

## **GPI Reports for 1/7/2024**

VACANT: Outreach, VOR Editor, Special Events, Region 7 Reps-2/ Alts-2, WSBC Delegates-2 / Alts-2

### **Chair (Ro M.): December Accomplishments**

- Assembled list of best practices for online meetings
- Mapped gaps for in-person meetings in Allegheny and contiguous counties
- Identified universities and colleges for possible poster display.

### **Chair (Ro M.): January Goals**

- Email PSAs to TV stations in our footprint
- Order posters for universities and colleges if members are willing to post
- Execute mailing to PCPs
- Hold focus group discussions on website experience and obstacles to service 1/13

### **Ex-Officio (Kristi K.): December Accomplishments**

- All routine duties completed, nothing more to report.

### **Ex-Officio (Kristi K.): January Goals**

- Meet with Ro and Jess to continue the work of switching our all-GPI emails to a more engaging email platform

### **Vice Chair (Patricia S.): No Report Submitted**

### **Treasurer (Dee C.): December**

- Current financial spreadsheet available at <https://gpioa.org/docs/gpimtgs/2312Financials.pdf>
- Financial Facts: Report Date: December 31, 2023, GPI - January 7, 2024 Meeting
  - Balance: \$10,041.70
  - Receipts vs Expenses: + \$ 450.00
  - December Contributions: \$813.00
  - 2023 Total Contributions \$8,983.50                      Average Per Month: \$748.63
  - Unrestricted Fund Balance: \$ 5,257.70
- Note: I went to the East Liberty Post Office to find out why some of our mail was being returned to sender. Our Post Office Box was open but someone at the post office had put a sign on the box that it was closed. The sign was removed and mail service restored. Thank you for letting me know when your mail is returned.

### **Secretary (Sheree C): December**

- All routine tasks completed in cooperation with Jessica

### **Secretary (Sheree C): January Goals**

- Prepare meeting documents for February 2 upload to website
- Learn about the GPI emails and phone system and search for a volunteer to cover this task.

### **12th Step Within (Linda A): December**

- Continued to work on Unity Day Celebration

### **12th Step Within (Linda A): January Goals**

- Complete the plans for Unity Day.
- Brainstorm how to help those still suffering compulsive eaters in the rooms.

### **Speaker's Bureau (Liv S.): December Accomplishments:**

- Attended two new meetings (Brentwood Sunday Evening and Cranberry Saturday morning) and talked about the Speaker's Bureau. One member to be added to the Speaker's List.
- Continued to work on updating the Speaker's List.

### **Speaker's Bureau (Liv S.): January Goals**

- Monthly goal to attend two to three new meetings and to continue updating the Speakers List

### **Region 7 Representative (Kristi K. and Melanie G.): December Accomplishments:**

- All routine duties completed, nothing more to report.

### **Region 7 representative (Kristi K. and Melanie G.): January Goals:**

- Attend the Special (virtual) Assembly on January 5th

### **Region 7 ANNOUNCEMENTS to share with your Groups:**

- **Special assembly January 5th, 2024 @ 7pm**
- *This Special Assembly is open to all members (\*Reps and visitors) and it is free*
- *Here is the link to register if you have not done so already!*
- *Click here>>>>>*

<https://www.google.com/url?q=https://oaregion7.org/events/2024-region-7-special-assembly/&sa=D&source=editors&ust=1703302545451443&usg=AOvVaw3qoFb1cnA1xJnWKAYppn69>

- Free download on oa.org: Service, Traditions, and Concepts workshop
- To receive information on the events listed below, join Reg 7 email list at:

<https://oaregion7.org/forms/request-google-group-access>

Region 7 Assembly and Convention are listed on the 1st pg of Reg 7 website. Other events, including flyers, are available from the Region 7 email list.

### **World Service Business Conference (WSBC) Delegate (Patricia S.): December**

- PI/PO meeting: November 29 at 2:30pm (4th Wednesday)
- Public Service Announcement (PSA) at:  
<https://oa.org/service-bodies/public-information-and-professional-outreach/>
- PI/PO poster available in bookstore; QR code links to 15 questions quiz
- Military Documents: need committee approval; no one present
- Professional Presentation Packet: no response from MC
- Welcome Room: if change images, need committee approval in January
- Lifeline/Social Media: lost chair; to regroup with new chair: have 4 possible projects
- Document audit: Hope to vote on their work at Dec or Jan meeting
- Committee/Subcommittee structure: co-chair to email to members
- Jan 5: Subcommittee reports to chairs
- Jan 15: Chairs to review and forward to WSO
- End of February: All reports will be in binder for delegates
- December meeting canceled

### **WSBC Delegate (Patricia S.): January Goals**

- Attend PI/PO Committee: January 17 at 2:30pm
- To approve Professional Presentation Packet, document audit report, military documents
- **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**
  - 2024 WSBC Conference: May 7-11, 2024 in Albuquerque, NM. Face to Face (F2F) only
  - MR8 (international region): TIPS series to answer “how to” questions: grow/develop new groups/meetings; use PIPO efforts to bring newcomers; host recovery events.

### **GPI Webmaster/Administrative Special Worker (Jessica F): December Accomplishments**

- All routine duties completed, nothing more to report
- Jeanne H responded to email requests for meeting information
  - 2023-7 sent: 1 Jan, 0 Feb, 1 Mar, 0 Apr/May, 1 Jun, 2 Jul, 0 Aug, 0 Sep, 0 Oct, 1 Nov, 1 Dec
- Jeanne H is checking voicemail & sending out meeting packets:
  - 2023-10 sent: 3 Jan, 1 Feb, 0 Mar, 1 Apr/May, 2 Jun, 1 Jul, 0 Aug, 0 Sep, 0 Oct, 0 Nov, 2 Dec

- Add'l 2023 legit vm: 5 in March re: PO box

**GPI Webmaster/Administrative Special Worker (Jessica F): January Goals**

- Finalize transition/rollout procedure for new MailChimp list
- Continue work on adding “search” function to GPI website, and ensure it can search within publicly available documents on our website
- Incorporate recommendations from website focus group as possible/appropriate
- Work with Exec Board & secretarial committee member on contingency planning & GPI Archive policy
- (future goal) restart work with Tech committee to keep WSO meeting list current & review our website
- (future goal) Move publicly available archive documents to GPI website from google as appropriate
- (future goal) review GPI physical documents & scan for online archive