

Napa District 11
Panel 75 General Service Meeting
Minutes 10:00am-12:00pm
Saturday, May 2, 2026

In Person:
St. Helena Presbyterian Church
1428 Spring St, St Helena, CA
94574 (Fireside Room)

1. Opening: Serenity Prayer
Online:
Zoom: 860-5600-2397
Password: 060455
<https://aanapa.org/meetings/special-meetings>

2. Introductions: New GSRs, Alternates, and Visitors. Birthdays / Anniversaries

Trev- GSR HUT

Nell- GSR Free Thinkers

Terry- Chair of Beginners Meeting

Angela- District Archive Committee Chair & District Archives Recording Secretary

Derek- Committee Member #2

Meaghan- GSR NTY District Treasure NappyPa Liason

Phil- GSR Crosswalk at Crosstalk

Ali- Recording Secretary

Noble- GSR for M,W,F Meeting at Senior Center

John- GSR for Calistoga Gliders

3. GSRs – (90 Seconds each) Share about your group. Check in. Questions.

John- Agenda topics a couple weeks back, 8 people came. Meeting is healthy and has a mix of people.

Noble- Still working on maintaining and getting more members to come to the Friday meeting. M, W are going pretty well.

Phil- Doing well, did group consciousness. Wasn't able to make the assembly but passed it on to Duncan. Meeting is high attendance.

Meaghan- Going well. Need a couple positions filled, lots of newcomers.

Trev- Going well, established for over 50 years. Getting a subcommittee together to put together guidelines. Working off the format of the bylaws from the 530 meeting. Reach out to Trev if you want

to help out with that, meet every other Friday. Had 3 topic sessions for agenda topics. Drove with Laura K. It was really nice to see a level of how we hold ourselves professionally with our group of people. Chitra made an impression, taking notes the whole time. Very poised.

Nell- Doing great, between 10-15 people. Group consciousness, 3 topics, delivered 2 of them. 3rd one cut short because so many people, but sent email and Chitra confirmed receipt. Kicking around the format. Attendance is lower on topic tag days.

4. Tradition V – Long Form: (Ali)

Each Alcoholics Anonymous group ought to be a spiritual entity having but one primary purpose—that of carrying its message to the alcoholic who still suffers.

5. Concept V – Short Form: (Derek)

Throughout our structure, a traditional “Right of Appeal” ought to prevail, so that minority opinion will be heard and personal grievances receive careful consideration.

6. GSR Report Back: Angela

7. Approval of minutes of April Meeting Phil Motion Angela Second

8. Committee Reports:

a. Ad Hoc Committee: Time Explorers Report: Derek C. Made the survey available on the service app. Going to put it on the website.

B. Jo (Derek) Has a sign up sheet. Wants a speaker/alt for someone talking about district. Wants to liven it up and have a question and answer session with the audience. Asking for a speaker on the panel and wants someone to be at the district table.

9. DCMC Report: Duncan L.

10. Open Positions: Alt. DCMC, DCM 03, Alt DCM, Bridging the Gap Chair

11. Visiting Area Officer: None

12. Upcoming Dates to Remember:

a. CNCA 06 – Post-Conference Assembly – Sat. May 16th, 2026
8:30am-5:00pm Ulatis Community Center - Vacaville

<https://www.cnca06.org/event/post-conference-assembly-2026-asamblea-post-conferencia-2026>

b. CNCA 06 – Area Committee Meeting – Sat. May 23rd, 2026 – Petaluma Community Center

<https://www.cnca06.org/event/area-committee-meeting-junta-de-comite-del-area-11-4-2-3-2-2-2/2026-05-23>

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c. Unity Day – Crosswalk Church, Napa – Saturday June 6th, 2026

13. Break and 7th Tradition – PayPal: gsdistrict11@gmail.com

14. Officer Reports: (90 seconds each)

Alt. DCMC

PI/CPC,

DCM 01,

DCM 02- Still learning the zoom landscape because it's really hard to make announcements when you're being digital. Trying to find someone to get in contact with for each of the meetings.

DCM 03,

Treasurer- Nothing to report. 2 Checks got resolved, was NOT because I forgot to cash them. Plenty of money for unity day. Joe went over she thinks by \$200. She thought was at \$1700, not \$1500. 7TH Traditions always help with overall costs. Wants to go over what we want disbursements to look like.

Recording Secretary- Present

Registrar

H&I Liaison- Had meeting last night, anyone interested of being of service is welcome to come. Please see attached written report to see everywhere we go into. Needs speakers.

Intergroup Liaison,

NAPYPAA Liaison, Asked to entertain the children for Unity Day. We're going to be on one of the panels, Zain. Utilizing Discord now. Currently meeting in the lobby at the church before NTY

Archives- Will have a binder at Unity Day

Beginners Meeting- Put in a report

Bridging the Gap,

Grapevine / La Vina- Joe says get the app.

Tech- Been a trying day.

Unity Day- Go to Unity Day

Web- Posted everything in a punctual way and this month I plan to do the same. I will include the tech we talked about and trying to put up anything I think will be useful for you so let me know. Also has taken on updating the app and it is way easier than updating the AA website.

15. Housekeeping Motions / Old business / Presentation of New Business: None

16. Discussion Items:

a. Unity Day 2026

b. CNCA Website Ad-Hoc Committee Results

17. Area Committee Motions:

- a. That the CNCA I&T Committee, without requiring advance request, will provide ASL interpretation for the entire Post-Conference Assembly as a standard practice. —
Presented by District 08

18. Area Assembly Motions:

- a. That CNCA 06 request that A.A. produce a public information service piece with a simple and consistent message, including QR codes, that could be used across the United States/Canada service structure. And to request that AA use the service piece in a public information campaign. – Presented by District 01 Monterey

- b. That CNCA submit to the General Service Conference a motion to change the phrase “Power greater than themselves” from page 165 of the Plain Language Big Book back to the original phrase “unsuspected inner resource” from page 567 of the “Spiritual Experience” in the original Big Book – Presented by District 11 Napa

Area Technology Conference for \$90. Second weekend in September.

19. What's On Your Mind????

20. Closing: Responsibility Statement