## Minutes

## Area 31 - District 6

## **GSR Meeting**

July 15, 2013

The meeting was called to order by District 6 Co-DCM, Jim S. at 7:30 PM at the Alano Club in Agawam, MA.

Present at the meeting were:

**Invited Guests:** 

Mark N. - Area Chair Karl H. - Intergroup Chair

Co DCM's

Jim S.

Carl H.

## GSR's

Wayne M.-It's Getting Better Group-Westfield, MA Paul G.-Suffield Men's Discussion Meeting-Suffield, CT Erick M.-Enfield Young People's Group-Enfield, Ct

**Group Reports:** All GSR's gave reports on news from the groups they represent. Issues for discussion from the group reports included:

- Slow down in attendance in the summer
- ② A group that expanded its literature rack.
- A group that has made a few changes based on input from new group members. Many longtime members have stopped coming to meeting. Much discussion on this dynamic followed.

**DCM Report:** the DCM Report on the June Area Meeting was given by Carl H. Carl reported on upcoming events and handed out a new Important Dates sheet.

**Area Chair's Report:** Mark talked about upcoming Fall Assembly and asked for opinions on what the groups feel is most important to keep in just in case the 3<sup>rd</sup> Legacy Voting Procedure takes a long time.

Intergroup Report: Karl H. reported on upcoming Intergroup events

**Old Business:** We discussed our upcoming workshop on the AA Group. A flyer was passed out and we decided on the three topics.

- o Reaching out to the Newcomer.
- The Group Business Meeting.
- The Group Treasurer.

New Business: We discussed the topics that came out of the GSR reports

Wayne M. Summarized Concept 11

Eric M. volunteered to summarize Chapter 5 of the Service Manual In August

The Responsibility pledge was read and the Meeting was adjourned at 9:00 PM.

The next District 6 Meeting will be held on August 19, 2013, at 7:30 PM.