District 27 AA PO Box 1257 Bronson, FL 32621 352-949-2239 District27aa.org Business Meeting Minutes 4/18/2023

Meeting called to order at 5:30 pm by DuWayne S.

District Officers present DuWayne S. (Alt DCM), Christa T. (Treasurer), Nikki S. (Officer at Large)

Committee Chairs present Jimmy Y. (Corrections, Newsletter, Where and When), Mike W, (Archives), Ray S. (PI/CPC)

GSRs & Alt GSRs present William L. (Sobriety on the Suwannee), Robbie S. (Friday Night Serenity), Leanne H. (Women In Action), Mike W. (We Think Not), Nikki S. (Sunday Evening Beginners-counted as GSR for quorum purposes), John B. (Keep It Simple)

Visitors

DCM - Moment of Silence followed by the Serenity Prayer

Tradition of the month and Concept of the month were read.

Quorum? (QUORUM REQUIREMENTS: 2 OFFICERS, 5 GSR's) YES 2 officers/6 GSR's

Secretary's report 3/2023 Old and New Business read. Accepted after the following corrections made:

1. DCM report: Herb is going to the pre-conference agenda workshop in Dunellon.

2. Old Business: New meeting on Wednesday 4/12/23.

3. New Business: \$50.00 to the archivist if he/she attend the archive workshop.

Treasurer's Report Christa read the report. Accepted.

DCM Report No report

GSR Reports

BELL SERENITY No report BRONSON BELIEVERS 10-12 CHIEFLAND REFLECTIONS 4 CHIEFLAND STEPS TO FREEDOM 8 DIXIE DISCUSSION No report FRIDAY SERENITY 12-16 FRIENDS OF BILL W 10-15 KEEP IT SIMPLE 5-7 New meeting Tues Big Book study OLD TOWN SATURDAY 13 SOBRIETY ON THE SUWANNEE 11-14 SUNDAY EVENING BEGINNERS 10-12 TRENTON TRUDGERS 2-4 WE THINK NOT 4-6 WILLISTON WINNERS No report WOMEN IN ACTION 10-15 speaker last Wed **Committee Reports:**

Archives Nikki S.: Stacy and Vivian (Area 14 Archivists) are available to do a workshop in July.

Activities Mike W.: Picnic pavilion at Henry Beck Park reserved for 5/27/23.

Corrections Jimmy Y.: Due to health issues I am not currently going into jails. **Newsletter** Jimmy Y.: Lydia is writing a history of the Sober on the Suwannee group. WIA history is in the current newsletter. These are part of a series of group histories in the newsletter. SUBMISSIONS WELCOMED. A note in the newsletter gives information on a phone app that Lydia recommends. Newsletters brought to the meeting.

Phone/Info line Leanne reported receiving one call. Ray took the phone for the next month. **PI/CPC** Ray S. is grateful to have people in various cities helping to pass out pamphlets and Where and Whens. Almost all of the pamphlets on hand have been distributed. Waiting on back order of more. Ray will be starting CPC soon.

Website Ray talked to Sean about the website. Sean said he tried for three months to get help maintaining it. He is still trying to get help.

Where and When Jimmy Y.: I brought 100 Where and Whens with me.

Old Business None

New Business Ray S. found \$15.00 from the Mens Group to donate to district.

Re: Website- Sean is suggesting that an outside professional entity set up the website and he will maintain it. Discussion followed. Karin will call GSO to seek guidance on this issue,

DuWayne gave Sean two hard-drives. One is his, one is the districts.

Ray will ask Sarah if she is interested in helping with the website.

Mike W.: Discussion on changing the date for the picnic from 5/27/23 to 5/20/23 to avoid a Memorial Day weekend clash.

MOTION PASSED: \$25.00 TO MIKE W. TO RESERVE HENRY BECK PARK PAVILLION.

Re: Archives Workshop. Nikki suggested the date of 7/22/23. She will check to see if that date is available for Stacy and Vivian.

Ray S. announced the successful start of the new Wednesday Step Study meeting.

GSR's: Please ask your group if they are interested in having an "oldtimers" meeting as a one time event on a Saturday night at St. Albans. The format would be those with 20+ years on one side of the room and others on the other side. Oldtimers would give a brief five minute talk then open the meeting.

Motion to adjourn passed.