

District Meeting Minutes  
April 27, 2014  
West Baytown Club

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Trusted Servants

-DCM - Ray R.	-PI/CPC - Debra
-Alt DCM - Shayenne F.	-Treatment Facility - John
-Treasurer - Robert C.	-Literature - Open
-Alt Treasure -	-Grapevine - Joe S.
-Secretary - Virginia F.	-Newsletter - "The Jaywalker" - Open
-Alt Secretary - Open	-Webmaster - Open
-Correctional Facility - Connie H	-Intergroup Liaison - Open
-Archives - Open	-LCMC Zone 1 - (North Shore)
-LCMC Zone 2 - Open (Pasadena)	-LCMC Zone 3 - Open (Webster)

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Those present: Ray, Virginia, Brady, Shayenne, Bobby B, John, Jason, Troy W, Donna, Melissa, Jackie, Terry G., Jeff C, Patti, Connie A, Deanna, Teri, Connie H, Kirk.

Ray opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

4<sup>th</sup> Tradition was presented by Jeff C.; the 4<sup>th</sup> Concept was given by Shayenne.

### **Secretary's Report**

The minutes were read with several corrections, which were accepted as corrected.

### **Treasurer's Report:**

Robert is absent today. When we get a cost for cokes, water, and fruit for July's Hospitality Suite, District will pay for those items. We need to put them in budget for next month's meeting. We are partnering with District 60, Sylvester is their DCM. They will be doing the literature table. Shayenne is heading up the hospitality. 75<sup>th</sup> edition of Big Book is now available at Intergroup. Melissa passed the sign in book for the Seta Gratitude Dinner for our Archives. If your groups wish to contribute drinks for the hospitality suite, bring them to next month's next meeting, Shayenne will store them. There will be between 200 and 300 people attending. The 2015 budget will be proposed at this meeting. When do we want Patrick to comeback and report to us on the assembly that he is now attending? It must be some time after Jun7. AA World services has electronic books, big book and 12 and 12 through Amazon and Kindle.

### **GSR Reports:**

Connie A, Light of Christ La Porte Book Study, no report. Deanna, New Life, they are growing meet 6 PM Thursday they are trying to collect for the Hospitality Suite will be passing more information later. Jeff C, La Porte Group voted on agenda items 5-6 got it all done in one meeting. Brady, Shoemaker, asking for volunteer from heir group they have on the floor money to be contributed to the Hospitality Suite. Bobby, Nassau Bay Men's submitted to Patrick six agenda items. Got an email asking for volunteer for July. He sent something in does not know if it got to Leslie. Donna 10<sup>th</sup> Step Group. Thanks us for the information. Troy, Hi Nooners, anything new early May will be passing the basket to get money for the assembly. Kirk, Working with Others group, Numbers are growing. Women's on Thursday needs support. Sunset had a fun day. Monday and Tuesday, Book Studies, then Candle light meeting. Will be getting Johnny T to talk about this. Terry, La Porte Ladies group stated they just finished the annual beach retreat. Was fantastic. Melissa, North Shore doing

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assembly breakfast. Workshop coming up 6-8 AA in 2014. It is between 2 and 4 Sunday. Friday they have candlelight service. They are going to have a fund raiser. They will begin fellowshipping. Banana Bend, June, July and August, get in free if we are with North Shore. May be moving they are having lease/insurance problems. They will be making flyer on the Banana Bend event. Troy B, alt chair SETA. Troy can put information on SETA's page. We get to use their website. Bobby introduced Terry G who has been volunteered to be webmaster.

**Committee:**

John TFC they encourage groups to be involved in carrying the message to Treatment Facilities. We can visit when they are in the facility. Area committee meeting can be put on a computer. Temporary contact helps people to get in contact with someone in their area. Suggest we let our groups so these people can get sponsors. They need to concentrate on people in our district. Bring old grapevines so they can be taken to the treatment facility. Intergroup Treatment Facility has a group who plans on visiting. You can volunteer as a temporary contact person. Connie H, CFC has not been able to make district 81 or district 70 because she does not drive after dark. Needs a ride. Needs to know of anyone in your group who is interested in being their CFC representative. Need people to be available and also to write to inmates.

Ray stated that any changes in the directory need to be made by 5/9, he needs change by May 2 so he can meet that deadline. Ray asked when we want Patrick to return and give his report, is the third Sunday okay? Brady stated that June 14 is Father's Day, and suggested we change the meeting date to the 22<sup>nd</sup>... Sheyenne stated she needs money for help in purchasing stuff for the hospitality Site. Connie H, does not have a flyer for the Houston Correction Facility Work Shop. It is May 17, from 2-7 at Clear Creek. Ray stated the board in the back has flyers. He has order forms to sign up for Texas State Convention and save the date cards. There are also Save the date cards for the next gratitude dinner. Leslie has information for the GSR workshop and registration. Ray will be seeing if we need to buy more.

Asked for volunteer for the 5<sup>th</sup> Tradition, Melissa volunteered, the 5<sup>th</sup> concept, Kirk volunteered. The state June convention is 20-21-22. Ray will check to see if we can change the June date of our meeting to the 29<sup>th</sup>. Donna asked who she should speak to about workshops. There will be a Job Fair in August. Brady would like to attend the Committee Meetings. Next month we will meet one hour before the regular meeting. John H would like to have fellowship along with this meeting volunteered to provide cake and ice cream.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer  
Respectfully submitted,

Virginia F  
Secretary