

Walla Walla District 9 GSR Monthly Meeting Minutes - August 12, 2018

Reminder: New District 9 Address is P.O. Box 224, Walla Walla, WA 99362

Attendees: Arden G, Bob S, Dawn B, Elaine F, Glenda R, Julie R, Jamie H, Laura S, Monte B, Ron F

DCM Monte B opened meeting at 6:05pm with the Serenity Prayer.

Chair Reports

DCM – Monte B – Monte B attended the Area 92 Quarterly in Pullman and relayed the following report:

- Grapevine gave approval for non-retail treatment bookstores.
- Prudent reserve was approved for \$2,500.00.
- Proposed District 9 create a newsletter.
- Monte B will attend meetings to recruit more GSR's to service.
- Monte B to attend fall assembly meeting in Post Falls, ID.
- Following Chairs remain open: Alt DCM, Corrections & Treatment.

Secretary – Glenda R motioned to accept July meeting minutes as published by Gene A. Dawn B second. Minutes accepted.

Treasury – Julie R shared the detailed treasury monthly report. Jamie H motioned to accept, Dawn B second.

Literature – Alt Julie R provided Gene's report of no purchases/sales in July.

Pink Can – Julie R reported funds collected for July \$89.56.

Answering Service – Julie R reported 44 calls answered. Julie is continuing the committee creation and will confirm call list.

Website – Monte B will update the website via Gene A with schedules etc.

Activities – Glenda R – Jamie H suggested a Pot Luck to encourage GSR activity and promote community/inclusion for the district. Possibly combine with a bowling event. Discussions to continue.

GSR Reports

Milton Freewater Primary Purpose – Arden G - Open Topic – 15-20ppl – Paul 37yr, Arden 4yr – PC \$41.

As Bill Sees It – Elaine F. - Open Topic H/C accessible - 8-16ppl – 1/30day, 3/60day - Special Notes: Was able to get several meetings chaired. I was even able to take a day off. Trying for more independence with others chairing. Got call from VA about moving room to T- on 8/25 due to memorial service for loss of Vet. Eva@VA set up everything.

Sunday Morning Eye Opener – Gene A. – 12 X 12 Study – 18-20ppl – Erica 60days - PC \$12.85.

Wednesday First Step Group – Bob S. – Open 1st step – Avg 14ppl – Rick 11mon – DC \$40.

Early Birds Group – Dawn B. – Open Topic – Avg 14ppl - 1yr, 3yr, 4yr, 19yr, 34yr – PC \$2.25 - Special Notes: Need schedules.

Dog Pound – Ron F. – Daily reflections – 3-5ppl – Ron Francesco 32-Years.

Monday Woman's Book Club – Jamie H (acting GSR) – B.B. Steps – 7-10ppl - 15yr, 20yr, 25yr – Special Notes: Rolling out an accelerated 12 step class TBD.

Old Business

- Discussions centered on new members and new service members for district.
- GSR list provided.

New Business

- Glenda will update GSR list changes made at meeting and send.
- Monte B to work on a new platform for the Women's prison's needs.
- Continued discussion of Jamie H's GSR event suggestion.
- Monte B will get more schedule handouts from Gene for GSR's

DCM Monte B closed meeting at 7:15pm with the Responsibility Statement.