MINUTES FOR DISTRICT 41 MEETING MAY 21, 2020 (ZOOM)

NOTE: Mailing Address - District 41 Treas. P.O. Box 7226, Villa Park, IL 60181

NOTE: District 41 web site: <u>dupage41aa@gmail.com</u>

NOTE: Mailing Address - District 41 Answering Service, P.O. Box 6365, Villa Park, IL 60181-5318 **NOTE:** NIA web site: <u>www.aa-nia.org</u>

PRESENT AT MEETING:

Maggie A., Erik A., Lora B., Gary C., Lenny E., Mark F., Susan H., Holt J., Walt K., Brian L., Jeane M., Jeane M., Tom Ma., Tom Mo., Joan N., Sarah O., Ed. R., Bob S. and Lydia S.

Meeting opened at 7:00 p.m. with a Quiet Time, Serenity Prayer, GSR Preamble, 5th Tradition and 5th Concept for World Service.

Tom Ma. chaired the meeting.

INTRODUCTIONS:

New GSRs – None.

Visitors – None.

Anniversaries – None.

Birthdays – None.

Announcements – None.

GSR-CC & Q: None.

OFFICERS REPORTS:

SECRETARY: (Tom Mo.) Minutes from April were put into record.

TREASURER: (Lydia S.) Paid Signius and reimbursed for Newsletter. Ending balance was \$3,749.24.

Reviewed donations. Discussed cost of Zelle Account.

DCM: (Tom Ma.) Discussed channeling donations between the District versus Answering Service, and individual groups versus GSO.

ALT. DCM: (Walt K.) No report.

ACCESSIBILITIES: (Eric Z.) Absent.

ANSWERING SERVICE: (Maggie A.) Working on keeping same phone number with new (*Special Interest*) answering service. Reported that calls are currently going straight through to volunteers.

ALT. ANSWERING SERVICE: (Mike M.) Absent.

ARCHIVES: (Open)

BTG: (Tyler P.) Absent.

CPC: (Holt J.) No report. Will attend virtual Area CPC meeting on Saturday.

PI: (Open)

CORRECTIONS: (Brian L.) Absent.

ALT. CORRECTIONS: (Gary C.) Absent.

GRAPEVINE: (Open) Susan H. reviewed AA *Grapevine* Workshop, which she attended online. Reviewed criteria for submitting *Grapevine* articles. Will consult with Area *Grapevine* Committee about putting on a *Grapevine* writing workshop in July or August – either in person or virtual.

ALT. GRAPEVINE: (Open)

LITERATURE: (Ed R.) Sold ten newcomer packets. Attend a Pre-General Service Conference online. Summarized motions and votes from the Conference.

ALT. LITERATURE: (Steve F.) Absent.

LCM: (Leroy L.) Absent.

NEWSLETTER: (Mike O.) Next Newsletter will be in June, covering Step 12. Solicited contributions of articles.

TREATMENT: (Open)

ALT. TREATMENT: (Open)

WEBTECH: (Jeane M.) 2,214 views in April. Emphasized the need for information on meetings (especially Zoom).

WORKSHOPS: (Open)

OLD BUSINESS: Discussed the prospect of meetings opening back up. Tom Ma. attended Area virtual meeting.

Stated that Soberfest is still on (so far). Discussed treatment centers and their current activities. Mark F. suggested calling treatment centers and offering to speak (virtually) to provide outside contact.

Lydia S. stated that treatment centers are still taking people in during the pandemic.

ONGOING BUSINESS: Motion to send \$200 to the GSO passed.

Closed with Responsibility Statement.

If you are a District 41 member and have not attended a district meeting within the last three months, chances are your name will be removed from the mailing list.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, June 18, 2020 @ 7:00 P.M. via Zoom.