



Summer Committee Meeting Report 8/1/26

Alternate Chair's Report

Thank you's to our Hosting Committees:

- To District D23, Jeremy A. and his crew for the hosting the Summer Assembly last month.
- District 41, Chris J. and his crew for hosting today's Committee Meeting.
- District 40 for hosting the upcoming Fall Assembly September 12th at Village Green Baptist Church in Glen Ellyn.

CONFERENCE PLANNING:

Big Book Conference 2026 – Planning is still going smoothly for this event coming up in October. District 11 has the conference well in hand.

Big Book Conference 2027 – District 10 has been approved to hold this conference at Lakeland Community Church in Gurnee. Planning stages are just at the beninning and Jeff. S. and Brian S. will be Co-Chairing.

2027 Spring Assembly Conference – There has been a changing of the guard: The new Chair of the Conference is Josh. J. and Co-Chair Bonny M. The transition has been seamless and more will be reported by the chairs during their report.

CONFERENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE – There has been a change here too. Robert S. will be replacing Kim S. The committee met via Zoom and discussed possible moves forward. There might be a change in the scope of the committee but more discovery is necessary. Many items were discussed including locating more venues in more districts.

GSR SCHOOLS :

One was held for District 22 in Hampshire at the First United Methodist Church. Thank you Mike B. for hosting. Although it was over 90 degrees, we still had 15 people attend.

Upcoming GSR SCHOOL Scheduled: Sept. 19th for Districts 62 & 64. 11:30am-2:30pm Pizza and Area's famous Chocolate chip cookies. Westminster Presbyterian Church in Aurora. Thank you, Josh J. & Kappie S. for hosting.

Monthly GSR Meetings – Held the 2nd monthly meeting(June) IN PERSON at the Summer Assembly. 35 GSR's in person attended and another 6 via Zoom.

The July meeting was only on Zoom on Monday, 7/27 at 7:30pm.

A revised monthly list of the meetings has been sent out and hard copies are available today.

Thank you for allowing me to serve as an Officer of Area 20.

Lorrie F.

NIA 20 Alternate Chair

"The only ones among you who will be really happy are those who have sought and found out how to serve." Albert Schweitzer

Expenses to date: \$1,149.82

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