



The Communicator

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Easy Does It

What does a law student and a recovering alcoholic have in common?

They both have to pass the bar

Did you hear about the man who fell into the upholstery machine?

He is fully recovered.

Two recovering alcoholics decided to write a song together.

They couldn't get past the first two bars.

I used to be addicted to the Hokey Pokey...

But I turned myself around.

DISTRICT MEETING - DECEMBER 2021

Bill welcomed and thanked all that were present, followed by the Serenity Prayer. All participants introduced themselves and stated their position of service. Bill opened with the elections.

New positions as follows:

Lauren - DCM

Mike N - Alternate DCM

Doug F - Webmaster

Gail - Bridging the Gap

Sherry - Grapevine

Lynn L - District Events

Open positions and or assistance needed

Secretary

Womens Corrections

Men Corrections - Adam will be available until someone shows interest. Treasurer - Katie will need help Jan. Feb.

CHAIRS:

Bill: DCM Report - Elected as the literature chair for Area 74

Katie: Treasury Report - report was sent out and approved

Jeri Lyn: Secretary Report - report was sent out and approved

Kimberly: Newsletter - Going well

Dean: Webmaster - Running smooth, Good time to pass the baton.

Mary B: Grapevine - Sent report / Remote communities and sober holidays Lauren and Lloyd Events - Not present

Adam: Corrections - Not present

William: Accessibilities - Sent report / Good communication with hotline Linda CPC - Discussed the need for advertising on WIXX

GSR's

Heather - Announced the 2 women's meetings Thursdays @ 7pm
(In person) at the Bridge and on (Zoom)

William D - Early Bird - Remaining on zoom until the 1st of 2022

Kathy B - Sun. 7:30 am - Sent report / Group will remain on zoom

Paul - Serenity Now - Attendance continues to be good.

Matt W - 8 AM Saturday St Johns Howard - meetings are well attended Duffy - Sunday 730 Front room 218 = pushing 40 people

Lynn B- St Matts - Sent report / Masks are required

OLD BUSINESS:

Sitting Chair positions / Elections

NEW BUSINESS:

District monthly meeting location

Money available for Linda S advertising / getting the message out

Meeting adjourned at 7:32PM

2021 District 1 Annual Budget

Committee	Annual Budget	Contributions	Actuals to Date	Difference	2022 Projections	2022 Projections
DCM	\$ 500.00		\$ 211.17	\$ 288.83	\$ 400.00	
Secretary	\$ 25.00		\$ -	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	
Treasurer	\$ 50.00		\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	
Corrections	\$ 500.00		\$ -	\$ 500.00	\$ 250.00	
Bridging the Gap	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	\$ 50.00	
Grapevine	\$ 50.00		\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	
Newsletter	\$ 1,000.00		\$ 859.91	\$ 140.09	\$ 1,000.00	
PI & CPC	\$ 850.00		\$ -	\$ 850.00	\$ 500.00	
Archives	\$ 50.00		\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	
Webmaster	\$ 300.00		\$ 288.88	\$ 11.12	\$ 300.00	
PO Box Rental (Oct)	\$ 150.00		\$ 146.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 150.00	
Special Events	\$ 2,000.00		\$ 357.68	\$ 1,642.32	\$ 1,000.00	
Hotline (Oct to Cntrl Ofc)	\$ 600.00		\$ 71.00	\$ 529.00	\$ 500.00	
Literature (Estate)	\$ 241.50		\$ -	\$ 241.50	\$ 241.50	
Accessibility	\$ 600.00		\$ 158.15	\$ 441.85	\$200.00	
Radio Advertising	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,500.00	\$ -	\$ 1,500.00	
Contributions		\$ 8,416.50	\$ 4,219.41	\$ (4,197.09)		\$ 6,266.50
Total	\$ 8,416.50	\$ 8,416.50	\$ 7,812.20	\$ 626.62	\$ 6,266.50	\$ 6,266.50

NOTES

Newsletter expenses includes \$359.76 for Adobe (set up for monthly payment of \$16.00 effective 2/2022)

Special Events - \$200 in donations received at picnic that went towards costs. \$264.03-\$200 = \$64.03 expenses

Accessibility expense was ZOOM

Hotline is now \$19/month

For consideration:

1. should Bridging the Gap be tied to Corrections?
2. Should we consider going bi-monthly with newsletter to cut down expenses?
3. Should we look into another phone carrier to cut down expenses on Hotline?

4th and 5th Step Spring Retreat

(AA/Al-Anon/ACA)

April 22-24, 2022

Place: St Norbert Center for Spirituality

(People of all religious beliefs or of none are welcome)

Time: Friday night to Sunday noon

Cost: \$200 – includes 2 nights/5 meals

(Snacks and beverages provided throughout retreat)

This retreat setting is designed to provide a safe trusting environment for the participants to learn and grow in “working recovery”. Group presentations on steps 4-7 are offered. Experienced facilitators in recovery are available to listen to “5th steps” throughout the weekend in a private setting. Attendees are encouraged to do as much of their 4th Step as possible prior to attending the Retreat. Other opportunities to share in fellowship include open meetings, closed meetings, and speaker meetings. There are also a variety of settings available for personal and private reflection.

*6 months sobriety/active recovery suggested

Retreat is limited to 32.

We anticipate a very high response!

Please make your reservation early.

Registration deadline is.... April 8, 2022

(Limited Scholarships available – please call Judy G to inquire)

Send \$100 deposit to:

Step Retreats

PO Box 574

Green Bay Wi. 54305

**** \$100 deposits are not refundable after April 1, 2022****

Cash/Checks/Money Orders Only-No charge cards accepted

ANY QUESTIONS? Call Judy G. 920-737-2330

Registration: Spring 2022 4th & 5th Step Retreat

Name: _____ Gender M/F

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

*Email: _____

*Email will be used to contact you w/ confirmation and retreat information

Phone: _____

Special Needs?: _____

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