



ROCKLAND COUNTY INTERGROUP  
Minutes from July 2, 2013

Group Representatives present: Airmont Group, Congers By the Book, Fellowship Road, Freedom of Choice, Grapevine Group, Key to Sobriety, New Horizons, New Light Group, Pearl River Group, Sloatsburg Group, S.O.S. Group, Suffern Group, Step By Step, Sunrise Group, Thruway Men's Group.

Meeting was opened with the Serenity Prayer. 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition was read.

REPORTS

Secretary Report: (Anne) Read and accepted.

Share-A-Day: (Shifra) Share-A-Day will be held on Sunday, September 8, 2013 @ Camp Ramah, 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. Planning Committee continues to meet on the last Saturday of the month @ 9:30 a.m. at the Nanuet Diner. Motion to advance Share-A-Day \$400 to cover food and insurance shortfall is discussed and passed without opposition. It is anticipated that with \$5 ticket price (suggested) and Seventh Tradition collection, the event will come close to breaking even. Flyers will be available to distribute to home groups shortly.

Treasurer: (Jamie) Opening working balance for June was \$1,134.54. Group contributions were \$846.78 plus \$50.00 meeting list sales. Total expenses during the month were \$628.62, leaving a closing working balance of \$1,402.70 (plus \$5,500 prudent reserve = \$6,902.70 total funds).

SENY Liaison: (Mike D) Rockland County General Services is putting a committee together to find out which home groups do not have GSRs, visit those groups, and share with them the benefits of becoming linked to AA as a whole. The newly revitalized Special Needs Committee needs support.

Women's Corrections: (Caitlin) To clear up confusion and misinformation about dress code, meeting times and requirements for bringing meetings to the Rockland County Jail, she will write up current guidelines, review them with the corrections liaison and present them to Intergroup next month for approval to distribute to potential volunteers for this vital service.

**Men's Corrections:** No report.

Meeting Lists: Updated lists will be available within the next few weeks. The next printing will be reduced by a third (from 3,000 to 2,000), with more frequent printings as needed. Kristina will look into increasing the number of open meeting lists printed to meet the demand of locations served by the Public Information Committee.

Answering Service: (Jenny) New procedures are in place, groups are sending her their lists, and feedback from Foremost is positive.



H&I: Brian, by proxy, sends reminder that the next H&I Bookers meeting will be Thursday, July 18, 8pm at Rockland Psych Center, Dr Blaisdell ATC, Building 57, 5th floor, Orangeburg.

Bookers Exchange: No report.

P.I.: Sheila will be presenting a Speaker Orientation for SENY P.I. Chairs to train their local P.I. representatives to speak at non-AA meetings. Please remind home groups that the Rockland County P.I. Committee meets the second Wednesday of the month, 7:30pm – 8:30pm @ Christ Church in Suffern (Washington Ave. & E. Maple Ave.) and all are welcome!

**Website:** No report.

Volunteerism Committee: No report.

Young People in A.A.: (Connor) Reminders: YPAA First Annual Empire State Unity Day will be held on Saturday, July 27 in NYC. Unity Day events are free and will be held in Central Park; the evening boat party requires ticket purchase (by July 17). For information and registration go to [nycypaa.org/fellowship](http://nycypaa.org/fellowship). Hudson Valley YPAA is hosting its 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Burning Desire Bonfire, August 2-4. For information and flyers, go to [hvypaa.com](http://hvypaa.com).

### **OLD BUSINESS**

John W. reports that the S.O.S. Group may have found a new meeting space in Tappan.

Tim C. from Fellowship Road reports that the group needs to find a new meeting space. Please spread the word at your home groups, and if anyone has contacts at Dominican College, STAC or St. Dominic, or other possibilities nearby, please let him know.

Literature orders will soon (this summer) be available on-line @ [aa.org](http://aa.org).

### **NEW BUSINESS**

No new business.

Motion to close at 8:57 pm; meeting was closed with the Serenity Prayer.