District 6 May 2015

Wayne DCM

Eric Co DCM

Tonya B-GSR-Friday Night Southwick Step Meeting

Sonja P-GSR- E.Mt Group Westfield

Jenny A-GSR-Somers Big Book-District Secretary

Jon D- GSR-Somers Sunday Night Beginners

John S-GSR-New Life Group Enfield

Mark O-Alt GSR-Suffield Monday Night

Tom C-GSR-Alanooner

Lisa K-GSR-Asnuntuck Meeting (group name was hard to read on sign in sheet)

Mark N-Alt Delegate

Joey L-LCM

Joe O-GSR-Suffield Mens Meeting

Jeff L-Alt GSR-Suffield Mens Meeting

Josh S-GSR-Enfield YPAA

Reports

Tom Alanooner- Going good

Brian- GSR Southwick group had some 1yr anniv with new comers!

Mark- Alt Suffield Mon grapevine, attendance is up, commitments, all is well

Lisa- attendance is up, new GSR, anniversary coming up

Joe-Suffield GSR Mens-Offers Sponsorship and service, going well.

John-St Pats Wed GSR, going well, attendance fluctuates 8-35 people

Jeff L-Alt Mens-Anniversary meeting well attend-outgoing commitment at Lebanon pines

Jon D-Somersville Sun-Ice cream social went well. Good group, reasonably active. Someone voiced opposition of having the AA sign on the door. Someone did not like that and will have meeting to discuss at business meeting

Enf YPAA- a lot of new people, positons are filled, all is well!

Jenny A-Somersville BB, all going well. Group is donating 'sponsor a rack' to the Enfield New Directions organization that provides court ordered groups.

Sonya-GSR East Mtn Westfield group. Discussions started to move group, relocate from church 3 times in 2 months, had emergency meeting to look for alt sites, someone works at Westfield hospital and the hospital is happy to welcome them back. Suggest to move in July with church. Group member had issue and voiced concern by yelling that they are moving in June not waiting until July. Was a very difficult personality issue. Group wanted to take a collection for a decorating the new room vs paying rent.

Tonya-GSR Southwick step group, small group. Great step meeting

Mark-Alt Delegate

Round up is coming first weekend in June to hear delegate report on agenda items. Suggestion- to bring to homegroup-Past delegate developed a questionnaire to ask questions on each topic from GSC. Mark is going to look at top items and develop a questionnaire to use as a tool for GSR to discuss with our groups.

MA State Convention- Nov 6-8. Servicing as program, service topics will be from the GSC. Last Tuesday of every odd month is planning meeting that they leave at 6pm. Looking to take part in alcathon, meetings, registration

Talked about concept 9 on how to run things in AA, to be armed with the facts, to be able to take criticism, service is more worthwhile as we grow --if service was easy everyone would be doing it.

NERF-GSO road show on what they do and available to talk with.

Joey L- MSCYPAA bid announcement-event on June 20th

<u>LCM</u>

Pass around forms that are left to fill out to update the contact information and encourage participation

Discussions/Issues

Having a sign on the door that has the AA symbol. Group meeting place moved so the sign was put there, would be nervous that someone would come in and having an anonymity issue. Group will have a conscience vote

Workshop Discussion

Had a great GSR presentation, nice tradition 1 presentation-am I still a loner and keep the 'I' out of the conversation?, talked about sponsorship with Bob and Tim and did a great job! Not a lot of people attended but it was a great workshop.

Working with others- Brian volunteered, Sonya volunteered, Tonya volunteered. For three speakers for our district at round up.

Wolf has concept 6 next week.

5 things to bring back

Round up June 6 & 7-Delegate report

MA State convention November 7-9

NERAASA planning meeting all are welcome to attend

Conflict between GSR and intergroup rep shouldn't be, provide info on the differences.