

ABE INTERGROUP ASSOCIATION OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Minutes of the meeting March 22, 2022

Chairperson Scott F (chairperson@aalv.org)

*He called to order the regular monthly meeting of the ABE intergroup at 8:00 pm in person at Wesley Church and via Zoom

Secretary Nancy E (secretary@aalv.org)

*Called the roll and 24 groups were represented, constituting a quorum.

*The February 2022 minutes were approved as typed.

Treasurer Meg H (treasurer@aalv.org)

*The March financials were presented and approved.

*The contributions were down a bit this past month

*Contribution information is attached to this email

Bookstore Susan C (bookstore@aalv.org)

*All is going well at the bookstore

*The new price list is attached to this email.

Unity Pam B (unity@aalv.org)

*Workshop is Sat April 9.

*The flyer is attached to this email. You can also find it on the aalv.org bulletin board and the ABE IG Private Facebook page.

*The NY Eve event is already booked. There will be more to follow in coming months.

Schedules John D (schedules@aalv.org)

*There were 23 updates this past month.

*Please review your group information and update if necessary. Examples would be mask requirements, attendance limit, coffee availability.

*There are 25 suspended meetings. There are 64 online meetings.

68% of all active meetings are in person or hybrid.

Public information Doreen (publicinfo@aalv.org)

*WLEV public service announcement will run May through September. It will also run on 99.9 Hawk. Scott played one of these announcements.

*WFMZ public service announcement will run for the even numbered months for 6 months.

The only exception is that it will run October through December.

*This will reach approximately 200,000 people over the course of the year.

H&I Laura L (institutions@aalv.org)

*All is running smoothly. Thank you, volunteers!

*Pyramid is no longer closed due to COVID. There is no word on the jails opening.

*We will take literature into the recovery centers. They will be labeled that they are property of ABE intergroup. We will also accept donated old books from groups.

Telephone Staten Island Bobby (telephone@aalv.org)

*All is running well

*We always need more volunteers

District 37 Laura L (d37adcm@gmail.com)

*She attended the pre-conference sharing meeting. The hot topic this year is the rewording of The preamble. It has already been changed in some groups. It went from 'men and women' To 'people.'

*We are part of Area 59 (eastern 1/2 of PA). There are always events happening in other Districts. Please see Area59aa.org to find out more.

District 57 Vicki (adcm.district57@gmail.com)

Old Business

*We will need new committee chairpersons this June

This includes H&I, Hotline, Schedules, Bookstore and Unity

If you, or anyone you know, are interested, please let us know.

*On rare occasions, we get contributions in memory of a deceased AA member.

This happened recently. The money was sent back to the family member.

Meg, our treasurer, checked with GSO. It is okay to accept that money. We need to discuss a limit.

We also will need to modify our bylaws.

Anniversaries

*Doreen is celebrating 5 years.

*Audrey is celebrating 1 year

*Pam is celebrating 30 years

Congratulations to all!!

Our next meeting will be Tuesday April 26.