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# SETA Area 67 Grapevine Committee

## Meeting Minutes

Thursday, February 16, 2023

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### Meeting Called to Order

Darryl W. called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM. The Serenity Prayer immediately followed.

### Members Present

Darryl W. SETA Area 67 Grapevine Chair  
Terry P. SETA Area 67 Grapevine Alternate Chair  
Thad D. SETA Area 67 Grapevine Secretary  
Rose L. Primary Purpose Group/Spiritus Contra Spiritum GVR  
Leslie S. District 31 GVR  
Rahsaan E. Early Bird Group-Kingwood GVR  
Wendy F. District 40 GVR

### Orientation

Read by Darryl W.

### Tradition Review

Tradition two and the checklist questions were read by Thad D. Next month Terry P. will read Tradition three and the checklist questions.

### Secretary's Report

Thad D. asked if corrections were needed for the January 19 meeting minutes. No changes were suggested.

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## Treasurer's Report

Darryl W. - The beginning balance for 2023 was \$1380.00. There was a lodging expense in January for \$227.70, giving the committee a remaining balance of \$1152.30 for the remainder of the year.

## Old Business

**District 31 Grapevine Writing Workshop:** Leslie S. - The workshop succeeded. Darryl began with a Grapevine overview, then Leslie commenced with the writing segment. Many stories were written, and participants shared as their stories were completed.

**District 32 Grapevine Presentation:** Terry P. - The presentation lasted about 15 minutes. Terry suggested visiting groups and clubs to increase involvement with Grapevine. In addition, the district is looking into a Grapevine writing workshop for 2023.

## New Business

**Equipment for hybrid events:** Thad D. presented new equipment ideas for future workshops. A speakerphone and a projector were discussed for supporting future hybrid events and aid in PowerPoint presentations. Both are available on Amazon.com for a total combined cost of less than \$200.

**District 70 Grapevine Workshop:** Thad D. - The workshop will be on **May 20, 2023** at Up The Street Club in Webster. A workshop committee is in the works.

**Subscription Drive:** Darryl W. suggested someone outside of Grapevine, keep a tally of subscription sales. The tallying would be on the honor system. The winning GVR could be awarded a night's stay at a SETA assembly. Thad D. suggested also giving out raffle tickets to subscribers, and having a raffle at the end of the drive. Financing the prizes was then discussed


**Motion:** Rahsaan E. made a motion for Area Grapevine to provide one night's stay at an area assembly for the winner of the subscription drive. Second by Rose L.

**2 ayes**

**1 no**

**The motion was passed.**

**District 82 Writing Workshop:** Darryl W. announced this will be held at the Brazosport Area Club on March 25, in Clute, Texas.



**District 60** is requesting a Grapevine presentation for one of their future events. Other service committees are also being invited. Details will follow as more information becomes available.

The **Grapevine budget meeting** will be on March 4. The location is to be announced.

## Adjournment

Rahsaan E. motioned to adjourn at 7:57 PM. and Rose L. seconded this. The Responsibility Statement followed.