

District 52 – Monthly Meeting Minutes

June 6, 2017

Meeting called to order @ 7:00 pm by Diana S.

Opened with Serenity Prayer

Agenda distributed – Pagon S.

Sign-in sheet distributed – Pagon S.

Secretary's Minutes – Pagon S.

- May, 2017 – approved as amended; Richard G. 1st; Meeka T., 2nd; PASSED

Treasurer's Report – Richard G.

- May, 2017 (05-01-16/05-31-17)
 - Beginning Balance - \$ 3,179.17
 - Income - \$ 215.49
 - Expenses - \$ 93.60
 - Ending Balance - \$ 3,057.28
 - Treasurer's Report for month ending 05/31/2017; Pagon S. 1st; Kody C. 2nd; PASSED

DCM Report – Diana S.

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Group Issues and Announcements

- First Colony – Kody C.
 - Attendance is good
 - Group conscience on 1st Monday
 - 6 week workshop on The Principles begins June 29, 2017
- In the Book – Richard G.
 - Attendance is steady with 20-25 people weekly
 - Mentioned the cost of being at current location \$650 annually for insurance

- Currently using a different format than Joe & Charlie.
- Using the 12 x 12 Step Study
- Last Sunday of the month, birthday night, a tradition is read and discussed

Group Issues and Announcements, cont.

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- Rose-Rich –
 - Reminder of the celebration on July 1st – 10th Anniversary
 - Raffle tickets
 - Food
 - Fireworks
 - Bake Sale
- JUGGS – Ken F.
 - New group – elected GSR
 - Meeting are Wednesday night @6:30 @ 3900 Lexington
 - 12 x 12 Step Study, and the 12 traditions
- Tri-Cities – Joanne F.
 - Group conscience meeting held on May 7th
 - Birthday Meeting is on May 27th (14 celebrants)
 - 7 had 1-5 years
 - 2 had 6-10 years
 - 2 had 11-15 years
 - 3 had 16-20 years
 - Workshop on Steps 8 & 9 was held on June 3, 2017
 - Very organized
 - Wonderful handouts
 - Well attended

Standing Committee Sharing Sessions

- Literature – OPEN
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- PI-CFC – OPEN
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- Grapevine – Karen S.
 - Attended Grapevine District Meeting on May 18th
 - All literature has been retrieved from Harold – the new chair has it. There was been ongoing discussion on what to do with the literature.
- CFC – Gary B
 - Attended SETA-CFC meeting this month.

- Meeting was well attended
- Donations are healthy
- They continue to better organize the meetings behind the walls i.e.times, location, who to contact
- Website continues to improve as far the information for the area
- Unable to attend Houston-CFC, Meeting was well attended and reports are good as to their health; donations are down, however, member still carry the message behind the walls at TDCJ
- Open Door Group on Tuesday nights at the Harris County Jail are well attended with approximately 25 – 35 offenders participating each week
- One of the volunteers, Jim K. raised funds for the group at recent BBQ cook off at the Heights Group of \$281. The plan is to use the funds to purchase more 12
- “Staying Alive Group” at Jester III Trusty Camp has grown to over 35 in at Camp has grown to over 35 in attendance each week.

- TFC – OPEN

Standing Committee Sharing Sessions, cont.

- Tradition _____ presented by _____; Concept _____ presented by _____
- Dana G asked for volunteers for _____ Meeting – Tradition _____ – _____.; Concept _____ - _____

Announcements

Pass the basket - _____ collection in the amount \$ _____

Next meeting is _____

Closing with the Lord’s Prayer _____