

DISTRICT 7 BUSINESS MEETING

Minutes

Oct. 20, 2017
Serenity Club

Address for District 7 is: P.O. Box 32135 LV, NV, 89173

Meeting Called to order at 6:30 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- DCM, Lisa T. conducted meeting.
21 in attendance.

Sept. 15, 2017 Minutes: Unanimously approved.

Treasurer's Report: Given by Treasurer, Jen R.

Opening Balance:	\$8723.11
Closing Balance:	\$9134.24
Today's Balance:	\$8588.09

Expenses: 546.18 (22.50 rent, 200 rent District 7 event, 323.68 GSR funding to Tonopah). Jen R. also reminded the GSRs to let the group treasurer's know that they need to include email addresses with payment so receipts can be emailed.

Old Business:

Group Announcements:

Anne K. let the District know that the Old Time A.A. meeting on Thursday had changed from a steering committee to a group conscience.

Webmaster Report: Lisa T. for Kendall L. reminded everyone to submit flyers and other info.

Picnic Wrap-up: Lorraine L. held meeting a few weeks ago. Treasurer's report created by Jen R. and Dano B. indicates income was \$5718, expenses were \$5614.21. Dano B is putting together picnic notebook. He says it is important for next year and years to come so chairs have a good idea of what to expect, budget etc.

Oct. 21 Service Event Update: Everything was on track according to Stacey J. and Rich. T.

Receipts Tonopah: Lisa T. reminded everyone who hadn't to get the receipts into the Treasurer from September in Tonopah. We are one of the few districts that makes money available in advance that could change if people don't submit receipts.

Budget Operating Account: After much discussion, the group decided it was not necessary to have a separate operating account. There was no clear benefit.

New Business:

Intergroup: April J. reported that Rocco has been named interim general manager of Central Office. Round-up tickets are available. The hotline is looking for volunteers. Twelve step list is growing. Alt Archivist Gabrielle is building shelves. Jan. 18 will feature a fun bus to Laughlin and the Gratitude Ball is possibly changing venues.

CPC-PI: Owen C. reported that the committee attended meetings all over town including the Care Coalition, NV Homeless Alliance, Rally for Recovery at the Courthouse along with a District 9 workshop. It is looking for literature racks that need to be taken care of, if you know where one is, please let him know. WestCare Detox, GV Library have recently added racks. Parole Building racks are awaiting approval. Nov. 18 it will be attending Project Homeless.

Grapevine: Benny B. said the Grapevine Committee meets the last Friday of the month from 6-8pm at Central Office. It will be in attendance at the Roundup.

H&I: Patti M. reporting that Oct. 21 there is a workshop at Sixth and St. Louis.

Oct. 21 District 7 Workshop: Stacey J. and Richard T. are looking for volunteers for skit. Will send flyer out asap. LVD7 will have meeting on Friday before the event. Food Chair, Shellie J. says she is going to serve chili and hot dogs.

Marathon Meetings at the Roundup: Angie K. says spots are still available.

Bones & Brews Update: Edie D. said the event made about \$800 for Central Office.

District Contributions to Central Office: After much discussion regarding the state of the finances for Las Vegas Central Office, Joel P. made a motion to pass the basket at each District meeting to generate contributions for Central Office. The vote was split and the group ran out of time to discuss in depth. The motion was tabled until the November meeting.

District 7 Group Report:

No report.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:30pm

Minutes taken by District 7 Secretary – Anne K.

In attendance:

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| 1. Lisa T, DCM | 10. Dano B., Alt DCM | 19. Tim M., GSR |
| 2. Carolyn C., GSR | 11. Jill G., GSR | 20. Joel P., Alt Treasurer |
| 3. Anne K. Secretary | 12. Angie K., Alt GSR | 21. Stacey J., GSR |
| 4. April J., Intergroup Rep | 13. Robert J, GSR | |
| 5. Benny B., GSR, GV Rep | 14. Edie D. Alt Secretary | |
| 6. Jen R., GSR, Treasurer | 15. Adam F., GSR | |
| 7. Patti P.; GSR, H&I Rep | 16. Rich T., Alt GSR | |
| 8. Rich S., Alt. GSR | 17. Barrett K., GSR | |
| 9. Owen C., GSR | 18. Sonny W. GSR | |