

DISTRICT 7 BUSINESS MEETING

**April 19, 2013**

Serenity Club

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**Meeting Called to order at 6:32 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**

**March 2013 minutes were approved.**

**Treasurer's Report**

Opening Balance \$6259.52

**Income \$1,137.73**

Expenses \$1334.40

**Closing Balance \$6,062.85**

**Old Business:**

Nelson thanked Keila, Gene and Bud for participation and total support of the Traditions Play Service Event. Thanked Edie for her commitment to the Chili Cook OFF. Edie commented that there were some issues with the supplies and that she was glad we didn't win, so we don't have to host it next year. A great time was had by all.

**Picnic Update:** Gene "Blue Diamond on again off again made him blue. The sales people thought it was fine but the association said only 100 allowed. The BLM said it doesn't look very hopeful for a cooler climate." Edie "Andy Kyle has a lead on a location at Mt. Charleston Lodge, just a little further up the mountain." Pat would like to resign as co-chair for the picnic. The spirit is willing – the flesh is not. Still would like to do kid's games." Robert volunteered to be new co-chair.

**Website:** Nelson "Putting up more and more District 7 stuff, Agenda, Reports , getting more and more involved. Still would like to publish stories-as long as there is no profanity.

**New Business:**

Themes for the next service event: Jeffrey – Safety in AA-David also liked Safety in AA. John didn't like the predators in AA theme-said we come in here sick...etc.

Edie-7<sup>th</sup> Tradition Workshop-explain what happens to the money. Has done it and it was well received.

Anne - Anonymity and the 11<sup>th</sup> Tradition regarding social media.

Gene - Combine H & I with the 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition. Edie – Yes they are dove tailed.

Lisa-Combine the two and make it a 7-11 Workshop. Edie it would be wrong to combine them, they can each take 2 hours. Sherry – Tonopah the big issue was the 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition. Let's do the 11<sup>th</sup> Tradition in the fall.

Kendall – Questions on content. Would we discuss every aspect? Anne- We need sex appeal for the newcomer. Edie-Lunch is the sex appeal. Anne-would prefer the 11<sup>th</sup> Tradition topic. Keila inquired regarding our events not sending the basket around. Edie explained that since today we have a healthy budget we give back. Dano likes both topics and wants to know if it can be more interactive like a play. Yes, once we pick the topic we can explore it. Nelson asked that there be a motion on the floor. Lisa made a motion for the 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition and was seconded by Sherry. Move for 6-15-13, 10:30 AM. Edie volunteered to chair the event and sherry volunteered for co-chair. Edie – Will find a play and make it sexy! Nelson will shoot e-mail to DCMs to see if it conflicts with anything else. Sherry and Edie-Whoops, that's Malibu weekend!

**Discussion:**

Regarding the difference between CC & BCC e-mails.  
Inactive Meetings-Was hoping that Bud would be here with roster. Go there and say “We’re here for you” Tabled for next time.  
Sherry has been announcing our meetings so people find out about us.  
More discussion on meeting visits being tabled and CC versus BCC. Keila shared that she is a product of meeting visits. Central Office does not update meeting rosters. Nelson passed around a sign in for interested parties.  
Nelson – Loved the Area 42 Assembly. He advised everyone to turn in your receipts. We were asked to host the next assembly. Sherry will be Chair for the event. The Tonopah report is posted on the website. Read a little piece of the report. Thanked everyone for participating in Tonopah.

Meeting adjourned at 7:35 pm and closed with the Responsibility Pledge.

***Minutes taken by District 7 Secretary – Vickie A.***

- In attendance:
1. Anne K. Alt GSR
  2. Dano B. GSR
  3. Dave H. GSR
  4. David J. GSR
  5. Edie D. GSR
  6. Gene L. GSR
  7. Jeffrey D. GSR/ Treasurer
  8. John P. Alt GSR
  9. Katie S. GSR
  10. Keila R. GSR
  11. Lisa T. Alt GSR/IGR
  12. Michael P. GSR
  13. Nelson A. DCM
  14. Pat G. GSR
  15. Robert L. GSR
  16. Sherri W. GSR
  17. Tim P. GSR/ Alt Treasurer
  18. Vianett A. GSR
  18. Vickie A. Secretary
  19. Kendall L. GSR
  20. Gian N. Alt GSR