

District 61
Meeting Minutes
June 25, 2025

Serving Batavia, Elburn, Geneva, LaFox, Maple Park, St. Charles, and Wayne

Welcome followed by a Quiet Time and the Serenity Prayer

1. Call meeting to order.
2. DCM review of meeting decorum and procedures.
3. Roll Call: 23 in attendance, 48 not present (6 called/emailed)
4. Tradition 6 and Concept 6 read.
5. Introductions and recognition of new members: Carol K
6. A.A. Anniversaries, Jeff 1 year, Julie 22 years, Joey 7 years, Katie 45 years
7. 7th Tradition
8. Approve April 2025 Minutes -Bron moved to accept, Michael 2nd, passed unanimously
9. **Guest speaker:** None

10. **OFFICERS REPORTS:**

District Committee Member (DCM): Katie R, Alt: Kyle W

- Next meeting we will be having pizza and GSR school with Aaron V. and Lisa S.
- Pizza & pop at 6 pm
- We will conduct the meeting via email so we can use time for presentation. Watch for the report requests
- Thank you to Kyle for leading the meeting last month.
- Summer Assembly was attended by many. Our delegate, Eric presented a report, and Katie will send that and the minutes from the Assembly when received.
- Katie summarized topics and motions from the Assembly and will be included in the minutes she will send.
- Events: Picnic 8/2/2025 12-4 pm at Lions Park
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Secretary (None): Dawn V, Alt: Kate K (NP)

Registrar: Betty F, Alt: Rick N

- Not all corrections made but are continuing to be updated

Treasurer: Lance T, Alt: Rich N: (NP)

- \$620 in contributions
- Balance \$4152.28
- Prudent Reserve (2000)
- Balance after PR held \$1652.28

11. **GSR REPORTS:**

- Jeff- group had brought up the question about what other groups think/do about Lord's Prayer.
- Groups concern is that Lord's Prayer can be off putting as a newcomer. His group feels that meeting is spiritual not religious and Lords Prayer is associated with a religious organization. He asked that GSRs take this back to their meeting and bring their feedback to the next meeting.

12. **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Accessibility: Julie P, Alt: Carol Ann M (NP)

- Bria meetings still going, always looking for more support on Wednesdays at 6 pm
- NIA break out session- working on getting gist of signers for hearing impaired members

Answering Service: Interim Chair-Natalie G (NP), Alt: Lee Ann W

- Going well and willing volunteers.

Corrections: Todd M (NP), Alt-Women: OPEN, Alt-Men: John M (NP)

- Going well. Thank John and other groups for donating Grapevines. Women's pods have been getting meetings from Nora and 2 women from Oswego.
- Todd said they are going to same pod now and getting same members each week. Working on Steps 1,2,3 from 12 & 12. Step meetings instead of discussion

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CPC & PI (Coop. w/ Prof. Comm. & Public Information): Janan O, Alt: Larissa MacN (NP)

- Waiting to receive more materials. Speakers not needed until the Fall.

Grapevine: John C Alt: Sarah L:

- Collect Grapevines for corrections
- Working on getting subscription set up in Batavia Public Library

Literature: Al S, Alt OPEN:

- Have 30 packets left and will order more shortly

Treatment: Steve H (NP) , Alt: Therese S:

- Need female speakers for the first Wednesday of the month at RCA

Webmaster: Betty F, Alt: Rick N:

- Website went through an upgrade
- Latest version of WordPress
- Website charges are going to be billed soon
- Total cost \$331.74

13. **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Sarah- Big Book Trivia would like to thank D61 and all attendees for support. They are bringing \$217 back for District.
- Question from Trivia Committee. Wondering how to hold the money since no one on committee wants to hold the money for the group between events.
- Lance, treasurer suggested giving it to District and there is a line item for Trivia. Hold money and also document the success.

14. **NEW BUSINESS:**

- None.

Closed with the Responsibility Statement.

- Meeting Adjourned: 7:50 pm

PM Respectfully submitted by: Dawn V

NEXT DISTRICT MEETING

- Wednesday, July 30
- Starts at 6:00 pm for pizza
- 7:00 Area Reps, Aaron V and Lisa S will be presenting GSR school (people have raved about this in other districts)