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ROCK RIVER AREA GROUP SERVICES

February 8, 1986

Meeting opened per tradition by Chairperson, Jeff B.

Roll Call: Jeff B., Ben W., Helen R., Mike C., Pam U., Mike H., Yvonne S., Greg L.,
Jan L., Jeff J., Pat Z., Marsha L.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Minutes from January read and
accepted.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on Hand	\$ 85.12
Literature	?
Accounts Receivable	19.50
Accounts Payable	0
F & F	\$ 100.00

GROUP REPORTS

Monday	Sinnissippi Mental Health GSR - Steve G.	No Representative
M, Th	Shadow Group GSR - None	Attendance low, needs support
& Fri	Clean & Serene GSR - Ben W.	This meeting has closed. Donation \$52.00
Tuesday	Omega - Beloit GSR - Helen R.	20 attending, but most are treatment people, needs outside support, contri- butions low
T & F	Alpha I & II GSR - Mike H.	Attendance 30 on Tues, 18 on Fri. \$15.04 H&I donation. Had some new people from Delavan attend.
W (new mtg.)	First United Methodist Ch. 511 Public - Beloit	Mike C. reported this mtg. is off to a good start
W & Th	Free Group - Rockford GSR - Greg L.	10-15 attending. Wed. is no longer a step mtg. and needs outside support. Thurs. doing well. \$10.00 donation.
W & Sat	Winners - Belvidere GSR - None	No Representative
Thursday	Genesis - Beloit GSR - Mike C.	Open Bible Academy - 916 Bushnell. 3-6 attending Non-Smoking
Thursday	Kishwaukee treatment Center	No Representative
M,T,Fri	Omega - Rockford GSR - Jeff J.	20-25 attendance, \$15.00 donation

Friday	St. Anskars - Rockford	No Representative
Fri., Sat., Sun.	Clean & Crazy GSR - Tom B.	No Rep. - Pat Z. brought H&I donation of \$3.18
Saturday	Advent Christian Church Prophetstown GSR - Renee C.	No Representative
Saturday	Addicts Forever - Beloit	No donation, need to buy literature with money. Good Meeting
Saturday	Omega - Janesville GSR Alt. - Yvonne S.	\$10. Donation
Daily Meetings	Freedom By Choice GSR - John L.	Jan L. reported the groups new name. Also, an H&I learning day, and pizza & speaker mtg. in Feb. see attached flyers. Attendance growing, \$20. donation.

ASR Report

Ben W. brought to the administrative meeting some different problems some of the groups have been experiencing. Suggestions were made to:

1. Review the working guide for trusted servants.
2. Make a list of responsibilities for chairperson and furnish at all meetings.

The majority of areas voted that they would be better served by smaller regions, however, the Mid-Coast Regional Service Conference and committees will continue to function as usual until mandated by the Fellowship to do otherwise.

The Region is talking about a regional retreat, Ben will bring us more information on this as it occurs.

Information will be forthcoming regarding a Regional midnight cruise in Chicago, June 22, tickets for \$15. will be available in March from the ASR.

Ben made a motion that the area buy 10 regional mtg. directories, 2nd by Pam U. Motion carried.

Regarding World Convention in London. - W.S.O. has received bids from different travel agencies for package plans. The agency chosen is Cardillo Travel Systems (1-800-421-7337), if you desire to use them. There are 3 hotels with reserved blocks of rooms, one at the convention site and 2 others 15 minutes away. A double room at the convention site for 4 nights including flight from Chicago is \$799. Other hotels are less. Registration is \$30. before March 1, \$35. after, banquet is \$25. Other NA members are working on charter price packages also, hopefully there will be a better price available.

H & I REPORT

H & I has a new chairperson - Jeff J. of Rockford

\$32.37 donation to the Area.

Out of the \$20. petty cash fund \$19.30 was spent on stamps, envelopes and misc. supplies.

Jeff J. made a motion asking for \$71.65 worth of literature. Pam U. 2nd - Motion carried.

Literature is being sent to:

Sweedish American Hospital
Rochelle Hospital
Mendota Hospital
Winnebago County Jail
Al-Tech of Rockford

H & I asked for 200 meeting schedules to stockpile for future needs.

There will be a H & I workshop and learning day February 22, at 904 Broadway, see attached flyer for more info.

The next H & I meeting will be Saturday, March 1, at 515 North Main St. (Unity Church) at 5:30p.m. (following the 4:00 recovery meeting)

F & F REPORT

At last ASR meeting a decision was made to purchase \$100. worth of coffee due to price increases. Several cans were purchased, however, the entire amount was not spent, therefore, some money was returned to the group.

\$190. profit was made from the February 1 dance in Beloit.

There will be a dance March 8 in Rockford at U.A.W. hall. See attached flyer.

Pam made a motion to give away a Basic Text to the newcomer during the clean time countdown. Motion carried. Motion made by Yvonne S. for a flat \$5.00 admittance charge, Mike H. 2nd, motion carried. However, no one will be turned away on the basis of lack of funds, pass the word discreetly.

Plans for a dance tentativly April 12 at U-Rock are in process.

Stronghold Retreat - Registration will be handled a little differently, with the \$50. registration fee being paid in full, in advance. Flyers forthcoming.

New ideas for summer are being talked about. Canoe trips, picnics, etc. Your input is welcome on these and other ideas.

Jeff B. asked to purchase 2 reams of paper for reproducing flyers. Mike C. made a motion to reimburse Jeff for purchase, Ben W. 2nd - Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

As a result of group conscious, Rock River Area General Services name has been changed to Rock River Area Group Services.

Stockpiling of chips, medallions and other items. GSR's please take a group conscious at next business meeting. Do you want Area Services to stockpile items from W.S.O.? If so, what items are you interested in? List items and quantities and input at next Area meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

#168 Jan L. made a motion for the Area to donate \$20. in expenses for several people to attend the H & I swap meet in Chicago on February 15. Greg L. 2nd - Motion carried.

Pam U. announced 2 new N.A. meetings have been started inside General Motors Corp. of Janesville for employees only.

#169 A new Area secretary was chosen to replace Jim P. Pat Z. was nominated and accepted the position.

The next Area Service meeting will be March 9, 1:00 sub-committee's, 2:00 Area mtg. at Freedom By Choice Group 904 Broadway, Rockford.

Meeting closed per tradition.

Your Trusted Servant,



Pat Z.