

**MONTHLY DISTRICT MINUTES
JUNE 9, 2016**

Meeting called to order at 6:35 by Drew

Open: Welcome new GSRs: Joe: GSR, Agnostic, Atheist & Freethinkers.

Present: 11 groups were represented: Agnostic, Atheist & Freethinkers; Big Book 2; Courage to Change; Daytime; Dogwood; Free Spirit; Green Street; Live and Let Live; Lunch Bunch; No Smoke Big Book; Piedmont; The Way Out.

Secretary's Report: Jean. Secretary's Report approved.

Treasurer's Report: Skip. Treasurer's Report was approved.

Committee Reports:

CFC: Molly. Absent. Roberta reported that she and Molly continue to take a meeting to the jail every Monday night at 8. Volunteers are always welcome. The form to be approved to enter the jail is available on NC23.org.

TFC: Jackie. All is going well. A meeting is being taken to the Servant House every Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. She asked that GSRs return to their groups and ask for volunteers to help with that meeting. Anyone interested can reach Jackie at 336-987-4798. She can also be reached through the website at NC23.org.

CPC/PI: Open Position. We are still looking for someone to

chair this position. Drew reported that the Spartan Group at UNCG has reached out for information. John T. Of Daytime indicated that someone from that group might be interested. Special Events: Candy. Absent.

Grapevine: Dan. Reported that the winner of Grow Your Grapevine for last year was Missouri and in the current issue of the Grapevine are articles and stories from that area. The contest for this year runs until December 31. He said he has all the information for GSRs to take back to their home groups. Dan also said that he is working with the committee for NCYPAA to be represented at their convention in September.

Website: Josh. Reported that a robot hit our website which skewed our monthly numbers by 3200. July hits were 8588 minus the 3200 for a total of 5400. The average per day was 277. Those present were reminded to test the drop down box for meetings and report any additions/corrections to the website chair or webmaster at NC23.org.

Special Needs: Sharon. No requests for aid have been received. A question arose about transportation to outside meetings for residents of the Servant House, many of whom are handicapped. Sharon said that the District does not have any specific transportation and that many others in the same situation use SCAT. However, she said she would work on possibly finding individuals who would be willing to take on this responsibility.

LCM: Roberta. Asked the one new Alt. GSR to see her after

the meeting so she can arrange for their packets from New York.

Alt. DCM: Kim. No report.

DCM Report: Drew. He attended the NC State Convention in July. Unfortunately, he reported, Greensboro was not well represented. NCYPAA performed the same skit at the convention that they did when they were bidding for their convention to be in Greensboro.

The National AA Tech Workshop is coming to our area November 18-20, at the Winston-Salem Marriott. Registration is \$65. There are two tracks which are to be addressed at that time: Using technology and creating technology. GSRs encouraged to take to their groups for volunteers. Sam interjected that an acknowledgment had just been received from General Service that representatives from the Grapevine would be present and give a report at the workshop. Drew said we might want to consider paying for our Website Chairperson to attend the workshop.

Drew reminded those present of the Summer Meeting August 27-28 which he will attend. Also, most important, Area Assembly November 5-6, which this year will be an Election Assembly and he emphasized how important it is for all GSRs to attend.

Old Business: Sam said the NCYPAA flyer is posted on NC23.org.

The issue of LCMs voice and vote was postponed to a later date.

New Business: Jean announced that the church will be unavailable for the District Meeting in October. Several options were put forward to be revisited in September: Meet in another venue; meet a week earlier; meet a week later.

Jean also reported that she had met with Karen and that the workshops brought up at last month's meeting are in the planning stage.

Joe, GSR, Atheists, Agnostics, and Freethinkers, asked what they had to do to get their group on the website. Sam said it was already done.

Open Positions: CPC/PI

Adjourn: 7:15 p.m.