

District 11 Monthly Business Meeting

October 20,2024

Open with the Serenity Prayer- Sean

AA Preamble: Tim

GSR Preamble: Kent

10th Tradition: Amy

10th Concept: Sherman

Roll Call: (14 present)

Sean (DCM & GSR), Kent(Alt. DCM) Sherman (Literature), Jessica (GSR,Secretary), Maggie (Treasurer), Bill (Archives, Alt GSR), Amy (GSR), Jeff P(GSR), Tim (Webmaster), Jake (GSR & Alt PI) Kent (Alt.DCM), Chris (GSR), Heath (GSR), Rachel (GSR)

Minutes: (Jessica)

Jessica read the Minutes from Sept 14, 2024

Bill motioned to accept the September Minutes. Sherman 2nd. All in Favor.

Treasure Report (Maggie):

Maggie read the treasure report

The balance as of September 15, 2024 was \$2,251.05

The total donations were \$222.00

Total disbursements \$504.40

The balance as of October 18, 2024 is \$1,968.65

Bill motion to accept the treasure report. Jake 2nd All in Favor.

Literature Report (Sherman):

Sherman read the literature report

The beginning balance was \$992.86

The ending balance was \$1,214.91

5 Groups made purchases

All GSR received a copy of the district inventory list

Bill Motion to accept the literature report. Jeff P 2nd All in Favor

Archives Report (Bill):

Everything is safe in the storage shed.

Today is the Future of AA

We celebrated 80th Anniversary of AA in Decatur @ Founder's Day Breakfast

For District Picnic we will buy a Big Book for everyone to sign.

Total cost for 13 months is \$479.40 which is split with Introgroup.

Webmaster Report (Tim):

Tim shared a report on the different clicks and impressions made
AA meetings in Decatur received 336 impressions and 154 clicks
AA meetings near me received 123 impressions and 27 clicks
Online AA meetings received 481 impressions and 7 clicks
AA meetings Decatur Illinois was almost 46%

Corrections Reports (Lisa):

No Report

Public Information Report (Linda):

Linda will be stepping down due to health reasons.
Jake will be covering in the meantime.
The next book order was put in by Linda so we should be good until the end of the year.
Jake's thinking about adding some more places to our rotation to put information.
Blue Mound, library, and counselor offices

Bridging the Gap Report :

Vacant

Old Business:

District meeting will be December 8 (2nd Sunday) due to Area meeting on December 15(3rd Sunday)
Nominations will be in November & Elections will be in December
District 11 will host the June 1, 2025 Area Assembly
hoping to reserve Hickory Point Township for the Area Assembly
Sean will be the Chair for the Area Assembly

New Business:

Literature chair discussion
Maggie motioned that the literature chair remain at the position till the end of the year. Kent accepted motion and Jeff 2nd. All were in favor

Open table/Intergroup:

No report

GSR Reports:

Back 2 Basic: (Jeff P)

The Church

Meet Monday-Saturday 8 AM (closed discussion)& Sunday 6 PM (open discussion)

Location 317 W. Decatur

Average attendance is 10 to 35

Two topic discussion meeting

ROAD TO RECOVERY : (Bob)

St. John's Episcopal Church 130 West Eldorado St

Meets at Noon Monday through Saturday

Two topic meeting except for Wednesday we read from AA Literature

MUSTARD SEED: (Jessica)

Meets at 1st United Methodist Church Mondays at 7pm.

Monthly Group Conscious Meeting is the 2nd Monday of the month.

The structure of the group is to read a portion of the Big Book and that will be the topic for the meeting.

Last Monday of the Month is a speaker meeting followed by cake celebrating for AA birthdays for the month.

Strong & Active Home Group

EASY DOES IT:(Kent B)

Meets Thursday at 8 PM at first Presbyterian Church in Mt.Zion

Average attendance 6-8

Studying in big book "To The Employer"

Open Speaker meeting 1st Thursday of the month

Judy B is the November speaker

Had a visitor from Tasmania a few weeks ago

FRIDAY NIGHT FORUM: (Monte)

Bill reported as Alt GSR

Friday at 8 PM at 1st Congregational Church at 3465 N. MacArthur Road

Attendance is spotty

2nd Friday of the month we read an insert from "As Bill Sees it"

Annual Christmas Dinner will be December 20 starts at 7pm

LOVES HOME GROUP : (Sean M)

Meets every Thursday 7pm at The Church

317 West Decatur St.

Two topic meeting

Hosting a Thanksgiving Dinner 6pm and Meeting at 7pm

SOBRIETY @ 6: (Haley)

Saturday night at 6 PM @ 317 W. Decatur

MONDAY NIGHT HAPPY HOUR: (Amy)

St. John's Episcopal Church 130 W. Eldorado St Mondays at 5:30

Average attendance 20-30.

Two topic meeting. We read from the 24 hour book, daily reflection.

This is a Closed discussion meeting.

BEGINNERS GROUP: (Chris B)

8 PM Tuesday nights at 1st Congregational Church
3465 N. MacArthur Road (North door)fellowship hall
Attendance average is 15-20
This is the closed discussion meeting
Big Book study first Tuesday of the month
Enter through back door

UN-THIRSTY THURSDAY: (Jake)

First presbyterian church in Taylorville, Thursday nights at 7:30pm
Avg Attendance 5
Big Book Study (1st 164 pages)
In to Action

SHINE THROUGH SOBRIETY (Rachel)

First Baptist Church 1000 W. North 6th St., Shelbyville. Saturday @ 7pm
Attendance 10-15
Literature Meeting
Reading the Big Book right now

SULLIVAN SERENITY SEEKERS:(Heath)

First United Methodist Church 216 West Jefferson St., Sullivan, IL
Meet Monday and Wednesdays at 7pm
Average attendance 10 to 15.
Speaker meeting last Monday of each month

STEP SISTERS : (Linda H)

Meets Wednesday at 5:30 at St. John's Episcopal church 130 W. Eldorado St

SUNDAY SECRET SOCIETY:

Gratitude Garage
Temporary meeting at 1504 N Wilson Avenue
Decatur IL 62526

Heart of Saturday: (Dave)

Church of God Rectory
718 E Woodlawn St. Clinton IL

Hump Day:

Meeting Closed Down

Motion to Close: Bill motioned to close Tim 2nd All in Favor
Closed with the Responsibility Statement: Everyone

Next meeting: November 17, 2024

Respectfully submitted by: Jessica