



Area 59

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Grapevine/LaVina subcommittee Report

E.P.G.S.A. Area 59 Panel 73

March 12, 2023

Area Quarterly Meeting, _Q2_ (Redmans Hall, Oxford, PA)

Grapevine Subcommittee (GVSC) Members:

Jessica T DCM, D58, Chair

Katie McC R, DCM D26, Secretary

Heidi H, DCM D56

Mike D, DCM D35

Tara L, A59 Treasurer, Advisor

Grapevine Subcommittee Virtual Meetings: 2/11/2023, 3/12/2023

Summary of Subcommittee Activities:

- February 11th was first meeting of subcommittee. Subsequent meeting on 3/12/2023
- Introductions of members and advisor
- Scheduling future subcommittee meetings – agreement to meet virtually monthly currently. 2nd Saturday of the month.
- Katie McC volunteered to be secretary in December, but Heidi H took notes this session as Katie was out country.
- Discussed Mike D replacing previous member who was reassigned to different committee. Arrangements will be made to secure Grapevine material that was previously given.
- Reviewed delegate recommendations and suggestions.
- Subcommittee discussed individually reviewing literature, website, and other material to familiarize themselves with Grapevine/LaVina. Also, Grapevine workshop recording was forwarded out to subcommittee members to review.
- Discussed budget with advisor and chair requested additional \$1000 of funds to purchase literature (both English and Spanish) and cover future travel expenses. Requested budget of \$3000. This request was denied and budget of \$2000 was set.
- Subcommittee discussed upcoming service events and dates. Members volunteered their participation based on location and availability.
- Heidi H spoke and provided display at Day of Sharing on 2/19/2023.
- Heidi H attended and provided Grapevine display at “General Service Introduction: New Year, New Panel” given by Districts 44 & 56 on 1/21/2023.
- Chair attended virtual Greater Philadelphia Grapevine Committee on 2/9/2023 and will plan on attending when able as District 58 monthly meeting overlaps with this time. Discussed creating flyer to advise others of meeting and providing virtual link.
- Chair attended one Grapevine roundtable at NERAASA 2023
- Chair reached out to “Hand of AA” event in Lancaster scheduled for 3/25/2023 – was advised that there is no available space for Grapevine display this year.

Love and Service

Jessica T, DCM D58, Grapevine Subcommittee Chair.