

District 36 Committee Meeting

P.O. Box 1334, California, MD 20619

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I. Call To Order

Date: July 08, 2025

Location: Hollywood Rescue Squad
43256 Rescue Lane
Hollywood, MD 20636

Officers in Attendance:

District Chair Member (DCM)	Melissa W.
Alternate District Chair Member (Alt. DCM)	Michele H.
Secretary	Ray C.
Treasure	Keith T.

Meeting was opened at 18:30 with the Serenity Prayer

Visitors in Attendance:

Dennis B. (Kingston Creek)

Roll Call:

Almost Normal Group	Joyce S.	Leonardtwn Group	Mary F.
Basic Text	Duke R.	Lexington Park Big Book	
Battled & Rattled	Rick K. (Alt.)	Lexington Park Step Sisters	
Beginners @ Noon		Living Sober Meeting	
Blue Top at Noon		Monday Nite Group	
Charlotte Hall		Monday Nite Traditions	Michele H. (Alt.)
Clean Air Group		More Will Be Revealed	Michelle T.
Drunks "R" Us		Never Too Late	Ray C.
Early Bird Group	Rev M.	Not Quite Right	
Early Risers		O.D.A.A.T. Woman's Meeting	Jeanette W.
Emotional Sobriety		Patuxent River Group	
Helping Others	Kris F.	Poplar Hill Group	
Hollywood Group		Rocky Roads	
Kingston Creek Group	John W.	Southern Maryland Big Book	
K.I.S.S. Group	Josh J.	There Is A Solution	Billy B.
Laurel Grove Group	Troy T.	We Were Drunks	
Leonardtwn Big Book	Keith T. (Alt.)	What's the Point	

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II. Announcements

**** District 36 is SEEKING MEN & WOMAN VOLUNTEERS to support our Corrections and Treatment Committees ****

Upcoming Meetings & Events:

- SMIA Meeting
(2nd Saturday)
 - July 12, 2025 / August 09, 2025 – 10:00am
 - Immaculate Conception Church
 - 28297 Old Village Rd
 - Mechanicsville, MD 20659
 - Bookstall Open: 9:00am – 10:00am
 - Zoom: [meeting link](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87243163741?pwd=UktoZW11eDZnWnRMbXFDRVh6dVpDQT09)
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87243163741?pwd=UktoZW11eDZnWnRMbXFDRVh6dVpDQT09>
- Area 29 GSR Meeting
(2nd Saturday)
 - July 12, 2025 / August 09, 2025 – 10:00am
 - Severna Park United Methodist
 - 731 Benfield Rd
 - Severna Park, MD 21143
 - Open to anyone wanting to know what a GSR does and how you can help your Home Group and the still suffering alcoholic.
 - Zoom: 818 6222 7157 / Password: (no password)
- District 36 Committee Meeting
(2nd Tuesday)
 - August 12, 2025 – 6:30pm
 - Hollywood Rescue Squad
 - 23469 Rescue Ln
 - Hollywood, MD 20636
- End of Summer BBQ Bash
POC: Mary F.
 - September 21, 2025 – 12:00pm - Dusk
 - Snow Hill Park, Mechanicsville
 - Bring a Covered Dish / Dessert
 - FREE parking
 - Pavilion, Playground, Beach and Fishing Area
- Chili Cookout & Bonfire
POC: Kaki B.
 - October 11, 2025 – 5:00pm - 8:00pm
 - Saint George's Episcopal Church, Valley Lee
- Dance & Meeting
POC: Mary F.
 - November 22, 2025 – 7:00 -10:00pm
 - St. Francis Xavier Church – Compton
 - DJ / Refreshments / Meeting
 - Western Theme / Sadie Hawkins

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Alt. DCM Opening Remarks: [Michele H.]

- How do “we” improve Group participation among GSRs / Alt. GSRs?
 - Melissa to review “Fellowship Connection” in an attempt to identify group POCs that are not represented during District Meetings

DCM Opening Remarks: [Melissa W.]

- Terry P. (Area 29 Delegate) will be providing a GSO Report Back during the next District 36 Committee Meeting on August 12, 2025, in leu of “regular business”.
- Change to format of GSR Reports during Committee Meetings
 - Appears to be repetition month to month on the GSR Reports. To save time for pressing concerns, please only brief your groups’ concerns, accomplishment, and help needed.

Secretary’s Report: [Ray C.]

- A motion to accept the June 2025 Secretary’s Report as distributed via email was made.
 - The motion was seconded, voted on and PASSED.

Treasurer’s Report: [Keith T.]

- The June 2025 Treasurer’s Report was read.
 - A motion and a second was proposed to accept the report as read.
 - The motion was voted on and PASSED.

Committee Reports:

- Archives: [(absent) Buddy F.]
 - No Report
- Corrections: [Roy B. / (absent) Kim K.]
 - ~~Meeting format in Detention Center (Wednesdays at 7pm) has changed to a “Foundations” Meeting since there are limited speakers to lead meetings~~
 - **CORRECTION:** Inmates at the Detention Center now have a new "Foundation Meeting" (back to basics) format on Wednesdays at 7 PM, in addition to the existing "Speaker Meeting."
 - Detention Center seeking AA Literature (paperback ONLY / no staple binding) for members in the facility
- Grapevine. [Rick K]
 - Internation Convention was *AWESOME* and got to meet GSO Grapevine representatives. Lots to discuss if interested.
 - District 36 – Grapevine Workshop August 10, 2025 – 1:00pm – 3:00pm

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Patuxent Presbyterian Church
23421 Kingston Creek Rd
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- Newcomer Packets: [*Kaki B.*]
 - Supplies are good.
 - Qty. 50 packets brought to meeting for distribution.
- Public Information / Cooperating with Professional Communities (PI/CPC): [*Michelle T.*]
 - Supplies are good.
- Southern Maryland Intergroup Association (SMIA): [(absent) Joanie B.]
 - No Report
- Special Events: [*Mary F.*]
 - See events above. All Flyers have been distributed to District GSRs and posted on District 36, District 1, SMIA, and Aera 29 websites.
- Treatment Centers: [(absent) *Mike M. / Kathy I.*]
 - **Members needed to support meetings in treatment centers**
 - Compass (Saint Andrews Church Rd) – Mondays at 5:30pm
 - Pyramid (Charlotte Hall) – Wednesdays at 7pm
- Webmaster: [(absent) *Justin C.*]
 - (via email) Website has been updated with flyers and events.
- Where & When's: [*Rev M.*]
 - Qty. 80 pamphlets brought to meeting for distribution.
- Zoom Account: [(absent) *Lyne B.*]
 - No Report

GSR Reports:

- Almost Normal Group: [*Joyce S.*]
 - Upcoming Anniversaries: John D., 11 years on 07/10 and Keith H., 36 years on 07/17.
- Basic Text: [*Duke R.*]
 - Nothing to Report

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- Battled & Rattled: [*Rick K. (Alt.)*]
 - Nothing to Report
- Charlotte Hall: [(absent) Justin C]
 - Nothing to Report (via email)
- Early Bird Group: [*Rev M.*]
 - New Home Group Member joined
- Helping Others: [*Kris F.*]
 - Currently seven (7) Home Group Members. Group conscious decided to provide food during first Saturday of each month
- Kingston Creek Group:[*John W.*]
 - Nothing to Report
- K.I.S.S. Group: [*Josh J.*]
 - Recently rotated Service Positions
- Laurel Grove Group: [*Troy T.*]
 - Upcoming Anniversaries: Jack A., 1 year on 07/15 and Charlie B., 1 year on 07/22.
- Leonardtown Big Book: [*Keith T. (Alt.)*]
 - Currently three (3) Home Group Members.
 - Pizza provided on the first Tuesday of each month.
- Leonardtown Group: [*Mary F.*]
 - Upcoming Anniversaries: Mary F., 26 years and Joe H., 24 years on 07/18.
- Monday Nite Traditions: [*Michele H. (Alt.)*]
 - Nothing to Report
- More Will Be Revealed: [*Michelle T.*]
 - Nothing to Report
- Never Too Late: [*Ray C.*]
 - Upcoming Anniversaries: Sherrie T., 11 years on 07/27 and Suzie L., 20 years, James C., 5 years, and Ray C. 4 years on 08/17
- O.D.A.A.T. Woman's Meeting: [*Jeanette W.*]
 - Brandie T., 11 years on 07/13, Jeanette W., 5 years on 08/03, and Emme J., 22 years, Taylor T., 7 years on 08/24 (large room).
- There Is A Solution: [*Billy B.*]
 - Upcoming Anniversaries: Billy B., 11 years on 07/16.



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III. Old Business

- None

IV. New Business

- PI/PCP to add a new rack at the Maryland State Police Department

V. Meeting Adjourned

- Meeting was concluded at 19:20 with the *Lord's Prayer*