DISTRICT 7 BUSINESS MEETING Minutes

October 16, 2015 Serenity Club

Address for District 7 is: P.O. Box 32135 LV, NV, 89173 Email – lasvegasdistrict7@gmail.com

Meeting Called to order at 6:31 pm

After a moment of silence for the still suffering alcoholic opened with the Serenity Prayer

GSR Preamble read:

We are the General Service Representatives. We are the link in the chain of communication for our groups with the General Service Conference and the world of A.A.

We realize the ultimate authority in A.A. is a loving God as he may express Himself in our Group Conscience. As trusted servants, our job is to bring information to our groups in order that they can reach an informed group conscience. In passing along this group conscience, we are helping to maintain the unity and strength so vital to our fellowship.

Let us, therefore, have the patience and tolerance to listen while others share, the courage to speak up when we have something to share, and the wisdom to do what is right for our groups as a whole.

Introductions given- (21 people in attendance) two new GSRs and one Alt GSR.

September 18, 2015 Minutes- Motion to approve made and accepted.

Treasurer's Report: Given by Dano

Opening Balance: \$4,153.87

Plus Income: \$885.22 Expenses: \$697.83

Closing Balance: \$4,368.59

Today's Balance: \$4,492.85

Eddie stated that this is a report and therefore does not require a motion for approval.

Dano also reported that he will have budget ready next month for viewing.

Old Business:

4th Service Event: November 7th, on the 11th & 12th Tradition. 10am to 2pm at Serenity Club. Benny updated everyone on the upcoming event. Venue has been secured. More flyers are available. Flyers are posted at Central Office. Food has been confirmed. Panel has been selected. Grapevine and Archive table are available. District 7 already has flyer posted. Rehearsals were held last Saturday. Things are going well.

<u>Picnic Wrap-Up:</u> New chair is needed for next year. Everyone will consider and make nomination next year. Gene has been the chair for two year.

Next SAGSC Meeting: November 8th TIE Club. New GSRs will need to attend at 12:15. SAGSC begins 1pm.

New Business:

Group Reports:

Webmaster: Ann was not in attendance. Sherri gave Ann's report. Next work shop is online. She plans to send out reminders. Please send any flyers in jpeg format.

Intergroup: No report was given. Scott did not attend. He has promised to set reminders on his phone to ensure he will attend in the future. Lisa reported that the hotline is doing very well. What is really needed is volunteers for the 12 Step list. Contact Billy or Claudia to be placed on the 12 Step list. The do however, need back up for the hotline for Veterans Day.

H&I: Dan reminded us that they still need help with volunteers for prisons and institutions. Desert Hope and Salvation Army are looking for people. Fourth Friday of every month at Seven Hills at 8pm.

Grapevine: April reported she was not able to bring the latest edition. Roundup is coming up, Grapevine has a table and would like volunteers to man the table.

CPC/PI: Keila was not in attendance. She was to email report to Kendal for Lisa to give. However Kendal was not present either therefore Lisa could not give report.

Group Report: Delivered by Nick N. Alt GSR for Southwest Sobriety. St Rose Hospital. West side of the building by the docks on the left. They meet Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, and Friday at 7pm. Sunday is a topic meeting. Monday is a Grapevine meeting. As well, once a month they have Speaker meeting. Tuesday is a 12x12 meeting. If a newcomer is present for their first meeting, the group will go back to step 1 regardless of where they left off the week prior. At the end of the month, they study a tradition, rather than a step. Friday is the big book meeting. 20-25 core group members. Eric volunteered for next month to give the group report.

Other New Business:

Edie reminded everyone that the Roundup is coming up next month. Please register online \$35, if you register at the event it is \$40. Also by registering online, then the committee can pay in advance for the food and other items for the event. This year they will pass the basket at marathon meetings to be donated to the Central Office. The other highlight of this year's Roundup, instead of a "Hospitality Room" it will be "Bill and Bob's Coffee Shop". lasvegasroundup.org

Sherry announced We Care Spaghetti Dinner. October 24 1pm to 4pm Lutheran's Church located 6^{th &} St. Louis \$10 tickets, \$15 for couples,

Lisa reminded new GSRs regarding the change forms for the registrar.

Bud reminded everyone that we still have T-Shirts and Coffee Mugs from the picnic for sale.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:13pm

Minutes taken by District 7 Alt Secretary – Jodi L.

In attendance:

1. Alfredo M., GSR 11. Lisa T., Alt. DCM 2. April J., GSR 12. Nick N., Alt. GSR 3. Benny B., Alt. GSR 13. Scott W., Intergroup/ GSR 4. Dan J., GSR 14. Sean D., GSR 5. Dano B., Treasurer 15. Sherri W., Alt. Treasurer 6. Debb S., Alt. GSR 16. Jodi L., Alt. Secretary / GSR 17. Bud L., DCM 7. Edie D., Visitor 8. Jimmy M., GSR 18. Jen R., GSR 9. Joe V., GSR 19. Mark H., GSR

Page tem 20. Patty M., Alt GSR 21. Eric J., GSR

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