

VA Area District Representative Report

District Name and Number: Blue Ridge - 4

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Informational Items: We have filled all service positions.

Updates since last meeting

Events or projects the District has completed since last meeting -

- We have District Meetings on odd months and Outreach Meetings on even months that are well-attended.
- Our Outreach has divided into two committees, Member Inreach and Public Outreach, which change subcommittee leaders in four month intervals.
- Public Outreach has developed and delivered flyers to stores, gyms, coffee houses, etc. This four months, we are focusing on delivering to police stations, fire stations, first responders.
- The Inreach Subcommittee made and distributed bookmarks at the International Conference. They have planned a Fall workshop entitled Recovery: Love without enabling which will be at the UU church Saturday, October 28, 10-12. Speaker and breakout sessions

Successes:

- We have a very good Outreach team that works hard to get members involved and educated.
- Enthusiastic members have filled service positions within the District.
- District Meetings have good discussions with very good communication. Everyone feels comfortable exchanging ideas.
- We now having 13 active meetings throughout the district. We are working on starting a new group in Woodstock and Mt. JacksoChallenges:

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- Not all of our groups have a GR.
- Not all groups participate in District Meetings
- DR visiting all groups in district

Goals: Attempting to have GRs for each meeting. Coordinate efforts, such as outrteach, with close Districts.