

District 7 AWSC Report

January 27-29, 2023

District 7 meetings are still a bit in flux with a few that remain separated between in-person and virtual attendance. One of these is making plans to register with WSO as solely electronic and eventually join District 7's service structure.

We have a new meeting starting in north county called Dunedin Women's AFG. We are awaiting notification from WSO of the group number to list their information. You might say they now compliment the Dunedin Men's AFG. The beauty of these "specialized" meetings is that they offer a safe place for sensitive topics while never turning away anyone suffering from the family disease of Alcoholism, regardless of gender.

Our Thought Force on LDC Finances has recommended incorporating District 7, as a whole, with the state of Florida for the purpose of managing our finances. The LDC would then operate through a separate account under the auspices of the corporation. The general fund will maintain its own account under this same corporation. Transfer of proceeds from LDC to the general fund will become seamless. Possibly other accounts can be utilized for major events such as our Day of Workshops and Gratitude Luncheon. A Task force will be meeting to proceed with the application with the state.

We are excited to announce our district is having a Day of Workshops in 2023, the first since 2018! The date and location are yet to be determined, but it is likely to take place in May or June. We will keep everyone posted as news becomes available.

Many blessings,

Shelly F.

District 7 Representative

District 7 Information Services is settling into the last year in this Panel. We have attracted more members stepping up into service and recently filled the AA-Liaison position. The Alateen Chair and DAPP are open but we have some interested members eager to take the next FRESH event for AMIAS Certification. Beginning January 2023 we will be meeting monthly, on a trial basis of course, for 3 months, outside of the regularly scheduled district meeting. We will use this time to review any needs the chairs may have and include a Concept of the month theme. Also this year, we will be reviewing the Service Position Guidelines. It's an exciting time to be in service in District 7.

Looking forward to seeing everyone.

Kimberly H.

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