District 9 GSR Monthly Meeting Minutes - October 14th, 2018

Reminder: New District 9 Address is P.O. Box 224, Walla Walla, WA 99362

Attendees: Bob S, Dawn B, Elaine F, Gene A, George K, Glenda R, J.C., Julie R, Jamie H, Laura S, LaVon L, Sally S, Ron F, Ron O

Meeting Chair (DCM open) - Julie R opened meeting at 6pm with the Serenity Prayer.

Chair Reports

Open Chairs: DCM - Treatment - Newsletter - Secretary

DCM - DCM Chair open. No report.

Secretary(Open) - Julie R presented September meeting minutes as published. J.C. motioned to accept, Dawn B second. Meeting minutes accepted.

Glenda R reiterated her resignation from Secretary chair per the email sent on September 29th 2018.

Treasury – Julie R presented treasury report. Dawn B motioned to accept, Sally S second. Treasury report accepted.

<u>Literature</u> – Gene A presented Literature Inventory. Groups should request books from District (Gene A) so the \$500.00 minimum order limit can be met for free shipping.

Pink Can – Julie R reported funds collected for September \$105.21.

<u>Answering Service</u> – Julie R stated committee creation pending. Julie R will email Dawn B the current list of telephone participants. Dawn B will call to confirm status of participation.

Corrections - Ron O volunteered to chair. Julie suggested Ron O to visit prison and leverage Bill L for guidance.

Newsletter(Open) - Chair approved for Newsletter. Chair currently open. Newsletter committee creation pending.

<u>Archives</u> – La Von L has all archives in her basement. Julie R will get La Von L in touch with archives person. Dawn B will give La Von L's contact information to those 20+ years sober.

Public Info - Ben G - No Report

Activities - Julie R reopened discussion regarding the Gratitude Banquet and open chair. George K volunteered to be Activities Chair.

Glenda R reiterated her resignation from Activities chair per the email sent on September 29th 2018. Remaining materials and flash drive with activities information and GSR contact list was given to George K.

GSR Reports

Milton Freewater Primary Purpose – Julie R (ALT) – Open Discussion – 15-20ppl – Bobby B 39 years, – Special Notes: Dinner meeting prior to regular meeting at 5:45 – 7:00.

Sunday Morning Eye Opener - Gene A. - 12 X 12 Discussion - 20+ppl - PC \$10.57

Language Of The Heart - Sally S - Open, Big Book - 15-20ppl - PC \$18:00

Wednesday First Step Group - Bob S. - Open 1st step round table - 12ppl

Early Birds Group - Dawn B. -Open Discussion - Avg 15ppl - 1mo, 2mo, 24yr, 28yr, 30yr, 33yr

As Bill Sees It – Elaine F – Open - 6-10ppl – Special Notes: Handicap accessible – Attendance fluctuates - Group consists of RRU and people change usually every four weeks

Dog Pound - Ron F - Read from daily reflections. Discuss that or topic of persons choice - 2-5ppl - Special Notes: Men's Campout, Jan 25-27, 2019

Monday Night Touch On Feelings - J.C. - Stick drawn - Avg 5ppl - Multiple 2yr, 3yr - Special Notes: Outside/Firepit/Smoking Meeting/Will BBQ anything brought, marshmallows supplied

Monday Woman's Book Club - Jamie H (acting GSR) - Closed B.B. Steps - 10-12ppl - 60dy, 90dy, 9mo

Old Business Gratitude Banquet

- Dawn B, Ron O & La Von L(as adviser) will assist George K with the banquet.
- La Von L has all activities bins in her basement.
- La Von L has secured the Presbyterian Church for Saturday, November 10th after 12:00pm.
- George K and committee will meet to discuss budget, menu, time, responsibilities etc.
- Gene A mentioned that Monte B had invited Brian to speak.

New Business

Julie R closed the meeting at 7:03pm with the Responsibility Statement