

District 12 Meeting Minutes

June 17th, 2025

District Meeting was called to order at 6:30pm with the serenity prayer and introductions.
Sixteen members were present.

GSR Reports

Coppertop AA meeting - The Steps We Take – Friday - 9am

230 E Skyline Pkwy, Duluth, MN 55811 - In person

GSR: Rich G. richardgould4@gmail.com

Report: Rich reported increase in attendance, reaching about thirty. He reviewed that the meeting is a step study group.

Back to Basics - Wednesday 7pm - Closed Meeting

Duluth Alano, 3009 Rostormel Street

GSR: Gabby

Alt. GSR: Josh

Report: Josh reported that the group has elected both a GSR and a Alt. GSR. He reported good sharing in the group with positive sponsorship in the group. Gabby reported being new in the area and excited to be of service.

Living in the Solution Monday 7pm

St. John's Church (Woodland) - In Person

GSR: Scott A. (Current Contact)

Report: Scott reported on recent attendance. He reviewed the current format.

A Vision for You - Monday 7pm - Closed

2310 E. 4th St. (Pilgrim Church) - In Person

GSR: Tony G. ttguerrero@yahoo.com

Report: Frank reported that the current GSR has not been attending the meeting as much. He reported about 30 in attendance. Frank reported the group splits into three groups addressing a different topic including the 12X12 and discussion. He reported a good mix of individuals in attendance. He reported recent 45th annual celebration for both AA and Alanon. He reported the group has remained active.

We Aren't a Glum Lot - Wednesday - 5:30pm - Closed

Kenwood Lutheran Church, 324 W. Cleveland - In person (Primary)

GSR: Jake S. saurdiffja@gmail.com (218) 689 4953

Report: Chris reported that there is an upcoming picnic on August 13th at 5:30pm. She reported it will be a potluck with provided burgers and possible brats.

Concept:

VI. The Conference recognizes that the chief initiative and active responsibility in most world service matters should be exercised by the trustee members of the Conference acting as the General Service Board.

Concept Six was presented by Rich G. Addy volunteered to present Concept Seven at the District Meeting on July 21st, 2025.

Agenda Additions:

St. Louis County Discuss Health and Human Services Conference

Officer's Report

DCM: Rich G. (218) 343 2120 richardgould4@gmail.com

Report: Rich reported primarily looking into the St. Louis County Discuss Health and Human Services Conference.

Alternate DCM: Addy R. (218) 260 0268 ratliff.net@gmail.com

Report: Addy shared highlights of her report from the Area 35 Spring Assembly. She reported she was unable to attend the ACM on June 1st due to moving on that date.

Secretary: _____

Report: Position open. No current report. Minutes were approved.

Treasurer: Terry A. (612) 910 4832 theresa.ahlgren@yahoo.com

Report: Terry reported a beginning balance of \$8,904.27. She reported total credits of \$265.00. She reported total debits of \$1035.86. Terry reported ending balance of \$8133.41. Less prudent reserve of \$1,000.00, leaves a balance of \$7,133.41 for service. Treasurer report was approved.

Committee Reports

Archivist: Michelle J.
upnorth.renee@gmail.com

Report: Scott reported that group and district archives will be discussed during the upcoming ACM in Aitkin, MN on August 3rd, 2025. He reported discussion of possibly digitizing archives.

Corrections: Frank K.

Report: Frank reported on current corrections meetings in District 12. He reported that the Federal Prison Camp (FPC) is currently looking to do their volunteer training. He reported those

interested have to apply with FPC. (Contact person for FPC: Tonya) Frank reported being in need of further volunteers to chair jail meetings in our district.

Veterans Outreach: Frank K.

Report: Frank reported providing pamphlets addressing being older in AA to area Veteran Affairs. He reported pamphlets are not being taken at a high rate, likely due to limited use of physical media.

Intergroup: Twin ports Intergroup (218) 727 8117

Intergroup Representative: Sharon S. (218) 724 1231 sharon.savig@icloud.com

Volunteer Coordinator: Chris L. (715) 817 3580 ctlukken@gmail.com

Report: No current report.

MNYPAA: Phil S.

Report: No current report.

Literature: Chris J.

Report: Chris presented on the AA meditation book, *Daily Reflections*. He reported on usage of conference approved literature and how some group and individuals have used nonconference approved literature. Scott shared about the *District Dispatch*.

PI/CPC: Rich G. (218) 343 2120

richardgould4@gmail.com

Report: Rich shared some ideas for CPC/PI and reviewed past efforts. He reviewed plans for SLCHHS Conference.

Treatment: Open

Report: No current report.

Webmaster: Scott A. (763) 228 0730

Report: Scott reported the District website is currently down due to loss of host. He reported working on getting the website back up and running.

Church Liaison: Ginny N.

Report: No current report.

Old Business

Grapevine Workshop ideas were revisited. Terry reported if we do host a Grapevine writing workshop, she would be seeking support. Full discussed tabled for next month.

New Business

Closing

District meeting was adjourned at 8:20pm with the responsibility statement.