

District 30 Meeting Minutes

Date: Friday, January 8, 2010 @ 6:30 PM

Location: 734 Railroad St., Janesville, Wisconsin

Present: Dick S., Sue M., Joel B., Ann M., Randy W., Leonard B., Larry S., Darren G., Ken G., Rob H., Page W., Paul S., Jo S., Joe S., Bill W., Tamra L., Kevin C., Linda W., Sharon G., Jean P., Ted K., Ken B.

Dick S. opened the Meeting with the Serenity Prayer

Darren G. read the 1st Tradition and Page W. read the 1st Concept

Treasurer Report: - Page W.

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| Beginning Balance | | \$549.91 |
| <i>Expenses</i> | TDS Metrocom | \$ 25.99 |
| | Joel B. (schedules) | \$ 35.00 |
| | Sue M. (Seed money Alkathon) | \$ 50.00 |
| | Unity Grp. Rent | \$ 60.00 |
| <i>Donations</i> | <i>Rock River Serenity</i> | <i>\$ 59.00</i> |
| Balance | | \$437.92 |
| <i>Less Prudent Reserve</i> | | <i>\$120.00</i> |
| AVAILABLE | | \$317.92 |

**Note: Page W. and Ann M. will both be on District check book.
Jean P. and Page W. are both on Mini-Conference check book.**

New GSR's: Ted K. - Keys to the Kingdom

GSR Reports: Linda W. - Good Fellowship
Attendance down.

Paul S. GSR and Jo S. Alt GSR – By the Book
Under 10 in attendance. Starting Joe & Charlie tapes 2nite.

Larry S. GSR and Sharon G. Alt GSR – Sunday Morning Miracle
20-25 in attendance and doing well. Visitor from China.

Ann M. Alt GSR – Live at Five
Attendance down.

Rob H. GSR – Saturday Morning Serenity
Steady 15-25 in attendance.

Joel B. GSR – Life on Life's Terms
Going good. 8 to 15ish in attendance. There will be a meeting on
January 22, 2010.

Kevin C. GSR – Home Group
Attendance strong.

Randy W. GSR – Sunday Night Discovery
Attendance up and meeting doing well.

Ted K. GSR – Keys to the Kingdom
15-50 in attendance and going strong.

Page W. GSR and Leonard B. Alt. GSR - Unity Group
Meeting strong and had a good turn out for their time slot at the
Alkathon.

Joe S. GSR and Tamra L. Alt GSR – Steps to Success
15 people in attendance. 6-8 in first year of sobriety.

Darren G. GSR – Men in Recovery
Meeting strong in attendance.

Joe H. Alt GSR – Rock River Serenity
Good meeting. Attendance fluctuates.

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PI/CPC: Greg K – Greg sent information out all over the place. This is carried out every two or three years. He also notifies the Janesville Gazette when changes are made to the meeting schedules.

Hotline: Jimmy L. - Has had the hotline for five days. (1/4/10-1/8/10) Has taken six calls all wanting to know meeting locations and times. Five were referred to a meeting. All is going well and thank you for allowing him to have the hotline.

Grapevine: Tamra L. – has Grapevines for those going to corrections or treatment meetings. Has subscription cards for Grapevine subscriptions. There is a new handbook for Grapevine representatives. Cost \$55 a box for Grapevines. Please announce at your groups if anyone has Grapevine's they are not keeping Tamra will like to have them to help defray cost and is even willing to pick them up.

Corrections: Judy P – (absent) Maico has some funds for Big Books.

Bill is stepping down as men's corrections chair at the end of December. Bill is willing to help the new men's corrections chair transition into this vital service position. Men's correction meeting is on Wed at 7pm. Usually arrive at 6:30pm to be taken up for the meeting and the meeting ends around 8:30pm. The new men's corrections chair is Tom S.

Treatment: Randy W – Randy and Chuck H met with Belinda at Mercy and the bi-weekly AA speaker meeting will now become a weekly AA meeting. Belinda thanked AA for hurting the hospital's treatment business as the repeat treatment patients have now stayed sober and are not returning to treatment. Randy brought fliers regarding who to contact if you'd like to speak! You can take your sponsee and have them speak too! Contact Randy W or Chuck H if you're interested in this great service work. This months line up is set. Trying to have three months at a time prepared. When someone signs up a call is made to Randy to add the person on his list. Needs more schedules to take to facilities.

MAICO Rep: Elaine S – (absent)

Archives: Jerry H – (absent)

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Special Needs: Joe H – Joe contacted Jackson house and their higher ups are meeting on whether to allow AA in. Special Needs gets information out to the public. Can participate in city seminars and State presentations. Visit AA.org for guidelines. Joe will continue in this position.

Old Business:

Area 75 Fall Conference in Green Lake!

Wicypaa XVII Outreach Event Bingo! Saturday, November 14th @ Fitchburg Serenity Club. Speaker at 7:30pm or 8pm and Bingo from 9pm-Midnight. Cards are \$3 each.

Wicypaa outreach event – Traditions Workshop on Saturday, December 19th at the Fitchburg Serenity Club at 6048 McKee Rd. Madison, WI. 2pm-7pm with dinner provided. \$5 suggested donation for dinner.

Wicypaa outreach event – New Years lock in on Thursday December 31st 10pm until Friday January 1st 6am at the Fitchburg Serenity Club at 6048 McKee Rd. Madison, WI. There will be meetings, games, wii, and more!

District Elections!

Dick S accepted nomination and was voted DCM.

Joel B accepted nomination and was voted Alt-DCM.

Sue M accepted nomination and was voted Secretary.

Paige W accepted nomination and was voted Treasurer.

These new elected Service Members begin their 2 year commitment January 1st 2010.

Sharon G will be alt-DCM for the term beginning Jan 1st, 2010, as Joel is ready to step aside after 7 consecutive years of district officer service.

New Business:

Jean P – Report on Mini-Conference. Started with \$1150.05 ending with \$984.86.

Spent \$280 on raffles, suggest spending less on raffles next time. \$1358.00 in expenses.

This year fresh faces would be helpful. Not enough volunteers.. Started documenting .

No fall conference this year so hopefully will have better turnout. Start look for chair person in March 2010.

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Spring Conference is April 30th thru May 2nd in Oconomowoc, WI. Registration fliers should start popping up.

Wicypaa XVII Conference Friday January 22nd thru Sunday January 24th at Chula Vista Resort in WI Dells. Registration is \$15 through Saturday Dec 5th, then \$20 thereafter. Registration fliers are available at www.wicypaa.org and floating around various clubhouses. Be sure to mention “wicypaa” when making your Chula Vista reservations for a special reduced rate. Tamra will be speaking on Friday night. Josh from Canada will be speaking on Sat. Less from Madison will be speaking Sunday. Friday night waterpark. Dance Saturday. Do not have to pre-register.

Area 75 Winter Service Session on January 24th from 9am – 3pm at the Madison Senior Center. DCM school.

Motion made and passed to print 3000 meeting schedules.

Ann M. makes amend to Randy W. for throwing bag of frozen tater tots at him.

Meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Next District GSR meeting Friday, February 5th at 6:30pm.