Minutes

District 7 General Service Meeting

The Garden Grove Alano Club 9845 Belfast Drive, Garden Grove

January 8, 2007

AA Theme of the Month: Honesty

6:00 PM New GSR Orientation-Rich W 6:30 PM Call Meeting to Order

Opening

- Serenity Prayer
- · Volunteer to read Preamble of General Service--Mike
- Introduction of New GSRs--Rich W--3
- Introduction of Guests and Visitors--None
- Introduction of All in Attendance--24
- Volunteer to read Concept 1--Freddye
- 2 Minute Report on Concept 1—Shane
- Volunteer to read Tradition 1--Margo
- 2 Minute Report on Tradition 1-Selected DCM--Cheryl

Reports:

- DCMC-Cheryl
 - Summary of the last Area Meeting—4 Area Sharing Session Feb 4; Many Areas have reduced the number of Committees; ✓ Online Discussion Forum proposal; Area Special Forums are discontinued, PRASSA and Regional Workshops will continue; Area 9 has put in a bid to host the 2010 Forum; reviewed the 2007 budget; Long discussion on role of GSR and fact that most Groups don't have one; Cheryl stressed reviewing info in Workbook, at minimum the first 9 pages; Reviewed Catalogue and the literature available from NY
- Alt DCMC-Margo-Bulletin Board status-Up next week for Dist 7; excited about Area Mtg
- Secretary—Bob W—Copies of Minutes and Agenda at front table and online (website below)
- Registrar—Bill W—Registrar is changing software so might be delays; Sign-in sheet passed around
- Treasurer—Shane M—
 - \$363 start + 22 received= 385 35 expenses = \$355 as of tonight
 - Self address envelopes with Dist 7 address for contributions-Long discussion on what donations to make and to who; Action at next Dist 7 mtg to report what Groups donate
- DCMs—Steve G—not present; Erik P—one mtg; Rich W—no mtgs; Edward—left early no report
- Intergroup Report—Need Volunteer for Intergroup Rep—Curtis volunteered but no report

Committee Reports-

| Archives— | CEC—Bob W | Grapevine/La Vina |
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| DCM School— | Treatment Facilities— | Literature |
| GSR School | Correctional Fac.—Steve G | Delegate Sharing—Cheryl |
| Finance—Shane—got computer and disk from Joe—has to write up minutesneeds help | PI &CPC—Angie Budget adjustment & combine CEC &PI | |
| Registrar—Bill W | Special Needs— | |

• Old Business:

- New Business:
 - ✓ Events and Goals for 2007—see the DCMC report above
 - ✓ Review Workbook—Went through the workbook highlights--read it—see DCMC report above

Today's Speaker: Linda C discussing the Grapevine—late announced schedule conflict—not present

- · Group Issues
- Celebration of January Birthdays—2 years--Curtis
- Announcements—
 - 4 Area Sharing Session Feb 4-at Masonic Lodge
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 ✓ Reminded everybody we meet the second Monday of the Month. Next is Feb 12
- Recap GSR Report—Shane—skipped no time
- Steering Committee—6:00 pm Januay15, Fountain Valley
- Motion to Adjourn

Prepared by: Bob W, Secretary Dist 7