

**Nova Scotia Service Weekend
May 30th-June 1st , 2014
Dalhousie University Truro Campus, N.S.**

**Friday May 30th, 7:00pm
Nova Scotia Archives meeting**

Tim M. Chairperson opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity.

In attendance: 11 DCMS, 5 Area Officers, 18 Observers.

Archivist Report:

The Archivist, Gary C, presented his report, Cathy and Gary gave a presentation on the Archives in N.S. See Gary report attached.

7:30pm Growth in A.A. Seminar Topic (3 Legacies Recovery, Unity, and Service.) Sonny S. Report attached.

**Friday May 30th 7:30
DCMS and Area Officer's Meeting**

Tim M Chairperson called the meeting to order at 7:40pm.He welcomed everyone in attendance followed by a moment of silence and Serenity Prayer.

Introductions of Area Officers and DCMS

District 1 Tom R., District 2 Barry H. District 3 Susan C. District 4 Lynn B.

District 5 Garth T. District 6 Anne B. District 7 Kirk S. District 8 George B.

District 9 Albert D. District 10 Bonnie A. District 17 Gary O. Area 82 Chairperson Tim M. GSD Marilyn R. Alt. GSD Boyd B.

Secretary/Registrar Jocelyn I. Treasurer Anthony D. 10 Observers.

12 Traditions were read by Susan C.

Treasurers Report: Tony read his report and stated that donations were needed for the Area. See attached report.

Roll Call:

Jocelyn I Secretary/Registrar conducted the Roll Call of the Active and inactive in Area 82 with the following results.

**District 1/29 Groups, District 2/15, District 3/12, District 4/7, District 5/7
District 6/10, District 7/15, District 8/15, District 9/23, District 10/8,
District 17/6.**

143 Active Groups in N.S. 74 Active in NL

Tim M. Chairperson went over the agenda items. There were 3 additions added to agenda: 1.Putting Service Minutes on the Website. 2. How to get the word out to events and Roundup etc. 3.Keeping our Long Timers and members involved.

Tim M. Chairperson closed the meeting with the Responsibility Pledge.

Next N.S. Service Weekend: June 5th, 6th, 7th 2015. Location: Dalhousie University Truro Campus N.S.

Saturday May 31st 2014

Tim M. Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:00 am. He welcomed all in attendance followed by a moment of silence and the Serenity Prayer.

Introductions: Area Officers and DCMS

**Tim M. Area Chairperson, Marilyn R. GSD Panel 63, Boyd B. Alt. GSD, Jocelyn I. Secretary/Registrar, Anthony D. Treasurer.
DCMS: District 1 Tom R. District 2 Barry H. District 3 Susan C.
District 4 Lynn B. District 5 Garth T. District 6 Anne B. District 7 Kirk S. District 8 George B. District 9 Albert D. District 10 Bonnie A. District 17 Gary O.**

12 Traditions were read by Albert D.

Sympathies: A moment of silence took place for our members who past away in the past year.

Marilyn R. GSD read the Mission Statement, which included: Why do we need a Conference? See S20 Service Manual.

Approval of Agenda:

The agenda with changes and additions was accepted by Tony D. seconded by Bob M.

Minutes from the 2013 N.S. Service Weekend

Jocelyn I. Secretary/Registrar read the minutes. There were no errors/omissions. Gary G. accepted seconded Samarra. Motion carried.

Business arising from the minutes: Will be adding the Service Weekend on the Website. Minutes, to be read at all Service Weekends. Archives left in Gary's basement for a year. Carried over to New Business.

DCM Reports:

Copies of the DCMS Reports are attached. District 1-10, and 17

Past Delegates

In Attendance:

Sonny S. Panel 47, Murdo M. Panel 57, Billy C. Panel 59, they brought Greetings and said a few words on their experiences.

Coffee Break

Treasurer's Report:

Tony D. Area Treasurer read his reports. He reported that is more money going out then coming in. He said that to take back to Groups that there is in need of money at the Area. There was a discussion.

The Financial report was read.

Fred D. accepted the reports as read. Stan C. seconded.

Alt. GSR Report:

Boyd B. stated: Thank you for allowing me to serve as your Alt GSD.

The highlights noted by Boyd B., Alt. GSD were:

- 1. Area 82 Website**
- 2. Public Information**
- 3. Cooperation with the Professional Communities Committees**
- 4. Corrections**
- 5. Treatment Facilities**

- 6. Bridging the Gap**
- 7. Remote Communities**
- 8. Grapevine**

In closing let me Thank all of you for allowing me to serve our wonderful fellowship in this capacity.

For further details, please see attached Boyd B. Alt. GSD Report.

General Service Delegate Report

Marilyn R. GSD stated: I am honored and grateful to serve Area 82 as your General Service Delegate Panel 63.

Before I start the presentation of the highlights of the General Service Conference, I will just mention that Richard Boisvert of Quebec, was elected Eastern Canada Regional Trustee.

Here are some of the highlights of the General Service Conference:

Attached are the Conference Advisory Actions of the 64th General Service Conference and additional Committee considerations, and floor actions.

In closing, thank you for allowing me to share this report, the opportunity to serve at the 64th General Service Conference, to love and serve you. I especially want to thank each and every one of you who is loving and serving others in Area 82. See Marilyn report attached.

Lunch

Archivist Report:

Gary C. See attached Report.

M.C.Y.P.A.A. Report:

Tim M. read the Report.

Please see attached Report.

Remote Communities Report:

Boyd B. read the Report. See attached report.

All Reports was accepted by John and seconded by Barry L.

Roll Call:

Jocelyn I., Secretary/Registrar conducted the Roll Call of the Group's attendance with, the following results.

**District 1, 29/13 present. District 2, 15/4 present. District 3, 12/9 present. District 4, 7/2 present. District 5, 7/3 present. District 6, 10/6 present. District 7, 15/10 present. District 8, 14/2 present. District 9, 23/5 present. District 10, 8/6 present. District 17, 6/4 present.
146 Groups in N.S. 64 GSRS present.**

New Business arising from minutes:

Putting Service Weekend minutes on the Website.

Gary O made a motion to put the Service Weekend on the Website, with no last names.

Voting took place, 67 members were for, and 2 opposed. Motion was carried.

Archives were put in Gary's C. basement. The minutes from Archives should have been read last night.

Minutes not to be read at Service Weekends.

Barry H made a motion not to read the minutes at Service Weekend.

Voting 25 Opposed 42

Re Vote 25 Opposed 45

2 abstained

Motion carried, we read the Service Weekend minutes.

New Business:

Provincial Roundup Host District.

Voting took place between Districts 7 & 8

66 votes for District 8

10 votes for District 7

2 abstain

District 8 will be Hosting Provincial Roundup.

Eastern Canadian Regional Forum

Please bring back to Groups to get feed back on having the E.C.R.F in Area 82. There will be more discussion at the Assembly.

Area Guidelines, Chair Mary W. passed out the Guidelines. If any changes need to be made pass on to Mary by August 15. This does not replace the service manual.

This will be taken to Assembly for approval.

If you need to contact Mary,

phone (902)455-5723 Home (902)488-9146 cell

Sharing Session topic:

Keeping our Long Time members involved.

Our Will/Gods Will

Isolated Groups within our District.

Getting the word out(events) Roundup-Conferences.

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General information session:

Remote Communities

Murdo M. gave a report on Remote Communities.

Sunday June 1st.2014

Tim M Chairperson opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

Sharing Session topic: Getting New Members Involved.

Closing: Tim M. closed the meeting with the Responsibility Pledge.

Next Nova Scotia Service Weekend will be on June 5, 6 & 7 2015 at the Dalhousie Campus, Truro N.S.

Yours in service,

Jocelyn I.

Area 82 Secretary/Registrar

