



Area Service Minutes
October 1, 2009

Meeting opened at 7:00 PM by Brent (acting chair)

newcomers: 2

22 members in attendance.

Introductions:

12 Steps read by John

12 Traditions read by Sage

12 Concepts read by Garrett

Call for quorum: 16 voting members

August, 2009 minutes accepted. Motion by James, 2nd Paul: Pass

Passed 7th Tradition, collected: \$

GSR reports:

Woodbury Freebirds	6:00 PM Sunday	Stable
GSR	: Garrett L.	PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	: 12	
Avg. Newcomers	: 2	
H&I Activities	: announced	
ASC Donation	: \$15	
PIG/Other Donation	:	
Concerns	:	

Step by Step	7:00 PM Sunday	Stable
GSR	: Jill	PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	: 20	
Avg. Newcomers	: 3	
H&I Activities	: announced	
ASC Donation	:	
PIG/Other Donation	:	
Concerns	:	

Never Alone		7:00 PM Sunday	Stable
GSR	:	Lisa	PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:	23	
Avg. Newcomers	:	4	
H&I Activities	:	announced	
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

Monday Night in The Grove		7:00 PM Monday	Stable
GSR	:	NOT PRESENT	
Avg. Attendance	:	20	
Avg. Newcomers	:	1	
H&I Activities	:	announced	
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

Tues. Morning Women's Rec.		10:00 AM Tuesday	Stable
GSR	:	NOT PRESENT	
Avg. Attendance	:	6	
Avg. Newcomers	:	2	
H&I Activities	:	announced	
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

Monday Night Round Robin		7:00 PM Monday	Stable
GSR	:	Kyle	
Avg. Attendance	:	15	
Avg. Newcomers	:	1	
H&I Activities	:		
ASC Donation	:	11	
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

Ties That Bind Us		7:00 PM Monday	Stable
GSR	:	Chad	PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:	25	
Avg. Newcomers	:	5	
H&I Activities	:	announced	
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

TNT: Tues. Nights Together		7:00 PM Tuesday	Stable
GSR	:	James	
Avg. Attendance	:	15	
Avg. Newcomers	:	1	
H&I Activities	:	announced	
ASC Donation	:	\$20 to book fund	
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

Addicts in Recovery		7:00 PM Tuesday	Stable
GSR	:	Catie O.	PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:	22	
Avg. Newcomers	:	3	
H&I Activities	:	announced	
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:	Sponsors needed. Trusted Serv.	

Never On Time		8:00 PM Tuesday	Stable
GSR	:	Mark	NOT PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:		
Avg. Newcomers	:		
H&I Activities	:		
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:	To be deleted from list	

Northfield NA		7:00 PM Wednesday	Stable
GSR	:	Paul	PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:	4	
Avg. Newcomers	:	1	
H&I Activities	:		
ASC Donation	:	\$10	
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:	Need support.	

Midweek NA		7:00 PM Wednesday	Stable
GSR	:	Dan	PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:	20	
Avg. Newcomers	:	3	
H&I Activities	:	Not announced	
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

Too Damn Early		9:00 AM Thursday	Stable
GSR	:	John	
Avg. Attendance	:	12	
Avg. Newcomers	:	2	
H&I Activities	:		
ASC Donation	:	\$40	
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:	Roller blade at dome? NA event	

Young People in Recovery		7:00 PM Friday	Stable
GSR	:	NOT PRESENT	
Avg. Attendance	:		
Avg. Newcomers	:		
H&I Activities	:		
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

Peace Of Mind		7:30 PM Friday	Stable
GSR	:	NOT PRESENT	
Avg. Attendance	:	27	
Avg. Newcomers	:	7	
H&I Activities	:	announced	
ASC Donation	:	\$10	
PIG/Other Donation	:	Pass the Piggy	
Concerns	:		

NA Day		7:30 PM Friday	Stable
GSR	:	Tim B.	
Avg. Attendance	:	20	
Avg. Newcomers	:	3	
H&I Activities	:	announced	
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:	Chili Feed in Febuary	
Concerns	:		

Lakeville Basic Text Study		9:00 PM Saturday	Stable
GSR	:	Lisa PRESENT	
Avg. Attendance	:	23	
Avg. Newcomers	:	2	
H&I Activities	:	Announced	
ASC Donation	:	19	
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

Your Basic Text Meeting in Hastings		7:00 PM Saturday	Stable
GSR	:	Kristi	PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:	10	
Avg. Newcomers	:	1	
H&I Activities	:		
ASC Donation	:	\$10/book	
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

We're Not Perfect NA		7:00 Saturday	Stable
GSR	:	Patti W.	NOT PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:		
Avg. Newcomers	:		
H&I Activities	:		
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:	To be deleted from list.	

Clear Eyes		7:00 Saturday	Stable
GSR	:	Andy	NOT PRESENT
Avg. Attendance	:	7	
Avg. Newcomers	:	1	
H&I Activities	:	Announced	
ASC Donation	:		
PIG/Other Donation	:		
Concerns	:		

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.

Activities:

Area Service Learning Day being planned.

We need a Activity Chair.

Steve suggests having more fun oriented activities.

Sage seems interested. Catie reads the body descriptions of activities chair.

Sage is nominated by John to be Activities Chair: PASS

Tim volunteers to be Co-Activities Chair: PASS

Hospitals & Institutions:

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

Concerns: Continue to need addicts to carry message. Reminder to GSR's to mention sign-up sheets at meeting.

Current commitments as follows:

- 2nd Tuesday of every month: Avalon Treatment (Eagan) 6-7p

Contact: Vern B. 651-263-1614

- 3rd Wednesday of every month: Cochran Treatment 7-8p

Contact: Matt K. 651-239-4805

- 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: Chad 651-319-3048

- Every three months (Dec) The Haven Treatment
(Please call contact for exact day and time)

Contact: Garrett L. 763-360-8151

Please check your H&I sign up sheets.

Outreach: (Brent F): Meeting of Month Sunday Step by Step, October 18th
November Meeting of the Month will be Monday Night Round Robin on the 16th.

James passes out ASC Newsletter Written Form. You can e-mail newsletter submissions, of you're experience, strength and hope on NA recovery at ssfanews@naminnesota.org

PIG: Meet first Thursday of every month one hour before Area. PIG subcommittee

There are open pig positions and we need logo/slogan designs by January.
PIG is looking for new campground closer to the cities, maybe within the Area.
Kyle asks if any one has old pig documents, to please get of hold of him.
Committee still trusted servants, please let you're groups know.

Public Relations (open):.

Chris C. we are collecting books.

OPEN POSITIONS: Vice-Chair, Co-treasurer and PR Chair.

Old Business: None.

New business:

PIG Bylaw ad-hoc committee, we need a chair. Possibly to be held at same time and place of subcommittee.

Lisa nominates Steve H. as Ad-hoc Committee Chair for Pig roast bylaws: PASS

Ad-hoc Committee will be held at the subcommittee meeting.

To create a budget for other subcommittee: Outreach, Activities and Public Relations.

Motion Steve P: \$50 budget for each committee chair: PASS

Other Business:

Function's and **Fundraisers!** Recovery can be **FUN!** Let's have some fellowship! Talk to other groups and combine activities possibly with NA Speakers.

Presently our web address is: www.ssfa.naminnnesota.org

Treasurer's Report
WE NEED A CO-TREASURER

BEGINNING BALANCE			\$20.00	1,037.11
Cash in (+)	ASC	PIG	Book Fund	
7 th Tradition	\$ 18.00	\$ 0	\$ 0	
Addicts in Recovery	\$ 20.00	\$ 0	\$ 0	
Lakeville Basic Text	\$ 19.00	\$ 0	\$ 0	
Northfield	\$ 5.00	\$ 0	\$ 10.00	
Peace of Mind	\$ 10.00	\$ 0	\$ 0	
Round Robin	\$ 11.00	\$ 0	\$ 0	
Ties That Bind Us	\$ 30.00	\$ 0	\$ 0	
TNT	\$ 20.00	\$ 0	\$ 20.00	
Woodbury Freebirds	\$ 15.00	\$ 0	\$ 0	
Basic Text on Hastings	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 10.00	
TOTAL DONATIONS:	\$ 105.57	\$ 0	\$ 60.00	\$ 105.57

Cash out (-)		
Rent - First Presbyterian	\$ 30.00	
TCASC - Phone line	\$ 50.00	
Copies	\$ 33.76	
CASH OUT TOTAL:	\$ 113.76	\$ 113.76
ENDING BALANCE:		1,014.52

Announcements:

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)

8:44 pm Motion to close