

District 21 Placer County General Service Monthly Business Meeting

Minutes: March 26, 2024 - DRAFT

District 21 Placer County General Service held our monthly business meeting on March 27, 2024 with 20 GSRs, Officers and appointed Chairs in attendance. Our newly-purchased District laptop had been "road-tested" and performed our hybrid function perfectly. Our Alt DCM, Tom F, shared on Tradition 3 and noted in his experience it works when the message we carry is pure and clear – recovery from alcoholism.

We had a PRASSA Panel consisting of the 4 GSRs (Michael P, Sarah V., Christy P and Marilyn D) who attended on scholarship and our Alternate Delegate. The panelists, some of whom were attending their first PRAASA, agreed the workshops and panels were most informative. They participated in workshops for the GSR, DCM/Alt DCM, Grapevine, Finance, Tech, H&I and more, and in discussions about accessibility, the spirit of rotation, and the Concepts. Special kudos went to A07 Registrar Jessica, whose presentation on pamphlets was a highlight of the conference. Michael P was also a reader for one of the panels. We have 15 GSRs confirmed to participate in the Pre-Conference Assembly so far, including 4 GSRs on scholarship.

We also had an open discussion for GSRs to share their experience getting to informed Group Consciences so far. They have been holding meetings, both in person and hybrid/online. Some were better-attended than others, but all agreed the discussions have been thoughtful and productive. There was diversity of thoughts and insightful ideas. Many different Agenda items were discussed.

Motions approved included the 2024 District 21 Spending Plan, which now includes funds for the H&I Rep to attend the upcoming conference, additional funds for PICPC and scholarships for GSRs for the Post- Conference and Fall Assemblies.

H&I Rep Marilyn reported volunteers are needed for local jail meetings and a flyer will be posted at aaplacer.org. PICPC Chair Tony reported he has formed a committee, reached out to local first responders and is presenting at community and other meetings and has begun ordering books and supplies. Treasurer Sarah presented the latest income and expenses report. It was noted that we have open positions for BTG Representative and Alternate Webmaster.

Upcoming D21 events include North Auburn Group's 4th of July Celebration, PLAPAA Egg Hunt/Speaker meeting (4/6), Auburn Fellowship Relationships Workshop (4/9). Details for these and other events are at aaplacer.org.

Respectfully submitted,

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