

Brief Details About The Role of Chair in Mid Surrey

The chair should be good at enabling and encouraging others to do their job well, both as officers of intergroup and as GSRs. The actual duties of the chair are often focused around ensuring the intergroup meetings and committee meetings run efficiently and effectively, but the chair is often called on to give advice or information about issues arising either for officers or GSRs. Needless to say, these requests often reveal the lack of knowledge on the part of the chair, so being willing to ask others, and know where to look are also great assets.

I know the past 3 chairs personally and am sure they would agree with me that our experience of being chair is both exciting and humbling. It gets you involved with lots of areas of AA, but most importantly it gets you involved with lots of AAs. I have loved my time as Chair and recommend it as wonderful service.

Further details of the role of chair can be found on the MSIG website at <http://aamidsurrey.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/MSIG-Aims-Structures-updated-2015.pdf> (page 9)

And <http://www.alcoholics-anonymous.org.uk/download/1/Library/Documents/Handbooks/AA%20Structure%20Handbook%20revised%20April%202017.pdf> (p88)