

District Meeting Minutes

April 13, 2025

Lance opened the meeting at 4:11 pm with the Serenity Prayer. DCM position has become vacant. Lance asked if anyone is willing to stand as DCM. Grant is willing to stand as DCM. Grant voted in as DCM.

Dawn made a motion to accept the minutes as written. Paula seconded, all approved.

Visitor: Heather from Al-Anon

Treasurer's Report:

Beginning Balance \$5,396.04

Expenses:

Literature \$ 23.91

Schedules \$ 81.00

Total Expenses: \$ 104.91

Deposits:

7th Tradition \$ 14.00

Literature \$ 626.00

Serenity @Noon Thirty \$ 50.00

Pink Can Fund \$ 7.00

Total Deposits: \$ 697.00

Ending Balance \$5,988.13

Prudent Reserve \$3,000.00

Available Balance \$2,988.13

Dawn made a motion to accept the treasurer's report as read, Paula seconded. All approved.

Old Business:

- Area Assembly: DCM not able to be present, Dawn attended Archives standing committee meeting in place of DCM and voted on DCM's behalf.

New Business:

- Grant voted in a DCM. Open district positions: alternate DCM, Archives, CPC, PI.
- Dawn asked if District would be willing to donate or sell two containers of coffee to Roundup Hospitality room (as there are four containers of coffee in the storage unit), also asked if extra coffee maker that is also in storage can also be used by Roundup Hospitality room. Dawn made a motion that District sells Roundup committee two containers @ \$5 per container and allow use of coffee maker. All approved.

- District needs to purchase our own coffee and styrofoam cups for monthly District meetings at First English Church (2nd floor of Parsonage).
- Heather (Al-Anon) made a motion to let Al-Anon borrow District 41's audio equipment for their September assembly.
- Lance encouraged GSR's to spread the word about Spring Roundup.

Chair Reports:

Archives: open position

BTG: Rebecca L.: facilitated 3 BTG connections; Sean Ringer voted in as Area's BTG chair; Rebecca L. will be attending the Bridging the Gap workshop in Dillon, asked if District can reimburse for her gas and hotel room for one night (average price for hotel is \$100-150). Brandy made a motion that District 41 will reimburse for travel costs and hotel room, Jim seconded. Majority approved.

Corrections: Brandy: despite attempts to bring meetings to the jail, Brandy received email from Sheriff stating that bringing meetings into the jail is not possible at this time due to understaffing and upcoming construction projects. Enovo may be installed on inmates' tablets, which has AA literature (i.e. big book and 12x12). Looking for volunteers to chair meetings at women's pre-release center on Wednesday's at 7-8 pm. At Area: voted on if sovereign flags should be flown at the International Conference. Also voted on having awards and accommodations that AA received to be included in the new edition of the big book.

CPC: open position

Grapevine: Jim: now have 56 books total, total cost \$506.67. Can sell at Roundup.

IT: Eric: March minutes are on the mini site

Literature: Dawn: did an inventory, proposed that she has a tub or two that has a lot of old literature, plans to try to sell at Roundup. Has stocked inventory of coins. Plans to place an order for service manuals and plain language big books.

PI: Jim: Cathy and Jim have stocked up pamphlet racks, has a new pamphlet rack at Dynamic Recovery in Columbus Center. Would like to place an order for new pamphlets, would order with Dawn. Brandy notified Jim that Ideal Options has a pamphlet rack.

Schedules: Cathy: brought more schedules in case anyone needs more, did not put the month on them in order to reduce the need for monthly printing

Treatment: April: brought May RMTC flyers listing speakers for Friday night 7pm meetings, let April know that literature pamphlets are low at Candlelight meeting.

Hotline: Nick: will talk with Hugh and Lance about getting all of his information updated (contact lists, etc).

SYS: Rosie: Cathy provided updates: Rosie has scheduled this Wednesday (4/16) at 6:00 pm at Benefis West to plan Founder's Day, for all who wish to attend.

DCM: Grant: will look into chair reports; glad to be here

Group Reports

Lewistown: Lindsay: glad she attended Area assembly and participated; just had Founder's Day yesterday about 30 members in attendance, 388 years and 11 months for sobriety countdown; have a business meeting on May 12th; going to try to push the Roundup to meeting members

Meeting of Recovery in Belt: Regina: trying to promote something other than the big book to read

New Beginnings: Jacque: Cathy provided update: will have a business meeting May 18th 6pm, attendance low on W/F, higher attendance on Sundays

SOP: Brandon: this Thursday the meeting will not be held at Peace Lutheran, new location TBD; meetings at men's pre-lease are going well

Mustard Seed: Rebecca A.: Tonya J. speaker meeting May 19th, Wednesday night meetings we finished the big book and are now reading through the Grapevine prayer and meditation book

Serenity @ Noon Thirty: Dawn: does not have GSR, meeting is going okay

Grant: Fourth Dimension: meeting is going well, well-attended

Cathy: Just for Today: meeting is going well, no other updates

Courage to Change: Jim provided update: donated 3 scholarships for the Roundup, attendance is fair

The next district meeting will be held **Sunday, May 4th at 1:00 pm at First English Church (2nd floor of Parsonage).**

Seventh tradition was \$13.45. Meeting adjourned at 5:40 pm, closed with the Responsibility Statement.

For the next meeting:

Tradition 5: Rebecca L.

Concept 5: Rikki L.

Snacks: Roundup hospitality leftovers

Respectfully submitted,

Rikki L.