

District Meeting Minutes

February 2, 2025

Lance opened the meeting at 3:11 pm with the Serenity Prayer. Dawn made a motion to accept last month's meeting minutes, Cathy seconded. Minutes from January 5th meeting approved.

Treasurer's Report:

Beginning Balance: \$6,658.57

Total Expenses: \$1,301.19

Total Deposit: \$834.00

Ending Balance: \$6,191.38

Available Balance: \$3,191.38

Lance will be meeting up with Molly next Tuesday to add her to the account.

Pink can: we have \$84 in pink can account, she will get with Brandy to coordinate purchasing big books.

Rikki gave Molly a check from Al-Anon in the amount of \$50 from the NYE party.

Old Business:

- Angel Room still looking for chairs
- Pamphlet rack: Singleness of Purpose business meeting will be held this Thursday 2/4 and will discuss donating rack to District. Grant asked if the pamphlet rack was purchased by District, Lance will look into this.

New Business:

- Voting:
 - DCM: Erica D.
 - Hotline: Nick
 - BTG: Rebecca L.
 - SYS: Rosie volunteered, will vote in next months meeting as volunteers must be present
- Positions still available: alternate DCM, Archives, CPC, PI, SYS
- Meeting location update: Cathy said 111 center would be \$12/hour. Dawn made a motion to keep meeting at First English Church based on cost (only \$10/meeting at First English). Motion approved.
- WSRAASC: District would pay for Erica (new DCM) to attend. Rebecca L. (new BTG chair) will be attending. Also attending: Hugh, Brandon, Lance, Brandy, and Rikki. Lindsay from Lewistown will try to attend.
 - Lindsay: if she is unable to attend, she asked Erica to lobby from the Central Montana group to bring back the following story: "The Professor and the Paradox" (page 336) from the second edition AA book. Rebecca A. let Lindsay know that Zoom attendance is allowed.

Chair Reports:

Archives: open position

BTG: Rebecca L. voted in during meeting

Corrections: Brandy: GSR's please push, needs female volunteers. Prison elimination rape act class is a total of 16 hours. Required before going into the jail. The next class is next Wednesday and the volunteer packet and background check must be completed first. There is not a sobriety length requirement. // Women's and men's pre-release do not have big books, looking for donations, lightly used copies (hard or soft back, but no staples) will be accepted. Can use pink fund cans for those under inmate status. Judy said there is \$46 in pink can District fund. Recommended looking into area fund. Lance said right now the Area pink can account is under maintenance. Brandy asked that groups can create a pink can fund if they do not have one and announce at the beginning of meetings.

CPC: open position

Grapevine: Jim: Cathy and I managed to get some stuff ordered, 2 subscriptions GV and 12 books came to a total of \$239.64

IT: Eric: in messenger

Literature: Dawn: provided process of getting a story in the big book, ordered \$700 worth of books, Eric got 15% off, will be selling to Roundup committee. Waiting on coins, have been selling a lot lately.

PI: open position: Jim got a new rack to the Indian Mental Health Center this week, it was donated by Steps to Recovery group. Updated new schedules at RMTC, pre-release, clubhouse.

Schedules: Cathy: with Eric's help, was able to get them done. Removed months so they can be printed as needed. Will need to be updated to include new chair positions. Meeting guide app and MT site have been updated, trying to update address for Sunday Serenity 11am meeting on meeting guide app. Tuesday Al-Anon needs to say Steps to Recovery. Lewistown no longer has a Tuesday am meeting, can be removed.

Treatment: April: RMTC speaker meetings going well, scheduled out until March. Erica will be speaking April 4th. Nick asked about Benefits West Campus Mental Health Treatment Center on the first floor, sometimes they reach out to AA to have speakers.

Hotline: Nick voted in during meeting

SYS: open position

DCM: Erica voted in during meeting

Group Reports

Lewistown: Lindsay: men's retreated happened; business meeting on the 11th, will ask group if they will pay for her to go to WRSACC

Meeting of Recovery in Belt: Regina: nothing new to report, everything is good

New Beginnings: Jacque: Cathy provided update: did not have business meeting last month, hope to have one this month

SOP: Brandon: Lance and Brandon taking meeting to men's pre-release on Mondays, closed discussion literature meeting every T/Th at 7, business meeting this Tuesday open to everyone but only group members can vote

Mustard Seed: Rebecca A.: Eve speaking 2/17, potluck at 5, \$13 donated to pink can

Serenity @ Noon Thirty: Dawn: still no GSR, looking for volunteers

Grant: Fourth Dimension: no updates

Cathy: Just for Today: up to 14 women, GYST house usually shows up

The next district meeting will be held **Sunday, March 9th at 4:00 pm at First English Church (2nd floor of Parsonage).**

Tradition 3: Regina

Concept 3: Grant

Snacks: Dawn

Seventh tradition was \$18. Meeting adjourned at 5:30 pm, closed with the Responsibility Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

Rikki L.