

STATEN ISLAND AREA SERVICE MEETING

May 11, 2021

*7:01 PM: Opened with a moment of silence, The Serenity Prayer, Purpose of Area Statement, 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts.

*7:06 PM: Roll call for sub-committee attendance taken.

Sub-Committee Attendance:

Chairperson: Thomas

Vice Chair: Jimmy

Secretary: Julia

Treasurer: Dana

Regional Committee Member (RCM): Ray

Public Relations (PR) Chair: Absent

Technology Chair: Jesse C

Hospitals & Institutions (H&I) Chair: Jessica

Events & Activities (E&A) Chair: Troy

Homebound Chair: Vacant

Policy Chair: Vacant

Literature Management: Vacant

Speaker Exchange: Greg

*7:07 PM: First roll call for Group Service Representative's taken. 8 GSR's present.

*7:10 PM: Read March 2021 minutes. No corrections. Technology Chair motioned to accept the minutes, Clean Machine seconded. Motion passed.

*7:17 PM: Sub-committee reports

Reports Received (attached):

*Treasurer Report given (attachment 1)

Treasurer mentioned it would be helpful if people could specify what group they are from and if it's a literature order or a donation.

Q: Technology Chair asked Treasurer since she does the reports earlier in the day, and he made a donation later in the day from Alive @ 6 in St. George, was it included.

A: Treasurer replied yes.

Q: Clean Times asked if there was a donation from Clean Times yet.

A: Treasurer replied she spoke to them today and they didn't send it yet.

Saturday Morning Wakeup made a motion to accept, Vice-Chair seconded. Accepted.

*Hospitals & Institutions (H&I) Report given (attachment 2)

No questions asked. Y We Recover made a motion to accept, Clean Times seconded. Accepted.

*Regional Committee Member (RCM) Report given (attachment 3)

No questions asked. Treasurer made a motion to accept, Technology Chair seconded. Accepted.

*Events & Activities (E&A) Report given (attachment 4)

Q: Chair asked if the minimum tickets sold to book the venue is 50.

A: E&A Chair said yes.

Q: Technology asked who has tickets.



A: E&A Chair said Troy, Jimmy & Candy.

Q: Technology asked what's the maximum amount of tickets that he can sell, as per capacity restrictions.

A: E&A Chair said up until 2 weeks prior to the event, we can sell up to 150 tickets (which includes inside and outside space).

H&I Chair made a motion to accept, Steps to Freedom seconded. Accepted

*Merchandise Report given (*not received*)

Q: Technology Chair asked for clarification on why he added the word UNITY to the merchandise designs.

A: Vice-Chair answered that it's gonna be more marketable out of state.

Q: Time to Live & Give asked what he's going to do about merchandise if he becomes Area Chairperson.

A: Vice-Chair answered he would continue if needed, but would gladly give it to someone else if they wanted.

Clean Times made a motion to accept, Y We Recover seconded. Accepted.

Reports Not Received:

*Speaker Exchange Report given

Q: Chair asked if he's decided when the sub-committee is going to meet.

A: Speaker Exchange replied that he's going to create a form for GSR's to go back to their group with to sign up if interested.

Clean Times made a motion to accept, Technology Chair seconded. Accepted.

*Technology Report given

No questions asked. Vice-Chair made a motion to accept. Time to Live & Give seconded. Accepted.

*7:50 PM: New business, nominations/elections, open forum:

PR Chair, Homebound Chair, Treasurer, Literature Management, Vice-Chair and H&I Chair are still vacant positions that need to be filled. Elections will be in June!

Chair added to spread the word WE NEED GSR'S TO ATTEND AREA!

No questions for Chairperson position nominee, Jimmy Tugboat. The nomination period for Chairperson has closed.

No questions for Policy Chair nominee, Thomas. Policy Chair will be voted on next month so Thomas can serve until the new Chairperson is in office.

Treasurer nominated Richie for Vice-Chair, Saturday Morning Wakeup seconded. Richie accepted the nomination. He presented his qualifications: 3.5+ years, served on a group level and area level, has a sponsor who has a sponsor and a willingness to serve. This will be voted on in June if there are no questions for Richie.

No other nominations made.

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support. Saturday Surrender needs support. Not Just for Women Only needs support. They now have a new meeting ID (988 208 3991) and password (297053).

If any groups are interested in participating in Speaker Exchange please contact Greg @ 347.278.2182.

Staten Island Area E&A presents the 1st Post Pandemic Dinner & Dance "Night of Elegance" July 16th 8pm-12am. Contact Troy or Jimmy Tugboat to purchase advance tickets...there are limited seats available! More info on the top banner of the area homepage: www.na-si.org

There's a new meeting called Sunday Night Live.
Sunday 7-8pm

Time to Live & Give asked if we have had a quorum.
Vice-Chair replied that it has been changed to be able to do business. It's an average of the previous 3 months GSR attendance.

Secretary thanked the sub-committee members that do email their reports, but mentioned the minutes can technically be called out of order unless EVERYONE sends their sub-committee reports. Secretary also reminded nominees to email her their qualifications.

*8:02 PM: 2nd roll call for Group Service Representative's taken, 10 GSR's present.

*8:09 PM: Time to Live & Give motioned to close, Alive @ 6 seconded.

Chair closed the meeting with a moment of silence and The Serenity Prayer.

GROUP NAME	GSR NAME (1st role call)	GSR NAME (2nd role call)
Alive @ 6 in St George	Absent	Jose
Back to Basics	Absent	Absent
By the Book	Absent	Absent
Carrying the Message	Absent	Absent
Clean Machine	Kerry	-----
Clean on the Bay	Absent	Absent
Clean Times	Jacqueline	-----
Easy as 1, 2, 3	Absent	Absent
Eltingville at 8	Arianna	-----
Freedom on Friday	Temporarily Closed	Temporarily Closed
Get Real on the Terrace	Absent	Absent



GROUP NAME	GSR NAME (1st role call)	GSR NAME (2nd role call)
Listen to Learn	Temporarily Closed	Temporarily Closed
Men Working it Out	Absent	Absent
Not Just for Women Only	Absent	Absent
Principles on Sunday	Temporarily Closed	Temporarily Closed
Port of Recovery	Temporarily Closed	Temporarily Closed
Recovery by the Water	Absent	Absent
Recovery on the Boulevard	Absent	Absent
Recovery Room	Temporarily Closed	Temporarily Closed
Sanity on Sunday	Temporarily Closed	Temporarily Closed
Saturday Morning Wakeup	Tommy	-----
Saturday Surrender	Absent	Absent
Spiritual Kindergarten	Absent	Absent
Steps to Freedom	John	-----
Step Up to Learn	Absent	Absent
Step Up to the Deck	Absent	Absent
Sunday at 2:30	Absent	Absent
The Journey	Temporarily Closed	Temporarily Closed
The Message is Hope	Absent	Absent
The Real Deal	Pat	-----
Time to Live and Give	Ellen	-----
Together on Sunday	Absent	Ayman
Victory at the Shack	Absent	Absent
Who, What, Why	Absent	Absent
Y We Recover	Marc Postal	-----



May 2021 Announcements

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Anniversaries:

- *-May 15, 2021
Sal 11 years, Ellen R 7 years @ Back to Basics
- *-May 22, 2021
Abby 3 years @ Carrying the Message
- *-May 25, 2021
Paul ACP 24 years @ Get Real on the Terrace
- *-May 28, 2021
Tim M 8 years, Victor G 29 years @ The Real Deal
- *-June 17, 2021
Kera 6 years @ Not Just for Women Only
- *-June 19, 2021
Lincoln M 15 years, Diane M 25 years @ Carrying the Message
- *-June 21, 2021
Pat 23 years @ Time to Live & Give
- *-June 25, 2021
Cristal H 2 years @ The Real Deal
- *-June 25, 2021
Tommy Love 18 years @ Steps to Freedom
- *-June 26, 2021
Janice D 1 year @ Back to Basics
- *-June 26, 2021
Tommy R 1 year @ By the Book
- *-July 17, 2021
St. Claire 28 years, Alicia 29 years @ Carrying the Message



*-July 23, 2021

Anna M 12 years @ The Real Deal

*-July 30, 2021

Jimmy S 1 year @ Steps to Freedom

*-July 31, 2021

Kathy P 28 years @ Carrying the Message

For more anniversaries keep coming!



Treasurer Report- May 11, 2021

1. Bank Balance as of 5/11/21: \$8,851.07

Checks written to:

2. \$100 to GNYRSC- donation
3. \$139 to American Self Storage
4. \$29.98 to Jessie Zoom

Prudent Reserve (as per Ad-hoc Committee created last year) \$5,350.

E&A set aside: \$2,000 (for free picnic)

Operating Expenses: \$ 2,557.07 (This is the balance after you deduct money set aside for prudent reserve, E&A, all checks written out that have yet to clear and includes incoming monies not yet reflected in bank balance).

We now have a Venmo account, and you may now send contributions via Venmo SI Area NA @NAtreasurer. You can also use the Venmo account to pay for literature purchases.

Donations

Steps to Freedom: \$240

Alive at 6 @ St. George: \$120.48

Y We Recover: \$19

Spiritual Kindergarten: \$20

The Message is Hope: \$35

Step up to the Deck: \$15

Saturday Morning Wake-Up: \$50

Together on Sunday: \$84 & \$66

Personal Anonymous: \$20

Total: \$669.48

Literature Orders

Clean Times: \$198.50

Steps to Freedom: \$31.05

Recovery by the Water: \$47.95

Step Up to the Deck: \$52 & \$21

Total: \$350.50

Total for donations and literature for May: \$1019.98.

Merchandise Paid Area

\$305.00

Total transferred to bank account on 5/11/21: \$1,324.98.

I am going to continue serving the AREA as treasurer until someone steps up or at the very least the pandemic ends.

Please e-mail me at SIANAtreasurer1953@gmail.com with any questions.

In loving service,

Dana S.

H&I Subcommittee Report

- We are currently doing 2/9of our presentations LIVE!!! And 7/9of our presentations via Zoom.
- H&I Vice Chair is open.
- We started discussions about having a learning day in July. We will work on nailing down a date this month.
- We are continuing the dialogue with the facilities about bringing our commitments back in live/in person.
- Our panel leaders are continuing to do their best to ensure that any patients/residents leaving any facilities have the web address for SI Area to access our virtual meeting list or, if at all possible, a printed copy of the list.
- Panel leaders are continuing to reach out to facilities to make sure they have literature.

RCM REPORT TO AREA May 10, 2021

REGIONAL ELECTIONS: NONE, VOTE WAS TO BE TAKEN FOR SPEAKER EXCHANGE BUT RANDOLPH T'S RESUME WAS NOT SENT OUT IN THE MINUTES. RESUME ATTACHED. RD JOHN D HAD TO STEP DOWN AND TOM L APPOINTED TO THE POSITION. WEB COORDINATOR KAY STEPPED DOWN.

VACANT POSITIONS AS REGION: ASSISTANT TREASURER, ASSISTANT SECRETARY, HELPLINE CHAIRPERSON AND VICE CHAIR, ARD, Web coordinator, New position of Archivist to be voted on, position description to be developed in regional policy.

RSO REPORT: INFORMATION ATTACHED FOR THE WEBSTORE INCLUDING PICKUP DATES FOR MAY
IF YOU NEED AN INSURANCE CERTIFICATE FOR YOUR GROUP YOU CAN SUBMIT YOUR REQUEST TO
INSURANCE@NEWYORKNA.ORG

UPCOMING REGIONAL EVENTS: FLYERS ATTACHED

ELI Meet in the Park Speaker Jam (May 31, 2021 from 11am - 7pm)
Bronx Area Service Committee GSR Orientation (June 19, 2021 from 11am - 1:30pm)
Father's + Mother's Day Speaker Jam (June 26, 2021 from 3pm -10pm EST)

REGIONAL CONCERNS: NEXT REGIONAL MEETING: JULY 10, 2021

REGIONAL DELEGATE REPORT: PRESENTATION WAS GIVEN ON FIPT OR FELLOWSHIP INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TRUST. WHAT IT MEANS TO US IN SIMPLE TERMS IS YOU CAN REPRODUCE NA LITERATURE FOR YOUR GROUPS USE BUT YOU CANNOT REPRODUCE IT FOR ANY USE OUTSIDE THE FELLOWSHIP, THIS ALSO INCLUDES LOGOS.

TREASURERS REPORT:

Treasury - Opening Balance: \$14,970.90 - Checks written: \$9,131.10 - Donations: \$9,283.57 - Closing Balance: \$16,392.65 - Prudent Reserve: \$6,350 – 2000.00 reserved for AV Equipment- Over Reserve: \$8,042.65 - \$1000 for NAWS (ALREADY INCLUDED IN CHECKS WRITTEN)

HELPLINE: GNYR Helpline Report to The Region May 2021 from the Chair: Maureen O. 1. We have two (2) new volunteers, DB and Wanda. 2. Long- time helpline volunteer and friend Yvonne M. passed away early April. Yvonne volunteered 40 hours a week on the helpline and was always ready to cover shifts. She was loved and will be missed. 3. We need all areas to keep their virtual meeting ID's up to date on their BMLT. Our volunteers cannot assist a caller when the virtual details are incorrect. 4. We continue to participate in the NAWS Phone Line Group Session. Monthly Phone/Call Statistics 2021 YTD 670 Jan 183 Feb 220 Mar 267

MEETING LISTS: Areas are asked to review their unpublished meetings and republish those meetings that are temporarily closed to the TC format code. Please update groups on meeting list

YVONNE M PASSED AWAY IN APRIL SHE SERVED AS THE RCM FOR SOUTH JAMAICA AREA. A TRUE AND DEDICATED MEMBER OF OUR FELLOWSHIP. I HAVE ATTACHED HER NA OBITUARY

END OF REPORT RAY A

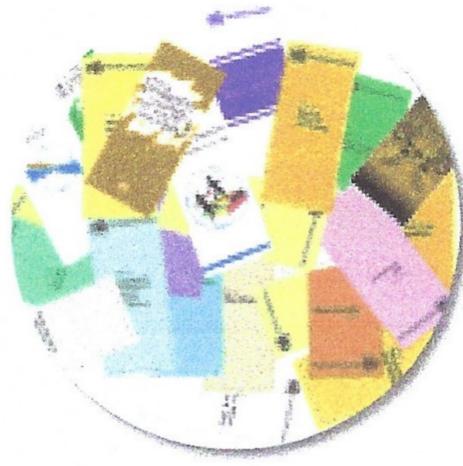
Donate to GNYRSC / GNYRSO

The Webstore will remain open and order fulfillment will be processed and shipped as soon as possible. Local pickup is available via appointment by emailing rso@newyorkna.org for orders that were made on the website or otherwise preordered. SEE CALENDAR BELOW!

Due to the Pandemic, USPS shipping delays have been reported on some orders.



Books



Pamphlets



Booklets



Service Material



Merchandise



Cleantime
Commemoration

May 2021 Local Pickup Hours

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 -
2	3 8-12	4 -	5 9-1	6 5-7	7 11-2	8 12-2
9 -	10 8-12	11 12-3	12 -	13 -	14	15 -
16 10-1	17 8-12	28	19 9-1	20 5-7	21 11-2	22 12-2
23 -	24 8-12	25 12-3	26 -	27 -	28 -	29 -
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
30 10-1	31 8-12	-	-	-	-	-

Brooklyn Area
Events & Activities



Speaker Jam

June 26. 2021

3pm - 10pm (est)

ID: 867 7334 5079 PW: BASCNA

GNYRSC MOTION FORM

Motion Submission Date:

Motion Maker: Peter S., GNYRSC Policy Chair

Motion: Amend and restate Section L. 3. to replace the words “The Archivist will be responsible for keeping all archival records of the RSC.” with the following:

“The Archivist will be responsible for keeping all archival records of the RSC and may submit written reports as necessary to the RSC regarding the status of the archival records. If the Archivist has any proposals or questions for the RSC, the Archivist may have the item put on the agenda for the next RSC meeting and attend the RSC meeting to discuss these proposals or questions.

Archivist Requirements: Nominee has 3 years NA clean time and a reasonable level of knowledge of and experience with GNYRNA service.

Term: 3 year term; no more than 2 consecutive terms.”

Intent: To formally establish at the GNYRSC the position of Archivist, which is necessary to collect, maintain and preserve the history of the GNYR of NA. This preservation will allow our members, groups and Areas to learn about and be guided by our collective history.

EASTERN LONG ISLAND
E & A NARCOTICS
ANONYMOUS PRESENTS

MEET

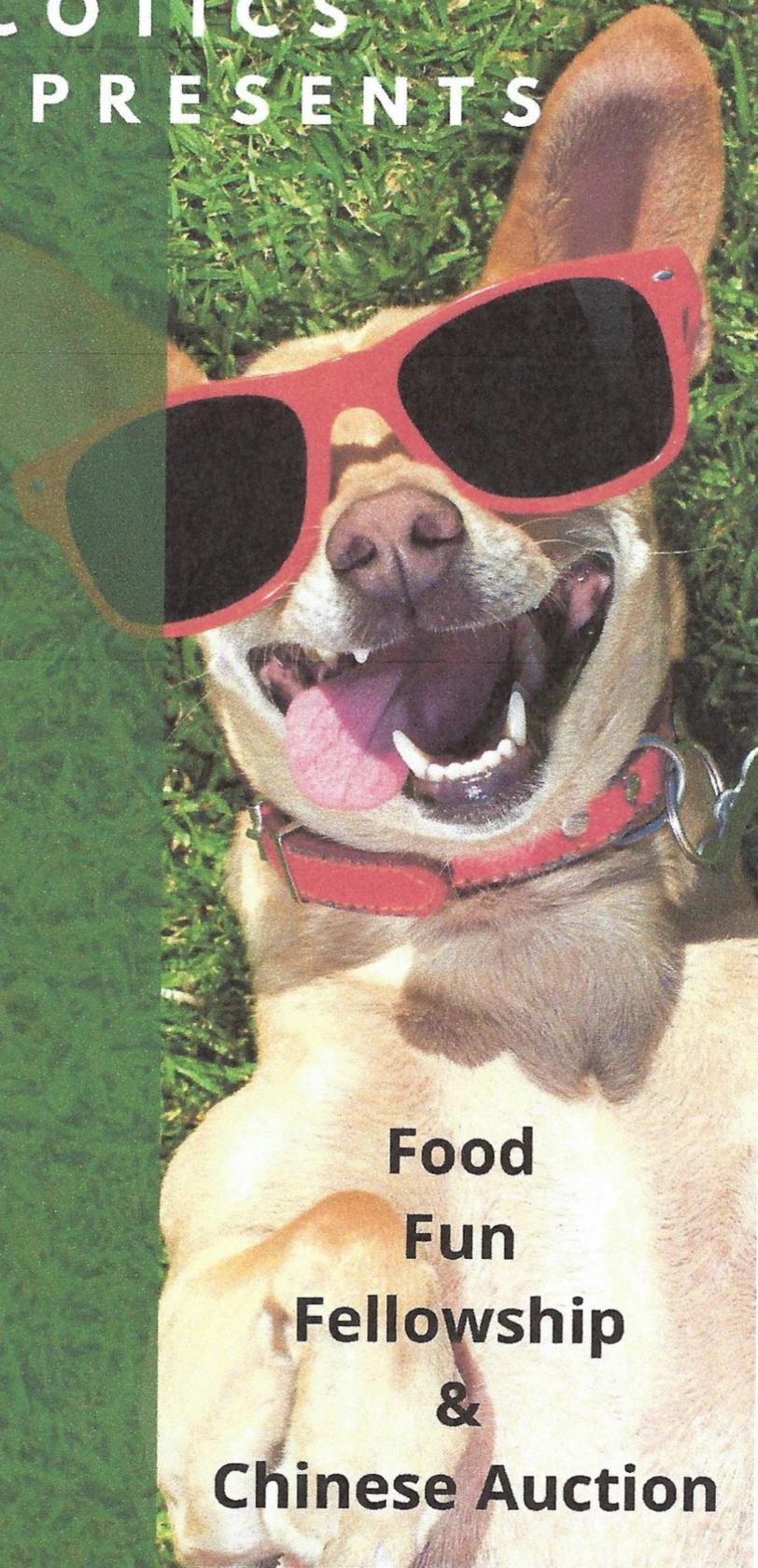
May 31st, 2021
11am-7pm

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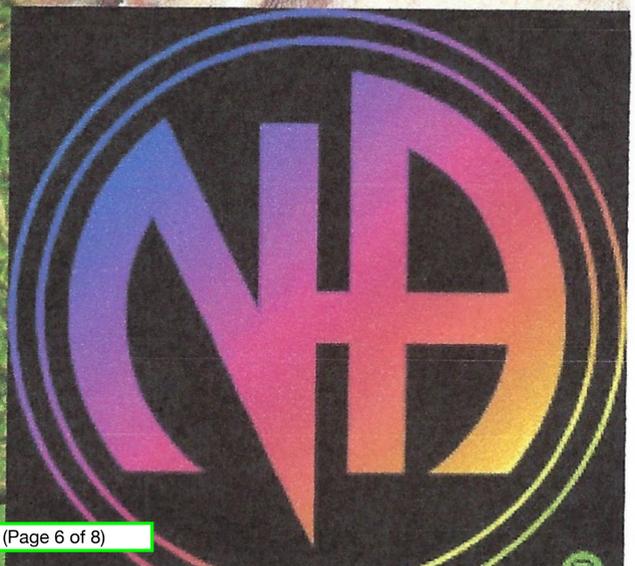
SPEAKER JAM
BBQ

PARK

STOTZSKY PARK
RIVERHEAD, NY



Food
Fun
Fellowship
&
Chinese Auction





BRONX AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE

Presents

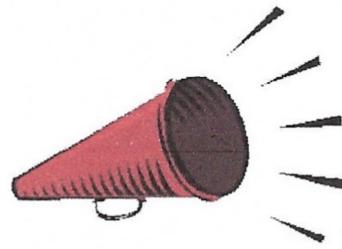
The 2021 Group Service Representative (GSR) Orientation

Hosted by

The Bronx Area Regional Committee Team

*******ZOOM Platform Service Workshop*******

An Afternoon Celebration of Group and Area Service



calling all members

SATURDAY JUNE 19

11:00 am – 1:30 pm

Meeting ID # 861 4622 3086

Passcode 624553



ALL INTERESTED MEMBERS ARE INVITED

Each one Teach one

*****interactive workshop*****



Yvonne Maxwell passed away in early April 2021. Those of us who knew Yvonne knew that she was passionate and showed great enthusiasm about carrying the Narcotics Anonymous message of recovery to people through service within the Greater New York Region and beyond.

Yvonne was serving as the Regional Committee Member (RCM) for the South Jamaica Area when she passed, a position which she previously served as for the New York City Area. She was here with us at the Regional Service Committee (RSC) meeting every other month, and even when she was attending virtually, you knew in her voice that she was smiling.



What is even more remarkable is that for over 15 years, Yvonne dedicated 35 to 40 hours a week to serve the GNYR Helpline. She made herself available to cover shifts for other volunteers and to return calls.

She was often seen at area and regional events in a service capacity. When she saw someone that she knew through service, she would burst with excitement seeing that person. She had a gift of making people feel like the most important person in the room.

And it didn't stop there. Yvonne was the admin for many recovery pages/groups on social media. You could give Yvonne an event flier, and within 30 minutes, that flier was flowing across the New York regions and many other states. She loved spreading the hope.

Yvonne made herself available to assist anyone in our region who needed her, whenever that was. She lived by the quote, "Learn as if you'll live forever. Live as if you'll die tomorrow."

Yvonne was a recovery dynamo and is greatly missed.

Events and Activites Subcommittee report

May 11, 2021

Greeting Staten Island Area,

Events and Activities meets the first Sunday of every month Via Zoom (same zoom id and password as area service) at 7 PM. All commitment are open. If you want to become involved in service Events and Activities is a great committee to become involved in. Our upcoming event is the Night of Elegance II at the Crystal Room. Flyers are on the SIASC web site. Several people have tickets. They are \$50 dollars in advance. Since this is a catered event no ticket will be sold at the door. The cutoff date for all ticket sales June 1, 2021. Please come out and participate. We paid for two event at the Duck Pond and are waiting for them to open in order to plan events. DONATION ARE WELCOMED AT ALL EVENTS. If you need any further information please come to the committee meeting and contact Troy P.

Thanks
In loving Service
Troy P.
Chair