

**MONTHLY DISTRICT MINUTES
November 13, 2014**

Meeting called to order: 6:30 p.m.

Open: Drew opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer, followed by welcoming John, a new resident of Greensboro from Mt. Airy.

There were 20 Groups represented: Back to Reality, Bethel, Daytime, Desperados, Down/Dirty, Early Bird, Easy Does It, Free Spirit, Language of the Heart, No Smoke Big Book, Piedmont, Southwest, The Way Out, 12:00 Unity Club Lunch Bunch, Starmount, Mustard Seed, Issues & Answers for Women, Green Street.

Secretary's Report: The minutes of the October 9, 2014 meeting were posted on the Website. A motion was made, seconded, and the minutes were approved as posted.

Treasurer's Report: The treasurer's report for October up to November 12, 2014, was presented. A motion was made and seconded to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented.

Committee Reports:

CFC: Molly M. Reported that several applications to attend jail meetings were submitted and had already been approved.

TFC: This was an open position. Jackie introduced herself and asked to stand for this position. She comes with 17 years of sobriety, participates in High Point Detox, and goes to the Jail on a regular basis. A motion was made and seconded that she be elected to fill the position.

CPC/PI: Sheila. Absent.

Grapevine: Dan. Announced that he had with him subscriptions to the Grapevine and

encouraged GSRs to take some to their home groups. He also said that he plans to purchase 4 subscriptions to make available to the jail (2 men, 2 women) He also plans to purchase two additional subscriptions to be given away at the New Years Eve Event.

Website: Thomas. Downloads were 142 for schedules; just under 4,000 use the site, and the hits are approximately 130 per day.

Special Events: Rucker - Absent, however Thomas reported that the New Years Eve Event is in the planning stages, that Westminster Church has been secured, that Rucker is working on speakers, and that a committee is being formed. For the present, anyone wishing to participate may contact Drew.

LCM: Dave/Roberta. They reported that they have divided the group sheets that need updating and each is attending meetings to get this done, and at the same time encouraging groups with no GSR to elect one.

Intergroup: Lisa. All is well at Intergroup.

Special Needs: Sharon. No report

Dist. 23 Archives: Jim - Absent

Alt. DCM: GSRs to return to home groups and announce a need to fill this position.

DCM Report: Drew reported the following:

- A. There were 10 District 23 representatives at the Area Assembly.**
- B. Rachel was elected our new Delegate, and Ken is the alternate.**
- C. Reminded the group that for the GSR position there are two main things they are required to do: Attend 2 Area Assemblies a year and attend 12 District Meetings a year.**
- D. That Chairperson manuals are available from the Area at a cost of \$18.00. Sharon purchased one for**

herself and she is to be reimbursed for the cost.

- E. Of the 62 active groups in Area 51, donations were received from 22 and District 23 is among the highest contributors.**
- F. The Spring Area Assembly is May 15-17 in Raleigh.**
- G. International Convention in Atlanta July 2-5, 2015.**
- H. State Convention in Raleigh July 30-August 2, 2015.**
- I. AA.org website redesigned.**
- J. That it is important to update group sheets, and it is suggested that perhaps each District have a Registrar to attend to this.**

Old Business: Open Positions: Alt. DCM

Under old business came the matter of a budget. After some discussion, it was moved and seconded that a budget be put together including those received, and for chairs who did not submit a budget, using the figures from the past several years as a guide. The budget is to be presented and voted on at the December meeting.

New Business: None

The meeting was adjourned at 7:20