DISTRICT MONTHLY MEETING
October 10, 2024

Opened with the Serenity Prayer. 7th Tradition. Responsibility statement. 12 Traditions

Attendance – 16 attendees signed the attendance sheet; 22 attended

DCM	Mike N
Alt. DCM	William W
Secretary	Brooke K
Alt. Secretary	Carolynn B
Treasurer	Paul K
Newsletter/Webmaster	Andy H
Grapevine	Kati S
Men's Corrections	Mark
Women's Corrections	Veronica W
Alt Women's Corrections	Mary Lou
Bridging the Gap	Tony P
PI	Glenn
CPC	Deb P
Archives	Jeff
Accessibilities	Vacant
Hot Line	Mark W
District Events	Greg
Literature Chair	Doug
Chair of Group Information	Mark F
Structures and Guidelines	Lauren Z
Subcommittee for NFL Draft	Tom N

GSRs Present: Debbie P, Bill G, Brian B, Mary B, Jeff G, Bill D, Brian W, Sandra B, Tom N, Mark, Sherry W, Nancy S, Anne , Erceal E
VISITORS: Marty S, Clint, Ben

Call to order – Alt DCM – 6:32pm

Serenity Prayer

7th Tradition – Treasurer - Paul

Responsibility statement – Alt DCM – William

12 Traditions – Secretary – Brooke

Tradition 10 – Greg L

Concept X – Mike

Volunteers for next month for Tradition 11: Erceal E Concept 11: Sandra B

- Only sitting chairs or alternates acting on their behalf, GSR's or alternates acting on their behalf may speak, vote and/or second motions
- If you represent a group and are a District Chair, you must decide if your vote is in favor of your Group, or your vote is as a District Chair
- Sometimes, the business at hand takes longer than 1 hour. Please don't leave until business is completed if you are a voting member. We are trusted servants, and every group deserves to have a voice and be informed. In that spirit, this committee will allow each GSR up to 2 minutes to give a report from their group immediately following their introductions.

Introductions

Please submit your reports to the secretary by the Monday after the district meeting

GSR Reports

Deb P GSR –Zoom Women in the Present - The Zoom Women in the Present group meets on Thursdays at 7 PM virtually via Zoom. Depending on the week, the group reads from The GrapeVine, Daily Reflections and the chairperson's choice. Attendance at these meetings is between 6-9 participants but we continue to see new members.

Lauren Z –Women In The Present **–**Our group continues to meet weekly on Thursdays at 7pm at The Bridge. *No written report*

Sam J- New Hope Group - Saturday 9:00am at the Micah Center in Green - Bay Big Book Meeting - Closed Big Book Meeting. We're now upstairs. *No written report*

Nancy S – Came to Believe - Spiritual Awakening Wed closed zoom meeting at 9:30
We read from "Came to Believe" Unfortunately, our attempts to support fellow alcoholics have been interrupted by some disruptive individuals. On October 2nd, the group decided to change our Zoom meeting ID and remove our listing from the Online Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous. Starting next week, the new Zoom details will be:

Topic: AA Spiritual Awakening
Time: Every week on Wed, 9:30 AM Central Time (US and Canada)

URL: **https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89859369859?pwd=i30ESrf4cbbBVPie3trAqjYlPogGG7.1**

Meeting ID: 898 5936 9859
Passcode: 941015

Lucas H - Lunch Bunch - Thursday Noon at the Micah Center in Green Bay- Big Book Meeting. meeting attendance varies from 4-10+. *No written report*

Mary B – Saturday Sober Sisters - Zoom – Meets @ 8:30 am to 9:30am.
*We have an average of 19 people
*We have a member involved in corrections

*We have a member involved with the hot line
*We have a new lady attending the past few weeks
*We celebrate sober birthdays
*Overall, we are doing well

Tom S – Road to Recovery **–** 5:30pm Mondays at the 218 Club (Back Room) – *No written report*

Kimberly P – BYOBB – *No written report*

Sean S – There is a Solution – Saturdays, 8:00am @ The Bridge. *No written report*

Tom – Fisherman's Paradise – Tuesdays; 8pm @ St John the Baptist Church. *No written report*

Eric V – Recovery Crusaders – 8:00 a.m. Sunday @ Nativity of Lord Church. *No written report*

Brett – Early Birds – Sundays 7:30am at the 218 Club. The 7:30 a.m. *No written report*

John v S/ Erceal – Never on Sunday **–** The Bridge 9:30am Sundays. *No written report*

Sean M – Early Risers **–** Saturday 8 a.m. @ St. John the Baptist Church. (Cardinal Ln. and Glendale Ave. in Howard. Early Riser's is a closed meeting that gathers Saturday year-round with a step study, open discussion, traditions meeting, with a guest speaker on the last Saturday of each month. October's presence is up with regular attendees, newcomers, and visitors. Take from Autumn, one of our greatest lessons – letting go.

Bill - Tues 12:05 How It works group - *No written report*

Bobby L – The Serenity Now Group of AA**–** Calvary Lutheran Church every Mon., Wed., & Fri. from 12:00 to 1 p.m. *No written report*

Linda V – Zoom into Recovery **–** meets 7 days a week at 300 PM. *No written report*

Donna Y– Letting Go – Meeting Thurs. 1 p.m. @ 218. *No written report*

Brian – Walk with us – 9:30am Thursdays The Bridge - *No written report*

Lucas H – The Open Speaker Meeting – Wed. 7 p.m. @ 218 Club. *No written report*

District Chair Reports

DCM Report Mike N –
Since we met last, I was privileged to represent you at the Area 74 Conference, which included the Area Assembly on Saturday and the Area Committee Meeting on Sunday. We are going into a 2-year period of experimentation beginning in 2025, with only 1 Conference (May 15-17 in Sturgeon Bay in '25), with Assemblies and ACM's being held separately, and the Delegate's Workshop being a stand-alone event. This will allow our Trusted Servants to be able to attend and

participate in recovery related panels, discussions and workshops. I'm looking forward to this change as I feel there is a time to learn and grow and time to put it to use. As we enter into Autumn and the season of holidays, challenging weather and other "surprises", let us not lose our vigilance in our personal programs and the mission of our Groups, Districts, Areas and the Fellowship as a whole. This can be a lonely time for those who still suffer, in and out of the rooms.

October 2024 District Events

- October 10th -District 01 GSR Meeting, 6:30pm, Nativity of Our Lord Church, 2270 S. Oneida, Door #4.
- October 12th - Area 74 Assembly, The Waters of Minoqua, 8116 Hwy 51 S. Also via Zoom: ID: 479 428 9816 PW: 1212144
- November 8th 2nd Annual Gratitude Panel/Ice Cream Social, 6-8pm, Nativity of Our Lord Church, 2270 S. Oneida, Door #6.
- November 14th , District 01 GSR Meeting, 6:30pm Nativity of Our Lord Church, 2270 S. Oneida Door #4.
- November 28th, HAPPY THANKSGIVING! 10am Gratitude Meeting, 218 Club, 218 S. Oneida, all day fellowship.

District Events – Greg L -

Gratitude Panel on 11/8/24

This is an open event with an estimated 30 people attending per last year's numbers.
Andy created flyers for the event and started outreaching with them at clubs and meetings.
Miller Bill as the M.C. for this event is handling meeting structure.
U.S. Military Veteran Speakers on the Gratitude Panel are Marty, Mike S., Rich. We are also looking for a woman U.S. Veteran who may be willing to speak on this Gratitude Panel.
I am getting greeters lined up as well as people to volunteer with setup, clean up and ice cream servers. I will be reaching out for help from experienced service members to assist in other planning and overseeing of the event.
At this time I would ask that a budget not to exceed $150.00 be approved for ice cream and toppings for the event.

2025 Inter Group (1/25/25 proposed)

I will contact Redeemer Lutheran Church again to get this date officially set. The church did not have a calendar in place when I last spoke to them.
Several members have agreed to join these events planning committee. I will be asking more members to participate in this committee and we will begin having committee meetings this month.

Secretary – Brooke – Motion for September 2024 Minutes to be set forth by Bill and seconded by Jeff. September 2024 Minutes approved; motion carried

Treasurer -Paul –Motion to approve September Treasurer Report by William and seconded by Tony; September 2024 Budget Approved, motion carried.
PCMCU Bank Account

For The Period Ended September 30, 2024

Starting Balance $10,844.30
Deposits

Cash 5-Sep How it Works Contribution $75.00
Cash 12-Sep District Picnics Contribution $119.00
Cash 12-Sep District Meeting 7th tradition $42.00
Check 5-Sep Never on Sunday Contribution $225.80
Check 12-Sep Serenity Now Contribution $670.03
Check 12-Sep BYOBB Contribution $11.50
Check 12-Sep Early Risers Contribution $43.50
Check 16-Sep Letting Go Contribution $55.00
Check 23-Sep 7th Tradition 9/7 WKSP Contribution $161.00
Check 23-Sep Living Sober Contribution $29.00 $1,431.83
Checks 5-Sep See Detail Account B Golf Outing $86.00
Checks 16-Sep See Detail Account B Golf Outing $0.00
Checks 23-Sep See Detail Account B Golf Outing $576.00
Checks 23-Sep See Detail Account B Golf Outing $43.00
Checks 27-Sep See Detail Account B Golf Outing $140.00
Checks 30-Sep See Detail Account B Golf Outing $240.70 $1,085.70
Sub-Total $2,517.53
30-Sep Dividend $0.91
Sub-Total $0.91
Total $2,518.44
Disbursements

12-Sep Cash Nativity - Rent $21.00
17-Sep DC T-Mobile Hot Line $20.00
16-Aug CK1054 AA World Services Literature $546.94
24-Sep CK1055 The Woods Golf Club $1,920.00 X
2-Sep CK1056 Melanie B.District Summer Picnic $215.98
9-Sep CK 1057 Sean M.- Lunch 9/7 Workshop $352.81
12-Sep CK1058 Mike N. - Office Suppllies $34.08
12-Sep CK 1059 Mike N. - Area Chair Recep. $110.00
12-Sep CK 1060 Deb P. - CPC Exp $30.04
13-Sep CK1061 Mike N. Corrections Conf. $1,005.00 Appr. 9/12
Sub-Total $4,255.85
Less Reimbursements-Literature $247.50
Sub-Total $247.50 $247.50
Account Transfers From Literature
Corrections $67.00
Total $4,008.35
Balance Net of Uncashed Checks $9,354.39
Uncashed Checks X $1,920.00

Bank Balance $11,274.39
Less Prudent Reserve $1,300.00
Net Available Funds $8,054.39
Submitted by: Paul K.
Date: October 10, 2024

Website/Newsletter report – Andy–

- **Website**: No significant updates to report on the website this month. We are currently beta testing an online chat function with the help of trusted servants within area 74. Once that functionality is proven and reliable we will work to implement it on the district 1 website as well. Think of this as an extension of the hotline—live on our website.
- **Newsletter**: No changes to The Communicator at this time.
- **Meeting List**: The meeting list is set and as always is available in print on the back table as well as online at https://www.greenbayaa.org/meeting-list-download/

Literature – Doug – District 01 holds an inventory of most AA literature that is published by General Services in New York, NY. The price we charge is the same price charged by the General Service office. The books are stocked locally and can be ordered by contacting your GSR or the literature chairperson directly at literature@greenbayaa.org , or contacting me directly via text or phone at 920-590-3684. Literature can be delivered to the monthly GSR meeting at Nativity of our Lord parish or can be arranged to deliver to either the 218 club, the Bridge, or Calvary meetings.
District chairpersons are welcome to order any literature for their committees. The cost of the literature can be charged directly to the committee's budget and there is no need for payment. We also have a literature display that is available to all groups for use at events. We have many pamphlets and books in a tabletop display. Please contact the literature chairperson directly to arrange.

Grapevine – **Kati** –*Not present. No written Report*

Men's Corrections – **Mark F**. – *Not present. No written report*

Women's Corrections – Veronica K/Mary Lou – *Not present. No written report*

Bridging the Gap – Tony P –-*No written report*

CPC – Deb P. – Each month the CPC Committee members continue to reach out to current and new agencies regarding their need for additional information regarding Alcoholics Anonymous. The committee had a resource table at 3 mental health fairs in September where we provided AA pamphlets, AA and Al-anon meeting lists and hotline cards. We connected with St Vincent De Paul at one of these events and now they are posting our info in all their resource centers. We are working with Libertas and NEW Community Shelter regarding starting AA meetings at their facilities. I continue to attend the monthly Area 74 and GSO PI/CPC working group meetings that take place virtually each month. I also attend the monthly Brown County Drug and Alcohol Coalition meetings.

P.I. – Glenn S.- *No written report*

Archives – **Jeff E. –** Not present. *No written report*

Hotline – Mark – Not present. We have 2 hotline positions open: The 2nd Thursday and 2nd Sunday of each month. If interested, please contact Mark W at hotline@greenbayaa.org

Accessibilities – **Vacant**. – *No written report*

Structures and Guidelines – Lauren Z – Not present. *No written report*

Subcommittee for NFL Draft -Tom N - *No written report*

Old Business:

- Kati – Grapevine chair has not been heard from or attended meetings, could someone reach out to her?
- There is an upcoming upgrade to the District 1 Green Bay AA website with an interactive chat function, more information to come
- Sense of the body for fully seeding the Area 74 Delegate to the General Service
    - Conference in NY: yes, fully seeding the District Delegate with the funds available makes sense to District 1. There are 93 Delegates throughout the country and Area 74 has the funds available to send Nicholas, the Area 74 Delegate to the National Conference.
- NFL Draft here April 2025
    - Tom is heading up the committee to have the hand of AA reach out to the people coming into town for the NFL Draft and waiting to hear back from several entities about how to move forward with that. Having meetings available for those in town looking for a meeting. More information to come and volunteers needed to run meetings around different areas of town.
- Assistance for D22 for Area 74 Conference May 2025
    - Looking for volunteers to help with this Conference, a wonderful service opportunity for many! Please ask Mike, William, Brooke, or ask at the District Meeting how to pitch in!
- International Convention info July 3-6, 2025, in Vancouver, B.C.
    - Available hotels still, a once in a 5-year event, also available on Zoom.

New Business

- Interest in reviving the meeting at NEW Community Shelter
    - Debbie P presented information about the NEW Community Shelter meeting and the possibility of a meeting being held there. More information to come.

Motion to close at 7:49pm made by Tom

Close with Lord's Prayer