

District 19 Monthly Meeting Minutes

February 4, 2020 6:00 – 7:30

5:45pm – Doors Open // 6:00pm – Meeting is Called to Order

A moment of silence and The Serenity Prayer

Attendees: Adrian O., DCM, Gemma, GSR Serenetea, Dawn, GSR Beautiful Beginnings, James, Alt GSR Spiritual Awakenings, Julie, District Treasurer, Michelle, Alt GSR God Squad Too, Stephanie, GSR Sky High, Sasha, GSR Valley Girls, James, GSR BYOB, Geoffrey, Guest, Jessica, GSR No Barriers, Lissy, GSR Common Solution, Amy, Alt DCM, Aliantha, District Secretary, Maire, District Registrar

Introductions // Welcome New GSRs // Birthdays: Gemma - 4 years January 17

- **Visitor:** Geoffrey, Guest of Jessica
- **New:** None
- **presenter:** None
- **Birthdays:** Gemma 4 years, January 17

Recite the Declaration of Unity:

This we owe to A.A.'s future: To place our common welfare first; To keep our fellowship united. For on AA's unity depend our lives, and the lives of those to come.

Secretary Report (≤ 1 min) – Aliantha. – January minutes approved

Treasurer Report (≤ 1 min) – Julie - Described updates and changes to report. January report unanimously approved

Registrar Report – Maire reports

DCM Report – Adrian

Orientation Assembly: Adrian explained what assemblies are.

Pre Conference Workshop: Adrian shared dates of each workshop with the group. Adrian asked if group would like to contribute funds and/or time. Discussion followed. Julie motioned that Adrian offer up to \$300 in contributions. Gemma 2nded. Motion passed.

PRAASA: Adrian discussed travel options, and explained that because there are no rooms left at the Westin where PRAASA is being held, he has reserved 4 rooms at a hotel less than five miles from the Westin. Attendees were confirmed.

Prudent Reserve: This topic was tabled until March.

Alt. DCM Report - Amy - Role of a GSR

Amy explained the organization of Alcoholics Anonymous.

Amy listed the duties of a GSR.

Amy passed around a GSR report template for members to share with their groups.

GSR REPORTS:

Dawn, GSR Beautiful Beginnings - Reported that there her group is made up of a lot of LGBT and military persons.

James, Spiritual Awakenings - He will attend his first business meeting next week, and will have more to report at next month's district meeting.

Geoffrey (Reported for Fourth Dimension) - Meeting is moving to church on Cleveland. Group has about 30 attendees each week, with approximately 50% being members of the deaf community.

Jessica, No Barriers - Group discussed PRAASA and decided to sponsor \$250 for her to go. Hearing people are welcome at the meeting. They have a few hearing attendees each week.

Sasha, Valley Girls - Group is curious about what is happening with the meeting guide app. Group does not have enough funds to help with PRAASA up front, but is going to try and help reimburse her for the trip.

James, BYOB - Shared what he knows about the meeting guide app: Coordinating Council is studying what it will take to implement the app. Area is waiting on Coordinating Council's findings. James is on the committee conducting the study, so he will keep us posted.

Meeting closed at 730P the Responsibility Pledge:

I am Responsible when anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there. For that I am responsible.