

District 21 General Service Business Meeting Minutes: February 25, 2025 - DRAFT

Call to Order: Christina A at 6:08pm

- Welcome Panel 74. In person 14, online 8 attendees
- No additions to the agenda
- Meeting minutes from 1.28.25 approved.
- Group History of Rocklin Racetrack by John D. See attached document. Future history presentations: March/Eden Valley Group Applegate, April/Lincoln Thursday night Group, May/ Primordial Ooze Men's Roseville, June/Auburn Over 50.
- 2025 General Service Conference
 - D21 Agenda Topics Workshop prep session was held on February 24th. Focused on the process, and we discussed some topics that looked especially interesting. If a topic begins with "Consider," it is likely to be voted on. Member sharing: Michael P gathered information via Google Doc. He will send it to Christina who will share the process with the GSRs.
 - 3 is typically thought to be a good number of topics for a group discussion. Ask Members to discuss not just their opinions, but WHY they think this or that.
 - Background information is on the CNIA website, www.cnia.org – choose Delegate's section. Password is HowItWorks. [Confidential download – please do not post.] For some items, there may be additional background info from the 74th GS conference. NOTE: Background is not necessarily an impartial analysis. It is what was submitted by the author.
 - Bring 3 copies of your Group Conscience report to the GS Pre-conference Assembly. This can also be emailed to Matthew delegate@cnia.org if you can't make it to the Assembly.
 - What is the "Equitable Distribution of Workload?" 4 years ago, the Conference decided to shift some topics from certain Committees with large workload (primarily Literature) and redistribute them to other Committees with smaller workloads. This was a trial for 3 years and was made permanent as of last year.
 - Tony requested the GSRs look closely at the Public Information topics.
- Reports:
- **DCM** (Christina)
 - 37th Annual Unity Day - We have been invited to have a table at Auburn's Unity Day on March 29th. Tony A is lead. Susan, Michael, and Peggy volunteered to help, attendees agreed it was appropriate to cover their registration cost, including lunch.
 - GSR scholarships for Pre-conference Assembly – to cover ½ lodging, transportation and registration. Open for GSRs to apply.
 - 12 Step Checklist: a local group developed it and would like the Area's vote to move forward to send Agenda item to Conference. GSRs, please review with your Groups and gather input, as you will be voting on this item in May.
 - NO 2nd Monday STUDY MEETING IN March. Attendance has been light– submit topics that you would like to discuss to Christina with the goal to increase attendance.
- No reports from: Alt DCM – Tom, Zoom Coordinator - Christy
- **Secretary** – Laura not available to take minutes March 25th and May 27th. Tom will do it.
- **Bridging the Gap** – vacant, request GSRs to ask if anyone is interested in their group. Facilitates a newly released prisoner to an AA meeting. Job description is on District Website. Christina will request the Area representative to come give a presentation.
- **Registrar** – New registrar at Area. Very old records. Teresa is working with New Registrar.
- **Treasurer** (Sarah) reports Jan income \$504, expenses \$261
- **Webmaster** (Shanti) no report.
- **Marilyn** – H&I 3 women approved. PRJ will not be offered every other week. 2nd Tuesday on Zoom

- **PICPC (Tony):** March 13th on Thursday at 6pm will talk about participating in Unity Day. Good growth and new representation from the Groups. Standdown May 7th and 8th. Community event. Resource faire in the county for veterans.
- If you have an Agenda item you want to discuss at the March workshop, let Christina know.
- Adjourn 7:11 pm

Respectfully submitted,
Laura Hamilton, District 21 Secretary