

Minutes of

DISTRICT 2 COMMITTEE MEETING

April 29, 2025 at 2:00pm

In Person at Club 24

WELCOME AND OPEN: Meeting opened by Bernie S at 2:05 pm with the Serenity Prayer.

TWELVE TRADITIONS: The Twelve Traditions were read by Colby. Tradition Four - Amy gave her interpretation of Tradition Four.

Volunteer for Tradition Five in May - Colby

Approval of Agenda

Motioned to approve the agenda by Amy, seconded by Sandy. All in favour.
Motion passed.

7th Tradition was collected.

ROLL CALL: in attendance.

Executive	GSR	Alt GSR	Observers
DCM – Bernie S	Arlene -Cole Harbour Group		
Alt DCM – Amy	Colby - Downtown Dartmouth		
SECRETARY – Sandy D	Sandra D. - Early Risers		
TREASURER – Vacant	Peggy - CVBBSG Zoe M. - Circle of Sisters		

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Roll Call/GSR Reports

Zoe from Circle of Sisters reported her group is doing well. All service positions filled. Good attendance. Birthdays May 31st Joan 6 years and Avelene 2 years.

Sandy D., GSR for Early Risers Group reported they are doing very well two new members now 20. They are also starting speaker meetings the last Saturday of each month. Birthdays on May 10th Murray 9 years and Lee 2 years.

Arlene - GSR Cole Harbour Group. Things are going well and positions now filled. Foster has 47 years and Joanne 7 coming up May 4th.

Colby - GSR DTD Group. Doing great all positions filled. 6 Birthdays this month.

Peggy - CVBBS Group. Attendance down a bit but 7th doing ok. No Birthdays next 2 months but a speaker each month held on the 1st Monday of the month.

Approval Of December Minutes. Zoe made a motion to accept and it was seconded by Amy.

Committee Reports

Secretary Report

Sandy reported things are going ok so far though had an issue with report not sending but fixed it once aware.

Treasurer Report – Blair A. Though no longer in the role he sent a report to Bernie as we have no one at the moment.

Alternate GSR

Amy reported that the workshop on Tradition 2 went well 14 in attendance and lots of questions asked and answered. Next workshop on Tradition 3 the 2nd

Sunday of June. DCM Report

April 27, 2025

There was no Active Committee meeting in March. The person hosting had technical difficulties.

I attended the Central service meeting on April 1st to give the midwinter roundup final report.

I attended the Midwinter Roundup meeting on the first Sunday of April. At that meeting, I was nominated for chair of the 2026 committee and I accepted.

Workshop went well on April 13th. Covered in Amy's report.

On Saturday April 19th. I attended the pre-Conference meeting on zoom. I sent out the email concerning recommended Conference agenda items on February 28th and sent an email with the date of the pre-conference meeting as soon as I received it. Attendance at the meeting was mostly by DCMS with only a handful of GSRs from other districts. There were no GSRs from District 2 so as a trusted servant, I voted as I thought you would want me to.

Our Alternate Delegate is filling in for the Delegate the weekend of the Conference and she wanted our input on the items she will be focusing on as a literature committee chair. One of those items was inclusion of the 12 Concepts and concept essays in the Twelve and Twelve. Another item was updating the book Living Sober. They will also be discussing a review process of the Plain language Big Book. That is not what changes will be made to the Plain language Big Book, but the process they will go through to actually make changes.

Also on April 19th, I attended a meeting hosted by Kathy Smith, the NS Archivist. Basically it was an introductory meeting to acquaint us with what the archivist is doing. She will be endeavouring to update the archives with minutes of district meeting minutes for as far back as she can locate. At our website, there are digitized copies of minutes for central service and for districts 1 and 2 dating back 5 years. Overall, it was an informative meeting.

Bridgewater May Day is upcoming on May 10th. I will be in attendance. I will be going with one of the men I sponsor to show him the benefit of service work.

The NS Service Weekend is the end of May, 2025. May 30, 31 and June 1. It will be held at the NS Agricultural College in Truro. Registration for the weekend is \$45. You may send an etransfer to treasurer@area82aa.org. Please specify that it is for the service

weekend. If you're old fashioned, you can mail it to Basil MacLean, 33 Sprucedale Dr., St. John's, NL A1H 0B9 Rental for rooms in the dormitory is inexpensive, \$42.50 for a single, \$57 for a double. Meals are extra except for lunch on Saturday which is included in the registration cost. According to the event agenda, no activities are listed for Sunday.

As yet we have made little progress changing the signing officers for the district.

Yours in love and service
Bernie S.
DCM District 2
Area 82

Approval of Reports

Motion to approve the reports by Sandy. Seconded by Peggy. All in favour. Motion passed.

Visitors with District Related Business – None Old Business

1. Elections conducted for District Treasurer. No treasurer was elected.
2. Signing Officers still not finished. It is in the process atm.
3. NS service weekend info discussed.

New Business

Grapevine Kit - GSRs ask their groups for suggestions on what they would like to do to make the kit more suitable for travel (update).

Announcements: None

Next meeting: May 18, 2025

Meeting closed with the AA Responsibility Statement.

Meeting ended at 2:40 pm.