

## March DCM Report

### Communication from the Delegate:

- The Delegate sent the 73rd General Service Conference agenda items survey was sent to everyone via email. This survey is only for the GSR's to fill out with their group conscious. If you did not receive it please let me know.
- Second resignation from the Board of Trustees-Josh E resigned from AA Grapevine corporate board.

\*\*\* We will discuss this at our District meeting this month.

- Ad hoc Committee was formed - in 12 years AA will be commemorating the Centennial anniversary of AA. There is a plan to engage in commemorative activities throughout 2035 and GSB of Canada and US formed this committee to consider options for this anniversary. They are seeking input, ideas and participation along the way. Stay tuned for more info. Ad hoc email is 100[years@aa.org](mailto:years@aa.org). - I kept this on for this month because the email was incorrect last month.
- Registration for the 2023 Northeast Regional Forum is Now Open!

**Thank you for supporting my attendance at NERAASA. I have emailed my expenses to the Treasurer for reimbursement.** I made some great connections, learned a lot. I attended the DCM round table and found out all Districts are struggling with participation. The fact that D33 has so many new GSR's, including groups that have not had representation for some time is AWESOME! Thank you all for your service to your homegroups and D33! We are so grateful to have you here. There were over 1000 people in attendance at NERAASA!! It was so full that we sat out in the Atrium and participated via zoom for some of it.

FYI, we do have a GSR from Spirit of Recovery- Mike R. works second shift but is requesting to be kept in the loop by email. Stu- I will get you his email address.

- Does D33 want the DCM to have an Area 59 email address?
- NERAASA planning meeting is Sunday 03/19/2023 10-12 via zoom
- The Area meeting on 3/12/2023 needed to end early and abruptly due to some unfortunate events. It seems the venue was double booked-per the delegate, at no fault of ours. There was a threat to one of our members and to blow up the building. The police were called and the situation handled. It was decided we would vacate the space by 1:00pm so the meeting was extremely expedited. Therefore the only business that was discussed is:
  1. Minutes from December were approved.
  2. The budget was presented and voted on and approved unanimously.
  3. The delegate's recommendations were voted on and approved unanimously-with one addition that was added-27. Continue to fund the Archivist or the Assistant Archivist to attend the National A.A. Archives Workshop (NAAAW) each year during the Panel (Added 3/6/23)
- Convention Guest Observer DCM Nominations due June 11 2023.- see attachment to this email.
- Area 59 has a library. The Area 59 Secretary presented some QR codes to make things easier for us. See attachment.= to this email.
- 66th Annual EPGSA convention is November 10-12 2023 At Wyndham Lancaster Resort and Convention center.
- Area 59 Archives committee is requesting D33 fill out a COVID history form for our District. The request is addressed to the DCM, does anyone have a problem if I solely fill this out? Or do we want a subcommittee to do it?
  1. I have included explanations provided by Donald, our Area 59 Archivist on Pre-Conference Sharing Session and Mini Assemblies. Hopefully it helps those of us that are new to Area service. If anyone has any question please speak up- I can't promise I can answer the question but I promise we will find the answer.
- Please see the Delegates report from the March Quarterly meeting- for the sake of time we won't read the entire report but I want everyone to be informed and there is a lot of value info in Pete's report. If you have any questions please reach out to me. See the attached Delegates report.

If you are interested please see the group contributions to Area 59- please take a photo as this is the only copy I have.

Please sign the postcard so we can send it to Pete when he is at the General Service Conference.

## Upcoming Events

PLEASE CHECK [area59aa.org](http://area59aa.org) for these events plus MANY more. Information for all these events is on the website.

03/19/2023 NERAASA planning meeting 10-noon via zoom

04/01/2023 BINGO by chester county committee of young people in AA (3CYPAA) see website

04/15/2023 Pre-conference sharing session D57-Location TBD

04/21-4/23/2023 SEPIA 56 Annual Round Up Serenity by the Sea- see Area 59 website for price and details

04/23/2023 73rd General Service Conference

04/27/2023 BTG monthly forum

4/30/2023 AA Young People's Day Lehigh Valley- see Area 59 website for details

05/20/23 Mini Assembly I and Delegate's Report D25- location TBD

05/25/2023 BTG monthly forum

06/10/23 Mini Assembly II and Delegate Report

06/11/2023 3rd Area quarterly meeting D59 location TBD

06/22/2023 BTG monthly forum

07/14- 7/16 PENNSCYPAA XXXIV State Conference Bucks County

07/27/2023 BTG monthly forum

08/24/2023 BTG monthly forum

09/10/2023 4th quarterly meeting D49 location TBD

09/28/2023 BTG monthly forum

10/07/2023 Share a Day featuring YPAA and ARea 59 Location TBD

10/14/2023 Area Inventory D66 location TBD

10/26/2023 BTG monthly forum

11/10-11/12 66th Annual Eastern Pennsylvania General Service Convention and Assembly

11/23/2023 BTG monthly forum

12/10/2023 1st area quarterly meeting D45 location TBD

12/28/2023 BTG monthly forum

02/23/2024-02/25/2024 NERAASA 2024 Hershey PA