

**District 28 Business Meeting, NIA 20**  
St. Michael's Episcopal Church \* ZOOM  
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July 11, 2022 6:30 PM  
**MINUTES**

## Call the meeting to order

## Moment of Silence, Serenity Prayer

## Introductions

## Anniversaries, Birthdays

- Kevin K. turned 40 – Happy Birthday!

## Attendees

Al U.

Johnna I.

Kevin F.

Curt S.

Sean S.

Bob G.

Claire B.

Keven K.

Sarah R.

Doug D.

Holly G.

Tracy D.

Heather H.

Angel S.

Barb S.

## Officer Reports

Please note that [all reports and flyers shared before and during the meeting are available in this DropBox folder.](#)

SECRETARY (MINUTES): CLAIRE B./**OPEN**

- Minutes approved.
- We resolved a handful of remaining questions on the Area “Groups by District” spreadsheet. Thanks!
- Forgot to mention during meeting: I attended a meeting for DCMs, Registrars and Secretaries held by the Area 20 registrar, Chris E. My full notes are with the other reports in the DropBox folder, but wanted to include links to the new forms that are now available on the [NIA20 website](#). These are fillable PDFs.
  - [DCM/ALT DCM Change form](#) (only used when DCM or Alt DCM changes)
  - [Group Change Form](#)
  - [New Group Registration Form](#)
  - [Area Contribution Form](#)

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**TREASURER'S REPORT: CURT S./OPEN**

<b>District 28 - June 2022 Budget Summary</b>			
<b>District Committee</b>	<b>2022 Budget</b>	<b>Used To Date</b>	<b>Balance</b>
Answering Service	\$850.00	(\$233.83)	\$616.17
Archives	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$150.00
Corrections	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$200.00
CPC/PI	\$200.00	(\$223.62)	(\$23.62)
DCM	\$300.00	\$0.00	\$300.00
Grapevine	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$200.00
Literature	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$200.00
Misc. Dist. Expenses	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
Newsletter	\$225.00	\$0.00	\$225.00
Rent for Church	\$360.00	\$0.00	\$360.00
Schedule Printing	\$250.00	\$0.00	\$250.00
Secretary	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$150.00
Special Needs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Treasurer	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$200.00
Treatment Facilities	\$600.00	\$0.00	\$600.00
Website	\$250.00	(\$99.00)	\$151.00
Workshop	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>\$5,135.00</b>	<b>(\$556.45)</b>	<b>\$4,578.55</b>

  

<b>Summary</b>	<b>Received</b>	<b>Expenses</b>	<b>Total</b>
Beginning of Year Balance	\$2,547.83		\$2,547.83
2022 Budget Expenses		(\$556.45)	(\$556.45)
District 28 Contributions	\$1,256.07		\$1,256.07
GSO Distributions		(\$1,264.08)	(\$1,264.08)
NIA 20 Distributions		\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$3,803.90</b>	<b>(\$1,820.53)</b>	<b>\$1,983.37</b>

<b>2022 Transaction Detail</b>							
<b>Committee</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Provider</b>	<b>Check #</b>	<b>Account# / Group #</b>	<b>Amount</b>
GSO Distributions	Debit	01/12/22	Distribution	District 28	523		(\$1,264.08)
Answering Service	Debit	01/06/22	District Phone	Sprint	Auto	578478468	(\$35.84)
District 28 Contributions	Credit	01/12/22	Contribution	McHenry Soberfest	2174		\$135.07
District 28 Contributions	Credit	01/24/22	Contribution	Sisters in Sobriety	2477	992477	\$134.40
District 28 Contributions	Credit	01/24/22	Contribution	Monday Night Serenity Group	120	658285	\$92.40
Answering Service	Debit	02/07/22	District Phone	Sprint	Auto	578478468	(\$35.83)
District 28 Contributions	Credit	02/14/22	Contribution	Lake Zurich 12x12	125		\$108.00
District 28 Contributions	Credit	03/14/22	Contribution	Tuesday Night Realtime	1545	673285	\$120.00
District 28 Contributions	Credit	03/28/22	Contribution	Wednesday Night Beginners Group	2472	175535	\$75.00
Answering Service	Debit	03/18/22	District Phone	Sprint	Auto	578478468	(\$35.83)
Website	Debit	04/13/22	Kate Maloney Reimbursement - 123eHost		524	220123-SWT3 #S0107450	(\$99.00)
CPC/PI	Debit	04/13/22	Kevin Keleher GSO Literature		525	#S01193178	(\$60.33)
Answering Service	Debit	04/08/22	District Phone	Sprint	Auto	578478468	(\$51.87)
District 28 Contributions	Credit	04/28/22	Contribution	Lake Zurich 12x12	352		\$90.00
District 28 Contributions	Credit	05/09/22	Contribution	Sisters in Sobriety	2656	992477	\$215.20
District 28 Contributions	Credit	05/16/22	Contribution	Friday Night Living in Recovery	1553		\$80.00
CPC/PI	Debit	05/17/22	Kevin Keleher GSO Literature		526	#S0202953	(\$163.29)
Answering Service	Debit	05/18/22	District Phone	Sprint	Auto	578478468	(\$37.23)
District 28 Contributions	Credit	05/23/22	Contribution	Wednesday Night Beginners Group	2487	175535	\$75.00
District 28 Contributions	Credit	06/06/22	Contribution	Men's Big Book 13	683	27100	\$51.00
Answering Service	Debit	06/18/22	District Phone	Sprint	Auto	578478468	(\$37.23)
District 28 Contributions	Credit	06/27/22	Contribution	Tuesday Night Realtime	1550	673285	\$80.00

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DCM/ALTERNATE REPORT: JOHNNA I./TRACY D.

**DCM REPORT June. 6th, 2022**

I was unable to attend to attend the spring committee meeting. However, I'm told the hybrid meeting ran relatively smoothly. The two largest points of interest we have to look forward to at the Summer Assembly are our delegate Chris D's report from the General Service Conference and a sharing session to discuss the idea of moving the Committee breakouts from the assemblies to outside events hosted by the committee chairs.

Breakout sessions available for this assembly (included in the agenda):

DCM  
GSR  
Secretaries & Registrars  
Accessibilities  
Answering Service and Web  
Archives  
Treasurers  
CPC & PI  
Corrections & Treatment & BTG  
Grapevine & Literature

You do not have to be a member of these committees to attend and observe or ask questions.  
Possible ~~sponsee~~ assignment?

**NIA 20 open positions:**

- Answering Service – Chair and Alternate
- Archives – Chair and Alternate
- Bridge the Gap – Alternate
- CPC – Chair and Alternate
- Grapevine – Chair and Alternate
- Literature – Alternate
- Treatment – Alternate

## Announcements

- None

## Visitors

### Upcoming Events

1. All area accessibility meeting July 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> @ 7 p.m. (Flyer)
2. NIA 20 GSR meeting July 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7 p.m. (Flyer)
3. Monthly Grapevine Workshop July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022 @ 7:00 pm (Flyer)
4. District 40 Drop Your Rock Workshop July 17<sup>th</sup> @ 1 p.m. (Flyer)
5. Legacy of Service: Concepts Study– June 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>rd</sup> 7 p.m. (Flyer)
6. Illinois State and East Central Regional Conference \* \*  
August 12-14, 2022, Sheraton Lisle Naperville Hotel  
Save the Dates – [Click Here to Register.](#)

## Committee Reports

ANSWERING SERVICE: SEAN S./OPEN

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- Need volunteers for August through the rest of the year.
- April: 8 calls, 2 female, 6 male, 3 12-step calls
- May: 5 calls, 2 female, 3 male, no 12-steps
- June: 6 calls, 3 female, 3 male, no 12-steps
- July: 1 call so far

**ARCHIVES: OPEN/OPEN**

- Peggy (pat chair) needs to get archives material out of her house. Tracey D. agreed to store it

**BRIDGING THE GAP: DAVID L./OPEN**

- Not present, no report.

**CPC/PI: KEVIN/OPEN**

- Got pamphlets and stickers and have the right people to reach out to.
- Planning visits late August/early September (schools)
- Have some contact with lawyers, psychiatrists' offices
- Looking for volunteers to take materials around
- Planning to reach out to senior living/care facilities
- If you have ideas about who you could reach out to (and provide pamphlets), contact Kevin K.

**CORRECTIONS: MIKE M./OPEN**

- Not present, no report

**GRAPEVINE: OPEN /OPEN**

**LITERATURE: DOUG D./OPEN**

- It's time to update the schedule. Last update was March of 2020
- Majority of the schedule is ready to be updated, working on a handful of open times.
- Johnna needs a few cases of welcome packets; Doug currently has only a few left and they are already spoken for.

**NEWSLETTER: BARB S./OPEN**

- Not present, no report

**ACCESSIBILITY/SPECIAL NEEDS: OPEN/OPEN**

**TREATMENT: HEATHER H./LINDA B.**

- No report.

**WEBSITE: KATE M./OPEN**

- Not present, no report.
- Tabling new business about adding AI-Anon Family Groups info to our website.

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**Old Business**

1. Open positions for 2022 - 2024: Archives (Chair), Bridging the Gap (Alt. Chair), Corrections (Chair and Alt. Chair), Grapevine (Chair and Alt. Chair), Literature (Alt. Chair), Treasurer (Alt. Chair), Accessibility/Special Needs (Chair and Alt. Chair), Treatment (Alt. Chair), CPC/PI (Alt. Chair), Newsletter (Alt Chair), Secretary (Alt.)

**New Business**

1. Discussion about adding Al-Anon Family Groups information to the district website
2. Next District Meeting is Monday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, at 6:30 PM on Zoom

**GSR Reports/Open Mic**

<b>GSR</b>	<b>Group</b>	<b>News</b>
Al U.	UCC of Barrington Sun. 7:30PM Big Book	Average 5 people
Angel S.	Tu/Th 7PM Sober Sisters	Thur meeting avg: 6
Doug D.	Wed. Lake Zurich 12&12	We continue to grow: 25-30 attendees. Last week had 3 newcomers.
Holly G.	Wed. 7PM Women's Way	Online only. Will ask group if they can host the answering service phone. Avg. 10-12.
Kevin F.	Wed. 7:30PM 12&12 Still at It	Apprx. 6 -12 attendees.
Robert G.	Tues. Night Real Time Group	Avg 15-20 attendees
Sarah R.	Sunday Morning 10:30 No Name Group	Still hybrid, average 8-12 attendees.
Tracy D.	Sun. 9AM Early Birds at Lake Zurich PD	Hybrid attendance is small, in-person 10-20 people. This is my last month as GSR.
Sean S.	Tuesday Night Bellermine	20-25 people on average. Tues. night is having a Men's retreat. Flyer will be included in the minutes.

**Adjourn/Responsibility Statement**

I am responsible, when anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of A.A. always to be there. And for that, I am responsible.