

Finance Subcommittee Report Area 59 Panel 67 9/9/2018

The Finance Subcommittee has met and has communicated via email, text, and phone calls. The Finance meeting minutes are available from our Secretary, Andy S., DCM (D35). Due to time constraints, we not able to meet as often as a committee, but we met at the following events.

- ❖ Quarterly Area Meeting – 6/10/2018
- ❖ Quarter Area Meeting – 9/9/2018

However, The Finance subcommittee has continued to make progress towards meeting the responsibilities set forth by our Delegate.

COMPLETED: The finance subcommittee currently will not be handing out 7th Finance Packet due to the excessive cost associated with the packets. However, at the Area 59 November convention/assembly we would like to hand out some type of 7th tradition literature for the GRSs who attend. In addition, we would like to offer the opportunity for any DCM to request finance packets if they wish. Please see any finance subcommittee member and put in your request.

COMPLETED: Researched adjustments to the Area's mileage expense rate and the Finance subcommittee voted unanimously to keep the current rate for Area 59 at \$.35 per mile.

IN PROGRESS: Finance Subcommittee voted unanimously to keep existing "Pie Chart" on green Area 59 Gratitude Card and to increase size from business card size to postcard size. In our last report we stated that, the green cards would be printed and distributed at the September Area Meeting; however we decided as a committee that we would be handing them out at the EPGSA November Convention.

The subcommittee has been active at district meetings, workshops, and Area events, bringing displays, pamphlets, and giving talks on the 7th Tradition and Area finances, whenever possible.

Subcommittee members reported the following activities:

- ❖ Area 48 Forum II - Williamsport – 7/28/2018
- ❖ District 35 Meeting Finance Display – 6/18/2018
- ❖ Pennscypass XXX Rhoades Campground – 8/18/2018

In conclusion, if you would like the Finance Subcommittee to attend your workshop or conduct a finance presentation at your District or Workshop, please contact us. Thank you and thank the subcommittee.

Respectfully submitted by: Sue M., Chair (D48)

Finance Subcommittee Members:

Andy S., Secretary (D35), Sharon C. (D64), John Q. (D33), Kate C. (D22), Tom C. (D40) Curt C. (Area Treasurer and Finance Subcommittee Advisor)