AA District 9 Minutes

June 8, 2025 Meeting

The meeting was called to order by DCM, Ben with the Serenity Prayer

Tradition of the Month: Ben read Tradition 6. Barbara commented it is not just about money, but service too.

Roll Call of Officers: Ben-DCM, Rose- Secretary, Steve- Treasurer

Officer Reports:

<u>DCM- Ben:</u> Lisa will likely come for the 90th birthday event, but should she come for a separate event as well? Janet said it would be great for her to come to the 90th birthday event and touch on what it is she does. There is a DCM round table talking about the spirit of rotation.

<u>Treasurer:</u> We had two transactions: a \$50.00 7th tradition contribution from Gene and the Touch on Feelings Group and I paid \$192.00 to renew the PO Box for another year. Motion to approve by Barbara, seconded by Janet- all approved.

Secretary- Rose:

Motion to approve April minutes by Cory, 2nd by Barbara-all approved.

GSR Reports:

Thursday Night Open- Charles

Thursday at 7pm, Attendance- 24, newcomers-4, coins given-5. Birthday night on last Thursday of the month.

Early Birds- Brian:

Daily at 6:30am. Attendance- 6-8, newcomers- 1, coins given- 0. Group develops deep discussions concerning new designs for living as central theme of recovery.

Monday Women's Meeting-Barbara:

Monday at 6pm. Attendance- 15+/-, newcomers-3, coins- 5 (1-6mo, 1-2mo, 2-24 hr, 1-6yr). We're a book study- rotating the AA literature. Working on a women's retreat for end of September.

Night Owls- Cory:

Saturdays at 8:30PM. Attendance-10, newcomers-5, coins given- 4 (2,3,4,6 mo). Open discussion.

Sunday Morning Eye Opener- Janet S.

Sunday at Sonbridge at 10AM. Attendance-13, newcomers-1, coins given- 2 (13yr & 2yr). Read & discuss 12x12. Group has donated funds for 21st event.

Language of the Heart- Ken:

Tuesdays & Thursdays at noon. Attendance-10, newcomers- 1, coins given- 1

Touch on Feelings- Alt Gene

Attendance- 10-20, coins given-2 (13ys & 41yrs).

Water Tower Group- Mike

MWF at noon, Attendance- 20, newcomers-2, coins given-3. District Contribution of \$15. Will be having their annual picnic (see Ben's email for details).

As Bill Sees it- Margue

Notes: All out- up and running, 1 on Saturdays

Tues Promises: reported by Ben

Tuesday at 7:30pm. Attendance-6-8, newcomers-1, coins given- 2. Encouraging group membership!

Friends of Bill W: Rose H.

Saturday at 9:00 AM. Attendance- 7, newcomers- 0, coins given- 0

Committee Chair Reports:

Activities: Alt Charles-

CPC event: Activities will give supplies to the event. Can start setting up for 21st event at 10am. 4th of July BBQ- Wildwood Park, 10:30am meeting, good, games and potluck format, so encourage your group to bring their fave dish.

Answering Service: Cory-

Both calling lists are set, there have been no messages that calls have been missed. We pay \$120/year for this service. Ask Dan if a report on calls can be made. Cory to send out FAQ sheet.

Archives- Shernie:

Two displays – one for 90th birthday that is more about history and a fun one for the 4th of July.

Corrections: Ben-

Always looking for volunteers for the Pen and Juvi.

CPC/Treatment/PI Committee- Janet:

- 1) Main action last month has been sharing the June 21 st Standing Committee Event, and encouraging help in donation/or food from groups and individuals in D9.
 - Activities will be providing plates, cups, water and coffee.
 - CPC members will be buying decorations next week.
 - We still need volunteers to commit to help set up and help at the end to put the rooms back as they were. GSR's we are depending on you to encourage your group members to get involved and be at the event to share the fun.
 - Google Meets meeting arranged for 11th with Area CPC to finalize the agenda for the 21st. All sign up sheets should be handed in today and then we should be able to see what we need to buy in addition to donations.
- 2) Future event scheduled.
 - a. CPC/PI will take part in this years Veterans Stand down. We have been offered a table. It is scheduled to be October 3rd between 3-7 pm at Walla Walla Community College.
 - b. We should have more information at the next meeting. Richard has arranged this for us.

Thank you all for your support and efforts to carry the message.

Meeting closed with the responsibility statement.

Minutes by Rose H, Secretary