

## 1/19/23 District 7 Meeting Minutes

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. We opened with the Serenity prayer and introductions were made. We read Concept 1 and Tradition 1, no discussion.

2 MOS. Treasurers Report read by Dennis:

Dennis now has a bank card. Phone bill is no longer coming out of Denises account.

Bank statements are going to start being mailed to our PO Box. Dennis found out that his name is not on the PO Box and the statements were being sent back to the bank. Group agreed we need to get his name on the PO box. We will include his name at the end of meeting minutes for proof. Discussion.

Dennis shared that he needs the registered Group# for the NEW garrison meeting. Bob will find that out. Tim motion to approve. Denise 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Secretaries Report read by Shannon:

Jess motion to approve. Wayne 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

GSR reports (I have long version reports on file for AREA):

Tim, There is a solution

Jess, NEW HOPE

Ken, Primary Purpose

Rick, Serenity in the Pines

Wayne, Life begins Here Lakes Area Alano

Rachel, Wednesday Womens Work

Chris, Our Common Welfare

Glenn, Tune Up Group

Rhonda

Joanie, Palisades Groups

Tim, There Is A Solution

Joanie, Palisade

Shannon, Crosslake Tuesday

Committee Reports:

Corrections – Tim attended the workshop in Duluth. Shared what he heard @ presentation/Q&A/Topics.

Webmaster/Schedules & Phone:

Denise printed new schedules. Has a couple more changes to make in the schedules. Phone & Website are good! Had to reach out to GSO to update our Hotline # on their website.

Tim asked if we could have a website hit counter, Denise will check with Tyler on that.

New Business:

Bob states that Steve L. will be here for our March meeting going over the AGENDA items. 7pm and potluck at 5:30.

Jess shared email from Area 35 Chair- Christine RE: Contribution Crisis letter that will be received by ALL DCMS by 2/1/2023. We then had long discussion about inflation and lack of contributions. Including Bob DC< attending these meetings that are not contributing to educate & encourage.

Old Business:

Jess will draw up a flyer about District attendance encouragement to share with our groups.

Wayne brought up having a discussion about the BB Study Fall 2023 that BR from D18 asked if we would like to jump in on: Long Discussion, Bob will gather more info from BR to bring to next meeting before we decide as a group.

Dennis brought up CWF & District Picnic. We will discuss CWF next meeting and Shannon mentioned that Picnic is set for 7/23/2023 (this was voted on several months ago)-Natalie will make the reservation at LUM Park, we will discuss further at next meeting.

Chris motioned to adjourn @ 8:35 pm. Denise 2nd. All in Favor.

Ended with Responsibility statement.

**Bob Nesheim – DCM**

**Shannon Zook – Secretary**

**Dennis Berndgen – Treasurer**