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Business Meeting Minutes 3.18.2025

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

District Officers present DuWayne S., DCM; Dennis R., TR; Sarah H., Sec'y; Mandy L., Officer At Large
GSR's & Alt GSR's present: Tisa F., William M., Sean R., Mike W., Karin L., Linda L., Bill O.

Quorum: 7 voting GSR's and 4 voting Officers. 2/3 voting members present? Yes

Committee Chairs present Sarah H. (W&W), Sean R. (Website), DuWayne S. (PI/CPC), Mandy L. (Newsletter), Nikki S. (Archives), John C. (Activities)

Visitors:

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

Do we have anyone attending the District Meeting for the first time? No

Do we have any new GSR's? No

Secretary's Read the Old and New Business from February minutes. Motion to accept. All for with one opposed.

Treasurer's Report Dennis R.: Beginning balances: Total District funds: \$3,246.61. After deposits and disbursements during the month, the ending total balance is \$3,225.68 which includes \$600 prudent reserve and \$627.77 pink can.

DCM Report DuWayne S. : I am going to Area next month. Will be bringing up the cost of the room during New Business. Also, please remember Joe R. from Williston Winners who is battling illness.

GSR/GROUP REPORTS

BELL SERENITY 5-9

BRONSON BELIEVERS 3-7

CHIEFLAND REFLECTIONS 5-6 w/ newcomer

CHIEFLAND STEPS TO FREEDOM na

DIXIE DISCUSSION 2-5

FRIDAY SERENITY 2-5 Greg L. will be speaking this Friday

FRIENDS OF BILL W All 4 meetings approximately 10-15 & they are working on a new Friday night meeting

KEEP IT SIMPLE 6

SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE 7-10

SOBRIETY ON THE SUWANNEE 6-7

STEP IT UP 6-7

SUNDAY EVENING BEGINNERS 6-10 avg

TRENTON TRUDGERS 2-3 with a newcomer too!

WILLISTON WINNERS Jaime reported 3-5

WOMEN IN ACTION 5-7

Committee Reports:

Archives: Got the Bell group their group history form!

Activities: John C. reported great St. Patrick's Day party. About 20-25 attended. Thanks to Sean for providing the food! Looking for Spring Picnic ideas. Also looking into hosting a kayaking trip. Tisa updated the conversation about the game night idea. The AA Jeopardy is free online. We have a screen (PI's) but we need a projector.

Corrections: Sean: No changes. Linda said she is reaching out to Gilchrist Co judge to help us get into the jail. Celebrate Recovery takes a meeting into the jail.

Newsletter: Mandy brought the April newsletter.

Phone/Info line: Jaime still has the phone & said there were only spam call.s

PI/CPC: No report.

Website: Sean: All is current. Reminder that there is a Men's Retreat coming up. The flyer is on the website.

Where and When: Sarah H.: Brought W&W. and will change the Bell meeting time back to 7pm.

OLD BUSINESS

- Still need an Alt DCM. Take this back to the groups please.

NEW BUSINESS

- Tisa asked about District donating money from our Pink Can reserve to GSO. District doesn't send donations. We use that money for our District needs.
- Sean has receipt for \$307.90 for the St. Patrick's Day party food. Motion was made by Tisa to reimburse Sean, 2nd was given and all were for, none opposed.
- DuWayne would like to be reimbursed for the total cost of his room at April's Area Assembly. The cost is \$165.65 and currently our Bylaws state there is a cap at \$150. There was ensuing discussion and Mike then made a motion to **change the Bylaws to read: the District will cover the current room rate for the Assembly and will reimburse the DCM or Alt DCM, whoever attends Area.** The motion was seconded. Vote was all in favor with none opposed.

- Karin brought several things to the meeting tonight: the new Service Manual is available for \$4-5; Committee Workbooks are now \$5-\$6, the new GSO podcast is called “Primary Purpose” and can be played through most Podcast apps & at primarypurpose@aa.org, the new Literature catalog is available, and brought copies of the Conference Agenda items which will be used at the Pre-Conference agenda workshops.

MOTION TO ADJOURN made at 6:25, seconded and passed unanimously. Meeting closed with the Serenity Prayer.