

NWPI Meeting Minutes

April 20, 2023 6pm

Attendees:

Will B–Chair

Vicky D–Backstage

Brad–Clemmons

Katherine H–Old Town,Steps we took

Catherine W–Secretary

Rebecca–Piney Grove

Joseph K–Tolerance

Charles S-Serenity K'vill

Mike N–Lit

Anna Fox–D18

Carol W–King Serenity

JohnR–Treasurer, Website

Mary O–D17

Tom B–Pilot Mtn

Jason F

Jorie

Mike P–H&I

PJ–Ladies Group

Jody P–Piney Grove

Will opened the meeting at 6pm, with the Serenity Prayer, welcomed all.

March Minutes: Approved as submitted by Catherine.

Treasurer Report: John R reviewed the March info. There were \$238 in contributions, \$1392 in literature sales, \$4623 in expenses for a net loss of \$2993. There is a balance of \$17,529. John noted there were big literature and chip purchases, also rent for PO box and website expenses. The report was approved.

Old Business:

>Will talked about the current open positions and asked if anyone to fill (no).

>Will asked if any subcommittee initiatives (no)

>Reminder about use of office space.

Subcommittees:

H&I: Mike noted meetings going into Old Vineyards on Tuesdays and Fridays. ARCA opening in 4-6 weeks. He has a new contact for Novant and will try to work with them to get meetings going there. Tom B talked about D17 activity: he met with the director of the women's Hope Valley unit, which is in Pilot Mtn. They are planning an orientation meeting for volunteers, then going in on Tuesdays. There was a discussion about length of sobriety required to take meetings into treatment centers—no set guidelines.

Accessibility: position is still open.

Answering Service: Position is unfilled. Jorie said the report looked okay. She suggested we make some new business cards and asked for help working on them. Catherine and John R said they would help.

CPC/PI: no report

Corrections: no updates.

Literature: Mike N said he stocked up before the scheduled literature price increase. The bookstore now has medallions up to 60 years.

Website & Tech Comm: John R said that he got the website fixed and it is doing well. He asked that if members get a message about the server being down, to please contact him right away. He also signed up for a free service which will check the server every hour.

D17: Mary O said the district is having Zoom meetings, going to Hope Valley, and working on some PI projects.

D18: Anna Fox said she is the new Alternate DCM. Katherine H is the new secretary for D18.

D19: absent but Tom B said there are several groups with GSRs now and maybe a district meeting soon.

New Business:

>Will said that elections are coming up and that the bylaws for NWPI require a nominating committee. He said Toby B is going to be part of the committee for the Board of Trustees. Rebecca D volunteered to be part of it also.

>**Upcoming events:** Will showed a flyer for an upcoming “Woman to Woman” Conference.

>Jorie asked about having a Founder’s Day event this year, suggested we work together to make it happen.

Announcements/Group news:

>Charlie said the Women’s meeting Sat at 1030 in Kernersville needs support

>Joseph said there is a WSYPA event Sat 4/22 at Miller Park,

>Rebecca D said Donnie S is speaking at Piney Grove this Friday evening.

Adjournment: At 7:00 with the Responsibility Statement.