

R.R.A.G.S. DEC 15, 1986

Meeting opened per tradition by Vice-Chairperson: Steve L.

Attending: Tom B., Jeff B., Mike Car., Mike Cas., Marti D., Kim G., Jack J., Dewaine J., Lynda L., Steve L., Jan L., Tim R., Helen R., David R., Renardo W., Steven L., Tim B., Philip Z., Wes W., (? GSR's or alternates voting)

Secretary's Report - Dave S.

Motion made to reimburse Dave S. \$23.78 used for Xerox and stamps during the month of November. Carried.

Minutes from November read and amended.

Treasure's Report - Jan L.

General Fund.....	\$ 70.39
Funding & Finance.....	\$500.00
Hospitals & Institutions (credit).....	\$ 30.78
Literature.....	\$707.23
Public Information.....	\$ 41.00
Accounts Receivable.....	\$ 58.50
Accounts Payable.....	\$ 0.00

Group Reports

Every Day Unity Group - 322 Cedar Street, Rockford.
GSR - Lori B., (Kim G. Reporting)
GSR alt - Tina B.,

Chair People are not showing up to open meetings. Key's for each meeting are not matching up with numbers. Plans to start a Wed. midnight meeting. Dec. 21, 1986 - Tree trimming party and pot luck dinner. Gift exchange optional. Buisness meeting now held on the last Sun. of the month at 6:00 pm. \$43.49 donation to area, 11.68 H&I donation.

Every Day Freedom by Choice - 904 Broadway, Rockford.
GSR - Ruben R.,
GSR alt - Steve L.,

There has been a problem with money being taken from this group, and also with people hanging out at the meeting place after meeting times. The problem concerning the mental hospital patients (see the minutes from the last two months) attending this meeting is taking care of itself. This group would like to host a Christmas event.

Mon & Thur Sinnissippi Mental Health - Dixon Illinois.
GSR - Steve G.,
GSR alt - Tim R.,

Avg. 10-12 addicts, mostly people in treatment.

Tues LSSI Group - Sterling Illinois.
GSR - Fabian.,
GSR alt - Tim R.,

Attendance has been pretty good, avg. 5-12 addicts.
This meeting seems like it is going to work out fine. First
Buisness meeting on Dec. 23rd 1986 at 7:00 pm. \$5.00 area
donation.

Tues Corny but Clean - Dekalb
GSR - Marti D.,

Attendance avg. 5-10 addicts. \$3.20 area donation.
\$0.63 H&I donation.

Tues O.D.A.A.T. - 431 Olympia Blvd, Beloit.
GSR - Dave S.,

Speaker meeting went well last month, still needs
to elect sec/tres & pay rent. Otherwise doing well, mostly
addicts in treatment.

Tues & Sat New You - 303 S. Galena Ave, Freeport
GSR - Renardo W.,

Attendance avg. 5-10 addicts. Have been having some
problems with advice giving at meetings and with 12th tradition
violations. This group will be hosting the next area service
meeting. (see map) This group will have a representative at the
next F&F subcommitee meeting in order to form some type of
area activity in Freeport. \$5.00 donation to area.

Tues & Fri Alpha I & II - 317 Dodge St., Janesville.
GSR - Troy D., (Tom B. reporting)

Needs support, otherwise doing well.

Wed Recovery Actually Works - 511 Public - Beloit.
GSR - Tom B..

This group is now keeping it's funds and literature
on the premises in a locked box. Attendance avg. 8-10 addicts.
This group will be 1 year old on Jan 28, 1987, and is holding a
potluck and speaker meeting the last Wed. in January. Show up
and help support. This is still the strongest meeting in Beloit.

Wed & Sat Winners - Belvidere
GSR - Sandy Z.,

NO REPRESENTATIVE

Wed & Thurs Free Group - Rockford
GSR - Mike Car.,
GSR alt - Tyna B.,

Attendance avg. 15-17 addicts, would like more outside support.

THURS Love is our Drug - dekalb
GSR, Sec. - Bob L.,
Tres., - Dewaine J.,

NO REPORT RECIEVED

Thurs & Sat Diamond Group - 749 Bluff, Beloit.
GSR - Helen R.,
GSR alt, Tres. - Phil Z.,

Formerly called the "Genesis" group. Local treatment center no longer requires it's patients to attend this meeting, so attendance has dropped. But what it has lost in quantity it has gained in quality. Would welcome outside support.

Sat Loveland Group - Dixon
GSR - Tim R.,

This meeting will probably close due to lack of interest.

Sat Omega - Janesville
GSR - Phil T.,

NO REPRESENTATIVE

Sat Stop Using, Start Living - Dekalb
GSR - Dewaine J.,
GSR alt - Mike B.,

NO REPORT RECIEVED

Correction!!!!!! The amounts given in the treasure's report last month for the General Fund & for F&F were incorrect. They should have read: General Fund - \$258.06, F&F - \$1075.00
My appologies.

ASR Report - Mike Cas.,

Attended Meeting in Lake Borderline area.

Organizer's appologize for the chaos which surrounded the event.

F&F is just getting started, Joe C. from Rockford is the chairperson. Needs ideas for fundraiser items (ie t-shirts, etc)

The regional meeting list is done and should be put together into a booklet soon. H&I & PI have put together a package on how to start H&I subcommittees in a new area.

There was more dicussion about It Works: How and Why. Asked that groups involved in reviewing it finish up by next regional service meeting. \$11.13 area donation

The West-Suburbs area has pullec out of the region.

The nest regional service meeting will be held in Rockford Memorial hospital, cafe room #3, on Dec. 28th at 9:00 am.

ASR report accepted.

FUNDING & FINANCE - Linda L.,

\$76.94 donation to area, profit from the turkey dinner.

There is a dance on Jan. 3, the proceeds of which will go to send a representative from the region to WSO. Fliers are not ready for the dance.

This committee is having problems with organization, and with their secratary.

HOSPITALS & INSTITUTIONS - Jan L.,

\$18.31 donation to area.

Asked for \$164.37 in literature. Taking literature into panel discussions is going well.

Needs suport, monday nights, 7:00 at Sweeds, asked for volunteers. Wes V. volunteered.

Jan resigning as chair.

Talk about suppling literature to Chrystler, tabled until money is avaiable.

Jeff B - said he was planning to go speak at East-Moline prison at the request of the AA H&I chairperson. Asked if this was OK with other members. Input given, group concious was positive.

H&I report accepted.

OUTREACH COMMITTEE - Ruben R.,

Ruben is resigning, Jack J is the new chairperson.

Have not been very active this month. Have been invited to attend meetings in Elgin, on Thurs. nights at 8:00. This is an institutional meeting. It is co-ed.

The outreach committee still needs volunteers, ESP drivers.

Outreach committee report accepted.

PUBLIC INFORMATION - Ruben R.,

Adopting policies suggested in th NA PI guide.

Motion made to ask GSR's to ask their local librarys if they would like a copy of the Basic Text.

This committe needs area groups to support it.

Asked for the remaining 2 PSA's. Tabled untill money is avaiable.

Asked for hotline volunteers, sign up sheet passed around.

Needs PI volunteers for instutional & media contacts. 6 month clean time requirment.

Invited F&F & H&I members to next PI meeting.

PI report accepted.

MCC III Report.- Helen R. reporting.

Subcommittee's are doing well, but we would appreciate support from anyone who has tome, talent or both to offer.

We have T-shirts and other merchandise for sale at MCC3 functions.

The Mostaciolli dinner and talent show was a success for recovery, even if it wasn't financially.

We have been getting a lot of out of town support at our functions. One reason for this might be because the flyers have been well distributed.

The program sub-committee has confirmed our key note speakers, they are Bob R, sydney R, Leah G, and Mack M. They have all been involved in NA service on the world level.

The M.C.C.III has decided we will form our own Public Information subcommittee instead of relying on the region to handle our PI work.

UP COMMING MINI-CONFERENCES

Jan 24, 1987 - Mahomet, Ill.
Apr 4, 1987 - Madison, Wi.
May 17, 1987 - Milwaukee, Wi.
May 23, 1987 - Joliet, Ind. (tentative)

M.C.C.III Report accepted.

OLD BUISINES -

Kim - asked for people willing to work on It Works, How & Why

NEW BUISINES -

Jack J - Resigning as the Vice-treasurer. There will be an election to fill this position at th next Area-service meeting. NOMINATIONS - Steve L -Accepted. Tim B - Accepted.

Tabled untill next meeting, carried.

Helen R/Jeff B.- Made motion to give 10% of funds to the region every time we meet. Carried.

Renardo - Asked about upcomming events sheet (see last month's) minutes. Sorry, there is none this month either. Look for it next time.

Motion made to ask GSR's to bring up at buisness meetings how to generate more support for area functions. Carried.

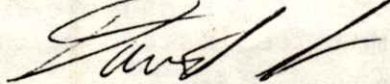
Next Area-Service meeting in freeport at 303 south Galena

Motion made by Mike Cas. to change meeting format. Not Carried.
Motion made by Ruben R. to change format (different than Mike's)
Not carried.

Motion made to buy IP's for Abaris for the use of their facilities.
Carried

Motion made to close meeting. Carried

In service & fellowship,
(sorry they are so late)



Dave S. (608-362-0031)