District 14 January 2017 Minutes

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| *John H, DCM* | *Chad U, Secretary* | *Malcolm B, Treasurer* | *Asa W, CPC-PI* |
| *Debbie E, Alt DCM* | *Michelle M, Alt Secretary* |  | *Linda B, Alt CPC-PI* |
| *Corey C, Corrections* | *Shelley S, Grapevine* | *Travis K, Literature* | *Dani M, Treatment* |
| District 14 meetings are the first WED of each month, 6:30 pm, downstairs @ *Harmony House Café*, 47 N. Main Street, Washington.  ***District 14 GSR Handbook***PDF available at: [**http://www.district14.info**](http://www.district14.info/Images/Area%2060%20GSR%20Handbook.pdf)  *Send group contributions to*:  ***District 14 Treasurer***  104 River Road  Rices Landing, PA 15357 | | | |

* Meeting called to order by **DCM**.
* **DCM** report and review of Area 60 calendar.
* No minutes to approve; **Secretary** asked for email addresses.
  + Previous Secretary need to take an action to update web-host’s email address to current Secretary’s email.
  + Website hosting fee due 1/13. Discussion about paying fee ensued. Secretary will determine how to pay fee and possibly get reimbursed.
  + **Alt Secretary** introduction.
* No **Alt DCM** report.
* Basket passed.
* **Officer/Coordinator** reports given:
  + **Treasurer** introduction; no report; shared contact info; shared new addresses to send contributions to District 14 and Area 60; going this week to get onto the district bank account.
    - Dani M noted that Hill 12 & 12’s contributions, nor income from the sales of *Meeting in a Pocket*, appeared on the December Treasurer’s Report.
  + **Corrections Coord** introduction; shared contact info; shared corrections service needed and requirements for corrections service (see below).
  + **CPC-PI Coord** introduction; shared contact info; literature assets transferred; 22 different radio commercials in English and Spanish acquired from the AAPSA CD, some have been provided to local and college radio.
    - **Alt CPC-PI** introduction.
  + **Grapevine Coord** absent.
  + **Literature Coord** introduction; shared contact info; literature assets transferred; shared there is a low on-hand stock of Big Books and *12&12*s, but a surplus of *Daily Reflections* and *As Bill Sees It*; wishes to know if groups need Big Books in order to place a large enough order to get free shipping – we are $100 shy of doing so.
  + **Treatment Coord** introduction; shared contact info; shared treatment service needed and requirements for treatment service (see below).
    - Treatment Coord would like GSRs to get their groups to volunteer to take responsibility for a whole month of meetings in either Greenbriar or Gateway.
    - Discussion of who is currently taking meetings into Washington Hospital (see below); Canonsburg ABSI and Hill 12 & 12.
    - Discussion with District 26 (Beaver) regarding their need for women in Treatment and Corrections service.
* **Roll-Call** & **GSR Reports**.
* **Unfinished Business**:
  + Tri-fold wallet cards are in the mail; should have them by next meeting.
  + *Meeting in a Pocket* was authorized to be re-ordered in December (DCM to CPC-PI); item was re-ordered in December and reprinted and shipped on Jan 5th. Expected in-hand next week. **Question**: who controls *MiaP* inventory? **Answer**: Literature Coordinator. On-hand stock to be determined by Literature. Alt DCM may have left-over stock.
* **New Business**:
  + ***Service Themes*** for district discussed. “Attract More, Keep More” offered as a possible initial theme for January to August 2017 by DCM, who further requested that GSRs take the theme back to their groups for discussion.
  + Discussion of the district putting on a ***district-wide workshop***.
    - “Sponsorship” suggested by DCM as a potential workshop.
    - Timing of spring or summer suggested.
    - Discussion of the Wally P (a noted AA archivist/historian from Tucson, AZ) sponsorship workshop at the Onala Club on Thursday, November 10, 2016.
    - Discussion by DCM of potentially getting Wally P for such a workshop in District 14; however, Wally’s availability is limited to roughly March.
    - Wider-ranging discussion of sponsorship styles, stepwork, and getting into service ensued by ***many present***.
  + Meeting closed by **DCM** with the Responsibility Statement.

# Corrections & Treatment

| **What** | **Where** | **When** | **Requirements/Notes** | **Contact** |
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| Greenbriar | 800 Manor Drive  Washington, PA 15301  (800) 637-4673 | Th; 7 PM  Su; 11 AM | 6 months sober to chair; 1 year sober to speak; cannot be first lead. | Dani M, 724.709.3836 |
| Gateway | 375 Valley Brook Road, #102  McMurray, PA 15317  (724) 941-4126 | Th; 10 AM  M; 7PM | 6 months sober OR “5th Step Completed” to chair/speak. | Dani M, 724.709.3836 |
| Washington Hospital | 155 Wilson Avenue  Washington, PA 15301 | M; 6:30 pm  W; 6:30 | Open discussion; 1 or 2 sober members can go to discussion meeting. Share ESH. | Dani M, 724.709.3836 |
| Waynesburg Hospital | ??? | ??? | ??? | ??? |
| WCCF | 100 W Cherry Avenue  Washington, PA 15301 | W; 6 PM | 2 years sober; 2 years off-paper; clearance; orientation; need 3 men and 2 women. | Corey C, 724.754.7913 |
| SCI Greene | ??? | ??? | 2 years sober; 2 years off-paper; clearance; orientation; need 3 men and 2 women. | Corey C, 724.754.7913 |

# Upcoming Events

## McMurray Womens' As Bill Sees It 23rd Anniversary

*THURS, January 26, 7 PM*

Center Presbyterian Church, 255 Center Church Road, McMurray. All are welcome – female, male, alcoholic, and non-alcoholic – to help McMurray ABSI celebrate their 23rd group anniversary. Food, fun, and fellowship... plus a speaker lead!

# Meetings Needing Support!

**Wednesday Night Daily Reflections Group**

*WED, 7:00 PM - Washington (OD), Sunlight Club, 234 East Maiden Street, Washington*

# Area 60 News

## First Quarterly Meeting

*SUN, January 22, 8:30 AM registration; 9 AM workshop; 10:15 AM meeting*

699 Rodi Road, Penn Hills. Quarterly meetings decide area business. All AAs are welcome to attend.

See <http://www.wpaarea60.org> for more details.

## NERASSA

*ALL WEEKEND, February 24-26*

Framingham, Massachusetts. NERAASA (the Northeast Regional AA Service Assembly) is held annually the last full weekend of February, somewhere in the Northeast region of AA. NERAASA consists of panels and roundtables that address the upcoming agenda items for the Annual Meeting of the General Service Conference. It gives a great understanding of what happens at the conference and what is happening at GSO.

See the NERASSA website at: <http://www.neraasa2017.org> for more details.

## Get-Away Weekend (GAW)

*FRI/SAT, March 31-April 1*

699 Rodi Road, Penn Hills. An annual service workshop held in the spring to discuss General Service Conference-related Issues and concerns affecting Area 60, AA as a whole, and pertinent aspects of our Three Legacies (Recovery, Unity, Service). All AAs are welcome to attend.

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## Pre-Conference Assembly

*SUN, April 2, 8:30 AM registration; 9 AM workshop; 10:15 AM meeting*

699 Rodi Road, Penn Hills. Area assemblies elect officers and provides a pre-Conference group conscience for Area 60 to our Delegate. All AAs are welcome to attend.

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**NEXT MEETING: February 1, 2017**