

May 6th 2018 MINUTES

ATTENDANCE

Chairs: DCM-Patrick G, Alt DCM: MaryBeth P. PI- Ben B. **Treasurer-** Jaclyn M. **Treatment-** Sarah P.
Archives- Ronna B. **Grapevine-** Kiersten C. **Intergroup Rep-** Park P.

REPORTS

Treasurer's Report: *Beginning balance-* \$4,424.25, *Income-* \$95.50 *Expenses-* \$390.70, *Balance-* \$4,129.05 *Seed money-* \$300.00, *Prudent reserve-* \$300.00, *Operating balance* \$3,529.05

DCM: Hey Everyone. Summertime is here and with the beautiful weather, district groups are having lots of anniversary and picnics. Please check out aaquadcities.org. it's a great source of information. Rick W Area 24 delegate is coming on June 3rd at our regular district business meeting, 3:30 pm. It's a great time to learn more about AA and how to carry the message of recovery in our District. We are planning to attend the spring conference in June 8 -10 up in beautiful Clear Lake Iowa. We have three positions open in our District: CPC: Literature : Corrections: Please contact us in District 9 and get involved. With love and service Patrick G District DCM

ALT DCM:

Archives: Hi all, I'm continuing to organize our archives room, receiving more offers of help from people which will make it much easier to get this done! Will continue to clean and organize. Also trying to make it to as many groups and anniversary parties, etc, as I can.
in love and service Ronna.

Corrections: Vacant

CPC: Vacant

Grapevine: Met with Bettendorf representative in April and created the Marquette group display, which was given to Mary Beth on 5/6 to take to group. The committee will be meeting on May 19th to discuss attending other groups' business meetings, in the month of June, to talk about adding the Grapevine to their literature displays. Upcoming is to begin gathering old grapevines and donate them to those who do not have the ability to get to a meeting nor are able to obtain a subscription. This will be discussed with the committee in May. In Love and Service, Kiersten C.

Treatment: We are now required to have badges to enter the Country Oaks facility. Stacy Johnson at Unity Health/Trinity is the volunteer coordinator that I've been working with. The application to begin the process of becoming a volunteer is attached to my report. Interested people can complete the application and mail to Volunteer Office at Unity Point Health – Trinity, 2701 - 17th Street, Rock Island, IL 61201-9901. There will be an orientation meeting, and the details of that are TBD. During this time of Badging the volunteers, I have found a few volunteers that are badged at Riverside to Lead the meetings. It has not been as regular, but at least we are getting a few in there. If any Badged people are interested in helping out, please contact Lisa at Intergroup. The weekly meeting (Wed. at 7:00pm) at Accordius Health at St. Mary's (a nursing home located on E. Rusholme in Davenport) has 1 participant and she loves it when we show up!! A few volunteers are currently getting their background checks done to become volunteers. I was contacted by Maria Van Leer, Addiction Counselor at the Rosecrance New Life Outpatient Center, requesting AA speakers for their 9:30am and 5:00pm time slots. I have volunteers for the 5/9 meetings. Now, I'll be looking for volunteers to tell their story on the following dates: 7/6, 8/29, 10/24, 12/19. I plan to attend the June conference in Clear Lake. Love & service, Sarah
PI: committee meets Wednesday 6:30pm week following Wednesday business meeting all are welcome to join

Literature: Vacant

Intergroup Liaison: **TOTAL EVENT INCOME** - \$7,626.00, **TOTAL EVENT EXPENSE** - \$5,515.69, **INCOME MINUS EXPENSE** - \$2,047.04

GROUP REPORTS:

COURAGE TO CHANGE- Greetings, We have consistent attendance of around 40 people lately. Our group meets on Tuesday's at 6:30 pm at the First Baptist Church 1401 N Perry St. Davenport. We are a closed discussion meeting . On June 5th at our regular meeting we will be celebrating the 25th anniversary of the group. There will be food before the meeting , regular format . Yours in service, Mark M.

DEWITT GROUP: Hi from the DeWitt Group. We had a lot of fun at Marquette Anniversary awesome time. Also at the Clinton Group speaker meeting. Shelly B. Share her experience, strength and hope at the Maquoketa speaker meeting. We're always looking for ways the carry the message to the drunk that still suffering. Life is so much fun. Love and Service Bill

BETTENDORF- Groups' 49th anniversary celebration will be at Bettendorf community center on May 19th starting with fellowship at 6 dinner at 7and speakers at 8pm. Meal and drinks will be provided. A service workshop is being planned for the group on October 20th. Quarterly distributions were voted to be 25% equally to GSO, District 9, Area 24, Intergroup, and 100\$ to pink can. Love and service, Nancy R Bettendorf Group GSR

NEW BUSINESS

NEXT DISTRICT MEETING: June 3rd 3:30pm Central Discussion. Our delegate Rick from our area 24th will be giving his report.