



DISTRICT 18 NEWSLETTER
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District Website Link: <https://aa-district18.org/>

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Next District meeting will be: Sunday, March 15th at 2pm.

Meeting Location: 409 Broadway, Unit C-1, South Roxana, IL.

Area 21 Website Link: <https://area21aa.org/>

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MARCH EVENTS

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2020 GREAT RIVER ROUNDUP	March 6th / 7th	*see flyer
SIA AREA ASSEMBLY	March 8th	*see flyer
Men's Unity Breakfast Committee	March 14th 10 am	O'Fallon Trailer Mtg. Location
ISCYPAA (State Conf.)	March 13th / 14 / 15	*Click here for link

DISTRICT 18 MINUTES from February 16, 2020

(approved minutes from 1/19/2020)

Micki G. opened the meeting at 2:00 p.m. with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer, reading of the First Tradition by Stephanie V., and GSR preamble by Rhonda D. There are 21 GSR's in attendance today. The GSR attendance and announcement sheets were passed. The minutes were read by Rachael R., Stephanie V. motioned to accept the minutes; Kyle W. seconded the motion; motion carried.

Gretchen H. read the treasurer's report from December 2019: The beginning balance was \$7,722.10, The month activity, showed a loss of \$424.86, leaving the ending balance \$7,297.24. Prudent reserve was unchanged at \$1,000.00 and activity fund is at \$725.88, leaving available funds at \$5,571.36. Kyle W. motioned to accept the treasurer's report; Arlin S. seconded the motion; motion carried. Gretchen H. read the treasurer's report for January 2020: The beginning balance was \$7,297.24, The month activity, showed a gain of \$801.97, leaving the ending balance \$8,099.21. Prudent reserve was unchanged at \$1,000.00 and activity fund is at \$725.88, leaving available funds at \$6,373.33. Ben D. motioned to accept the treasurer's report; Kyle W. seconded the motion; motion carried.

Gretchen H. Proposed the new 2020 budget as written: Larry H. motioned to accept the budget, Stephanie V. seconded the motion; motion carried. Larry H. motioned to send the excess funds of \$1,220.00 to New York; Rhonda D seconded the motion; motion carried.

Welcome new GSR's: Rhonda D. from Alton Friday night group, Greg M. from East Alton group on Sundays, and Ted K. from Alton Saturday night group.

Committee Reports

Website: Forrest M. gave a report on the committee meeting from 12/09/2019- They discussed 2020-year budget for the website and possible attendance at the NAATW in Seattle. Estimated \$750 for workshop including travel and registration; \$250 for Website fees. Forrest also gave a report from the January 13 committee meeting- Discussed possibly holding a website informational workshop sometime in March, and they are going to look into having a notice available on the website for meeting closures due to weather or other reasons

Public Information: David H. went to MERC and gave out some info on AA.

Cooperation with Professional Community: nothing new to report.

Corrections: Ricky K. was absent

Grapevine: Butch B. was absent

Treatment and Bridging the Gap: nothing new to report.

Workshops: Kyle W. said he is moving the technology workshop back. Date is still pending.

Activities: Micki G. reported for Annie K. that game night will resume in March, the Christmas party was a success, and they will be having an Easter egg hunt in April sometime.

Newsletter: nothing new to report.

Sharing Session: David H. shared a story on spirituality.

Zone 1: Greg M. reported that zone is good.

Zone 2: Butch B. is absent.

Zone 3: Larry H. reported that zone is doing well

Zone 4: Jason F. is absent.

Zone 5: is open.

Zone 6: Ricky K. is absent.

Zone 7: Annie K. is absent.

Central Service Report: Carl M. reports that they purchased all new chairs for the CSO.

Old Business: The Moose Lodge in Edwardsville is reserved March 8th, for the March 2020, Area Assembly.

New Business: Bobby D., Area 21 delegate gave a brief report on the General Service Conference, and Gordan N., Area 21 alternate delegate also gave a brief report of his experience.

Micki G. closed the meeting at 3:25pm with the reading of the Responsibility Statement, followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Gratefully Submitted,

Rachael R., District 18 Secretary