

Grapevine Meeting Minutes
May 3, 2017
Open with Serenity Prayer
Tradition Four
Grapevine Statement of Purpose
Introduction of Reps

Chair recommended announcing at AA meetings:

- 1) That a new Grapevine book is available, Making Amends;
- 2) There's been a slight price increase on books and audio;
- 3) That phone/tablet apps for GV are available.

Chair obtained unlimited access to complete archives. Chair brought the boards to the Sunday night Providence Hospital group's 71st anniversary April 30.

Committee discussed Donation Project, in which members in other Committees sign up to donate a GV subscription to those with accessibility and/or affordability issues including prisoners and nursing home residents. It was suggested that the signup sheet is available at the Workshop.

Chair will put before May Area committee project which needs Area approval for the bank account to manage the donation funds.

Website Project. Chair will attend the next meeting of the website to work on our page such as getting up GV News monthly.

Roundup June 9-11

Workshop will be held August 26, 1-4 pm. The First Congregational Holyoke will be the site. Basement room. The Committee agreed to table conducting writing/audio workshops.

Tom is doing the flyer, should be available in two weeks, for internal approval and ready to go by June meeting. Discussed ideas for flyer including:

Food, Fellowship, Fun!

Bring your photos, Win a GV subscription (no faces please)

Raffles & Refreshments! History of GV, GV Today, Talks by Published GV Submitters.

Sue, Area Chair, made announcements:

1. Area delegate will speak at Roundup on June 10 about GS Conference held in NYC.
2. Concepts Meeting, 7:30 Thurs night; Traditions, 7:30 May 17.
3. MA State Convention planning meeting May 30.
4. Group inventory (past delegates) available.
5. Area 31 committee members available for incoming commitments at AA meetings.

Closed with Responsibility Pledge.