

District 4 of Area 35
Minutes of December 12, 2020 Meeting
Alexandria AA Clubhouse

DCM Colleen called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm and led the group in a moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer, and then convened the meeting.

Present: Colleen, Kathy, Tom, Hannah, Greg, Jim, Bumper, Sean, Dave
Present via zoom: Vicky, Lorne and Laurie

November minutes were motioned to approve by Greg and second by Kathy; passed unanimously.

Agenda was motioned by Greg and seconded by Tom; passed unanimously.

Kathy read Checklist #8

Group Inventory –Greg got a hold of Jim S. and we will be doing the group inventory on January 16 at 3 pm followed by our regular district meeting and Round Robin. Tom motioned and Greg seconded having the group inventory done at that time along with district meeting/round robin hosted by Tuesday and Friday Glenwood groups.

Our Great Responsibility – Carol was not present so she is taking Part 6 for January.

45th Annual Area 35 service workshop – Lorne doesn't feel it'll be that difficult and is on track with his presentation. Just needs to work with Hannah and Carol.

Greg made a motion to get District Zoom account on a month to month basis but added an addendum that District officers can use the account as well for district business. Lorne seconded the motion. Approved unanimously.

District Officers Elections:

Web manager – Greg C. won by a unanimous vote

PI Chair – Hannah V won by a unanimous vote and relinquished her treatment chair position.

DCM: still open at this time. Colleen will move to the Alternate DCM once a DCM is found.

AA Hotline: Tom was voted in unanimously and will still hold his Corrections chair position.

Officer Reports:

DCM – Area 35 Action Committee met last Sunday and talked about workshop coming up in January wanting to make sure everyone is on task for their presentations. They talked about coping with rising cases in Covid and how it is affecting meetings and finances. Area is in good financial shape again. Jake was voted in as Trustee at Large for Area.

No Treasurer's report

Nothing for Literature

Grapevine: Jim mentioned there is a buy 1 subscription get second at half price.

Corrections: Tom had talked to Nicole at jail. They are open to zoom meetings and Tom asked Nicole to check if anyone is interested in that option at jail.

Treatment facilities: nothing new

PI – Hannah will call the intake worker at Social Services to follow up on the pamphlets that were sent.

GSR reports:

Wednesday noon is holding well consistent with 9-10 people in person.

Saturday 10 am: Bumper said November was worst month as far as contributions but they are still sitting good.

Monday noon: Greg stated 4-6 people attend. Doing well financially.

Wednesday 7 pm – we have about 15-20 people in person and around 6 via zoom. Doing well financially. They also took a group conscience to wear masks.

Sunday 6:30 pm: getting 8-10 people and doing well financially.

Monday night 5:30 – Vicky stated they are averaging 6-8 people and requires masks at the meeting.

Tuesday night Glenwood – Jim said they get 3-4 people and are doing well financially.

Tuesday 8pm Lamplight: Colleen said it's small so she encourages people to attend.

Laurie will take care of getting the meeting schedule updated for 2021 and contact each group to make sure they will be responsible for Round Robin. Round Robin's will go on a month by month basis with Covid still going on.

Next meeting: January 16, 2021, Alexandria AA Clubhouse 3:00 pm Group Inventory followed by 5:00 pm GSR meeting and Round Robin hosted by Glenwood Tuesday and Friday groups.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:09 pm

