

R.R.A.G.S. AREA MINUTES
 MARCH 3, 1991
 KSB HOSPITAL
 DIXON, IL.

Meeting opened @ 2:01 p.m. with a moment of silence followed by the We version of the Serenity Prayer, The Twelve Traditions and the Service Workers Prayer. A warm welcome was given to two members and one group attending their first ASC meeting. 13 GSR's were present. In attendance were Brian L, Les G, Steve W, Karl H, Eugene S, William K, Laura L, Judy C, Andy P, O.J. J, Greg R, Rick M, Oliver E, Gregg P, Raymond H, Terry O, John H, Raychel O, Donald B, Fuzzy W, Tom C, Brett L, Steve C, Greg W, Brian M, Bill C, Gary T, Billy W and Laurie V.

Minutes were reviewed.

Corrections for February Minutes:

Freedom To Grow Group no longer has a Monday 7:00 a.m. meeting, minutes reflected the Monday 7:00 p.m. meeting.

Motion to accept minutes - 2nd - carried.

Chairperson Report

No report.

Vice Chairperson Report

No report

Secretaries Report

No report

Treasurer's Report

General Fund	2114.61
F&F	500.00
	1614.61

Accounts Payable

Ill. Bell (bills not turned in)	
R. Business Network	
<u>Reimb/Comm Res.</u>	
Donald B. (F&F Dep. Stronghold)	265.00
Donald B. (Valentine's Cake)	20.00
Sue M (Meat Reimb.)	20.00
Donald B (Working Reserve)	20.00
Brian L (Pat. Reserve)	20.00
Greg R (Outreach)	10.00
John W (Literature Reimb.)	65.88
	<u>420.88</u>

Expenses

CSU Literature	936.50
Unity (7th Tradition)	15.61
G.I.R.C.N.A.	468.77
	<u>1420.88</u>

Accounts Receivable

Group Donations	294.50
7th Tradition	15.61
Literature	55.00
Unknown Money	40.00
	<u>465.11</u>

The Alt. Treasurer sat in for the Treasurer, the checkbook balances.
 Motion to accept Report - 2nd - carried.

Alt. Treasurer's Report

No report.

ASR Report

Mailing address for Region:

G.I.R.S.N.A.

P.O. Box 6326

Peoria, Il. 61601-6326

Region is still in need of an Alt. Secretary, Alt. Treasurer and a P.I. Chairperson.

H&I

They are working on their boundaries and an H&I meeting list. Chuck from Bloomington was elected as H&I Secretary. H&I will meet March 17th at the Lighthouse at 1:00 in Bloomington.

F&F

There were 7 people in attendance. Elections were held. Arrangements were made for the C.A.R. review. F&F has made plans for a weekend of volleyball and other activities for the second weekend in July. Pre-registration would be greatly appreciated.

Lit.

According to WSC, the I.P. "In Times of Illness" will be worked on for another year. The committee discussed the three items in the C.A.R. for 1991 which were the I.P. "For Those in Treatment", Literature Committee Guidelines and the "A" list.

P.I.

Didn't Meet.

Alt. ASR Report

Not present.

AFC Report

The Valentines Dance was a tremendous success. Mary B carried a good message. The committee would like to thank all the people who helped decorate and clean up. Total debits 300.73, total credits 912.20, and total proceeds were 611.47. Five registrations for the St. Patricks Mini-Conference were raffled off. Total for the raffle was 150.00. The speaker for the Mini-Conference is Mike H of Clinton IA. Anyone wanting a linen package of \$3.50 must notify the chairperson by March 11. Flyers for the Bishop Lane Retreat are out. The retreat will be held May 3 thru June 2nd. The fundraiser for this retreat will be April 5th at Kenrock Community Center. Flyers for the fundraiser will be mailed out. AFC committee is in need of support.

Motion: \$150. for pop & water & supplies for the Mini-Conference - 2nd - carried.

Motion: \$100. for rent deposit for the Fundraiser at Kenrock - 2nd - carried.

P.I.

We need support. Our Vice-chairperson has resigned. Elections for this position will be held next month. Due to the lack of support we will not be involved in the Machesney Park Mall Drug Awareness weekend. Rockford Register Star will be running meeting schedules in the Community Notes section on Sundays on a rotating basis.

H&I

We will be having an H&I Learning Day on March 9th from noon till 4:00 at the New You Group in Freeport. Come and learn about H&I. We have a new addition to our orientations. We will be facilitating at the Wave Shelter. We need an Alt. contact person for the Phase/Wave facility. Clean time requirement is 6 months.

Outreach

February was not a good month for the subcommittee as far as supporting meetings. We are in the process of regrouping and hopefully we as members of this committee will fulfill our obligations as scheduled.

Literature Report

Invoice of 474.50 for CSU has been submitted. We need money for the C.A.R. books in the amount of \$225. plus 8% shipping, bringing it to a total of \$243.00. We will be saving the area \$33.20 by picking up the literature from Chicago. Literature workshops are still being held on Tues. & Thurs. @ 7:00 p.m. @ 324 Cedar St. The new booklets "The Group Booklet" which replaces "The Group Starter Kit" and "Behind The Walls" are available for purchase @ .50 each.

P&P

Didn't meet.

Newsletter

We distributed 550 copies of the February issue. We are now in search of facilities to produce the future issues. Our present arrangements have come to an end. We need someone with a copier to produce the next issue.

Motion: \$150. for printing the next 2 issues - 2nd - carried.

Forming a New Region Adhoc Committee Report

There has been no support, flyers have been made and distributed. Total attendance for our last meeting was 5 addicts. Elections were not held. Next meeting will be Sunday March 24th @ 1:00p.m. @ Cedar St.

Bid Committee Report

Chairperson not present.

Motion: This ASC send Billy W to talk to committee members, close out the account and give an updated report at next ASC. -2nd - carried.

Adhoc Guide to Service Committee

Draft of the New Guide to Service Structure and The Twelve Concepts are available and drafts have been distributed.

Group Reports

Unity First

Average attendance is 18, asc donation is \$26.00. Our group has not had enough attendance to elect liaisons to the AFC & Outreach committees. No group conscious taken on the ASC motions.

Recovery Through Unity

Average attendance is 8 to 10. Friday's Tradition study meeting has moved to Wednesday. We need support. ASC donation is \$23.00.

Growth Thru Unity

Average attendance is 30. ASC donation is \$38.00. Recovery has been good. We have been getting alot of newcomers, our family is growing. Changes in our schedule are: Every wed. step study cancelled and changed to every 2nd & 4th Wednesday are now open lead speaker/literature meeting. Open meetings are Sundays, Mondays and every 2nd & 4th Wednesdays. Our outreach rep's are Tom C & Kevin C.

Unity at Midnight

We will begin lead topic speaker meetings effective 3/20/91. Our average attendance is 20 and our ASC donation is \$19.00. The secretary is still performing treasurer duties. Business meeting changed to the Saturday before ASC meeting.

Group reports cont.

KISS ASS

Steve K is our new co-chairperson. Terry O, new Alt. GSR. March 17th we will be having a potluck/speaker meeting. Potluck at 6:00 and speaker Bobby A at 8:00. Midnight meetings are closed. Average attendance is 20-25, ASC donation is \$50.00.

New You Group

Average attendance is 5, ASC donation is \$10.00. We will be having a Workshop, Fellowship, Potluck on March 23rd. Flyers to be mailed out.

Hip To Be Square

Meetings are growing and doing well. Average attendance is 8 to 10. Adhock committee has been formed to look into a new meeting facility. More will be revealed. Area donation is \$100.00

Love Group

The Love group needs support. We now have a new location in case everyone didn't know and we are now a smoking meeting again. We will be taking elections for Secretary & Treasurer on the 22nd of March. Average attendance is 6 and ASC donation is \$5.00. Mike L from Belvidier spoke for us last Friday and carried an excellent message. Next month U.J. from Pecatonica will be our speaker on April 5th at 8:00.

Gimme a Break

No show

Free Group

No show

Liberty Hill

Average attendance is about 5 on wed. and 1 Or 2 on Saturday. We are in need of support. ASC donation is \$10.00.

Freedom To Grow

Average attendance is 8 to 10. No ASC donation this month. Motion: Area Secretary send area minutes directly to each group - 2nd - Motion Falls.

Ties That Bind Us

No Show

Never Alone

Average attendance is 3, ASC donation is \$10.00. we need support.

Just For Today

No report

No Name Group

Fundraiser function on March 22nd at Kenrock. Speaker Greg L at 7:00 p.m and dance at 8:00 till midnight. Contest for naming the group. March 22nd at Midnight will be our first meeting. We are located in Loves Park at the Union Hall buildings on Windsor & North 2nd.

Old Business

Motion: To reconsider policy #437

Motion: To postpone policy motions until next ASC meeting - 2nd - carried.

Old Business Cont.

Motion: To withdraw from GIRSCNA and go with the New non-named forming region.

Motion: To consider this motion as a policy motion (2/3 vote) - 2nd - carried.

Motion: To withdraw from GIRSCNA and go with the New non-named forming Region. - 2nd - Motion fails.

Motion: To abolish the forming a new Region Adhoc Committee - 2nd - carried.

Motion: To add Freedom to Grow Group to the Area Rotation. - 2nd - carried.

Motion: To put Rockford Unity Group after Freeport for Rotation. - 2nd - carried.

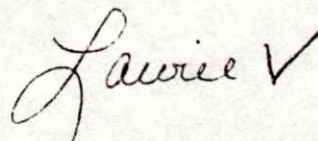
New Area Rotation:
Rockford - Freedom To Grow
Sterling
Freeport
Rockford - Unity
Dixon

New Business

Motion : To accept Regional P&P package as formated. - 2nd - carried.

7th Tradition
Motion To Close

In Loving Service,



Laurie V