



South Suburban Fireside Area Service Minutes

August 2nd 2007

Meeting opened at 7:10 PM by Scooter

Introductions: 1 new member

12 Steps read by Jenna

12 Traditions read by Bruce

12 Concepts not read by Geoff

Call for quorum: 14 voting members

July minutes approved with motion by Bruce, Rick 2nd

Passed 7th Tradition, collected \$19.00

GSR reports:

Woodbury Freebirds: 6:00 PM Sunday

GSR Garrett: not present, report given by alternate

Average newcomers: 1

Average Attendance: 4

H&I Activities: announce H&I meeting

Pig Fundraisers:

Concerns: attendance is falling off

Step by Step: 7:00 PM Sunday

GSR Brad M.: present

Average newcomers: 2

Average Attendance: 20

H&I Activities: none listed

Pig Fundraisers: none listed

Concerns: Need trusted servants.

Never Alone: 7:00 PM Sunday

GSR Yvette B: present

Average newcomers: 2-3

Average Attendance: 12-15

H&I Activities: would like a visit from H&I chair

Pig fundraisers:

Concerns:

Monday Night in the Grove: 7:00 PM Monday

GSR Kevin S: present

Average newcomers: 1

Average Attendance: 12

H&I activities:

Pig Fundraisers: Pig announced

Concerns: need female sponsors

Monday Night Round Robin: 7:00 – 8:30 PM

GSR Karin B: not present, report given by alternate w/ ASC donation of \$10.25
Average newcomers: 1-2 Average Attendance: 15
H&I activities: announce H&I meeting
Pig Fundraisers:
Concerns:

Ties That Bind Us: 7:00 PM Monday

GSR Dennis: present with ASC donation of \$50.00
Average newcomers: 1-2 Average Attendance: 18
H&I activities: Cochran House attends every week
Pig fundraisers:
Concerns:

Tuesday Morning Recovery Group: 10:00 AM

GSR Alyssa M: not present no report given
Average newcomers: 0-1 Average Attendance: 4
H&I Activities: none
Pig fundraisers:
Concerns: we need to grow, could use input on how

Farmington NA: 7:00 PM Tuesday

GSR Shane: present
Average newcomers : 1 Average Attendance: 10
H&I Activities: none listed
Pig Fundraisers: none
Concerns: will PIG committee meeting move back into the area?

Addicts In Recovery: 7:00 PM Tuesday

GSR Rachelle: not present no report
Average newcomers: 2-3 Average Attendance: 12-14
H&I Activities:
Pig Fundraisers:
Concerns: In need of sponsors & members mature in the program

Northfield NA: 7:00 PM Wednesday

GSR ?: not present
Average newcomers: Average Attendance:
H&I Activities:
Pig Fundraisers:
Concerns:

Midweek NA: 7:00 PM

GSR Jenna: present
Average newcomers: 3 Average Attendance: 15-20
H&I Activities:
Pig Fundraisers: Pig announced
Concerns: need female sponsors

Too Damn Early: 9:00 AM Thursday

GSR open : not present report given by Kevin M.

Average newcomers: 1 Average Attendance: 7

H&I Activities: meeting announced

Pig Fundraisers: Pig announced

Concerns:

Young People in Recovery: 7:00 PM Friday

GSR ? : not present no report

Average newcomers: 1-2 Average Attendance: 15

H&I Activities:

Pig Fundraisers:

Concerns:

Peace of Mind: 7:00 PM Friday

GSR Brenda: not present no report

Average newcomers : 3 Average Attendance: 30

H&I Activities:

Pig Fundraisers:

Concerns:

NA Day: 7:30 PM Friday

GSR Bruce : present with \$77.00 ASC donation

Average newcomers: 3 Average Attendance: 20

H&I Activities:

Pig Fundraisers:

Concerns:

Still Waters Run Deep: 7:00 PM Saturday

GSR ? : not present no report

Average newcomers: 3-4 Average Attendance: 30+

H&I Activities:

Pig Fundraisers:

Concerns:

Lakeville By Candlelight: 9:00 PM

GSR ? : not present no report

Average newcomers: Average Attendance:

H&I Activities:

Pig Fundraisers:

Concerns:

Basic Texts on Hastings NA: 7:00 PM Saturday

GSR Harry D : present

Average newcomers: 1-2 Average Attendance: 10

H&I Activities: 2 members go to Dakota Co. Detox

Pig Fundraisers:

Concerns:

Committee Reports:

Public Information: (Alesha) not present, no report. Committee meeting held 1st Wednesday of the month. Phone Number change to 952-431-7865.

RCM: (Scooter/Kevin): no report, region will be held this month

Hospitals & Institutions: (Brent F.) Committee meeting held 2nd Monday 8:30

Concerns: We need addicts able to go into the jails & prisons (2 years off paper).

We may have a new meeting starting at the Dakota Co. Jail. No given time as yet, anyone interested will need to fill out form & turn it in. Get the form from Phil Drazkowski 651-438-4812. Due to lack of participation the 2nd commitment to Avalon had to be dropped. Currently looking into moving the committee meeting time to one more accommodating for better attendance. Also are there H&I representatives at all of the meetings? Shouldn't there be?

Current commitments as follows:

2nd Thursday of the month: Avalon Treatment Center: 6-7 PM

2 person presentation

3rd Thursday of the month : Lino Lakes Prison

2 person presentation

4th Thursday of the month : Hastings Detox : 6-7 PM

2 people share story

Outreach: Geoff D.

Put out August monthly news letter, please contact me at 612-309-6304 or rollermasterg@msn.com to add personal stories or monthly step contributions. GSR's please encourage your group members to submit contributions to the newsletter. We need submissions on the steps & traditions for the upcoming month and personal stories.

Activities: (Brenda) : not present, no report

Ad-Hoc: (Steve H) not present No report.

PIG: (Wayne): not present, no report

Old business: none

New business: none.

Treasurer's Report: (Bob)

Beginning balance:		\$ 95.42
Cash in:	7 th Tradition:	\$ 19.00
	Monday Round Robin	\$ 10.25
	N.A.Day	\$ 77.00
	Ties That Bind Us:	\$ 50.00
Total Cash in:		\$156.25
Balance:		\$ 251.67
Cash out:	1 st Presbyterian Church	\$ 15.00
	TCASC	\$ 50.00
	Bob A. (secretary)	\$ 4.04

Geoff D. (outreach)	\$ 5.94	
Total cash out:	\$ 74.98	
Ending Balance :		\$ 176.69

Announcements:

South Suburban Fireside Area's website is at:

www.ssfa.naminnnesota.org

You can have your group or committee function's & flyers put on this site by attaching them to an e-mail and sending them to: kevinmoy@comcast.net Acceptable formats include, Microsoft word, works, publisher, or excel, Adobe illustrator or acrobat (.pdf files) windows text files (.txt or .rtf) , or Word Perfect (word process only)

Motion to close at 7:50 PM