DISTRICT 7 BUSINESS MEETING

August 16, 2013 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
July 2013 minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report
Opening Balance \$6,100.58
Income \$785.34
Expenses \$2,026.00
Closing Balance \$4,859.92

Old Business:

Tonopah: Anyone need funding? Jeffrey said we went over budget last time. Let's see if groups can pick up their contributions this time. Discussion on groups setting aside funding and of how the District just pays the difference up to \$200.00. Edie says you can get \$50.00 at the Assembly toward your expenses. Sherri is sending around a list for volunteers to help with food. Nelson will be hosting the meeting, and we are chairing the 7:00am meeting on Saturday and Sunday.

Picnic Update: Gene has a really good vibe about this. Took a ride and saw wild mustangs. Things are looking good. Chef J. B. putting on the food, Pat has a teacher helping with the kids. We will be raffling off non-traditional items. The crossroad is now open. We want to take a vote on the raffle, do we give it to Central Office or keep the funds since we are running on a deficit. Major discussion ensued on 50/25/25. John suggested a donation basket. There was a motion by Edie to do 50/25/25. Gene was opposed. Majority was in favor. On second count it failed. New motion 50/50 minus cost of books and items raffled passed. Deficit projected at \$789.00. Edie said she has 40 tickets left and wants them gone. John said we need a drop dead date for tickets that haven't been sold. It was decided that that would be happening at Tonopah. Nelson stated that the goal is to sell all of the tickets. Gene wants a third road sign. Nelson said "Make it so!"

Website: Nelson asked groups to send in flyers.

Group Report: Nelson volunteered Keila and she did her report on the Thursday Night Thumpers Floating Big Book Study.

Meeting adjourned at 7:23 pm and closed with the Responsibility Pledge.

Minutes taken by District 7 Secretary - Vickie A.

In attendance:

- 1. Allen M. GSR
- 2. Anne K. Alt GSR
- 3. Bud L. Alt. DCM
- 4. Dano B. Alt GSR
- 5. Dave H. GSR
- 6. Edie D. GSR
- 7. Gene L. GSR / Picnic Chair
- 8. Heather G. GSR
- 9. Jeanne H. GSR
- 10. Jeffrey D. GSR/ Treasurer
- 11. John P. alt GSR
- 12. Keila R. GSR
- 13. Lisa T. IGR
- 14. Michael P. GSR
- 15. Nelson A. DCM
- 16. Pat G. GSR
- 17. Robert L. / GSR / Picnic Co-chair
- 18. Scott W. GSR
- 19. Sherry W. / GSR
- 20. Vickie A. / Secretary
- 21. Joe K. Alt GSR
- 22. John H. Alt GSR