

GSR meeting district 4 area 31 December 20, 2016

Start 6:50 PM

Reading S 1-2 from service manual & NERASSA info

Secretary report: had a digital copy on hand

GSR reports:

Mora Sunderland Security:

- Rotating out as GSR
- Monthly commitment to rehab in Greenfield
- Donates to pie chart regularly

Chris Haydenville:

- Anniversary was a success
- Group Shepard position tabled till January elections
 - o Look out for members (outreach within the group i.e. sick, died, not around, and group commitments)
- Regular donations to the pie chart

Jim Sunday 12 step Amherst

- Seeking new members
- Financially viable
- Hoping a new GSR will rotate in
- Institution commitment or committee (bad notes sorry)

Brian Way Out big book Lyden Woods 10 AM Sunday Greenfield

- New coffee maker (still around)

- High attendance

Kim Amherst Monday Night

- Temporary GSR
- Group inventory similar to last year
 - How do you manage to work on an inventory during a packed Business meeting?
- Closed discussion is small
- Beginners format change is being discussed
- Elections
 - Low turnout
 - Low # of officers
 - Experienced old-timers and people new to sobriety

Lisa "We can do what I couldn't" 4 PM Florence Saturday

- Name is now off the bank account

Maggie Conway Monday night

- Anniversary
- Working on group inventory
- New members in positions
- New pie chart protocol

Tomas LBGT Friday night Northampton

- New elections
- Group inventory planning/discussion

- Attendance is down during winter

Will Chapman St. Friday night (new GSR)

- Packed meetings
- Detox commitment
- Pie donations monthly
- Some vacant officer positions

Tania Hadley women's group

- Rotating out
- Group inventory last month
- Group commitments (informal w/o bookie)
- Discussing foreign language meeting
- No GSR elected (yet)

Co DCM report

- NERASSA 2017 sign up forms

New Business

- None

Old Business

Mock CPC presentation and discussion

Committee deals with professionals that may interact with alcoholics

Open VS. Closed VS. Public meetings

Public = invite is controlled by the institution sponsoring the meeting

"Sponsor your DR" packets are available

Many ways you or your group can serve aa and the CPC has many ways to help available

Contact at CPC@area31aa.org

Mike alt. Delegates report

- Area handbook is live on the website
- Trustee dinner
- NERAASA
- Mass state convention planning