## Area 59 District 51 Regularly Scheduled Monthly Meeting – in person November 17, 2022

The meeting was called to order by DCM Melissa M. at 7:02pm. All 5 panel members were present as well as 21 GSRs, 3 Alternate GSRs and 7 guests.

The GSR preamble was read.

The Secretary's report of the October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022 meeting was read and accepted.

The Treasurer's report was read and accepted with an actual balance of \$1,761.87.

11th tradition and concept were discussed.

The 7<sup>th</sup> tradition was observed.

## **Committee reports**

- Archives (Jerry):
  - o If you have any group histories, give to Jerry
- Grapevine (Rick):
  - No report
- IGR liaison (Becki):
  - o Roundup will be April 21-23<sup>rd</sup> at the Showboat in Atlantic City
  - o SEPIA is looking for venues for Share A Day in February
  - o PI put up a billboard
  - Archives is looking for long-timers stories
  - o CPC needs support for escorts for med students
- BUCKYPAA liaison (Chris):
  - Murder Mystery will be December 3<sup>rd</sup> at Southampton Community Center from 5-9pm. It is \$30 if you preregister or \$35 at the door.
  - o Pennscypaa will be held July 14-16<sup>th</sup> at the Sheraton in Langhorne. Prereg is \$20.
  - o NYE dance will be held in Levittown. Venue is still TBD.
- Special Events (Brie):
  - No report
- Digital Communications (Thomas):
  - No report
- Visitation (Sheila):
  - No report
- Structure (Drew):
  - No report
- Bridging the Gap (Wayne filling in for Rob):
  - o Unable to get in touch with Gaudenzia or Pyramid

- Traditions Meeting (Jerry):
  - Meeting is on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs of the month

## DCM Report - Melissa M.

- New officers were elected for Panel 73:
  - o Delegate Pete B.
  - Alternate Delegate Curt C.
  - o Chairperson Susan
  - o Secretary Dan B.
  - Treasurer Tara
  - o Officer at Large Claire B.
- Upcoming events:
  - o December 11, 2022 Final Area meeting in New Holland, PA at 11am
  - o January 14, 2023 NERASSA 2024 planning meeting at 8744 Clubhouse at 2pm
  - o Feb. 24-26, 2023 NERASSA in Albany, NY
  - o March 10-12, 2023 NERD hosted by Area 12 in Delaware
  - o April 23-29, 2023 73<sup>rd</sup> General Service Conference in Brooklyn, NY

## **Actions/Summaries**

- 8744 Sunday Serenity group will be having a monthly potluck on the last Sunday of the month at 7pm.
- Living Room Group is having their 9<sup>th</sup> anniversary chili cook-off on December 4<sup>th</sup> from 6-7pm. The meeting will be from 7-8pm. The winning chili will get a prize.
- Charity Group is having their 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary on November 19<sup>th</sup>. Food, fun and fellowship will be at 9:30am and the meeting will start at 10am.
- Heard it Through the Grapevine is having their 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary on January 10<sup>th</sup>. The speaker will be at 7pm. Food and fellowship will be after the meeting.
- Randy from the Steelworkers group made a motion to review a better way of voting at EPGSA. There was discussion about how long the voting process took and how it was quicker in 2020 when the voting was electronic. This motion passed unanimously. Randy and Alex will get together to draft a motion to bring to the floor at an area meeting. It will be reviewed by the district before being brought to the area.

Next meeting: 12/15/2022 at 7pm. The new panel will take effect at this next meeting.

Meeting was closed at 8:19pm with the Responsibility Pledge.