

May 10, 2021 Minutes
District 6 Business Meeting Notes 10 May 2021

In **attendance**: Maire H. DCM D6, Elliott L. Alt GSR North Park Mens Meeting, Annie GSR Thursday Night Step Study , Lynn D6 Treasurer, Gary GSR Designs for Living Meeting, Rob GSR Beginners Mission Hills, Bill S. District Registrar

Open: Serenity Prayer DCM Maire read the GSR declaration

GSR Preamble: Read by Maire H.

Secretary Report: District 6 **May 10**, 2021 business meeting minutes reviewed and approved

Treasurer Report presented by Lynn. No expenses and no income. Balance of \$ 3,356.52

Presentation by Bill S. District Registrar

GSO meets throughout the year to facilitate the 12 steps of AA. Communication is the key component for the Registrar. He provides the communication from the groups to GSO which in turn reports to the members. A roster of contacts helps the Registrar facilitate this.

Bill brought up the Registrars web page found on aaarea8.org. It provides membership information, the number of groups, weekly meetings, etc

All groups need to be registered to allow a smooth flow of information. Each GSR of a group can communicate with the Area and Registrar and is an informational liaison to their group.

It is important that all GSRs are registered with the Registrar

There was discussion about getting a Service sponsor to assist new GSRs. And there is a manual available

Birthday Celebrations: None, we all celebrate 1 day at a time!

Old Business: Maire did not attend the ASL meeting about their upcoming August workshop so had no information on interpretator fees. She will update us in next meeting

New Business: Maire will confirm that D6 GSRs are registered.

Discussion on 7th tradition contributions to the upcoming August ASL workshop since they need ASL and Spanish interpretators. Annie J suggested we donate \$250.00 - and all were in favor

The question about what should be our prudent reserve. The S& G suggest \$600.00. Lynn will check. Lynn also mentioned a surplus from H & I since no one is currently visiting prisons so Maire inquired about whether GrapeVine/ La Vina needed literature. Lynn agreed Grapevine \$\$ were down and would check

Do we need to increase prudent reserve? Put as an item on next agenda. Maire will ask what other districts have as a prudent reserve

We need to make sure we have enough \$\$ to donate to D19's August workshop and for refreshments went meetings go live in person again

Area 8 Assembly this Saturday

GSR Reports:

Gary GSR Designs For Living – hybrid meeting format. In person and via Zoom which is televised on a large TV screen. Working out well and well attended with about 25 to 30 people in person and 10 to 15 on line. ASL now has it's own independent meeting at the same time. Gold Can donations donated to Accessibilities. Elections for new and Alt GSRs in June

Drew GSR 4077 MASH - Not in attendance

Annie GSR Thursday Night Step Study Meeting – well attended each week. We use the AA 12 and 12 book at our meeting. Average of 30 to 38 attendees each week. People from all over the US attend the meeting. Recovery Homes also attend meeting. People becoming more comfortable on Zoom and more comfortable in participating. Polly is our treasurer, our 7th Tradition contribution is stable. Our group is not paying rent at our meeting location. No mention of hybrid meeting. Will continue on Zoom until further notice

Elliott, Alt GSR North Park Men's Meeting - Starting in person meetings with Covid guidelines in place. No interest or support in going hybrid

Rob, GSR Mission Hills Beginners Meeting - No major changes to report . Will attend next Assembly

Helpful AA websites

Grapevine Magazine website: [In HYPERLINK
"https://www.aagrapevine.org/magazine"HYPERLINK
"https://www.aagrapevine.org/magazine"](https://www.aagrapevine.org/magazine)

Pacific Region Alcoholics Anonymous Service Assembly 2021 website: [PRAASA 2021, March 5th-7th, 2021 | PRAASA](#)

San Diego Imperial Area 8 website: [San Diego Imperial Area 08 A.A. \(area8aa.org\)](#)

San Diego AA Central Office website: [Alcoholics Anonymous San Diego Official Website \(aasandiego.org\)](#)

Alcoholics Anonymous website: [Alcoholics Anonymous \(aa.org\)](#)

Tradition 4 read by Maire

Concept 4 read by Maire

Close with the responsibility pledge and well wishes!

Next meeting is Monday, June 14, 2021

Submitted respectfully,

Annie J. GSR Mission Hills Thursday Night Step Study Meeting