

Al-Anon Area 9 District 1 Minutes

January 16, 2021

1:30 - 3:00 P.M.

Attendees:

Susan R. Public Outreach

Katy District Representative, Panel 61

Erik Literature Coordinator, Acting Treasurer

Adrienne Past DR

Nancy H. Northside

Sophia Alateen Representative

Tressa Secretary

Carol First Things First GR

Nancy R Serenity group, Tues noon group

Colleen Web Chair

The meeting was begun with the Serenity prayer.

The 12 Steps, Traditions, Concepts and Warranties were read.

Katy announced that the position of District Treasurer was open. Susan R. volunteered to fill the position. A vote was taken and Susan was unanimously approved.

Katy informed us that the Alternate DR was open. Goes to DISL, AWSC twice a year, expenses paid for by the area. Nancy H volunteered for DISL. This was voted on and approved unanimously.

We will announce at individual groups that the positions of Public Outreach Coordinator and AA Liaison are not filled and ask if anyone is interested in those.

The Alateen Coordinator position was also available. Adrienne volunteered to fill it. The vote was unanimous to have her fill the position.

Signers on the bank account with Envision Credit Union need to be changed from Adrienne Amiss to Katy McGlynn and from Erik Robinson to Susan Robinson.

Minutes from the previous meeting were unanimously approved.

The Treasurer's report was approved.

The Literature Coordinator's report was presented. A sales flyer was suggested for the website. Erik asked for suggestions.

Susan reported on Public Outreach. There were booths at such places as the Spanish festival. There will be future meetings, either Zoom or face-to-face. Everyone was encouraged to bring ideas.

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AWSC will be via Zoom on February 6 and 7. Katy and Nancy will bring back information for the District.

Assembly is scheduled for June 18-20, schedule to be in Altamonte Springs. GR's only will vote but everyone is encouraged to attend.

Katy reported that the WSO Town Hall meeting last week via Zoom was a great meeting. There were three people from WSO in attendance. The representatives from WSO said that last year, the contributions were the highest ever following their appeal. After the event, there was introduction of the Area 9, Panel 61. The theme for the Area is "talk to each other, reason things out and keep it simple".

Sophia discussed the low attendance at Alateen and wondered how to get the word out to schools, guidance counselors, etc. We will bring the information to our individual groups, along with the fact that AMIAS's are needed if anyone is interested.

Carol discussed the difficulty of getting people to chair. Some people have not chaired since the meetings have been by telephone.

Nancy H. told that her group is having a new person attend almost weekly. Discussed how they manage getting people to chair. The church will allow face-to-face meetings but the group wants to continue Zoom for now.

Nancy R. spoke about their needing a new GR. She also said they need to find a new meeting location as the church will not be available. She asked for suggestions for places that may be available. Temple Israel was suggested.

We will be thinking about whether the District should have its own Zoom account.

We are to read pages 174-180 in the Service Manual, Concepts 1 and 2, how these apply to our personal lives.

Our next District meeting will be on March 6, 2021, from 1:30 to 3:00.

The meeting was closed at 3:00 with the Serenity Prayer and the Al-Anon Declaration.