.

Home Group Reports: April B. from Wednesday Lost and found introduced Charlene Z as the new Alternate GSR for their homegroup.

Starting on May 4th, 2021 the West Sunbury meeting will be having a meeting inside and one outside. Weather permitting. Bring a Chair. If it is raining, there will be a meeting downstairs and a meeting upstairs.

The Trinity group is now only having the 7pm meeting. The meeting will be held outside weather permitting. It will be a speaker meeting. Masks are still required if you enter the building.

The Butler Concerned Group will be making a book order. Also, they will be making a book order for the Grapevine.

Take back to homegroups to vote if they want the district to have a literature representative.

For more information of what is going on in our area, please visit the Area 60 website at: www.wpaarea60.org.

The next district meeting will be held on Wednesday May 5th, 2021 at 7:00pm at Grace Calvary Lutheran Church, 123 East Diamond Street Butler, PA 16001. (this is the location at the Butler Concerned Group- the nooner. It is held behind the park across from the courthouse) Remember, you do not need to be a GSR to attend. Attendance is a great way to see how your local AA works.

A motion to close the meeting was made at 8:31pm. Seconded. Read "The Responsibility Declaration" and closed with the Lord's prayer.

Respectfully submitted in love and service,

Tracy S.

District 1 Secretary