

Archives Committee  
February 5, 2019

Meeting started at 7:30 pm

Present: Frank M Chair (Holyoke Group); Sue Co-Chair(East Mt Group); Lee (Singleness of Purpose Group) Thomas D (Mon Nite Beg Grapevine) and Bobbi Area Archivist ; Eddie B (Morning Lite Group) Tiffany D (Tues Nite Women's Group) Bob G (Pioneer Valley Group) Serge Mackecknie (Joy of living Group) and Mike B Area Chair;

Area Update:

Introduction of new members Lists of members for archives  
NERAASA February 22 TO 24 in Maryland  
Concept meeting 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday every month

Archivist update

Catalog old timers. Was there current information about Jack H in area 31 archives,he is very instrumental in setting up meetings in the prisons. It was a question brought up form the Holyoke Group. The answer is yes.

Trip to GSO in New York City. We will formalize the particulars of the trip in April or May. The trip will be in the fall. It will be only one bus, those on the bus should also attend the GSO tour.

Will bring packets next meeting

New business

Boards: Randal Group, Sunday February 17<sup>th</sup>. We will set up at 12:30pm

Boards: Singleness of Purpose, Tuesday February 19<sup>th</sup>. We will set up at 5:30pm (leave boards with co-chair)

Archives meeting will be chaired by Bobbi March 4<sup>th</sup>

Bobbi(area 31 archivist) gave explanation of Group History form

We will attend meetings of different groups and explain and distribute forms so that a more through history of the different groups of this area is recorded. There was also discussion of incorporating the group history form with area 31 commitments

There was also a discussion of a history tree of area 31. More discussion to follow, will need someone paint the tree, also making a digital tree on our website.

There was some discussion on the boards in the room(twelve steps) which were built by inmates in one of the local prisons

Mass State Convention. We will send someone to the planning meetings, which are on the last Tuesday on each month This committee will set up the boards for archives at this years convention. Paul(alternate delegate) drives to planning meeting from Chicopee  
There was some discussion of having a movie(something like the days of wine and roses) at the convention.

There was some discussion about inclusion between new members and old timers. at the state convention

Mike B, area chair, gave up dates on area 31

NERAASA There are 4 seats available left. Will leave from Knights of Columbus parking lot at 7:am Cars can be left, we have permission.

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Area General Service

handed out Archives Workbook

Meeting closed with serenity prayer at 8:05pm