# \*\*\*\*NEXT MEETING DATE AUGUST 21st, 2025\*\*\*\*\* PATHFINDERS 102 NORMAN ST. MANCHESTER, CT. 06040 ZOOM ID: 788 733 3754 No Password Required

## District 2 Meeting Minutes for July 17th, 2025

Chairperson: Bob B. - chairperson@ct-aa-d2.org

Bob called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM

Opened with the Declaration of Unity and The Serenity Prayer.

Poll for ill & deceased - Timothy B, Motorcycle Joe and Noreen have all passed.

July: August:

Tradition 7: Kim Tradition 8: Gerry Concept 7: Dakota Concept 8: Patti Service Exp: Dave - DCM Serv Exp: Stu

## Welcome our new GSR's:

Jenn, Chris and Eileen. Thank you for your service!!!

## Welcome all visitors:

Sarah is visiting from Glastonbury.

## **District Committee Members (DCM)**

DCM 2.1: Tom M dcm2-1@ct-aa-d2.org

DCM 2.2: Dave R (Alt) dcm2-2@ct-aa-d2.org

DCM 2.3: Jack G dcm2-3@ct-aa-d2.org

DCM 2.3: Tanya dcm2-3@ct-aa-d2.org

## **Upcoming Events:**

- Rompiendo Fronteras 7/26
- Area 11 66th Annual Convention 9/27 9/28

## **AA Announcements**:

- Please make your DCM's aware of any upcoming group anniversaries, so that we can all help celebrate their accomplishments and service!!!
- Please make sure that all groups are reporting any changes or pertinent information to the Register or Schedules.
- If possible, please send contributions electronically vs. check. It is a \$5 check processing fee for every check we receive and that impacts the amount we send to GSO and Area.

## **Group Concerns:**

## **District Officer Reports:**

## Chairperson:

Bob is so appreciative of every individual who serves this District. It is vital to carry the message to the next sick and suffering alcoholic and wants to

Please remember to inform your DCM's of any upcoming meeting anniversaries; we want to celebrate with you.

Treasurer: treasurer@ct-aa-d2.org

D-2 Balance as of:/19/2025 \$ 7,967.72 D-2 Prudent Reserve \$ 6,000.00

Total Contributions \$ 1,034.00 11 Groups

Expenses \$55.00

July's treasurer's report was accepted.

Please Do Not Mail Cash!!

GSR's: Please include your group number with your contributions!!!

Registrar: Dan registrar@ct-aa-d2.org

Continuing to change and update the Fellowship Connection with GSR's. It is important for GSR's to know their start date

Please contact Dan if you are looking to register any new groups or are a new GSR.

## **Committee Reports:**

Accessibilities: accessibilities@ct-aa.org Daniel

Accessibilities meetings are the 3rd Monday of the month. The group is working on making Soberfest more accessible in inclement weather and meeting with Area 31 accessibilities to share lessons, tips and encounters.

Area Convention: Rick

Convention is Sept. 28th at the Sheraton in Rocky Hill. Rooms are \$129 until August 27th. Registration is \$35. Going to have AA, Alanon and Alateen meetings represented there. The committee is always looking for volunteers.

Alcathon: Open

Answering Service: Tim

The number to save in your phone if you are on the volunteer list is

203-846-4343 **Archives**: Patti

Currently transposing cassettes into MP3's, but the sound quality is poor. She will talk with the webchair regarding that. There is a women's convention in IOWA in February.

Corrections: Corrections@ct-aa-d2.org
Communications:Dan Alki-line@ct.aa

Area met this month and are creating a newsletter template

**CSCYPAA**: Having a Summer Picnic **GRAPEVINE**: Al grapevine@ct-aa-d2-org

See Al for Grapevine Continue to call Al for your anniversary meetings.(860)-268-6342

Hospitality: Kim

Public Information: Walter publicinformation@ct-aa-d2.org (860) 729-2496

Made a new flyer to adopt a Literature Rack; please consider this as a commitment. Walter is going to start getting speakers into high schools and is looking for young speakers.

Please let Walter know if you would like him to come to any events. P.I. will have an aa table at the Overdose Awareness Event on Aug.31st

Rompiendo Fronteras: Katie G.

7/26/2025 : 9am - 3pm St.Joseph Church New Britain CT. \$20 Registration. There will be 2 workshops, all anon & AA speakers, music and lots of delicious cuisine.

Round Up 2026: Open

Schedules: Dennis schedules@ct-aa-d2.org (860) 462-1517

Email or call Dennis with any schedule updates. Please use the online change form on the website to make schedule changes.

Soberfest:

Treatments: Dakota. treatment@ct-aa-d2.org

Lebanon Pines has expressed a need for a meeting. She is going to Natchaug on Monday and is currently getting used to the position with Heather. Welcome Dakota!!

**VMCC**: Steve E. <u>H.vmcc@ct-aa-d2.org</u>. **Website**: Jeff B. webchair@ct-aa-d2.org

The website is currently down because they are switching providers. Area is looking to update the website to make it more accessible. Not many people use the website and we want to improve it. Please contact Jeff with any updates, events, etc.

## **DCM Reports**:

**DCM 2.1:** Tom M. - Went to the last Area mtg. Our District is very well attended at all events. Soberfest broke even and was successful.

**DCM 2.2:** Dave R.-

**DCM 2.3:** Tanya/Jack G - Went to the Spring Assembly and heard the report from the 75th General Service Committee. Discussed 6 items that will be voted on at the Fall Assembly.

Box 459 (GSO Newsletter to Groups and AA Members) F-36 Box 459 Fall 2023 (aa.org)

#### **D2 Open Positions -**

Please let your groups know of these openings

- Alt DCM 2.1, 2.2 & 2.3 - Recording Secretary

- Round- Up 2026

- DCM 2.1 - Alcathon 2026

#### **Old Business:**

## **New Business:**

Caitlin stood for and was voted in as DCM 2.2.

**NEXT DISTRICT MEETING:** August 21st, @ 7:30 PM

Motion to close - 9 PM

Closed with: Responsibility Statement and The Lord's Prayer

I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there and for that, I am responsible.

**Area Contributions:** Please note that group contributions are autonomous and dependent on a group conscience. These are merely a suggested starting point based on services provided.

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