

Robbers Roost Men's Group

Group Conscience Minutes: January 2, 2018

Attendance: Ben, Sami, Aaron, Marc, Don, Jeff, Michael, John, Herm, John

Intros & minutes— minutes accepted.

Reports:

- Jeff (GSR): D24 update – putting together a procedure guide, will bring in a copy. Don nominated for district archives chair for the district. Still waiting on Allison to send Jeff some of the research information that she used for her workshop.
- OPEN (Alt GSR):
- Chris (Treasurer):
- Sami (Tues mtg secy): things are running good.
- Herman (Thurs mtg secy): going good.
- Michael (GSC): new red binder is working well. Looking for someone to cover Jan 3rd. Otherwise, covered for January. 53 groups in boulder county. Only 3 groups cover shifts at CO. Michael would like to move out of GSC based on his new service commit. (AI) Ben – add GSC to our high priority open service positions list.
- Marc W (IGR): did attend IG meeting last Tuesday. Chair and Treasurer positions are open. Several other committee chairs are open. Language in newcomer packets are not approved AA literature = if we have an opinion, let Marc know (NB). Costs about \$2000 to run CO, contributions are not covering this, estimate \$5700 short-fall for 2018. Looking into how to raise additional funds. CO is not being covered on Sat/Sun – welcome coverage. No longer mailing printed copies of the Message, available via email/web. Marc attended New Year's Eve party. Phone answering is falling apart = no one filling Day Watch position; answering machine is going back into service; don't have the funds to continue the answering service. Provide Marc feedback on how IG/CO continues to be there for the still suffering alcoholic.
- Mikael (Alt IGR):
- OPEN (CPC):
- Aaron (Website): no update
- Don (Archives): Don is also the district Archives rep. Work on getting RR history documented. Looking to schedule district Archives monthly meeting. Working on getting access to district Archives room.
- Scott (Grapevine):
- Ted (Literature):
- Junior (Nightwatch):
- OPEN (PIR):
- Rob (Local 12 Step Coordinator):
- Ed (Treatment):
- OPEN (Corrections):
- Dan (Phone List):
- Mark F (Tue Coffee/Setup):
- Shawn (Tue Cleanup):
- Craig B (Thu Coffee/Setup):
- John (Thu Cleanup):

OLD BUSINESS

Finding a new meeting location.

- Ad-hoc committee (Craig, Marc, Ben, Shawn)
- Anything to report / discuss?
- Don – no news on the state of the building and ownership. We did leave on good terms with the Masonic lodge.
- Ben (AI) do something about this ad hoc committee.

Safety Workshop (Sami)

- Ben – could we get Allison to come to GC for 10-15 minute discussion? (AI) Jeff to reach out to Allison. **(Open)**
- Jeff – still waiting on getting Allison's research. What are the questions that this group should ask around safety?
- Don – do we have any issues with Safety?

- Sami – we may have issues once we are educated. What concerns did Allison come away from the workshop.
- Don – how do we evaluate against our group.

NEW BUSINESS:

Corrections Rep position for RR:

- From last months GC: Marc - Should we really have Treatment and Corrections Rep position? NB for next GC
- Marc – question is really about Corrections rep.
- Don – (Al) Jeff - find out from David (corrections chair) if RR should have a Corrections Rep that does not go into the jail?
What is the value of RR corrections rep?

Newcomer Packet Language (For Sale at CO) issue:

- Don – where did the language come from? If not AA approved, who made it up? Believe that groups should only provide AA approved literature. Lots of info for AA newcomers, so need to outside of that does not make sense.
- Michael – IG is uncomfortable with having the verbiage in there?
- Vote to remove non AA approved verbiage - passed.

Open Service Positions:

John stands for GSC – approved.

High Priority:

- Alternate GSR
- ~~Group Service Coordinator~~
- Public Information Rep
- Corrections Rep
- Cooperation with Professional Community