

Approved District 31 Minutes of April, 2021

The District meeting was opened by Cheryl M. at 2:03 pm on April 18, 2021 in person and via ZOOM with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

In attendance were Annette B, Cheryl M, Christina P, Darryl W, Don M, Donna F, Eddie M, Hughdell Y, Jordan A, Karacinda D, Karon M, Kristi N, Rita F, Sabina B, Seth S, Susan B

Don M presented Tradition 4 and Eddie M presented Concept 4.

Volunteers for April: Dell Y will present Tradition 5 and Darryl W will present Concept 5. Via email to incorporate in minutes.

NEW GSR/ 1ST TIME VISITORS/GUESTS

- Rita F Alternate GSR for the Good News Group

SECRETARY REPORT (Don M)

- Review of March minutes- accepted with no corrections.
- Review roster and report errors to D31secretary@gmail.com
- Please review the newsletter, especially regarding items of your group or committee.
- If you wish to be included in the reminder text, please send an email to D31secretary@gmail.com

TREASURER'S REPORT (Eddie M)

- Total receipts were \$127.76. Total expenditures were \$1330. Negative cash flow equals \$1202.24. Checking account balance is \$5341.72. After \$1875 prudent reserve the available funds are \$3466.32.

DCM REPORT (Cheryl M)

- April assembly was via Zoom, with 16 District 31 participants.
- Printed copies of meeting schedules are still available.
- SETA website is not finished, committee formed to discuss outside help.
- Lead one of the round table discussions, very informative, lots of background materials.
- Delegate sent to GSC "Informed but not instructed. GSC is April 18 through 24.
- Comparing Intergroup, Registrar and District 31 group schedules.

ALT DCM (Karon M)

- 25th Hour Group volunteered to host a Service Workshop
- Lunch Bunch Group volunteered to host a Sponsorship Workshop

GSR REPORTS

25th Hour (Dell Y GSR)

- In person meetings with masks and social distancing.
- Meetings 7 days a week
- Monday 6:30 pm Men's Meeting
- Tuesday 6:30 pm Women's Meeting
- Interested in finding a Service Sponsor.

494 Lunch Bunch Group (Karacinda D GSR)

- Now has group email for those interested.
- Having hybrid meetings at noon, masks requested but not required if in person.
- Attended Advanced GSR Meeting at Assembly.

- Working on policies.

Livingston Unity Group (Seth S Alt GSR)

- Good attendance at meetings
- Masks required if in person.
- May 7th new Saturday meeting at 7 pm.

Good News Group (Rita F Alt GSR)

- Meetings 7 days a week, in person attendance going up.

Recovery Essentials of Trinity (Annette B, GSR)

- New Sunday hybrid meeting 6:30 pm having good attendance.
- How to work the first 4 steps workshop August 28th, noon-4pm
- Checked libraries in area, 50% still have donated books.

Serenity Group of the Woodlands (Susan B GSR)

- Groups has internet phones for the Memorial Day weekend, May 28th – June 1st.
- Group has new newsletter.
- Learned a lot at Intergroup workshop on Beginner's Meetings.
- Group back to pre-pandemic meetings.
- For information about group go to: www.serenitywoodlands.com

1502 Group (Jordan A GSR)

- Group attendance is high, masks are optional.
- April 24th karaoke after evening meeting.
- 8-year-old baseball league heating up.

Kingwood Group (Sabina B)

- May 1st workshop 11:00 am until 3:00 pm Step 4 Workshop.
- Group needs Alternate GSR and Grapevine rep.
- Needs info in what happens with relapsed trusted servants.

Atascocita Group (Donna F)

- Moratorium on building repairs
- Still contributing to District

Spring Group (Christine P)

- Group interested in 11th Step Workshop.
- Audio difficulties, additional info as provided.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ARCHIVES, Open position

CFC (Bahiyah W)

- Not present, no report.

CPC Kristi N.

- Looking at virtual 12 Step option.
- A lot of information to absorb, looking for guidance.

GRAPEVINE (Darryl W)

- No Grapevine meeting this month.
- Need to promote more subscriptions.
- Has subscription to give away at workshop.
- New literature Free on the Inside.
- New literature Women in AA, available in Spanish only.

IT Open position

LITERATURE (Christine P)

- Audio issues, awaiting further information.

PI (Daryl R)

- Not present, no report.

TFC (Jordan A)

- Parc interested in Bridge the Gap.
- Some facilities will not allow in person meetings.

OLD BUSINESS

- **Open positions-**

- **Archives:** OPEN
- **IT:** OPEN

Karacinda D made motion to reserve remaining excess funds to purchase video conferencing equipment to facilitate Zoom meetings, Dell Y seconded. Passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Dell Y made a motion to move the June meeting to the 27 in deference to Father's Day, Karon M seconded. Passed unanimously.

CLOSING

The meeting closed at 3:48 pm with the responsibility pledge.