

MYNAH BIRD COMMITTEE

Report given by Mary N / SCC Chair February 25, 2023

At our February monthly meeting we had an enthusiastic attendance.

We had developed, with the help of our awesome Webmaster/Kerwin, a QR code that will always point to the latest issue of MB. We kindly request that all trusted servants SHARE it in lieu of printed copies at your home group, District meeting, etc.

PREVIOUS issues are always available at:

...area17aa.org-> Area Committee-> Area Standing Committees-> Mynah Bird

OR

...area17aa.org->Service Tools->Mynah Bird

The issue being distributed at the February Committee Meeting assists with the important topic of who/what/how the "Inform the Delegate" works and expectations to bring back the group conscious on assigned topics..

IDEAS for future topics:

- 1. What is Mynah Bird (and why you should care)**
- 2. Help close the gap between Newcomer, Long Timer and those in between ... what do THEY NEED?**
- 3. Where can Newcomers go for help... How to find AA and how we can be more welcoming? What about the homeless, how do we reach them? FYI / There is also a QR code that points to newcomer library that was developed during the last panel. Go to ...area17aa.org-> Area Committee-> Area Standing Committees->CEC you can pick up the Newcomer document or the QR code to share when you meet Newcomers**
- 4. Links inside the newsletter for online resources**
- 5. Section on -What Bill Said**
- 6. Section on -Acronyms AtoZ**
- 7. Section on -Ideas from Archives**
- 8. Section on -District Events Info**
- 9. Section on -Resources available at IG offices/how to reach them**
- 10. Section on -Holiday issue with meetings available on all islands**
- 11. KISS – Ask people you hear in meetings to write a submission KISS! Not long diatribe!**
- 12. Section on -Heard in a meeting**
- 13. Section on -Virtual world and issues that are bring faced / how the world changes and AA Adapts**
- 14. Such as: In Persons group moved to zoom and are now moving back ... two groups and how to handle. Venmo options. The new positions of service that are now available in the virtual world**
- 15. Section on -Issues meetings are facing: Insurance! How have others handled it? Non-profit status for start up groups?**
- 16. ASK for ideas wherever you go for topics!**

DCMs need to decide how many copies they want at each assembly. Keep in mind you can share QR code on the zoom screen or in person at your monthly meetings ...please let Mary know!

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12	7	Terri	
13	10	Matty	
17	15	Sarah	
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This committee will meet once per month on Zoom: FIRST Wednesday at 6:30pm for 45 minutes.

ALL are welcome to attend!