

Area 74, District 20

Hotline: 800-678-2203

April 13th, 2019

Website: www.district20area74aa.org

Meeting called to order on 4/13/19 at 11:00 AM

In Attendance: Ed, Dean, Nikki, Cheryl, Rich, Mark, Derek, Kathy, Dawn, George

*Quiet time and Serenity Prayer

*Readings: Daily Reflections, Tradition 4, and Concept 4

*Introductions

*April meeting Agenda approved-Dawn motioned/Nikki second

*March meeting minutes approved- Kathy motioned/Dean second

Treasurer's Report:

Provided

*Treasurers Report approved - Cheryl/ Kathy second

DCM Report:

Provided

7th Tradition Observed

GSR Reports:

Rich - Paradise Tue and Sat meetings. Snow birds are returning. Talked about the delegates workshop with the groups.

Dean - Not a GSR; new people attending the Manistique meetings. Wed and Thur average 22 people.

George - Not a GSR; Newberry Monday meeting has been well attended. Averaging 15 people.

Ed - Munising Friday meeting; Lots of people in and out, and people seem to be doing well. Great meeting last Friday with a newcomer attending.

Dawn - Not a GSR, Germfask Thursday; group is stable and growing.

Grand Marais Sunday meeting; New GSR and treasurer with stable attendance of four to six.

Cheryl - not a GSR, Munising Wednesday; Attendance has dropped a little but no issues.

Mark - GSR Munising Friday 12x12; Doing well with an average of six people attending. Some new people coming in. Good meetings with reading and studying.

Kathy - GSR Munsing Sunday; new members with some women joining too. Bringing cake helps.

Harland - GSR McMillan Wednesday; meetings have been a little slower with 12 to 13 people attending. New person attended the last meeting. Some of the new people have had transportation issues.

Committee Reports:

***Hotline**- Four calls , three hangups, one lasted for some minutes.

***Literature**- A few books sold so balance is \$383.62 in account. Inventory for literature is on our website. Going to buy some more inventory.

***Corrections** - Alger max is receiving the Grapevine. Inmate number is down. Meeting attendance is around 10 or 12 people and more manageable. GSO desperately needs volunteers for Corrections Correspondence.

***Archives**-

***PI**- Meeting lists are out in the Munising area.

***CPC**- Mark, Workshop is scheduled for August 24th and flyers are out.

***Website**- Dean, working on sizing so the site appears uniform on different screen sizes.

Old Business

***Extra Money** - Motion made by Nikki and second by George to put \$250 in a scholarship fund for use by those who may want to attend an area function and find it cost prohibitive.

Workshops - we could spend a little more on our workshops; bring in a speaker, hold specific workshops that last a little longer with breakout sessions.

Bid For Conference - Groups are on board and Cheryl has written a proposal to take to the next area assembly. Munising has more restaurants and motels now than when we hosted a few years ago.

Hot Line - George will look into the feasibility of changing the hotline to include meeting lists on a prerecorded message.

New Business:

Topic for Workshop - Will discuss more at next month's meeting. Some ideas are Sponsorship, Traditions, Anonymity.

Literature Sales - George may attend district meetings and see if book sales can be increased. A list of books is provided on the District 20 website and Dean will add thumbnail pictures of what is available to see if that helps sales. We can talk this up in our groups too, and take the list to meetings.

Dates to Remember...

April 27 - Winter Assembly

May 4th - Munising Intergroup

May 17 - 19 Spring Conference, Kimberely, WI

Next District Meeting will be June 15th at 11:00 am in Germfask

Closed with the Lords Prayer

