

**AA DISTRICT 28**  
**DISTRICT MEETING JUNE 27, 2010**  
**ATTENDANCE & MINUTES**

**Officers:**

Sue Ann	DCM
Hans N.	Alt. DCM
Paige B.	Interim Secretary

**Committee Chairs:**

Al M.	Men's Correction Chair
Rock P.	Treatment Chair
Julie P.	Intergroup Liaison
Ann D.	Grapevine Representative
Jackie D.	CPC Chair

**GSRs - Alt GSRs:**

Carl J.	Alt. GSR-Rainbow Group
Beverly H.	GSR Inverness Friday Night Group
Rock P.	GSR-Bright Spot Group
Rafael T.	GSR-Monday Night Men's Group
Sandy H.	GSR-Crystal River Group
Bill W.	GSR-No Name Group
George N.	Alt. GSR- Holder Way of Life Group
John C.	GSR-Yulee Beginner's Meeting
Beverly H.	GSR- Inverness Friday Night Group
Al M.	GSR- Last Chance Group
Julie P.	GSR- Night Cap Group
George K.	GSR- Rainbow Group
Ben R.	GSR- Sober Sandgnats Group

**Visitors:**

DCM Sue Ann A. opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer and the Declaration of Unity.

## **Committee Reports:**

### **Secretary's Report - Paige B.**

Roll call conducted. May minutes were accepted.

### **Treasurer's Report - Paula D.**

See Attached. Treasurer's Report accepted.

### **Women's Corrections Report – Charmain I.**

Sadly to report, there were no women's meetings brought to jail this past month. The jail cancelled the first one, and a cancellation from a volunteer on the second scheduled meeting. Sounding like broken record, still extremely low on approved volunteers. No news on any applications that have been in since last November. Hopefully next month will be more productive.

### **Men's Corrections Report – Al M.**

WE COVERED THREE MEETINGS DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE. ONE MEETING WAS CANCELLED BECAUSE CCD HAD A PRIOR EVENT SCHEDULED. THE RESPONSE TO OUR MEETING WAS TERRIFIC, WE AVERAGED OVER 20 INMATES PER MEETING. OFFICER TUCKER TOLD US THAT THE INMATES REALLY LIKE THE MEETINGS. THEY ALWAYS LOOK FORWARD TO US COMING IN. THEY ALSO COMMENTED THAT LIKED ALL THE VOLUNTEERS AND WERE IMPRESSED BY THEIR MESSAGE. THEY ALSO LIKE BEING ABLE TO VERBALLY PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING. WE HAVE HIT A FEW BUMPS IN THE ROAD, THE HUMAN RESOURCE DIRECTOR AT THE JAIL RESIGNED ABRUPTLY, AND THIS MEANS THAT GETTING VOLUNTEER APPLICATIONS APPROVED IS GOING TO BE VERY DIFFICULT. ALSO EXISTING APPLICATIONS ARE GOING TO BE DIFFICULT TO PROCESS. A FEW OF OUR VOLUNTEERS HAVE PERSONAL ISSUES AND ARE NOT GOING TO COVER THEIR MEETINGS. THEREFORE IT BECOMES DIFFICULT TO COVER OUR SCHEDULED MEETINGS. I BELIEVE WE CAN STILL MAKE IT WORK BY HAVING 1 VOLUNTEER DOUBLING ON MEETINGS ONCE A MONTH. IF WE CAN GET SOME APPLICATIONS APPROVED, IT WILL SOLVE THE PROBLEM. I ASKED CCD TO DO THIS. THEY PROMISED THAT THEY WOULD TRY. I AM CONFIDENT, THAT IN THE END, IT WILL ALL WORK OUT.

### **Treatment Chair's Report– Rock P.**

All is well at the Drug Court and T.H.E.. The Centers is well stocked with literature. As always, it is my pleasure and an honor to carry the message.

### **Intergroup Liaison's Report – Julie P.**

Julie P. expressed concern for the lack of volunteer names or response to referrals from the local hotline. A discussion of updating contact sheets currently used for the hot line and previously circulated to the groups in District 28 took place.

**Literature/PI Chair’s Report- Greg H.**

No Report

**CPC Chair’s Report– Jackie D.**

CPC: I disbursed the new schedules to the literature racks in the sheriff's station and at the courthouse. Also, literature and schedules were disbursed to the department of corrections, and to Jim at Driver’s Ed.

PI: I brought all my information and some schedules to cc resource center in Hernando. I had given Greg the info to the center, but I don't think he had the chance to make contact. So I just wanted to stay in touch with them since they expressed a desire for schedules.

**Grapevine Chair’s Report – Ann D.**

No Report

**Alternate DCM’s Report - Hans N.**

It has been my intention all the time to run DCM next two years, but my health has declined more than expected. So at this point I am not very hopeful it will be the smart thing to do. I was going to make the decision in September, but I am pretty sure I wont be able to run.



**DCM’s Report – Sue Ann A.**

**Old Business:**

**Workshop-**I have broken down the workshop to cover four hours. I will be giving you a print out of the schedule. I would like two GSRs to volunteer, with the experience and background so as to give a presentation in what the GSR does. “Service and Rotation in the Home Group and District" " It starts at the Home Group level." Each officer will explain what his or her position does. Secretary, Treasurer, DCM and Alt. DCM.

Each Standing Committee member will have their displays and tell of their perspective on the services that their position does for the still suffering alcoholic, and what they had received from doing this service. Julie had invited Intergroup to join us but at this time we have not heard from them.

## **Announcements:**

We have new Where & Whens, if you need any for your groups please contact the DCM. Phone: 533-3051. e-mail: tootiesue2@hotmail.com or show up at the District meeting.

Changes after printing of Where & Whens; the Thursday at 7:30 PM Hernando Men's Group changes to Tuesday at 7:30 PM same location

## **Tradition Six**

An AA group ought never endorse, finance, or lend the AA name to any related facility or outside enterprise, lest problems of money, property, and prestige divert us from our primary purpose.

- Should my fellow group members and I go out and raise money to endow several AA beds in our local hospital?
- Is it good for a group to lease a small building?
- Are all the officers and members of our local club for AA familiar with "Guidelines on Clubs" (which is available free from GSO)?
- Should the secretary of our group serve on the mayor's advisory committee on alcoholism?
- Some alcoholics will stay around AA only if we have a TV and card room. If this is what is required to carry the message to them, should we have these facilities?

## **Concept VI**

The Conference recognizes that the chief initiative and active responsibility in most world service matters should be exercised by the trustee members of the Conference acting as the General Service Board.

- Are we familiar with how our General Service Board (G.S.B.) Class A and Class B trustees serve A.A.? Are we familiar with how our other trusted servants serve A.A.?
- Are we clear about the terms, "chief initiative" and "active responsibility"?
- Can we see a direct link to our home group?

## **Old Business:**

None

**New Business:**

- Mention was made that the district was in need of a new PI Chair. It was unclear as to the status, resigned or not, of the current member in that position. If the position is in fact vacant, GSRs and Committee members were asked to announce the vacancy at their home group meetings.

**Announcements:**

- Bill W. mentioned that the No Name Group, Wednesdays @ 7:00pm was at one time down to two members and is now “thriving!”

The meeting was closed with the Lord’s Prayer.

**THE NEXT DISTRICT 28 MEETING WILL BE ON Sunday, July 25, 2010 @ 6:00 P.M.**

**THE INTERIM SECRETARY IS PAIGE B. PLEASE E-MAIL HER YOUR REPORTS FOR THE MONTHS OF JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST. HER E-MAIL ADDRESS IS [ahotcoffeekindagirl@gmail.com](mailto:ahotcoffeekindagirl@gmail.com)**

**ATTENTION: Make your room reservations for the upcoming Assembly. The dates are July 23, 24, & 25, 2010 at the Paramount Hotel, Gainesville 352-377-4000.**

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