

February 14, 2023 IGR Meeting Minutes

Call to Order - 7:02 pm

Preamble: Tom Tradition #2: Dave

Declaration of Unity: Dorothy

Announcements:

! None

IGR Celebrations:

- ! Jason 2 years
- ! Josh 2 years
- ! Phil 3 years
- ! Jean 1 year

Group Celebrations:

! none

Board Member Reports

Chairperson - Tate

- ! Monitoring emails
- ! Regular office visits
- ! Waymart church meeting location unnavigable via Google
- ! 23rd going to NERAASA.

Vice-Chairperson - Vacant

! No report

Secretary - Jean

! No report

Treasurer - Frank

- ! Spent more money than earned.
- ! Computers at office in sync; bookstore sales & invoices

Liaison Reports

! District 39 - Russell

- "Faith without Works is Dead" Workshop on March 25th 10:15am-3pm at Peace and Serenity Meeting location (St. Peter's Lutheran Church at 1000 Taylor Ave in Scranton)
- o First meeting with new board; filled chair positions.
- Sponsorship workshop
- Looking for GSRs to come back; only 10-11 groups represented.
- Need financial help after coming back from Covid.

! District 40 - Erin

- Activities in the works; hoping for comedy night in March.
- Workshop in May for IGR awareness.
- o Positions filled; looking to get people involved in service.
- GSR orientation TBD.

! District 49 - Chris

April 29 unity breakfast, more info to follow.

! District 52 - Bill

o Reorganizing: any D52 members see Bill after meeting.

! District 53 - Joe

Working on another workshop, details to follow.

! District 59 - None

! District 62 - Marie

- Reviving bookers exchange.
- o Taking meetings out/bringing in.

Russel – website says we meet at 3pm, but meeting is actually at 4pm (D39)

Committees

Activities - Christine

- ! H-H Dance, flyers available (Saturday April 22nd, 7pm-12am @ Holiday Inn East Mountain 600 Wildflower Drive, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702).
- ! See Christine for tickets.
- ! Need raffle basket donations.
- ! Price went up to \$45 from \$35 due to overall general increase in prices; baskets contribute to break even.

Archives - Barry

- ! Archive stuff.
- ! Looking to collect workshop/activity flyers.

Central Office: Johnny

- ! Absent.
- ! Made inventory up to date.
- ! Meeting lists printed and folded.
- ! Book orders are in.
- ! P35? P2? 42 questions on back order.
- ! Looking for volunteer for 2nd Saturday of the month; ask home groups/call Johnny/Tate.
- ! Looking for help to clean/tidy bookstore; open 10-2 every Saturday.

Hotline - Annie

! Hotline running smoothly; no vacant positions; always looking for backups and 12 step callers – ask home groups, see Annie for copies of signup list.

Corrections - Rich (absent)

- ! Text from Rich.
- ! Info from Luzerne County Jail coordinator.
- ! Tuesdays at 7 women's meeting.
- ! Committee meeting went well; asked to do a table in May over the weekend.

Institutions - Phil

- ! Guy @ Casey House (main line updated on handouts and cards).
- ! No calls re missed commitments and communication reschedule conflicts for commitments.

Public Information - Miriah

- ! Racks delivered.
- ! Has info for Kevin from Dalton group.
- ! Let Miriah know if there are any need for adopt a spot or pamphlets.

Newsletter - Vacant

Website - Samantha

- ! Events and meetings kept current.
- ! Used to be an order form for store on website, trying to recover and repost.

Unity - Dave

! A lot of events coming up that he will try to attend, let him know.

Bridging the Gap - Shawn

- ! Trying to move BTG digital.
- ! Separate forms on website under get involved>BTG; give to rehab,
- ! Nepabtg@gmail.com
- ! Trying to coordinate with Area 59.
- ! Please fill out forms digitally.
- ! In need of volunteers, outdated information/contacts.
- ! Gives you choice to pick BTG/corrections/hotline on form.
- ! Dave older members may not be able to fill out forms.
- ! Annie pooling volunteer resources, adding BTG as an option on 12 step caller list.
- ! Chris thanks for taking care of D49 issue, provided list of volunteers.

Old Business - Tate

- ! Vacant positions: Newsletter, Vice-Chair.
- ! Annie interested in Vice-Chair, motioned & accepted.

New Business - Tate

- ! Please let home groups know that we are looking for someone for Hotline chair (and also Newsletter).
- ! Dee 5th annual keystone conference May 5-6 live in person event journey through the steps, speakers on steps Scott L Nashville Joe C Palm Coast, FL, Samantha G from Scranton, St. Nick church WB see her for more information/tickets/flyers, \$20 each.
- ! Annie sponsored tickets for sober house members?
 - O Dee unsure, will ask Jerry who is coordinator.
- ! Dave website?
 - o Dee yes.

Close of Meeting - 7:47 pm