

District 28 Meeting Minutes

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Date: September 20, 2023 Attendance:

Total attendance: 6

Groups participating: 4

Officers present (4): DCM, Alt DCM, Secretary, Treasurer

Groups represented by GSR or Alt GSR (4): Fallston Early Saturday (GSR); Forest Hill Friday (GSR); Gates of Insanity (GSR); Never too Early (Alt GSR)

Guest (0):

The meeting began at 7:01 p.m. with the Serenity Prayer.

Secretary's report / previous month's minutes:

- Motion to accept the Meeting Minutes. Seconded. Motion Passed

GSR reports:

- Fallston Early Saturday: Meet 7:30 am on Saturday at Unitarian Church in Fallston; Have coffee, is a speaker discussion meeting; attendance is usually between 15-20 people.
- Forest Hill Friday Night: Meet at 7:00 pm at Christ Episcopal Church, speaker discussion meeting, have 12 homegroup members, attendance is 20-30, serve coffee.
- Gates of Insanity: Meet Friday night at 7:30 at Harford Community Church; speaker discussion meeting; attendance averages 30; 2 new home group members; have coffee and snacks.
- Never too Early: Meet Thursday morning at Good Shepherd Church at 6:00; literature meeting, currently reading the stories in the back of the book and then transition to the 12 & 12; usually 15 in attendance, 10 homegroup members, first Thursday of the month a homegroup member will bring breakfast for the meeting.

DCM report

DCM talked about the following upcoming events:

- DCM & Alt DCM meeting is first Saturday of the month
- 2023 General Service Conference final report is available digitally and printed formats.
- GSO survey for on-line meetings
- Conferences coming up include Sunlight of the Spirit, Southern States Women's Conference

Treasurer's report

- Motion to accept Treasurer report, seconded, approved.

Grapevine: The new app has been releases. If you have the full access subscription then there is no additional fee for the app otherwise the cost is \$2.99 per month or \$28.97 per year.

Intergroup Liaison: Request for support from Groups was sent out and notice was put in the bulletin. Discussed discontinuing the hybrid meeting. Looking for volunteers to help in the office. Looking for more groups to sign up for answering service. Tickets are available at the office and online for the October 22 breakfast.

Old Business: none

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New business:

Elections will be in October for DCM, Alt DCM, Secretary and Treasurer. Anyone interested in standing or knows of anyone interested is welcome to stand.

Asked GSR's to check with their homegroups to see if there is interest in participating in the Chili Contest/GSR Orientation.

Discussed possible locations for Christmas Alcahthon.

Read and discussed Tradition 9 and Concept 9

Meeting ended at 7:55 p.m. and closed with the Responsibility Statement.

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