

## District 15 Minutes 08-04-2005

**Attendees:** Elaine G., Judy N., Peyman H., Mike B., Nancy R., Kyle C., Kenton M., Neal A., Kristine G., Alec R., Christine S

Meeting called to order by Peyman H at 7:05 PM followed by the Opening Prayer, Preamble, 12 Traditions by Alec., 12 Concepts (Short Form) by Nancy.

**Introduction of New GSRs:** Neal A. – Intergroup Liaison, District 15, 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month, 7:30 PM, 849 N. Bradford, Placentia

**Introduction of GSRs in Attendance**

**Approval for minutes** for July meeting AS WRITTEN

**Reading of Tradition 8 – Long Form** – by Peyman

**Reading and Discussion of Tradition 8 Checklist** – by Neal, followed by group discussion initiated by the individual topics introduced.

**Long Form of Concept 8** - was read by Neal

**Report of Concept 8 and Checklist** - was provided by Judy

**Suggestion by Nancy** – That GSRs present a short 1-2 minute weekly report to their groups Every Week, to remind them of the importance of GSO Services provided and their role in the functioning of AA as a whole. This should be instead of an extended monthly report. Nancy later provided a couple samples of these types of reports (and what they should contain) via email and will be bringing them to the September meeting.

**Questions, Concerns, And Challenges:** Can we accept as a District 15 GSR a person who can't make our Thursday meetings but can go to District 10's meetings on Wednesdays? Opinions were divided.

**Handouts and Announcements:**

- PRASSA – will be in Woodland Hills in March 2006
- Christine handed out flyer for “North Orange County Association with the Professional Communities” workshop, slated for August 28, 2005. They need people desperately, as many schools are requesting that we have speakers come out to the schools and give presentations or discuss AA.
- Peyman – announced Archives Presentation to be given at the 7:00 PM, District 5, monthly GSR meeting on August 11, 2005. Charles K. (from the Area 9 Archives Office in San Bernardino) will be presenting a slide show of AA's history, followed by a Q&A session. (Location – Church of the Foothills, 19221 Dodge Ave., Tustin, CA.)

**Committee Reports: H & I Report** - Reminder that the H&I meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month at the Garden Grove Alano Club. They need people, especially women to go into the institutions. The Institutions Meeting is at 4:00 PM, (Orientation for new members 3:15 PM). Hospitals Meeting is at 6:00 PM. (Orientation Meeting for new member 5:15 PM.)

**Officers Reports:** Treasurer, Nancy R. gave report and handed out current Treasury Report. Nancy J (Delegate) unable to make meeting, Kristine G. took notes for minutes. Peyman (DCM) Attended the District 10 & 24 Foro (Spanish Area Meeting); which represents 5 Spanish Districts.

**Old Business:** Thank you card was signed to thank Jerry C. for managing the lunch responsibilities at District 15's May Area meeting at the Ebell club. A collection was also taken to send along with the card.

**Volunteer to do Concept 8 presentation:** Kristine G

**Birthdays:** None

**Motion to Adjourn: 8 PM**

## CALENDAR

**September 1 – Thursday 7PM- District 15 meeting** -YL Kaiser Hospital 8<sup>th</sup> floor

Respectfully submitted,

Kristine G., Substitute for Lynn C, District 15 Secretary