

January 6th, 2019- District 9 Monthly Meeting Minutes

ATTENDANCE

Chairs: DCM-MaryBeth P. **Alt DCM:** E. **Archives:** Ronna B. **Corrections:** JaclynM. **CPC:** Park P. **Grapevine:** Jeremy W. **Intergroup Liaison:** Park P. **Literature:** Kristin C. **PI:** Absent. **Secretary:** Kiersten C. **Treatment:** Brian W. **Treasurer:** Sheryl F.

Groups: **Bettendorf-** Tim T. **Big Book:** Adrienne W., **Central Discussion:** Tim G, **Clinton Group:** Jeff B., **Courage To Change:** Jennifer N., **Dewitt:** Gary D., **Marquette:** Jim D., **The Three Legacies:** Kim H.

REPORTS

Treasurer's Report: *Beginning balance-* \$5,743.55, *Income-* \$105.00 *Expenses-* \$2,609.64, *Balance-* \$3,238.91 *Seed money-* \$300.00, *Prudent reserve-* \$300.00, *Operating balance* \$2,638.91

DCM: Provided phone and email address to be added to contact list. Will be attending service weekend (Jan 18th-19th) and will present the DCM report plus the conference committee report. Ask that Chairs and GSRs attend the Saturday session as the new Area representatives will be introduced. Location is Best Western in Marshalltown, IA and Saturday hours will be 9:30AM to 4:30PM.

ALT DCM:

Archives: Still on track in trying to reorganize our archives room. Planning on talking to my new area chair at the next area business meeting, Jan19th, about an Archives Workshop this spring. Have a new member to my Archives Team. Welcome Paula from Bettendorf. Looking forward to a new year and more from Archives. In love and service Ronna.

Corrections: All is well with corrections. I am meeting with Katie tomorrow to get all the contact info and schedules for volunteers. I am also coordinating all volunteer schedules and will be working on feb schedules for volunteers. I will be hosting a corrections workshop in either April or May. In love and service Jaclyn M

CPC: I am getting my CPC items and will be going to Marshalltown.

Grapevine: Kiersten provided me with the Grapevine display and a box of information. A conversation was held with Jacqueline and Brian after the meeting on 1/6 where they agreed to ask the correctional/treatment facilities they'll be contacting if there's any interest in a Grapevine subscription. They'll let me know if such an interest is present so I may reach out to those interested and have a more formal discussion about Grapevine. I plan on reaching out to treatment facilities in Clinton, IA and local libraries to discuss Grapevine subscriptions. Unfortunately I won't be able to attend the full meeting in Marshalltown on 1/19/2019 as I already committed to attend my party's Holiday party on that evening. I could be there for half of the day if needed and will confirm after receiving the schedule. In love and service, Jeremy W

Intergroup Liaison & Intergroup Treasurer's Report-Office Manager's Report Call counts for December were 6 12-Step, 62 information, 1 Alanon and 54 visitors. Please contact Lisa at the office if you are interested in being on the 12-Step list, phone rotation, or filling in occasionally in the office. **Treasurer's Report:** Income was \$3673.64 with the breakdown as follows: Contributions \$1952.50, Sales \$1700.10, Sales other vendor \$0.00, Other types of Income \$20.00, Prudent Reserve Interest \$1.04 Expenses totaled \$3737.20, with the following breakdown: General expenses \$1666.61, Literature \$2070.59 Total Income minus expense= -\$63.56 for the month Checking \$4030.40 Savings (Prudent Reserve) \$2537.41 Totals \$6567.81In love and service, Park

Literature:

PI:

Treatment: I'm currently working on scheduling the meetings for Country Oaks. I have also reached out to Trinity to schedule an orientation for new volunteers. I will be reaching out to Country Oaks, The Abbey, the new life Rosecrance to make sure that we're doing everything they need us to do and to find out if there's anything more we can do to help. I'm going to attend a bridging the Gap meeting. I'm going to go through the list of volunteers and organized / categorize what they're volunteering for and make sure that we have all of the needs covered. I'm going to reach out to the lady with the veterans and see what we can do to help her. And I'm going to go to several business meetings and introduce myself to different groups in our district to get new volunteers and to find out what I can do to help them. Bryon W

GROUP REPORTS:

Bettendorf Group-

Central Discussion: Central GSR and Alternate GSR plan on attending Area 24 Service Weekend on January 19th in Marshalltown. Next Central Discussion business meeting will be Sunday January 20, 2019. Love and service, Tim G.

Big Book:

Clinton:

Courage To Change: Hello everyone. Happy New Year. I will be the GSR for the next 2 years. Lucky you! The new board members at Courage To Change are getting into their new positions just fine. Come join us Tuesday's at 6:30pm for a closed discussion meeting. In Love and Service, Nosa

Dewitt Group: Hi from the DeWitt Group We are looking forward to the District 9 Mini Event in Feb. Also our business meeting is on Jan. 12 we'll discussing our 44th Anniversary on April 5 at Grace Lutheran Camp. Love and Service Bill

Marquette: the Marquette business meeting had to be postponed because of the Christmas Eve holiday arrangement that members had with their families. Our meeting is re-scheduled for January 7th. 2019. The Group is healthy and doing well. Love & Service Jim D.

Three legacies- Attendance continues to be steady at our Thursday night meeting (held 6:30 – 7:30pm).We offer childcare. Our next business meeting will be held on Thursday January 24th at 7:30pm (directly following the meeting).Our home group membership continues to grow. We have a well-stocked and diverse literature supply. District 9 is having a Mini Event on February 9th, 2019 @ The Bettendorf Community Center; from 5-9 pm. It is an honor & a privilege to serve as GSR at the District level for 2018 In love and service, Kim H.

NEW BUSINESS:

- District 9 Treasurer, Sheryl F., will be obtaining the needed EIN# for the District. This is a regulation that we must adhere to for our account. The physical address will be the Central building location and the P.O box address ill also be used.
- Budget proposal is needed, by each District chair representative, for the February 3rd, 2019 District meeting. These proposals need to include the speculated hotel cost, mileage and food. Sheryl is willing to help any of the representatives with working their budget up before the February 3rd meeting.
- District 9 Mini- event is schedules for February 9th from 5PM to 9PM at the Bettendorf Community Center. Speaker is John “Doc” M from Dubuque. Committee for the event will be meeting the week of January 14th and will provide an update to the district that same week. GSRs are asking their groups for basket donations.

OLD BUSINESS:

None