



Area Service Minutes
June 4, 2009

Meeting opened at 7:11 PM by Chris B.

1 newcomer: Dan, Keith

22 members in attendance.

Introductions:

12 Steps read by James

12 Traditions read by Chris

12 Concepts read by James

Kris B. makes announcement: She is stepping down from secretary. I (Kevin M.) will be acting secretary for the next two months.

Call for quorum: 12 voting members

June 4, 2009 minutes accepted. Motion by Skip, 2nd by Catie

Passed 7th Tradition, collected:

GSR reports:

Woodbury Freebirds: 6:00 PM Sunday

GSR (Garrett L.): not present

Average newcomers:

Average Attendance:

H&I Activities:

ASC Donation:

Step by Step: 7:00 PM Sunday

GSR (John): present

Average newcomers: 2

Average Attendance: 20

H&I Activities: announce H&I, activities

ASC Donation:

Never Alone: 7:00 PM Sunday

GSR (Lisa.): present

Average newcomers: 2

Average Attendance :8

H&I Activities: announced pass piggy

Concerns:

ASC Donation:

Monday Night in the Grove: 7:00 PM Monday

GSR (Sage.): present

Average newcomers: 25

Average Attendance: 2

H&I activities: announced

Concerns:

ASC Donation:

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

GSR (Tim B.): not present

Average newcomers:

Average Attendance:

H&I activities: announce

Concerns:

ASC Donation:

Ties That Bind Us: 7:00 PM Monday

GSR (Chad.): present

Average newcomers: 3

Average Attendance: 20

H&I activities: announced

Concerns:

ASC Donation

Tuesday Morning Women's Recovery Group: 10:00 AM

GSR (Pat W.): not present

Average newcomers:

Average Attendance:

H&I Activities:

Pig Fund Raisers:

Concerns:

Pig Donation:

ASC Donation:

T-N-T; Tuesday Nights Together 7:00 PM Tuesday

GSR (James M.): present

Average newcomers : 2

Average Attendance: 15

H&I Activities: announced

Concerns:

ASC Donation:

Addicts In Recovery: 7:00 PM Tuesday

GSR (Catie O.): present

Average newcomers: 3

Average Attendance: 15

H&I Activities: announced

Concerns: Sponsors needed

ASC Donation:

Never On Time: 8:00p Tuesday

GSR (Mark.): not present

Average newcomers:

Average Attendance:

H&I Activities:

Concerns: Recently added to the meeting list.

ASC Donation:

Northfield NA: 7:00 PM Wednesday

GSR (?): not present

Average newcomers:

Average Attendance:

H&I Activities:

Concerns:

ASC Donation:

Midweek NA: 7:00 PM

GSR (Sage): present

Average newcomers: 3

Average Attendance: 40

H&I Activities: Announced

Pig Fund Donation:

Concerns: Need more sponsors

ASC Donation:

Too Damn Early: 9:00 AM Thursday

GSR (Mark M.) : not present

Average newcomers:

Average Attendance:

H&I Activities: Announced

Concerns:

ASC Donation

Young People in Recovery: 7:00 PM Friday

GSR (?): not present

Average newcomers:

Average Attendance:

Concerns:

ASC Donation:

Peace of Mind: 7:30 PM Friday

GSR (Paul B.): present

Average newcomers : 2

Average Attendance: 25-30

H&I Activities: announced

Pig Fund Raisers: Pass the piggy, talking about setting up a fund raiser. Planning a Pig fundrasier

Concerns: Female sponsorship

Pig Donation:

ASC Donation: \$10.00

NA Day: 7:30 PM Friday

GSR (Cecilie): not present

Average newcomers: 1-2

Average Attendance: 20-25

H&I Activities: make announcements

Pig Fund Raisers: Chili feed for Pig Fund Raiser successful

Concerns: June Meeting of the Month.

Pig Donation:

ASC Donation: \$28.10

Still Waters Run Deep: Closed

Lakeville Basic Text Study: 9:00 PM Saturday

GSR (Lisa F.) : present

Average newcomers: 1

Average Attendance: 15

H&I Activities: Taking mtg. lists to treatment centers.

Concern:

ASC Donation: \$10.00

Your Basic Text Meeting in Hastings: 7:00 PM Saturday

GSR (Matthew T.): present

Average newcomers: 2

Average Attendance: 15

H&I Activities: announced

Pig Fund Raisers: announced

Concerns: note:

ASC Donation:

Clear Eyes: 9:30 AM Saturday

GSR (Chris C.): present

Average newcomers: 0

Average Attendance: 6

H&I Activities: announced

Concerns:

Pig Donation:

ASC Donation:

Committee Reports: Scheduled meetings are at 7:00 PM on the 2nd Thursday of each month at Faith Methodist Church, 1530 Oakdale Ave., W. St. Paul, MN
Sub-committee's are merging responsibilities to cover what is needed in our Area.

RCM: (Skip H.): World Unity Day August 22nd. A video conference of convention available for €50.

Regional Assembly June 27th, speaker/dance to follow

See flyer at: <http://naminnesota.org/cal/RegionalAssemblyBW09.pdf>

MN Regional Public Relations Events (addicts needed to help carry the message)

Pride Day Event (Minneapolis)	June 27 – 28, 2009
Guest House Event	July 13 – 14, 2009
MARCHH Event	October 20 – 22, 2009

Leave IPs (#7, #16 and #22) for this church for Homeless Month (July)
(Motion made see new business in regard to)

The UMSO is NOT open on Wednesday's.

Activities: OPEN

Hospitals & Institutions: (Chris) Meeting at 7:00 PM, 2nd Thursday at Faith Methodist Church, 1530 Oakdale Ave., W. St. Paul, MN

Twin Cities Area's H&I Learning Day: June 6th at Sabathani Community Center, MSP 11a – 5p
In cooperation with other areas: SSF, AOH, and RITH
Set-up: 10a Clean-up: 5p

Committee is trying to get in touch with Oak. City Jail for commitment.

Need more females to carry the message.

Need new panel leader for CRP.

GSRs see about taking a H&I panel as a topic for their meeting.

Current commitments as follows:

- 2nd Tuesday of every month: Avalon Treatment (Eagan) 6-7p
Contact: Vern B. 651-263-1614 / Matt 651-621-4957
- 3rd Wednesday of every month: Cochran Treatment 7-8p
Contact: Chris C. 651-769-7250
- 3rd Thursday of every month: Lino Lakes Prison 7-8p
Contact: Dan W. 651-278-8833
- 3rd Thursday every month: Haven Treatment (adolescent) 6-7p
Contact: Chris C. 651-769-7250 / Sage
- 4th Thursday of every month: Dakota County Detox. 7-8p
Contact: Matt 651-239-4805 / Chad. 651-319-3048
- Every three months (Feb, May, Aug, Nov) The Haven Treatment
(Please call contact for exact day and time)
Contact: Garrett L. 763-360-8151

Outreach: (Brent F) Meeting of the Month is Friday NA Day (3rd Friday)
Never on Time and Northfield need support.

PIG: (Kyle M.): We still need volunteers. PIG Meeting 1st Thursday each month before the ASC. We also need all those that have held PIG positions in the past to please write a description of the position held so we can set up bylaws. Thank you.

Kyle (PIG Chair) and Bob (Co-PIG chair) Use Q & A Oversight Concerns and Recommendations to express inadequacies and negligence of previous years' PIG committees:

Check # 2257 was records as being written to ssfa Area in the amount of \$ 1,500.00.

Q. Was there a receipt at the Area level for this Check?
A. ?

Where is the addendum for the 2007 year?

Q. Do the signers switch as soon as pig business is finished for that year?
A. ?

There are all kinds of checks written to cover personal checks that have no receipt.

Q. Should all personal checks written for Pig purposes that do not have a receipt be considered a donation?
A. ?

All money given to the treasurer should accompany a receipt of deposit.

Q. Should the Chair positions who are giving the treasurer money get a deposit receipt?
A. ?

Why is the fiscal year of pig January to December?

Q. Is there a reason why the signers on the account are lapsing into each other from year to year?
A. ?

Transportation and storage fees have no receipt.

Q. Should anyone be receiving a check without giving a receipt for those items.
A. ?

Gate, Merchandise, Consesions, Donations By Area, Donations By anyone.

Q. Why do not have any record of any incoming-money?
A. ?

Attendance and Declaration

Q. why is there no record of how many people or who Pre registered donated or volenteered?
A. ?

Cash

Q. Why Does Pig use cash for purchases?
A. ?

Rembursedment.

Q. When an individual purchases anything for pig, shouldn't they have a receipt?
A. ?

Donations.

Q. When pig is completed and there is moneys left over, who does pig donate to?
A. ?

Prudent reserve.

Q. Should Pig Be keeping enough for the entire event or just the venders?
A. ?

Pigroast balance: \$3700.³⁴

Public Relations (open):. Chris C. Has a list of treatments that need meeting lists to be taken to them.

Old business:

New business:

Motion: To table discussion on PIG by Chad: Passes
2nd: Passes

Skip motions to have four different IPs left at this church for Homeless shelter.
2nd by Garrett: Passes

New meeting added to meeting list.
Never On Time 8:00p / Tuesday

Function's and Fundraisers! Recovery can be **FUN!** Let's have some fellowship! Talk to other groups and combine activities possibly with Speakers.
Presently our web address is: www.ssfa.naminnnesota.org

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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)

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