

**District 1 Meeting Minutes for May 15, 2023 - St. Paul's**

**Attendance:** Sara S., Chloe D., Daniel S., Lorraine J., Kenny G., Joseph B., Brian B., Allan C., David Y., Dawn E.

\* Daniel S. opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer

**Minutes:** March minutes approved

**Concept** – Chloe read concept 10 & 11

**Treasurers Report** - Peggy R. via phone. See attached

**DCM Report:** Daniel S. – Nothing new to report at this time.

**Alternate DCM Report:** Considering SMIA changing their procedures we will look into changing district policy so GSR's have an opportunity to discuss matters with the groups.

**SMIA Liaison:** Jamie R. – Not present. Lorraine J reported – Sat July 15 Immaculate Conception Speakers on Three Pillars. Rick H. will cover Recovery from Calvert County. Bylaws committee committed to table some topics for one month to allow representatives to take information back to their groups for feedback.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Accessibility Committee** – Needs chair

**Bridging the Gap** – David Y. is our new chair!!!!

**Events** – Mia F.- via phone. Any last minute details will be discussed at next district meeting. Looking for volunteers for set up and tear down on day of. Needs 50/50 raffle volunteer- drawing will be help prior to the 5pm meeting. Funds returned to district. New space available for functions- Rock Church has a pavilion with grills and horse shoe pits available for free. Considering a fall even. NO bathrooms available at pavilion

**Grapevine Committee** – Need chair

**Institutions** – Mark B. – Not present. Report via email. District One is providing facilitators for four meetings a week at Avenues Treatment Center in Prince Frederick, MD. Meetings are at 7:00PM on Monday and Thursday nights. There are two meetings held simultaneously. We need more volunteers. Contact [secretary@calvertaa.org](mailto:secretary@calvertaa.org) or Mark B. for more information.

**Public Information Committee** – Lorraine J. – Going well. Hitting all points north and south in the county

**Web Committee** – Bill L. – Not present

**Jails** – Daniel S. – Getting a list of people that are interested so we can schedule another orientation.

**Workshops** – Needs Chair

**Old Business** – Groups are asked to collect group history: Write to New York to get group founding information, dates, locations etc. Looking for By laws for district. Where and When abbreviations need to be reviewed and corrected.

**New Business** – District level does not need bylaws. We can create manuals that describe service responsibilities and rotation guidelines.

**Group Reports:**

**231 Group**- Kenny G. – Doing ok. Positions are filled except need an SMIA rep. 10-12 on Friday 5 or so on Tuesday

**Awakenings** – Dawn E –Awakenings has all positions filled and average 20-25 a meeting

**Beach Beacon** – Needs GSR

**Bedouin Group** – Chloe D. – Nothing new to report.

Cove Point – Brian B. – Nothing new to report

Daily Reflections - Donald R. – Not Present

Daily Reprieve Group – Joseph B. – All positions filled

Do Drop-In Women's Group - Carole W – Emailed report. Continuing zoom only format. Average 10 in attendance. Positions filled.

Grapevine – John B. – Not present.

Grateful Alive Group - Needs GSR

Happy Destiny - Needs GSR. Brian reported – NEEDS SUPPORT!! May have to close this meeting.

Happy Hour – Meeting is well attended. They are not interested in having a GSR

Huntingtown Noon Group – Needs GSR

Keeping It Green - Needs GSR

Living Sober Group – Roger M – Not present

Lusby Group - Donald R. - Not present

Monday Night Men's Meeting – Needs GSR

North Beach Group – Jaime R. – Not present

Prince Frederick Big Book – Allan C. – Needs support. 5-6 in attendance.

Saturday Morning Breakfast – Judy S. – Not present

Sober by the Bay – Needs GSR

Solomons- David Y. – All but alternate positions filled. 20-30 people. Good attendance

The Harmony Group – Bill L. Not present. See attached report

Sunderland Group - Bill L. – Not present. See attached report

Today Group – Needs GSR

We Wuz Wurz Group – Needs GSR – Brian reported – Doing fine

Meeting closed with prayer.