

May 5th, 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 5 and Concept 5 were read.

Roll Call and Secretary Report (Tracy S.) present. A motion was made to accept the April 2021 minutes. The motion was seconded. The minutes were approved.

Roll Call: 11 of 35 GSR's present, 5 of 10 coordinators present; 3 out 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 email the Secretary.

DCM (District Committee Member) Roy R. present.

Area 60 is holding workshops every month for GSR's, Coordinators, and Officers. A link was emailed to all GSR's. If you have not received it, please feel free to email the DCM or the Secretary.

Alternate DCM (Damian G) absent. Damian is stepping down from the position due to employment. We now have an opening for Alternate DCM. Please let anyone interested know that they will need to attend the next district meeting on June 2, 2021 to give their qualifications. Qualifications for the position are, 5 years continuous sobriety, full 2-year term of GSR experience, be an active homegroup member of District 1, and has a sponsor. Please take back to homegroups so we can work on getting this position filled.

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

Answering Service (Bruce B.) Absent. Roy R stated that the Answering Service is looking for homegroups to take the phone from Aug to December 2021. Please take back to homegroups to get these months filled.

PI/CPC Coordinator Report (Christopher B.) present. Christopher was invited to sit in on a meeting with Butler Drug and Alcohol Committee. We weren't listed on their site but after Christopher talked to the chairperson, we are now.

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

Web Chair (Garret E.) absent. Jamie C. filled in for Garret. The VA meetings are now being held again on zoom.

If you know of any meetings that have started back up and are not on the district 1 site, please let Garret know. That way we have the most updated information on the site.

Activities Committee (Mindy F.) present

Singing Taco meeting will be held on Saturday June 26th, 2021. From 3pm to 8pm. Meeting is at 5pm. Tickets are \$5.00. Some people have tickets already from when they were sold before the pandemic.

The Gratitude Dinner will be November 14, 2021 at Sons of Italy. Starts at 11am. Tickets will be \$15.00. Mindy will have tickets for sale at the next GSR meeting held on June 2nd, 2021.

The Activities Committee is asking for baskets donations or monetary donations to make baskets for the Gratitude Dinner. Please take back **to your homegroups.**

The 3rd Annual End of Summer Celebration Picnic will be held at Alameda Park Pine Shelter from 11am to 4pm. Lunch will be at 12pm. Free to attend. Covered dishes welcome. Bring a chair.

Next Activities Committee meeting will be held on May 27th, 2021 at 7:30pm. It will be held at Grace Calvary Church (the nooner).

Gaiser Center (Raeann B) absent. Roy R stated that October thru December still needs covered. If your homegroup is willing to take a month have them contact Raeann.

Davis Archway (Matt S.) present. Homegroups have stepped up and covered the remainder of 2021. Please be sure if you have taken a month please show up or let Matt know. One year to lead and a year to chair. Men only.

Men's Jail (Dave W.) Alternate, present. Meetings currently not being taken into the jail. Once meetings resume, they will need men to step up to take meetings in.

Women's Jail (Chrissy F) absent. Alternate (Rebecca B) present. Meetings currently not being taken into the jail. Once meetings resume, they will need women to step up to take meetings in.

Open Positions: We need an Alternate DCM, Alternate PI/CPC, Alternate Web Chair, Archives Coordinator, and Alternate Archives Coordinator. Please take back to homegroups so we can get these positions filled.

Old Business: There was discussion last month of a new speaker meeting opening, depending on if they could get the funds to get it up and running. Sunday Night Sobriety closed its meeting and donated all their funds to the new meeting. It will be called The Fourth Dimension. The speaker meeting will be held on Friday's at 8:30pm. At St. Peters Church (Red Door) Starting on Friday June 4th, 2021. At 218 East Jefferson Street.

It was discussed last month as well if the district wanted to have a Literature Coordinator. After discussion this evening, and people having a better understanding of what the position would entail, please take back to homegroups again to see if they want to have a Literature Coordinator.

New Business

None discussed.

Home Group Reports:

Kiss will be having it's 37th Anniversary Picnic on July 15th, 2021 at The Rotary Shelter, at 100 Memorial Drive Butler, PA. From 6:00pm to 9:00pm. Dinner at 6:00pm. Lead at 7:30pm. Covered dishes are welcome.

West Sunbury is now having a meeting inside as well as outside. Weather permitting. Bring a chair. If its raining, they will have a meeting downstairs and one upstairs.

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 June 2nd, 2021 at 7:00pm at the Grace Calvary Lutheran Church, 123 East Diamond Street Butler PA 16001. (This is the location of 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 was made to close the meeting at 7:51pm. Seconded. Read "The Responsibility Declaration" and closed with the Lord's prayer.

Respectfully submitted in Love and Service,

District 1 Secretary

Tracy S.

