

**Santa Fe AA General Fund  
Santa Fe AA District 2  
505 Camino de Los Marques  
Santa Fe, NM 87505**

DCM (Joost L.), ADCM (Sarah C), District Treasurer (John R.), and 2019 Convention Treasurer (Brian H.)

**District 2, Area 46 – Meeting Minutes – September 11, 2018**

- 1) **Opening:** Joost opened at 6:30 p.m. in a meeting room in the Friendship Club.
- 2) **Tradition of the Month:** Phillip read and gave a 2-minute presentation on Tradition 9. Jordan volunteered to present on Tradition 10 next month.
- 3) **Concept of the Month:** Lynn K. read Concept 9.
- 4) **New to District or Visitors:** Ellen from the Saturday Sober Sisterhood. Leroy - GSR Sunday 9:00 AM
- 5) **Birthdays since last meeting:** Chris celebrated 12 years on September 5<sup>th</sup>.
- 6) **Secretary's Report:** None
- 7) **Minutes presented for approval:** - Lee motioned to approve, Chris second, minutes approved.
- 8) **Treasurer Report:** John – Reviewed income and expenses. Discussion develops on how best to clarify what funds of the bank balance belong to district & which funds belong to the State Convention. John R & Brian H. will sort this out and report in the next district meeting.
- 9) Registrars Report: Sarah F. – Welcome to the new GSRs, please give her your information and she will see to it that it gets sent on to New York.
- 10) **DCM Report:** Joost –Chairs still available are: Corrections (male and female), Events & Entertainment, and Young People's and Literature. Area Assembly Ruidoso September 8&9: Saturday morning 4 rounds of workshops as usual
  - 1 Corrections met John & Shirley from Grants ~ very little news...
  - 2 Ad hoc committee for Service forum ~ there will be a service forum 2019 in district 18  
Motion that alt delegate will be co-chair of organizing committee together with appointed co-chair of organizing district.
  - 3 State convention: reporting in wider way than during the main meeting. Especially for area chair, also couple of members ABQ convention were there. Traditions discussion over yard sale.
  - 4 DCM's: nice to share experience, nothing to report.Lunch, Afternoon agenda:, Introductions, Bids:  
March 2019 area assembly D9 in Grants  
September 2019 Belen & Farmington  
Motions:  
Ad Hoc/Service Forum  
5<sup>th</sup> edition Big Book  
Sunday morning:  
Reports read  
Vote on motions:  
Bid D 9 March 2019 assembly in Grants; Passed  
Bids September assembly 2019 => Belen  
Ad hoc/service forum. Passed. 2 opposed, no minority opinion  
5<sup>th</sup> edition Big Book Passed! 4 opposed, minority opinion expressed. Motion to revote failed.
- 11) **Alt DCM Report:** Sarah C. – Hearing more groups discussing safety. Will pick it back up when back from 2 week trip.
- 12) **Ongoing Business:** *Safety issues by Megan* – Please take a yellow safety card and take to your groups. She will let you know about workshops in the future.

2019 State Convention report – Have theme and logo; 2 hotels, and most chairs filled. Next meeting is next Tuesday at 6:00 at the Friendship Club.

### **13) GSR Reports:**

**Happy Hour:** Chris H. – They are sponsoring a meeting at the Santa Fe Recovery Center and they are looking forward to seeing how that goes.

**9:00 AM Sunday:** Leroy – Nothing new to report.

**El Dorado Group:** Claudia F. – Meetings are doing good.

**Women's Noon:** Erica H. – Nothing new to report. Everything is great.

**Roadrunners:** Gavin S. - Nothing new to report. Everything is great.

**Early Birds:** John V. – Found people for men's meetings at SFRC but not women's.

**Long Table:** Jordan – Previous service commitment problems are looking better.

**Downtown Group:** KD – Working on Fundraising for State Convention. There will be a meeting to discuss the talent show at the Friendship Club on October 13<sup>th</sup>. Actively announcing safety topic.

**New Beginnings:** Lee W. – Not much to report. Meeting is going well.

**An AA Group:** Phillip F. – Anniversary workshop October 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>. Flyer on website.

**Join the Tribe:** Sarah F. – They have a new chair and attendance is strong but still having trouble getting people to volunteer for service. Handed out safety cards.

**Time Out Meditation:** Tom P. – Nothing new to report.

**Santa Fe Sober Sisterhood:** Ellen – Meeting is getting bigger. Ellen is new to Santa Fe and is looking forward to being of service.

### **14) Chairs:**

**Treatment Facilities:** Lisa K. – Trying to get a handle on who's taking meetings into what facilities, so if you're group is taking a meeting in please see her after the meeting or send her an email.

**Central Office Liaison:** John – Secretary, Treasurer and Chair positions available, contact Central Office for more information if interested. Elections will be held December 3<sup>rd</sup>. This year's gala will be on December 16<sup>th</sup> and will be catered by Counter Culture.

**CPI/PI:** - Juliet & Brian – CPC is really exploding at the District level. Juliet – PSA's are going out on the radio.

**Website:** Phyllis – GSO has bought the new meeting app. More information to follow. Do we want to put unregistered meetings on the meeting list? There has been discussion with Central Office.

**Bridge the Gap:** Norma – Copying brochures and will hand them out. Detox would like to know if we can bring the meetings at 5:00 instead of 6:00. Please let your groups know to use the sign in sheet by the TV at the Detox Center so we can know which meetings are being attended.

**El Farolito:** Fred – Nothing to report other than looking for a new publisher.

**15) 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition:** Recognized and collected.

### **16) Announcements:**

- **An AA Group Anniversary Workshop** The Long & Short of it. Lead by Chloe C. and Brian P. from Dallas. October 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> at the Salvation Army on West Alameda.
- **CPC/PI** (Cooperation with the Professional Community / Public Information) needs help with booth coverage on **September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018** for the Santa Fe Rally for Recovery Celebration from noon to 4:00. We'll need help setting up, coverage during the event and closing down. Please contact Juliet (505-660-1339) or Brian (505-660-9932) if you can help with all or any part.
- **CPC/PI** (Cooperation with the Professional Community / Public Information) can use help with the committee for CPC/PI. We have several potential activities we'd like to do and need help making them happen. Please contact Juliet (505-660-1339) or Brian (505-660-9932).
- **Treatment Chair** is trying to gather current information - if you or someone you know takes a meeting into treatment facilities contact Lisa K. at 505.920.7768.
- **Detox Center** – If you go into the Detox Center for a meeting, please sign in on the sheet next to the TV.

- **Secretary, Treasurer and Chair positions available at Central Office.** If you are interested please call 982.8932.
  - This year's Gala will be at Site Santa Fe on December 16<sup>th</sup>. More information to follow as it comes available.
  - **District has the following chairs available:** Events & Entertainment, Young People, and Corrections (male & female).
  - **Interested in recording stories by an old timer? Contact Archives Chair - Rey (505-303-9621).**
  - **2019 State Convention** - If interested in participating please email Lynn at a46convention2019@gmail.com.
  - **City of Santa Fe DUI classes** starting up again, would like volunteers for 30 minutes every other month (preferably with DUI experience). Please contact Juliet (505.660.1339) or Brian H. (505.660.9932)
  - **Central Office needs** volunteers for the **12<sup>th</sup> Step List – will include getting calls from answering service during the hours of 12:00 am to 6:00 am.**
  - **Accessibility Committee** – If you know of anyone that is looking for a sign language interpreter for meetings or if you know anyone that needs a meeting at a hospital or at home, please call Central Office and leave a message for the Accessibilities Chair Kathleen H.
  - **Treatment Facilities Committee** - Looking for groups who can sponsor meetings at the Recovery Center. Please contact the Lisa K at 505.920.7768.
  - **Corrections Correspondence Program** – if you are interested you can correspond with an inmate please contact Joost at 505.603.7914.
  - **Men needed for County Jail meetings**, contact Joost at 505.603.7914.
  - Every second Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.: **AA Concepts study** before the District 2 Mtg at the Friendship Club.
  - Next District 2 meeting will be October 9<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 at the Friendship Club back room.
- 17) Closing:** “I Am Responsible” – I am responsible, when anyone anywhere reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there, and for that, I am responsible. Meeting closed at 7:50 p.m.