

Any-Lengths Business Meeting Minutes – November 2022

Leon T, Group Chair called the meeting to Order. Leon led the group in the Serenity Prayer.

Treasurer Report

Susanne gave the Treasurer's Report. A motion was passed to adopt this report. Our balance is \$1,466.47 in addition to our \$700 prudent reserve.

Service Coordinator Report

Paula reported that the roster is almost filled for next rotation. A motion was passed to vote in an Alternate Service Co-Coordinator so that when Paula's term is complete the person who replaces her will be familiar with the role.

Chairperson Report

The chairpersons that were present gave a report. No issues to report. A suggestion was made to add Dr. Bob's Nightmare to the readings along with the first 164 pages. Leon suggested that this be left to the discretion of the Chair. A motion was passed to adopt the Chair report.

Website

.com website is working now and .org is no longer operational. Mike is updating scripts and he asked if members would let him know if they see any documents on .com that need to be updated from .org. Mike reported that the new links for proof of attendance etc. appear to be working. Minutes are up on the website. World Service has been advised of our change in the website.

New Business

A motion was passed to add Screen Share/Time Keeper role to the positions that we vote in. We will keep the requirement of 30 days continuous sobriety.

A motion was passed to have Sherri take over the role as GSR from Mike as he is the group Website Coordinator. Mike will keep the role as Alternate GSR. Mike suggested the group find someone to take over for him.

A motion was passed to update our script as it relates to crosstalk to read;

- Please avoid crosstalk, such as giving advice, commenting directly on what someone has shared or

mentioning their name, criticizing or interrupting when someone else is speaking.

A Motion was passed to use the following guidelines for meetings where we ask people to share;

As Bills Sees It

* Chairperson will ask a member to speak who has at least 30 days continuous sobriety and has not shared in the past 90 days.

* If the speaker does not attend the meeting, the Chairperson can choose a passage and speak on it or ask another member at the meeting who hasn't spoke on this topic in the past 90 days.

Step 1,2,3

* Chairperson will ask a member who has at least 90 days continuous sobriety.

* In the person does not attend the Chairperson can read either Step 1,2 or 3 from the 12 x 12.

Speaker meeting

- Chairperson will ask either a regular attendee at the meeting or a guest speaker who has at least 6 months continuous sobriety and hasn't spoke at AL for the past 6 months.
- Seek out speaker who can share their experience, strength and hope in working the program.
- If the speaker does not attend choose a topic related to recovery and invite members to put forward a topic.

There was discussion on whether we should leave attendees in the waiting room who use only a phone number or a device name until they identify them selves. We agreed to allow everyone in the meeting and chat with them privately to ask if they would like their name added. If the person is disruptive (Zoom bomber) the tech/chat will place them in the waiting room.

Meeting adjourned.