

Southwest Iowa Narcotics Anonymous

Minutes for April 9th, 2017

I. Opening:

The meeting was called to order @ 2:30 p.m. by Mike VP with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

Sharing Session: 2:30 with Mike VP facilitating.

Mary R. leaving early so was wishing to get literature agendas out of the way first. Stacy J. is suppose to be getting back items for H&I from Dave D. for Area. Barry has flyers for Multi Zonal Forum. It is a huge deal and also for it being in this area. There will be workshops from all over the world. It would be an awesome experience for all!

Close sharing at 2:45 pm.

II. Readings: requested the following be read:

“The Twelve Traditions”, read by Stacy J.

“The Twelve Concepts”, read by Alisa M.

“The Service Motivation”, read by Laura W.

III. Roll Call/Visitors:

Executive Committee:

Facilitator: Mike VP.

Co-Facilitator: Absent

Recorder: Glenda C.

Treasurer: George R.

RCM: Dave R.

RCM Alt.: **Open**

Sub-Committees:

Literature Chairperson: Mary R.

Activities Chairperson: Laura W.

Co-Chair: Absent

PR Sub-Committees:

Groups:

Harlan GSF: Stacy J.

Straight Edge: Alisa M.

Discovery Group: Dave R.

Just for Today: Alisa M.

Living Clean: Absent

Let It Be: Absent

Recharge Group: Howie M.

New Way: Kenny S.

New Freedom: Absent

Visions of Hope: Barry B.

ACW: Lonna C.

Facilitator: Stacy J.

Simple Serenity: Absent

H&I: **OPEN**

Straight Friends: Laura W.

PI/Phoneline Liaison: **OPEN**

Atlantic Meeting: Gary R.

Web-Servant: Dave R.

There were 9 out of 14 voting groups at area. **Visitors:** Melissa S.

III. **Correction & Approval of Minutes:** Approval of minutes made and passed.

IV. **Reports**

Executive Committee:

Facilitator: Verbal not received

Co-Facilitator: Absent

Recorder: Verbal report (staying on as recorder if approved)

Treasurer: Greetings SWINA, Balance forward of \$586.80 with a pending deposit of \$35 added expense from last month of \$15 for ASC rent and \$27.45 for checks. I am in talks with a different rep. from US Bank to get the bank statements I need to complete the audit. Thanks to Mike VP. For getting this process started and changing the address for the ASC account. As of the time Mike had talked to the bank, the statements were being sent to Shenandoah to the old treasure address. As soon as I have access to all the info I will complete the audit. ILS, George R.

RCM: Verbal not received

RCM Alternate: **OPEN**

Sub-Committees:

Literature Committee: Verbal going well

Activities Chairperson: greetings Area, The Chili Cook-off was a roaring success! After expenses and rent and \$400 prudent reserve, Activities has a balance of \$164.09! I understand that there is a bid for the Anniversary Dance today and would like Area's permission to use some of the extra to pay reserve rent if needed. I will also be needing to know if food will be served at this dance and what I will need there. I will be getting in touch with Pioneer Park people to reserve for the Luau and SWINA and I have already had some communication about the pig! Please feel free to inform me on any pertinent info and I will see you at the next function! Thanks to my Co-Chair (Casey) for help with clean-up at Chili Cook-off. ILS, Laura W.

Co-Activities Chair: Absent

PR Sub-Committees: (H&I, PI/Phone Line Liaison, Web-Servant)

PR Facilitator: Hello Area, PI is going well. At this time I am going to request \$50 from this Area to order meeting lists. I plan on ordering them one last time before changing area positions occur. If there are any changes to the lists please make your changes on the list that I am sending around. Montgomery County jail will be receiving their 2 books for the jail. We will need to pay for these today from Area please. \$27.03. I would also like to ask this Area to consider letting me order 30 starter IP packets every other month for the jails. This would give each jail 10 each and hopefully keep from anyone running out. I talked with Mary and she is willing to put the packets together if I keep the meeting lists current with them. As of this report I have not heard from Dave R. and Dave D. to give reports. Pott Co. in need of books and lit 3 women going in right now (in need of women) and men are also going in. ILS, Stacy J.

Group Reports:

Discovery Group: Verbal not received

Just for Today: Greetings Area, Just for Today meeting is well. We have given out 30 day and newcomer key tags also we had 2 members celebrate 1 year. We are averaging 8-12 addicts. We are picking up lit today \$6.20. Will have no area donation today but will soon. ILS, Alisa M.

Living Clean: Absent

Harlan GSF: Greetings Area from Harlan GSF recorder, We had 8 members in attendance to our recent GSF. We are blessed to have all our Harlan meetings going strong with several birthdays. Monday is a bit lower in attendance then normal, but a strong message is still getting shared. Wednesday is doing much better and had a records attendance last week. No meetings were requested last month for men or women to the Shelby County Jail. We are doing a little readjusting with the list of those trained members who are going in and updating our schedule, but no major concerns. Monday's Never Alone and Thursday Nobody's group each have a lit order. Monday has a \$20 area donation. We are going to try and keep an eternity medallion on hand at one of our groups in Harlan in case we have the need. We are in support of Area carrying one on hand as well. In Loving Service, Gaylen P.

New Way: Average attendance 18-25 1-60 day 2-9month 1-newcomer \$25 ASC donation today. ILS, Kenny S.

Straight Friends: Greeting Area, Recovery is strong in Villisca and we continue to celebrate clean time birthdays and keep the door open!! No donation or lit order at this time. ILS, Laura W.

New Freedom: Absent

Visions of Hope: Meeting have picked up in attendance after January and February Fallout Wednesday. We have area donation. Wednesday_____ have been having a meeting. Thanks Mary for bring lit to our meeting with____ order. ILS, Barry B.

Simple Serenity: Absent

Recharge Group: 8-newcomers 2-30 day 2-60 day 1- 9 month 1-5 year

Straight Edge GSF: Greetings Area, Doing well. Our Sunday night averages 2-4 addicts. Our Tuesday night meeting averages 8-12. We are picking up lit order today \$27.90. No Area donation today. ILS, Alisa M.

ACW: Verbal not received

Let It Be: Absent

Atlantic Meeting: Dear Area, Donation of \$20. 6 members At meetings. ILS, Gary R.

Financial Requests: \$27.02 for 2 books \$50 for meeting lists order Replace Lit amount that had been misplaced (atlantic group) \$25.02 Passed

Unfinished Services:

A) Votes: Facilitator- Mike VP (8 1 red) Co-Facilitator-**OPEN** Recorder- Glenda C. (9) Treasure- George R. (9) RCM-Dave R. (8 1 white) RCM Alt-**OPEN** PR Facilitator- Stacy J. (8 with 1 abstain) H&I- Alisa M. (8 1 white) Phoneline/PI-**OPEN** Web servant- Dave R. (8 1 abstain)

B) ASC Audit- George is on top of this with the help of Mike VP. Looking forward to the completion of this audit, Details in his report.

C) Area Inventory- Dave R. to put on web with an email link.

D) ASC Agenda (guideline changes)- 8 with 1 white to make this change for the guidelines.

Current Services:

A) Anniversary Dance- will be held Lighthouse Temple in Council Bluffs 8 with 1 white card. May 13, 2017 32 years.

Announcements & Flood Meeting: Anniversary Dance coming up May 13 in Council Bluffs Get to a Meeting!!

May ASC is going to be May 7th in Griswold cards were 8 with 1 red. Subcommittees @2:00 Sharing session will begin at 2:30 Reports will be at 2:45 and Business portion will be at 3:00

Closed meeting 4:00 pm 7th Tradition- \$4.80