

District 11, Area 75
Minutes for July 28, 2009

Present: Wendy A., Ray K., John W., Ted H., Dennis B., Ric C., Mike K., Jim C., Char J., Joan M., Patti C.

The meeting was opened with a moment of silence.

GSR Reports:

It's a God Thing, Friday 7:30pm/United Methodist Church/Johnson Creek (Ted H.)-We have about 4-6 people a meeting. The time for this meeting will be changing to 7:00pm

Big Book Meeting, Thursday 7:00pm/Sullivan Methodist Church/Sullivan (John W.)-We have a core of 4, and we are reading from the 12 x 12 book and we are on step 8.

Rome Group, Sunday 7:00pm/St. Luke's Lutheran Church/Rome (John W.)-We have a core of 5; with the first week is a step, 2nd topic, 3rd tradition, 4th topic.

New Freedom Group, Friday 7:30pm/St. Paul's Episcopal Church/Watertown (Ray K.)-We have 7-8 core members and the 3rd Friday of the month is an open speaker meeting that usually has a good turnout.

Tuesday Night Big Book Group, Tuesday 7:00pm/Trinity Lutheran Church/Fort Atkinson (Dennis B.)-Come and check us out, we have about 8-12 regulars. We are reading stories from the Big Book and having a discussion on what we read.

The promises Group, Sunday 7:00pm/Star School/Koskonong Town Hall/Fort (Jim C.)-We have attendance of 10-15 members. Discussion of possibly having a Big Book study at 6:00pm on the same night.

Morning Group, MWF 9:30am/St. Peters Episcopal Church/Fort Atkinson (Mike K.)-We have 20 people on Monday, 40 on Wednesday, and 30 on Friday. Started in June there is now an open speaker meeting on the first Friday of every month, the one for July the speaker was unable to speak but the meeting worked out great.

One Day at a Time Group, Sunday 6:30pm/Watertown Memorial Hospital/Watertown(Wendy A.)-We have a group of 12 steady members, with a few new comers at this time. Come and check us out as we would love to see you.

Rock River Grp, Monday 7:00pm/St. Johns Catholic Parish Center/Jefferson(Patti C.)-We have about 30 plus people at this time with a few out of towners on the 27th with a 1st step. We are land locked where we are and unable to split into smaller groups for discussion.

Our Grp, Wednesday 7:30pm/Moravian Church/Lake Mills (Char J.)-We have about 16-24 people at this time; I also went to the Door County retreat and had a great time.
Beginners Meeting, Wednesday 5:30pm/Mental Health Consultants Building/Fort (Joan M.)-When this meeting first started it was 20-30 people and now it's down to about 8-10

at this time.

Committee Reports:

Treasurer's Report: The balance is as follows:

Beginning Balance 572.89, receivables 133.80, expenses 112.69, and ending balance 594.00. John W. had a print out of the treasurer's report and handed one out to everyone. The basket was passed observing the 7th Tradition.

There was a change in the treasurer's position, for those that don't know John W.'s address it is as follows: 417 Grove Street, Sullivan, WI 53178. Please send any donations for District 11 to his address from now on. Also when sending donations please use your group number on your check, Thanks.

CPC/PI Report: There will be a health fair in Whitewater in October and the district will have a booth at this fair. There will be two boxes of literature for the health fair.

Literature Report: Anyone interested in doing this, no one is doing it at this time. This would be great service work for our district. The new prices have taken effect.

Corrections Report: The Monday meeting is going well, about 16 attendees on average, with two new ones. The Wednesday meeting has smaller numbers but is still going good. There seems to be a little more cooperation from the jail and also that the sergeants get to direct which meetings they get to go to. **Rainbow Cans-**This money is not to be given to a certain person, this is to be used for all corrections in Southern Wisconsin. The money needs to be sent to Area 75, or sent to the treasurer which at this time is John W.

Grapevine: There is an article in the grapevine from a local man by the name of George M., great job George, everyone check out the Grapevine and read some great articles.

Treatment Report: The numbers are down and some of that is because there are no outpatient services at this time. There is about 8-10 with 2-3 new comers and hope they keep coming back.

Old Business:

The fall workshop is planned for October 3 from 1-5 and we are getting ideas put together for the topics. It will be held at the Moravian Church in Lake Mills, thanks Char for getting the details taken care of.

DCM Report: The Area Assembly will be held on September 27th at the Senior Center in Madison. The last Fall Conference will be on November 6-8, mark your calendar. We closed the meeting with the Serenity Prayer.

Next Meeting:

The last Tuesday of the month: August 25, 2009

At: 5:30pm

Moravian Church in Lake Mills, 301 College St., in the lower level

Please join us anytime.