

Approved by district 2 on 6.9.25

District 2 – 5.12.25

**In attendance:** Tamara – co-DCM, Chris B – Easthamptons Womens, Ginger – Pioneer Valley, Alan B – Holyoke Sober Sunday, Wayne – A New Beginning, Bob M – area chair, Mike R – Holyoke Group, Erin G – Sunday Morning Group, Mark B – The Step Group, Elaine A – Joy of Living, Sean O – Hand in Hand, Alyssa M – secretary, Eric – Feeding Hills BBSS

**On Zoom:** Jill - Wildcats, Michael – Scrambled Eggs, Georgeann – Daily Reflections, Megan – Daily Reflections South St, Pete – West Spfld Step Group

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Erin presented tradition 5

Tradition 6 next month – presented by Mark B

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Homegroup news:

Sean – hand in hand – first meeting well attended, second meeting less so, changes in raffle— drawing is now at first meeting, lots of books getting into the hands of newcomers, **looking for new members!**

June 22<sup>nd</sup> 2pm @ Alano – celebration of life for Doug H

Elaine – Joy of living – very well attended consistently, giving to pie chart

Mark R – step group – membership is growing, giving to pie per areas recommendation, only group meeting at Jaricho Building

Erin G – Sunday morning group – attendance continue to grow, contributing to the pie chart regularly, 10-11 group members with many positions filled

Mike – Holyoke group – everything is status quo, had anniversary—now in 80<sup>th</sup> year!

Wayne – A New Beginning – new member joined during last meeting, good attendance at outgoing meetings, status quo

Eric – Feeding hills bbss – no changes since last month, group is healthy, 7<sup>th</sup> tradition brings in enough to cover rent with a little extra, reduced prudent reserve

Alan – continuing to grow, donating to pie chart, all group commitments are being fulfilled, ***moving to Holyoke Elks – 250 Whitney Ave—much larger space! Starts on June 1<sup>st</sup>***

Ginger – pioneer valley – two meetings—beginners well attended, speaker meeting less so, contributing to pie chart, looking for new active members, two commitments a month— institutions commitment are Carlson

Chris B – Easthampton womens – 30-40 attendees, first GSR for this meeting! Contributing to pie chart

Michael – scrambled eggs – contributing to pie, everything is good, elevator AND bathroom working! Attendance is good-had to start buying more donuts!

Georgeann – daily reflections zoom – well attended 35-50 people every day, contributing to pie chart, picked up Institutions commitment at Holyoke Medical Center

Jill – wildcats – may 26<sup>th</sup> anniversary 5pm – food fun fellowship 7pm beginners meeting, group inventory, treasurer given autonomy on donating to pie chart

### **Old business:**

Round Up alcathon slot at 11pm on Saturday needs someone to chair – Mark B will chair!  
Elaine and Tamara will chair meeting on responsibility pledge  
*All GSRs are encouraged to attend Round Up!*

### **PBLL Workshop**

Area Chair gladly welcomes district 2 to have workshop during fall assembly  
Tentative date – Saturday morning 9:15 October 19<sup>th</sup>  
Alyssa will reach out to past literature trustee  
Mike R – suggested to use part of budget to purchase copies of PLBB for workshop

### **New business:**

No new business

### **DCM report:**

No new information since last area meeting

May 17<sup>th</sup> - District 4 Workshop Working Together, Increasing Trust  
10 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Grapevine Clubhouse 93 Chapman  
Street, Greenfield, MA

May 24<sup>th</sup> - Intergroup Golf Tournament Agawam Country Club.  
Email [intergroupgolf2025@gmail.com](mailto:intergroupgolf2025@gmail.com) to sign up.  
\$100 pp includes lunch, cart, dinner, raffle and prizes

June 6th-8th - Western Mass Round-Up  
Holiday Inn and Suites, Pittsfield, MA

August 15th-17th - MSCYPAA XXVII MA State Convention of Young People  
Marriott Springfield, MA  
[www.msccypaa.com](http://www.msccypaa.com) to register

Dec 6-7th – NERF  
OMNI Providence Hotel - Registration Not Open Yet, opens about 3 months prior

1st Thursday of every month, "What a Concept" 30 Carew  
Street South Hadley, MA - Hybrid  
1st Sundays WMYPAA Traditions and business meeting - Traditions @ 4, Business @ 5 Serenity  
Club Springfield  
2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of every month Distret 3 Virtual Traditions Meeting  
Zoom: 84274148976 PW: 816033

May 31<sup>st</sup> – MSCYPAA Prom!  
745 Main St Agawam, MA  
Starts at 6pm  
\$20 Suggested contribution

Area committees are looking for help!  
CPC – co-chair  
CPC – secretary  
Accessibilities – secretary  
*And more participation from groups and individuals!*

Area will do outgoing commitments on service and group inventories

3 Websites  
Area website, western mass intergroup website, and Berkshire intergroup website

International convention is coming up in July in Vancouver  
Hannah K from area 31 is helping with a hospitality suite, looking for volunteer – see Tamara to  
get connected or find Hannah's contact info on area website

**Invited guest:**

Bob – Area Chair

Speaking at District 4 workshop

Looking for venue for fall assembly:

- Need capacity for ~120 people
- Marron Center in Holyoke – may not be big enough
- 300 appleton st where intergroup in located
- *All suggestions welcome! Email Bob – [areachair@area31aa.org](mailto:areachair@area31aa.org)*

May 12<sup>th</sup> last day to sign up for golf tournament!!

May 24<sup>th</sup> Intergroup Golf Tournament

Next meeting:

June 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm