

District 05 of Area 74 Meeting

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Opening Prayer

Introductions

Concept 8 presented by Jackie P from Freedom from Bondage Women's Group

September-Jodie B. from Northside Group will present concept 9 next month

Reports

DCM Report

Service meetings attended:

- o Monthly DCM call (7/26/22)

There are many events happening outside district 5 in area 74, the flyers for which were included in the last newsletter. I will be speaking on a panel at district 1 and 22's "The Spirit of Service" event on Saturday, October 22. If anyone is interested in attending and carpooling, please let me know.

Meetings attended:

- o This past month I did not travel to any district meetings I haven't already attended. I will be traveling to River Falls this month to attend the two meetings for which we have GSR representation at the district. Plan to get to meetings in Ellsworth, Spring Valley, and Menomonie in the coming months. I am welcome to travel to a meeting by invite too – please let me know if you would like me to come to you.
- o Participated on a WICYPAA panel

- o Volunteered for PI Booth at the Northern Wisconsin State Fair
- Please let me know about upcoming speaking engagements you have. I would like to continue sharing these to promote unity.
- I am able to print flyers for groups, so they have these to display/share at their meetings. I encourage our hybrid and virtual meetings to screen share flyers posted on our district calendar.
- Menomonie Leisure Center is available on the second Wednesday of the month for our district meetings at \$13/hr.

Secretaries Report

July's meeting minutes were approved

Treasurer's Report

No update this month. Previous reports can be viewed in the google drive, email austinsh09@gmail.com if you need help accessing the google drive.

Corrections Report

The corrections report is that we finally got into Dunn Country jail with bi-monthly AA meetings. We have a group of 10 volunteers and will be carrying the message on the 2nd and 4th weeks of the month.

Trempealeau continues to be a strong meeting under Jim S's leadership.

Still trying to work with EC jail and then tackle the other country jails.

Public Information Report

PI made purchases of 4 Big Books as well as a Display Board in July. Display board has QR codes for both the District website as well as the Meeting Guide app and will be utilized at AA Information Booths.

We had an AA information booth at the Northern Wisconsin State Fair from July 12th-17th. We

had a total of 28 members of Alcoholics Anonymous volunteer their time to help staff it. Shane and I have written out Thank You cards to each individual who volunteered their time.

Lake Street United Methodist Church has reached out to me about speaking on a panel. Each month they hold a forum on a different topic. In October, the topic will be on addiction. They have selected several members in the community to speak on resources available to those who seek a solution to their alcoholism/addiction. This will be held October 20th from 7-8:30pm at the church. They will have a table set up for us to place literature and pamphlets on. There will be time set aside for after the panel for any individuals that have questions.

PI will be at the International Fall Festival in Downtown Eau Claire on September 10th. We are seeking volunteers to help staff the booth from 11am-5pm. Shifts will be 2-3 hours long. If any individuals are interested, they can reach out to me.

Special Accessibilities Report-No Report

Treatment Report- No Report

Open Positions

CPC Chair is still open

Area 74 is looking for an Archivist and a treatment and accessibilities chair

Old Business

Area 74 Assembly is September 17th in Rhinelander, WI

District Meeting, meeting in person again maybe?

Fall 2023 Conference...who wants it?!

New Business

Preamble Updated

Open Sharing

Next meeting will be Wednesday, September 14th at 6:45 pm on Zoom!

Closed with the Responsibility Statement