District 5 GSR ZOOM meeting

June2020 minutes 6/1/2020

Opening

The regular zoom meeting of District 5 was called to order at 7:35 by Bill our DCM.

Groups present

7 GSR's were present:
Cindy from Cold Spring
Kate from Wilbraham
Ali from Chapter Two
George from Belchertown Saturday Night
John from Randall
Sharon from Eye Opener
Tom from Morning Light

visitors

Lara (alternate GSR) from *Wilbraham* Mike our Area 31 Alternate Delegate

Reading of S26, The GSR

Vicky our co DCM read the description of the GSR

Secretary report from prior month

Jim F read the notes from May meeting

LCM report

No LCM report due to no groups open to visit. Jennifer was in attendance at the meeting

Reading and Sharing on readings for the month

Kate read Concept 8 which deals with trustees responsibilities

Cindy read Tradition 6 which deals with AA not endorsing any outside issues or enterprises

Group Sharing

George from *Belchertown Saturday Night* says they have converted to zoom and all is going well. Made \$500 donation to pie chart.

George will send a list of area bonfire meetings to the secretary for emailing under a separate email

Cindy from *Cold Spring* reports they have converted to zoom and are setting up a Pay Pal account for donations

John from *Randall* reports they have converted to zoom and are doing commitments by zoom. Some confusion as to the Thursday night meeting happening on zoom or not

Kate from *Wilbraham* reports that they have converted to zoom and will be starting outgoing and incoming commitments by zoom

Sharon from *Eye Opener* reports they still have not made the transition to zoom yet and there seems to be no interest in making that happen

Ali from *Chapter 2* reports their zoom meeting is going ok and they are starting to talk about how to transition back to in person meetings.

Tom from *Morning Light* reports they are meeting 7 days a week on zoom and making contributions to pie chart

Visitors Reports

Mike our alternate delegate spoke about being aware of anonymity challenges with zoom. Discussed the challenges of restarting live meetings again with the church restrictions and general fear of returning to live meetings.

Old Business

Discussed keeping zoom listings current especially if a group goes back to full time live meetings

New Business

Discussed the Fall Assembly which will be meeting via zoom and the workshops that will be happening

Next month's readings and discussion

Tom will read Chapter 12 from the Svc Manual and George will read Tradition 7

Next month's meeting will be Monday July 6 @ 7:30PM

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 PM

Contact information

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