

# **DISTRICT 7 BUSINESS MEETING**

## ***Minutes***

**Nov. 17, 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.  
18 in attendance.

Oct. 20, 2017 Minutes: Unanimously approved.

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

Opening Balance:	\$8588.09
Closing Balance:	\$8775.69
Today's Balance:	\$8734.33

Expenses: 41.36 (22.50 rent), 18.86 (Paperwork Reimbursements)

#### **Old Business:**

##### **Group Announcements:**

Owen C. reported that the Thursday Night Thumpers moved to the extreme southwest part of town. Adam F. said the Big Book Conversation was moving the Saturday night speaker meeting from Serenity Club to Solutions on Thursday night at 7p.m.

**Webmaster Report:** Kendall L. reported that PRAASA information and past District 7 business meeting minutes added. Please send additional flyers to her personal email.

**District Contributions to Central Office:** The motion was that was tabled on this at the Oct. 20 meeting was killed at this meeting because Central Office is out of crisis mode. However, April J. reminded everyone that Central Office was still in need of group and individual contributions. Liaa T. wanted everyone to know that Rocco is an employee of Central Office and is paid accordingly.

#### **New Business:**

**Intergroup:** April J. reported that even though Central Office is out of crisis mode, regular expenses are still incurred. Central Office is still looking to build its prudent reserve back up. The Sober Fun Bus in January is \$45. Hotline is still looking for volunteers. H&I is looking for a new Bridging the Gap chairperson. CCDC needs

women volunteers on Tuesday nights. LVYPAA is looking to start an ASL meeting. There's also a new committee being considered called the 'Sunshine Committee' which will help take meetings to people in hospitals or who are homebound etc.

**CPC-PI:** Owen C. reported that the CARE Coalition, Clark County Health and Wellness were attended recently and went well. Other upcoming events are coming up including the PAC Coalition, Mobile Health Collaborative. It's also looking for racks and refilling the ones they have throughout Las Vegas Valley. If you find one let Owen know and he will report it to the committee.

**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. Lisa T. reminded everyone that the Grapevine also publishes books and thought that it would be a good idea to report on that when possible.

**H&I:** No report.

**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.

**2018 Chili Cookoff:** Jimmy K. was unanimously elected chair with April J. to co-chair. The only February date that is available is Feb. 18. Lisa T. to make arrangements with the Lakes Lutheran Church.

**Oct. 21 Service Event Wrap-up:** Lisa T. said it was well attended and people seemed very pleased that it was not just about sexual predators. She said both Rhonda W. and Barrett K. did a great job as panelists.

**2018 Mt. Charleston Picnic:** Looking for a picnic chair. Lisa T. says she is hoping to vote someone in at the December meeting.

**Alt. DCM report:** Dano B. has been visiting a lot of meetings. He is bringing ambassador packets and trying to bring the general service message to the groups. He is also starting a General Service Meeting at Thursday or Friday at 2pm.

#### **District 7 Group Report:**

Jen R. reported that Stark Raving Sober meets at 8:30 at the Serenity Club. Monday is newcomer; Tuesday is Big Book; Wednesday and Thursdays are dark; Friday is a speaker meeting; Saturday is Ask It Basket; Sunday is meditation. Business meeting is the last Friday of the month.

**Meeting Adjourned at 7:30pm**

***Minutes taken by District 7 Secretary – Anne K.***

In attendance:

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| 1. Lisa T, DCM              | 10. Robert J, GSR          |
| 2. Carolyn C., GSR          | 11. Adam F., GSR           |
| 3. Anne K. Secretary        | 12. Ginger W., Alt GSR     |
| 4. April J., Intergroup Rep | 13. Barrett K., GSR        |
| 5. Benny B., GSR, GV Rep    | 14. Rich S., GSR           |
| 6. Jen R., GSR, Treasurer   | 15. Sonny W. GSR           |
| 7. Rich S., Alt. GSR        | 16. Tim M., GSR            |
| 8. Owen C., GSR             | 17. Joel P., Alt Treasurer |
| 9. Dano B., Alt DCM         | 18. James K., Alt. GSR     |
|                             | 19. Kendall L. Webmaster   |