DISTRICT 27 AA
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October 20, 2026

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

District Officers Present: Duwayne S., DCM; Sarah H., Treasurer; Tim S., Secretary

Voting GSR's & Alternate GSR's present: Lia K., Nikki S., Bill O., James B., Mike C.
Quorum: 5 voting GSR's and 3 officers. 2/3 voting members present? Yes

Committee chairs present: Sarah H., Where and when, Nikki S., Archives

Visitors: none

Tradition of the month and Concept of the month were read by Nikki S.
Do we have anyone attending the District Meeting for the first time? No
Do we have any new GSR's?

Secretary's Report: Tim S. read the minutes. Motion to accept, Sarah H. seconded by Nikki S., none opposed

Treasurer's Report: Sarah H. brought report. Beginning bank balance: $1780.33 and ending bank balance: $1550.13 Minus- Pink Can: $729.20 and Prudent Reserve: $600= Available Cash: $220.93. Outstanding moneys deposits and moneys owed: +$40 contribution, + $27 pink can, -$20 St. Alban's rent, $241.20 PI reimbursement, $176 DCM room reimbursement= available cash $149.43. Motion to accept made by Tim S. seconded by Mike C. none opposed.

DCM Report: Duwayne S., Elections next month. Ask for committee reports.

GSR/Group Reports:
Bell Serenity: Reported by E-mail—Linda P. reported meeting has 3-4. Meeting time change to 5:30p Thur.
Bronson Believers: Nikki S. reported Going well with 5-8 people in attendance. On the Dr. Opinion
Chiefland Steps to Freedom:
Friday Serenity:
Friends of Bill W.: James B. reported 7 members attending
Keep It Simple: Mike C. 4-7
Saturday Night Live: Bill O., 8-10 members attending
Sobriety on the Suwannee:

Step it Up Group (Trenton):
Sunday Evening Beginners: Sarah H., 12-20 in attendance. 3-7 newcomers.
Trenton Trudgers:
Williston Winners:
Women in Action: Lia K. 9 members attending

Committee Reports:

Archives: Nikki S., A blind member requested a braille big book which the archives had so it was given

Activities: Mandy messaged DuWayne and apologized for not attending. There were questions about the fall AA picnic. Tabled at this time.

Corrections: No Report

Newsletter: Sean R. sent an E-mail stating that Newsletter is updated. He asked that November anniversaries be sent to him so that they can be entered.

Phone/Info line: Sarah H. reported that there was only one call for the month however, there was no message.

PI/CPC: Sarah H. reported, Sarah H. and Tim S. spoke and answered questions at the Monday group (4:30p) at Probation Office

Website: By email Sean R. stated that he updated the time for the Bell Serenity Group

Where and When: Sarah H. brought 'Where and When'

Old Business: Duwayne S. reported that Ray S. spent $107.80 on folders and books (paperwork given to the treasurer) and would like to be reimbursed. Sarah H. stated that she needed clarification and that Ray should be there to collect so that questions could be answered. Several people in the meeting agreed with that stance although there was no vote. Ray S. was paid during the interim.
Bylaw 29, states: District will cover the cost for one room and one night's lodging at each Area Assembly for use by attending GSR (s). Receipt for lodging is required.
It was agreed to table this and allow members to address wording of the bylaw.
Throughout the month, several emails were sent concerning bylaw 29. The consensus was that 2 rooms would be used and be assigned by gender. One would house the DCM.

Proposed wording by Tim S. 2nd Lia K.
District will reserve 2 rooms for one nights lodging to be used by GSR's/Alt. GSR's and DCM/Alt. DCM and will be assigned by gender. A request for the room must be made 72 hours prior to the assembly. If no request is made the room reservation will be cancelled.

Revised wording proposed by Sarah H. 2nd Tim S.
The district treasurer will reserve 2 rooms for one night's lodging to be used by GSR's/Alt. GSR's and DCM/Alt. DCM and will be assigned by gender. A request for the room must be made 72 hours prior to the assembly. If no request is made the room reservation will be cancelled. If a person requests a room and decides not to go without notifying the treasurer, you will be responsible for the room cost.

Furthermore, this motion makes bylaw number 25 redundant so it will be removed and the numbering will reflect the change.
Discussion and unanimous vote.

New Business: Sarah H., Group Contribution lists distributed (List attached). If there are any updates, please submit.
DuWayne S. suggested making a bylaw that addresses procedures for anonymous election. It would be added to bylaw 16: Motion Made by Sarah H. Seconded by Mike C,
Voting for officers procedure: Voting procedure will be done dependent on number of people standing. If one person stands then a show of hands will be used. A substantial majority (2/3 vote) is necessary for the vote to carry. If more than one person stands, voting will be done by paper ballot. A substantial majority (2/3) is required for vote to carry. A past DCM will count the votes.
Passed unanimous.

Motion to Adjourn made at 6:25p by Lia K. Seconded by Nikki S. Motion Passed. Meeting closed with the Serenity Prayer.

Contributions

Include on checks: Group number/District number/Group Name
Note: contact name and email address

District: Check payable to **District 27 Alcoholics Anonymous**
PO Box 1257
Bronson, FL 32621

North Florida Area: Check payable to **NFAC**
PO Box 840066
St. Augustine, FL 32030
On aanorthflorida.org go to contributions, if mailing contribution use chart.

GSO: Check Payable to **General Service Board**
PO Box 2407
James A Farley Station
NY, NY 10116-2407

Intergroup: Check payable to **NCFI**
2632 NW 43rd St.
Building 1000 Suite 1182
Gainesville, FL 32606