

District 1 Meeting Minutes for June 20, 2022 - St. Paul's

Attendance: Sara S., Chloe A., Daniel S., John B., Mia F., Carole W., Mark B., Tom F., Dawn E., Kenny G., Jamie R., Fred W., Brian B.

* Daniel S. opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer

Minutes: May minutes approved

Concept – Carole read concept 12

Treasurers Report - Peggy R – Not present

DCM Report: Daniel S.- Nothing new to report.

SMIA Liaison: Bill L. – Not present.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Accessibility Committee – Sara S. – Nothing new to report currently

Bridging the Gap - Chuck G. – Not present

Events – Mia F.- Annual picnic is on July 23rd. \$150 paid by Fred. \$100 needs to be reimburse to Fred the other \$50 was a cleaning deposit that will be returned to make Fred whole. Bring a dish to share. Price comparing between a few different companies for best prices. Need volunteers for ice and a grill.

5845 Calvert Blvd., Long Beach Community Center

Grapevine Committee – Colleen B. – Not present.

Institutions – Mark B. – Need more volunteers. Would like to have 2 people scheduled each time so we have a backup. Under new management so will possibly have new rules or procedures to discuss. Currently the stipulations for taking a meeting are: No one with less than a year and no one that has previously left the facility against medical advice. The clients run the meeting and introduce the speaker. Things are going well.

Public Information Committee – Mia F. – Nothing new at this time

Web Committee – Bill L. Not present.

Jails – Fred W. – There have been no meetings the last three months. The previous three months had connection for 2 of the meetings. Cooperation is poor with the jails. We are hoping for new direction on getting the meetings reestablished. *THIS POSITION IS AVAILABLE

Old Business –Committee members and GSR’s need to be present at monthly district meetings! We need an alternate DCM.

New Business – We need a grill for the picnic. The picnic will end with an open discussion meeting. The beach is not public so we can have beach activities, not beach access. District voted to not exceed \$500 for facility, food and decorations.

Alternate DCM should be available on Saturdays. Will need to accompany DCM to conventions and the like to keep our district informed. The two terms should stagger every two years.

Group Reports:

231 Group- Kenny G. – Friday is doing good 12-15 people. Tuesday needs support. All positions are filled.

Awakenings – Dawn E – 20 people. All positions filled. Starting to see some new faces.

A Vision for You – Not reopened

Beach Beacon – Needs GSR

Bedouin Group – Chloe- 20-25 on Sundays. Getting some new comers on Tuesdays and Thursdays. All positions filled

Cove Point – Brian B. – Wednesday about 10 people Friday about 20. A lot of new comers. We have a new SMIA rep. Finances are straightening out.

Daily Reflections - Donald R. – Not Present

Daily Reprieve Group – Chuck G. – Not present. Fred W. reported all positions are filled. 20-25 people. The new location is a great meeting space!

Do Drop-In Women's Group - Carole W – Zoom only. About 12 people. New faces and new leads. Doing well

Grapevine – John B. – Core group of 8-12 with 3-4 on zoom. Huge attendance for anniversaries.

Grateful Alive Group - Needs GSR

Happy Destiny - Needs GSR

Happy Hour – Tom F. – 10-13 people. Looking for coffee maker.

Huntingtown Noon Group – Needs GSR

Keeping It Green - Needs GSR

Living Sober Group – Roger M – Not present

Lusby Group - Donald R. - Not present

Monday Night Men's Meeting – Needs GSR

North Beach Group – Jaime R. – Attendance is fair. Needs support on Saturday's. Voting on new positions on Thursday. No meeting at this location this week because of VBS. Lisa T celebrating 6/21

Saturday Morning Breakfast – Needs GSR

Sober by the Bay – Needs GSR

Solomons- Needs GSR. Daniel reported. All positions filled except GSR. 40+ people in attendance. Looking for volunteers for speakers.

The Harmony Group – Bill L. Not present.

Sunderland Group - Bill L. – Not present

Today Group – Needs GSR

We Wuz Wurz Group – Needs GSR

Meeting closed with prayer.