

## DISTRICT 5 AREA 31 GSR MEETING

October 2, 2017

14 GSR present, 1 visitor Sue Area Chair

### New Members:

Mark, Wilbraham Friday Night

Mark, Day Breaker, Three Rivers

Tom, Morning Light Group, Chicopee

Chuck, Alternate for East Longmeadow

Jerry opened the meeting at 7:30 with a moment of silence and the serenity prayer.

Rene, read the role of a GSR

### Group Share:

Andy: Green Street, Monson No issues Election are coming up this month for the group.

Jim: Brimfield Academy Group, Having a Service Commitment Meeting.

John: Chicopee Group, No issues

Alyssa: Belchertown Friday Night, She will be bring up at the next business meeting about getting an institution commitment.

Russell: Belchertown Saturday Night. Altermate GSR, group has no issues

Mark: Day Breaker, Three Rivers 7 days a week 7:00 am Group has no issues.

Bill: Brimfield Tri-Area Monday, Group is doing well, attendance is good. Donated \$200.00 to the pie chart.

Phil: Do or Die, Elm St E. Longmeadow No issues

Jennifer: Cold Spring Thursday 7:30, struggling to make money.

Ann Marie: Ludlow Group Thursday Night, Group has no issues.

Kyler: East Longmeadow Group, Sunday 6:30-7:30. Group had their 27<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Great attendance, and the group is growing, group elections this month.

Neal: Here and Now, E. Longmeadow 8:30, have a strong core members of the group who help financially. Still not able to give to the pie.

Tom: The Morning Light Group 284 Montgomery St Chicopee, Group has no issues.

Mark: Alternate from Wilbraham Friday Night. Group has no issues.

### Scott LCM

Reported that he went to the Granby meeting, and was invited back to the business meeting ERD

Sue: Area Chair was present.

We are all invited to the concept meeting Thursday at 7:30, and on October 18<sup>th</sup> The Traditions meeting at 7:30.

She talked about group inventory: They are usually done on the weekend, with past delegates to help the group. The purpose is to see, "How are groups carrying the message" and is your group doing well, any issues or concerns, also how do we make our group grow.

To find out more information go to [areachair@area31aa.org](mailto:areachair@area31aa.org).

Spoke about the Fall Assembly:

The Area 31 Fall Assembly will be held October 21 & 22

Saturday, 10am-4pm

"Service Fair" Come learn about the various service positions. Hear from the current chairs of committees and districts.

Sunday, 1pm-5pm

Area 31 Business Meeting & Area Officers Elections (Delegate, Alternate Delegate, Area Chair, Treasurer and Secretary)

**Location:**

Second Congregational Church  
Maple & Appleton Street  
Holyoke, MA

Saturday is service meeting, example: institution, grapevine, etc..

Sunday Area Business Meeting and elections, for

Delegate, Alternate Delegate, Area Chair, Secretary, and Treasurer.

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GRS workshop scheduled for November 18<sup>th</sup> 1:00-4:00.

Topic Safety in AA and AA Slogans. We have 4 speakers to take 15 minutes on each subject.

See flyer attached.

Young People having a Halloween Dance October 28<sup>th</sup> at 474 Pleasant St

P.I. Work Shop November 4<sup>th</sup> at 474 Pleasant St.

Rene: Needs help with Mass State Convention with the hospitality room.

Elections were held:

New DCM: Andy (Green St. Monson)  
New LCM Bill (Brimfield Tri-Area Group)  
Secretary: Ann Marie (Ludlow Thursday Night)

Reading: Tradition 11, Scott will read  
Concept 9, Mark will read

Starting in November Ann Marie will bring printed minutes of the meeting.

Motion to close at 8:45. Meeting closed.

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Scott's email:       Phone: