

April 4, 2018

District 1 GSR Minutes, Butler Area A.A.

Opening Session: Mike C. called the meeting to order at 7 pm. Concept and Serenity Prayer read.

Roll Call and Secretary's Report: Mindy-Jo F. (Secretary) Motion for last month minutes to be accepted. Motion was seconded and approved. If you haven't received the minutes and you are a GSR please email Mindy F. Or if you see a mistake, please email.

Roll Call: 19 of 36 Gsr's present, 9 of 13 coordinators, 4 of 4 officers

Please fill out form for all home group report, mark your calendar or coordinator report. It will not go in the minutes unless I have a copy. If you need a blank sheet, see me.

The area registrar, Walt, needs updated info for all district one meetings. I will be sending the group info page check list. Please print one and fill out all info!! This must be handed in by the April district meeting. I am sending the forms I received to Walter by April 15th. Thanks for submitting forms.

DCM (District Committee Member) Report: Mike Mc. Welcome new Gsr's. Let's try and shorten the district meeting. AT the end of meeting Mike Found a pair of blue eye glasses; Contact him for them. Bernie reported about Pcaw: it was a good time, great people, a lot of new people. Items discussed there, litigation for Manuscript, adding and deleting verbiage in pamphlets. Anyone can go, anyone could have voted there. Please get involved in your AA.

Alternate DCM: Mike C. Safety and emergency: Please make sure you know your meeting address if you have an emergency. Also where the first aid kit is; and if there is anyone CPR certified.

Answering Service Report: Mack M; Alt Ashley K. Need groups or individuals to step up and take phone per month. *Talk to your home group. Need to collect guidelines for phone calls. Thanks Wednesday night Living Sober and Kiss for taking phone for March.

Need July - Dec. -** take back to your home groups. April- Courage to change : May- Easy does it: June- Wed women meeting : Aug- Rule 62 -----Thanks to all that volunteered.

*****NEED 12 STEP CALLERS !!!!** Please sign up !

CPC/PI Committee: Shannon F. not present, emailed Mike and Mindy; Shannon has to step down, Thomas is the Alt, he will now move into the Coordinator position. Congratulations !! Now we need an Alternate. Also the tear off AA sheet will be sent with the minutes, please put one somewhere. Thanks !!

Web Chair (WC) Report: Andy M. Web chair present, no report

Our District Website: www.district1aa.org

Archives Committee: Jason G. reported, Received a group history submission for the Butler Saturday Night Group (red door) from a former home group member on Feb 11th, He emailed a copy to Al C., out area archivist on March 29th. Also emailed a copy to the night shift groups history to their home group member Andrew M on March 27th

Gratitude Dinner Planning Committee: Kiss Group, Present, no report

Hospital: Shasta; alt John B. alt present No Report. April- West Sunbury : May- Red Door : Need: June—July—Aug—Sept --: Oct- Serenity Group : Nov- Spiritual Tools : Dec- Friday Night Big Book
Need to have 1 year sobriety. Meetings are held Fridays on the 5th floor of the hospital and persons taking in a meeting should arrive at 6:45 pm.

Gaiser Center: Spencer G. Since the new women center has opened, Gaiser Center has asked when you go in please bring the same gender. Men with men and women with women, you do not need to call ahead. Please ask your home group to volunteer. Thanks Courage to change for month of March. April- Spencer G, Mindy and Raeann : May- Spiritual tools : June- Kiss Group : July—Aug-- :: Sept - Sobriety Hill 12&12 : Oct- West Sunbury : Dec- Wed Night big book 12&12 : Meetings are Tuesday at 7:00 pm at the Gaiser Addiction Center on Old Plank Road; please arrive by 6:45 pm. ONLY two people to go in. Need one person the chair and one person to lead. **Both need to have 1 year continuous sobriety.** If your group is unable to keep your commitment and for some reason you are unable to make it to the Center one week or more, please call Spencer G. or the Gaiser Center at 724-287-8205. We can always use old and new Grapevines.

Davis Archway: Doug F. Things are going good, need donations of big books and grapevines please. Thanks to New Hope of Lyndora for March : April is Saturday Morning 12&12. May : Saxonburg mid-week. June-Spiritual Experience : July- Serenity group. Need Aug- Sept Cabot we accept, need Oct-Dec. Thanks to all that volunteer. If any questions, Or if you CAN NOT make it Please **CALL** Doug F. This is a speaker meeting only, 1 person to chair and 1 person to speak. A **suggested 1 year of continuous sobriety is required to speak and chair.** The address for Davis Archway is 164 Schiebel Road, Butler, PA 16002. If you are unable to keep your commitment, please call Davis Archway at: 724-841-0744.

Corrections Facilities

Note: Any person(s) wanting to go into the jails needs to complete the Orientation Program at the jail. The orientation will be held on the first Friday of every month from 9:00am to 11:00am. You need to have 1 year sobriety and be off paper.

NOTE: All Orientation and Clearances must be updated yearly. You must call in prior to going for clearance, if there is not enough attendance, they will not hold the orientation.

Men's Jail: Mick, alt Dave W. Dave W. Dave W. Things going good, If you sign up, please show up. Meetings are now Tuesday and Thursday at 7:00 pm and Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:30 pm. thinking of adding another meeting if enough men step up.

Women's Jail: Heather F; alt Deb F. Heather reported. NEED women to step up!!! Please have a sponsor and Home group if you plan to take a meeting to the jail. Heather reported, We need volunteers!!! If you want to sign up, please contact the women's jail coordinator, Please do not call the jail directly. Central Pittsburgh office each quarter gives \$100 to the Jail's for AA Big Book's, books were Received Women's jail is in need of help. Please step up!!!

OPEN POSITIONS: Alt Secretary ~~~alt web~~~ alt Gaiser~~~alt Davis archway~~~alt CPC/CI

OLD BUSINESS: July 2018 district meeting (Gsr meeting) will be held JULY 11th , 2018. Please tell all gsr's!!

We can Bid for 2019 conference meeting to come to Butler. Need to form a committee to organize a proposal of location, food, date, etc.. to be submitted to Area. If anyone is Interested please come to next district meeting to discuss further. Motion made: anyone want to put in a Bid? Result, NO Pittsburgh plug and product donated 50\$ in honor of Mike V.

Please put Wednesday night women's meeting onto the meeting list. Also, if anyone needs to attend women's meeting. All are welcome!!

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Someone mentioned they do not see willing sponsor sheets and hand raising at the meetings like before, suggest at your home group conscience of maybe making this a thing again.

Adhawk: Jamie report; Meetings are scheduled, and discussion has begun. There will be a presentation at district meeting completed. Please all coordinators ; write down you core duties and requirements or your position and email to Jamie or Roy. You can get a Manuel for coordinator position at area 60.

HOME GROUP REPORTS

*Solutions group voted to move meeting back to 7:30 starting First Friday in April.

*Friday Night Lyndora is moving back to 8pm, starting the first Friday in May.

*Wed night living sober at grapevine meeting has Closed.

*Courage to change has a no pet policy.

*Butler South Side is planning a Semi-formal New Year eve dance, more details to come....

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

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For more information on what's going on in our Area, Please visit Area 60's website at: www.wpaarea60.org.

****The next GSR Meeting will be held Wednesday May 2, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. St. John's Reformed Church, 493 Evans City Road, Butler, PA (Route 68 across from Sheetz). You don't need to be a GSR to attend. Attendance is a great way to see how your local AA works.**

Motion to close. The Meeting closed with "The Responsibility Declaration & the Lords Pray"

Respectfully Submitted by,

Mindy F.

District 1 Secretary

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Officers and coordinators: Their phone numbers and emails will now be on a separate page; it will be attached to gsr email, but not listed on the website minutes.

Treasurer's Report:

Treasures report will now be on a separate page, as it will not be included on the website, but for GSR email only.

Please make checks payable to **District One A.A.**

Any group contributions please send to: **P.O. Box 1725 Butler, PA 16003-1725.**