

# **CNIA** District 30 Newsletter

A confidential newsletter, published by the trusted servants of District 30 of the California Northern Interior Area 7 (CNIA), a General Service Area of Alcoholics Anonymous. Articles appearing in this newsletter are the opinion of their authors.

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# Mark Your Calendar

**District 30 Business Meeting:** Normal meetings are held the second Saturday of the month at 10 am. St. Matthew's Church, 414 Oak St., San Andreas. **Arnold Mountain High Speaker Meeting:** First Saturday, 4 pm, Villela Hall, Arnold.

Valley Springs Fellowship Potluck Speaker Meeting: Second Friday, 7 pm, Daphne St., (brown building behind Vet's Hall)

Amador County Speaker Meeting – 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday 6 PM held at St. Patrick's Catholic Church Hall, 115 Court Street, Jackson in back of the church on Kearney St.

**H&I Committee Meeting, Amador:** Odd numbered month, Second Wednesday, 6 pm, Jackson Fellowship, 14 Water St., Jackson

**PI/CPC Committee Meeting:** Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 6 pm. Even numbered months meetings are held at the Martell Perko's. Odd numbered month's meetings are held at Rod's Grill in Calaveras.

**District 30 Archives Committee:** Every 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday 2 to 4 PM Jackson Fellowship, 14 Water St., Jackson **California Northern Interior Area** 

**Area Committee Meeting:** Monthly 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, East Yolo Fellowship, 1040 Soule St, West Sacramento, CA.

# **Special Events**

**Unity Day –** June 13, 2020, San Andreas Town Hall, San Andreas – save the date **Archive History Day** – August 29, 2020, 12;00 -7:00 p.m. American Legion Hall, Sutter Creek, CA save the date

# **Panel 70 District Trusted Servants**

The following are the elected District 30 Trusted Servants for Panel 68.

DCM – Michael M Alt DCM – Steve H Treasurer – Susan R Recording Secretary – Kathy M

## **Motto/Theme for Panel 70**

"I hear that service will keep you sober."

# **CNIA District 30 Business Meeting**

St. Matthew's Church, 414 Oak St., San Andreas

# OPEN MEETING

## <u>Open with the Serenity Prayer</u> –

Michael M opened meeting at 10:00 a.m. with the Serenity Prayer.

**<u>Read the GSR Preamble</u>** – Read by Karl M.

**<u>Read the Declaration of Unity</u>** – Read by Casey.

### Introduction of New GSRs or Visitors here for the first time: Gordon – representing Pine Grove and Pioneer.

<u>Celebrations or Announcements</u>:

NCCAA event has been canceled.

## **<u>Read and Discuss Concept of the</u>** <u>**Month**</u> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Concept. Read by Michael. Traditional right of participation. Encourage participation at every level, so that there are no second class members.

<u>Consideration of Minutes</u> – February 8, 2020 Minutes – Motion to Accept Minutes – Steve/Harry. Motion carried.

## GSR Reports:

- 11<sup>th</sup> Step Meditation Meeting Murphy's – Brian. Absent.
- **49er Group** Paul C.: Everything good, but attendance is low.
- Angel's Friday As Bill Sees It Open
- Copper Group (Wed 7:30) Diana Absent
- Ione-Comanche Group Open
- Jackson Fellowship Cecelia: Absent. • Report Mailed: Treasurers report was given and accepted. Vote was taken to renew Grapevines for another year. Also GSR expenses were paid for Winter and Pre-Conference assemblies. Clean-up not present. Facilities – overhead light should be fixed next week. Small discussion on thermostat and it will stay set at 70 for now. GSR report was given. I assured them we would have new schedules. I printed some for our fellowship. I talked a little on new workshops coming up. H&I - Woman's Jail was going well all positions were filled. Men's Jail still need more

volunteers. No replacement found vet for Men's Coordinator. Literature sales are up and well stocked. Supplies, - having a few issues with new coordinator, Sue (past coordinator) stepped up and replenished supplies for us. Member-at-Large, website at Sacramento Intergroup office has not been updated. The meeting schedule they list for us is not current. Also, there have been people in fellowship that shouldn't be due to them having a key to our meeting room that was not turned in at the end of their commitment. Also the Alanon door has been left opened. A motion was made to change locks and passed. Old Business: Distracting members. We had a very long discussion on this subject again. We are staying alert. This has been tabled again. New Business: Upcoming Secretary and Sponsorship workshops were tabled. I did do a brief report on these items in my report. Also discussion on snack table was also put on hold till next committee meeting.

- Men's Freedom from Alcohol Group

   Arnold Chapel in the Pines –
   Peter E. The group is doing well. We meet 7-8 PM Fridays at the Church of the Pines in Arnold. We often have new members. Currently, a telephone list is being prepared for publication and distribution among group members.
   Attendance is often 30-40 men per meeting with many members having long term sobriety. Finances remain healthy.
- Mountain Ranch, Friends in Sobriety - Casey – Attendance has been increasing due to sober living group attendance. Format is Daily Reflections. Plan to update phone list as the group has changed dramatically over the past year.
- **Murphy's Brown Baggers** Pam R: Absent
- Murphy's Monday Night Meeting Steve H: Monday 7:00-8:00 p.m. – Attendance has dropped due to virus issue.

- **Murphy's Saturday Morning** Ask it Basket Ryan K: Absent
- **Pine Grove Fellowship** Gordon Steady membership between 10-25. A good number of newcomers are showing up, cross over from NA. Pioneer is between 20-35 members.
- **Prospector's Group** Liz Absent.
- Sierra Foothills Fellowship OPEN
- Sisters in Sobriety, Murphy's Debbie: Absent
- Sutter Creek Friday Night Men's Group – Bob B – Absent
- Valley Springs Tom and Jeff: Absent
- White Pines Topic Discussion Group – Arnold – Jim B: Good attendance, everything good.
- West Point Karl M. 10-15 members over the last month, which is lower than previous months. Will need a new secretary. We are a duel addictive group we averaged 10-15 members attending weekly. Our treasurer states in his report that as a group we are doing well.
- Women's Book Study, Murphy's Nancy – our group continues to have good attendance 10-15 people. Agreed to fund GSR for \$200 for the year.
- Young at Heart Meeting, Angels OPEN

Old Business:

Budget Prep – Moved to next month. **Workshops**:

<u>Secretary's Workshop</u>: Peter E – Still targeting April 25.

**Sponsorship Workshop**: Steve K. Met on Feb 22. Created a list of what the workshop would look like. Targeting Fall with a maximum of 3 hours on a Sat. Still compiling results.

## New Business:

Pre-conference Assembly – The topics have been decided on. These should be distributed to each group for input. Discussed process on how to get input from groups.

## <u>Trusted Servants and Committee</u> <u>Reports – Panel 70</u>:

**DCM:** Michael M: Getting ready for preconference assembly. The event is still up in the air.

**Alt DCM**: Steve H: Will not be able to make the next district 30 meeting due to surgery.

**LCM Upper Amador Hwy 88**: Dave L: Sierra Foothills Fellowship (mossback) good attendance and Pine Grove Fellowship appears good and stable.

**LCM Hwy 4 Corridor**: Steve K – absent. Nothing to report.

**LCM North Amador Hwy 49**: – Fiddletown, River Pines. Absent.

**LCM San Andreas – West Point**: Rebekah Z – Absent.

**LCM Valley Springs/Ione/Comanche**: Andrew – Absent.

**Recording Secretary/Publications:** 

- Kathy M Absent
- Treasurer: Susan R -. December Income \$641.75 Beginning Balance \$5,436.26 December Expenses \$527.41 **Ending Balance** \$5,325.20 **Prudent Reserve** \$3.005.44 January Income \$1061.42 Beginning Balance \$5,325.26 January Expenses \$942.57 Ending Balance \$5,336.14 Prudent Reserve \$3.005.52

# Motion for Treasurer's Report: Not taken

**Finance Chair(s)**: Susan, Del M, Kathy M – no report. Committee to meet soon. **PI/CPC Chair**: Dave L: Meeting schedules delivered.

Hotline Chair: Steve K. – Absent. BTG Chair: Andrew: Absent Directory/Website Chair: Jim B – Absent

**Archivist**: Kathy M: Absent. The Archive Committee met on March 4, 2020 at Del & Kathy's house. We had all 10 new display cases laid out with all artifacts from the Archives to make decisions on how to store and what to put in each display case. We are working on 4 group histories for Unity Day, June 13, 2020. Planning continues for Archive History Day on August 29, 2020. Our flyer has been circulating.

**Unity Day**: Mike C. – Harry confirmed for Grapevine booth.

**Grapevine Chair**: Harry T.: Grapevine website has been upgraded. Will be present at Unity Day. Quote for the day – "Sobriety is hope for the future while living in the present."

**Gold County Roundup**: Angela- absent **H&I Liaison**: – OPEN - Ken W is moving and no one has stepped up. He is no longer H&I Liaison.

H&I Liaison Calaveras County: Absent.

Responsibility Declaration: "I am

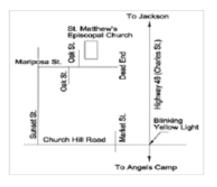
responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help I want the hand of AA always to be there. And for that, I am responsible." was recited by the Group.

<u>Next Meeting</u>: April 11, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. at St Matthews Church, San Andreas

## **District 30 Business Meetings**

CNIA District 30 includes all groups in Calaveras and Amador counties. GSRs and all *other interested AAs* are invited to attend the monthly business meeting normally held at St. Matthew's Church, 414 Oak St., San Andreas, the second Saturday of the month at 10 am.

Everyone is welcome to attend district meetings. If you are at all interested in doing this level of service or if you would just like to know what goes on, please join us. (We have coffee and doughnuts!)



### Addresses for Group Contributions

Be sure to include your group name and six-digit GSO ID number on your check.

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