Monthly Archives Committee Meeting

August 6, 2024, at 7:30 PM 30 Carew Street, South Hadley, MA

Chairperson: Chris K, Hand in Hand Group

Co-chairperson: Joe L, Sober Sunday

Area 31 Archivist: Carl G.

Invited Guest: Bob M, Area 31 Chair

Representatives: Rick W, Scrambled Eggs, Committee Secretary

Carla C, After Work Group James G, Sunday Night Light Peg C, Daily Reflections Anthony D, Do or Die Group Larry G, Ludlow Eye Opener

Meeting Notes:

Chris K

- Boards requested for Bondsville Sunrise Group on 8/14 Rick W to handle
- · Received keys to the church from Bob M, Area Chair
- Working with Bob M on available church dates for potential Archives listening party

Carl G (Archivist)

- Received a donation of binders of financial information from 2017-2019 from Institution Committee
- Amherst Friday Night Group requested group information minimal found. Suggested they complete a group history
- Received a number of donated Grapevine issues to fill in missing ones in Archives collection

Bob M (Area Chair)

- Informed the committee about the Fall Assembly
- Intergroup looking for a part-time office position to be filled
- Information provided on the upcoming Mass State Convention

Old Business – James G worked diligently on cleaning up a digitally archived recording. The committee listened to the "before" and "after" versions of the recording. There was an improvement in the recording, however we decided that more research into potential digital cleaning programs would need to be done.

New Business – Bob M will speak with the church and find out church availability for an upcoming listening party. The committee will make decisions on additional event details once we have a date firmed up. Chris K will be listening to several archived recordings and will present them to the committee so we can decide on what speakers will be "presented" during the listening party.

In Service,

Chris K Hand in Hand Group Archives Chairperson, Area 31