

I would like to introduce myself, Linda . I am the new ADR replacing Lydia O. I am looking forward attending my first AWSC meeting.

It is with gratitude and joy that we (Linda Jean W. ADR and Jody S ASL)Share the following report concerning district 8 activities.

Our district has set a goal to reach out to better unit all of our groups, as Hillsborough County is so large it has come to our attention that some of the outlining groups have not had the attention it should. 1 We set up. Neighborhood seminars,, Jun 11th in the Apollo Beach area –“How can we our Group healthy” ..Aug 27th in Brandon area” A Day at the movies”

2. A list was established of the neighborhood seminars groups who do not have a GR's and those who's GR have not attended District meetings. We split up the list and someone attended each of these groups. Bringing with us all up to date material they have not known about. We expressed how important it is for the GR to attend Dist. meeting 3.It was also stressed that we all should attend other meetings to help unite our District.

Our District was also busy as we were the sponsor for this year's Al-Teen state Conference. Lilly will be giving a full report.

Other activities: March: Recovery weekend, April picnic sponsored by Al-Ateen: July: Speaker Marathon, Activities planned Sept: attending A-Alnon state conference Oct: Fall assembly Nov: Gratitude Dinner, Dec: Holiday Party

Public Information and Outreach: We brought information to 3 back to school health fairs.

A thought force committee: was considered on the subject on how we cooperate with AA” There didn't seem to be enough interest to form this committee. Our ADR did some research she found there was already a guideline that addressed this and on page 120 on service manual. Our ADR is our liaison to AA. She now is on AA committees for Tampa bay AA roundup and Sobetstock. She also attended the 60th AA State Convention.

We filled 3 of our vacant positions: Treasurer, Web. Master and Alt. DR

Financially we find ourselves in a much better position. We now have 1,612.00 in prudent reserve equal to 5mos. Expenses.

On a whole our District is coming together and working as a team.

Respectably Submitted

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