

District 2 Business Meeting Agenda

Thursday March 14, 2019, 7:00pm

Our Lady of Victory, 55 North Lake Avenue, Troy, NY 12180

<http://district2.aahmbny.org>

Meeting opens with a moment of silence for each to use as they wish.

Declaration of Unity:

*This we owe to AA's future;
to place our common welfare first;
to keep our fellowship united.
For on AA unity depends our lives,
and the lives of those to come.*

Responsibility Pledge:

*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.*

Collection (7th Tradition)

Step 3: Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God as we understood Him.

Tradition 3: The only requirement for AA membership is a desire to stop drinking.

Tradition 3 Checklist:

1. In my mind, do I prejudge some new AA members as losers?
2. Is there some kind of alcoholic whom I privately do not want in my AA group?
3. Do I set myself up as a judge of whether a newcomer is sincere or phony?
4. Do I let language, religion (or lack of it), race, education, age, or other such things interfere with my carrying the message?
5. Am I over impressed by a celebrity? By a doctor, a clergyman, an ex-convict? Or can I just treat this new member simply and naturally as one more sick human, like the rest of us?
6. When someone turns up at AA needing information or help (even if he can't ask for it aloud), does it really matter to me what he does for a living? Where he lives? What his domestic arrangements are? Whether he had been to AA before? What his other problems are?

Concept 3 of World Service: To insure effective leadership, we should endow each element of A.A. - the Conference, the General Service Board and its service corporations, staffs, committees, and executives - with a traditional "Right of Decision."

Introductions and Reports from Committee Chairs:

Accessibility	Bill W	2017	LCM (Alt)	Bill M	2018
Archives	Fran	2017	MICA (Samaritan Hospital Thursday)	Bill _	?
BTG (Bridging the Gap)	Sara H	2019	Newsletter Editor	Dawn P	2019
CDCO Rep	Leslie M	2019	PI (Public Information)	Amanda G	2019
Cluster Rep (Districts 1, 2, 18)	Gene S	2019	PI (ALT)	Isabelle	2019
Coffee Maker	Sheila V	2017	Records	Liz P	2019
Corrections (Men) (Rens. County Jail)	Paul D	2018	Secretary	Bill A	2019
Corrections (Women)	(District 1)		Treasurer	Helen F	2019
CPC (Cooperation w/Prof. Community)	Amanda G	2019	Treasurer (ALT)	Colleen W	2019
CPC (ALT)	Isabelle	2019	Treatment (St. Mary's Tuesday, Friday)	Mark P	2017
DCM	Keith V	2019	Treatment (ALT) (St. Mary's Tuesday)	OPEN	
DCM (ALT) / Functions	Gary B	2017	YPAA (Young People in AA)	OPEN	
Grapevine	Victor A	2017	Webmaster	Bill A	2018
LCM (Local Committee Member)	Valerie S	2018			

Red = Open

Yellow = Unknown/Missing Info

Orange = New Volunteer Needed

Green = OK

Old Business:

- MICA chair ("Bill") needs to be identified.
- Treatment chair (Mark P) contacted yet?
- Open service positions - Alt. Treatment, YPAA
- Committee for service position training/info? (Gary B)

New Business:

- HMB Fellowship Day report (Sat, Mar 2) (Keith V)
- HMB Area Convention (Nov 1-3)
- Committee to update District 2 Service Manual? (Keith V)
- Next event? (Easter, Spring fling, etc.) (Gary B)
- Next year's Super Bowl party @ OLV? (Terry B)

Upcoming Meetings & Events:

- Next CDCO meeting: Tuesday, April 9, 2019, 6:30PM
- Next D2 Business meeting: Thursday, April 11, 2019, 7:00PM

Notes:

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