

District 15 Minutes for June 1, 2006

Attendees: Elaine G., Brad W., Kevin M., Gina V., Junior E., Kyle C., Robin S., Lynn C., Mike G., Nancy R., Mike C., Michelle S., Michelle B., Alec R.

Meeting opened at 7:10PM

Serenity Prayer - All

Introductions - All - There were no new GSRs.

Alec gave report out on E-Mail Status.

Approved May Minutes as read.

Nancy R. - Discussed Conference Advisor Actions and the following was suggested as a way to share information with groups:

- Report on 1 or 2 items each week
- Share items that had been voted on
- Remind people that if their group is not represented by a GSR, their group is not able to vote
- Use all the good information provided to us to share with our individual groups.

Lynn C. arrived and continued the meeting with the reading of the GSR Preamble.

Tradition 6 - Long Form, Kyle

Concept 6 - Long Form, Lynn

Lynn C. passed out copies of the Concept Checklists.

Mike G. conducted the discussion of Concept 6 and the following items were shared:

- Trustees are Alcoholics and Non-Alcoholics that serve on the board. They are elected positions. Non-Alcoholic representatives are reviewed and chosen by the General Service Board. Each area votes on Alcoholic nominees to represent their groups.
- Lynn shared some examples of people that have served on the board. This included people with background with the Prison facilities. Others who have participated have been Lawyers, Doctors, etc.
- Action refers to making sure we have the right people in the right job to uphold the concept.
- Kevin shared that as a member of the Central Office Service Board he has carried out recommended actions.
- Legal and Political talk when handled appropriately does not interfere with our ability to perform 12 step work
- Nancy R. shared that it is the responsibility of all AA members to uphold what is in the best interest for the groups in order to reflect our commitment as "stockholders".

There were no Committee or Officer Reports.

Lynn asked for any questions or concerns our group may have. Brad W questioned about rotating the Literature responsibility. Mike C shared that, as far as he recalls, when determining the use of unapproved AA literature, it is based on the group conscience. These items have been tabled for a discussion to be led by our Literature Officer. Mike G announced he would not be here in July to conduct the GSR school and ask for a volunteer. Nancy R graciously offered her services temporarily, until a permanent replacement could be found.

Lynn reminded everyone of the upcoming meeting for the Area Delegate's Report on June 7th in Fullerton.

There were no birthdays to celebrate in the month of June.

Adjournment: 8:05PM

Respectfully submitted,

Elaine G, District Secretary