

ROCKLAND COUNTY INTERGROUP Minutes from August 4, 2015

Group Representatives present: Cavedwellers, Congers by the Book, Fellowship Road, Footprints, Grapevine Group, Keep on Steppin, Key to Sobriety, Live and Let Live, New Horizons, New Light Group, Ray W, Promises (Garnerville), Sloatsburg, Step by Step, Suffern Group, West Nyack Group,

<u>REPORTS</u> Secretary Report: Read and accepted

Share-A-Day:

Committee moving forward. Speaker slots getting filled. Need to push ticket sales in order to make this a fully self supported event. One more planning committee meeting 8/29 9:30AM at Nanuet Diner. Volunteers are also accepted on the day of the event. Any chairs interested in having a table at the information/literature center to see John for more details. Feedback about pictures of social media will be addresses by the same statement issued at the Atlanta 2015 conference. Donations for food are welcome. 917-597-2923 call John for any questions. John will be rotating out and confident that the committee is left if good hands.

Treasurer:

No Report.

SENY Liaison:

7/11 Bronx meeting attended. Orange county share a day was not attended but he will receive feedback and bring to the group. Bronx share a day on 9/26, Spiritual Breakfast 9/11, other ongoing events attended and went well. NY finances in not so good condition looking for contributions from anniversary club.

10/10 GSR and Intergroup workshop. 9:30 Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bronx, NY. Attendance is strongly recommended.

Women's Corrections:

Good movement this month. Janet taking over Mondays with Denise. Wednesdays are also covered. 5 members are now on the corrections committee. SENY meetings on hiatus for the summer. Dress codes have gotten stricter. New list of acceptable attire is available from the committee members.

Men's Corrections:

Continue to have an opening on Monday. Jail is temporarily covered for Mondays but need to be taken back. Funds requested for literature.

Meeting Lists:



Meeting lists will be printed soon. Any changes or additions should be in contact with Dan 845-304-2904. List to go to print by the end of September. Funds for meeting lists sold.

Answering Service:

Good coverage so far. Sometimes the list that is loaded into the website gets deleted. August commitments read and groups have been notified. Cave Dwellers will be added to the phone service rotation for 2016. 2016 rotation and schedule will be worked on soon, new groups should contact the Kristina if they wish to be added. 12 Step call list to be submitted by groups.

H&I:

Katie only nine group showed up July and August hard time with no-shows making a lot of calls handed out a flyer to reps from groups Housh showed up possible alternate Suffern, Pearl River, New Horizons groups have donated books. 16 groups not participating in county also chairs not showing any issues please call Katie back ups welcomed suggested to go onto website to put name down to be an alternate speaker or chairperson.

Bookers Exchange:

Next meeting coming up on 9/1 at 7pm. Please advise the groups that there is no smoking or vaping on the grounds of the school anymore.

P.I.:

Tremendous turn out at PI meeting. The word spread very far that the PI needed support. Next meeting is 8/12 at 7:30pm. Mailers will be prepared to distribute to high schools for speakers that are available. Attendance is encouraged. Meeting location Christ Church in Suffern.

Website:

PI has accepted the submission of Charlie as the webmaster. Steve has turned over the responsibilities. Email <u>adsr13@gmail.com</u>. See below at New Business for more information.

Volunteerism Committee:

Anne L stepping down from the Volunteerism Committee. Section 7 of the by laws for description of the position.

As of now the term will only be for the remainder of the year.

Young People in A.A.:

Events, time and locations are read more information.

YP in AA in Rockland will be taking a commitment in H&I. Group is growing strongly and will be six months old and added to the meeting list.



OLD BUSINESS:

~Adding service speakers from intergroup for share day

~Pearl river is suggesting to do an answering service workshop. Pearl River to initiate and will be discussed at next business meeting.

~Concerns of pics from Share-A- day on social media

NEW BUSINESS

YP in AA. Currently no position in the by laws. Wade suggestion is the have Nick document what he is currently doing to create the structure of the chair as well as discuss with the other NY resources.

Website: Looking to modernize the RCAA website. The primary way that the public is accessing the website is on mobile device. More current software will be needed which is currently not be able to be supported. Will be easier to continue the spirit of rotation. Time and cost will be an issue.

First decision to be made is whether or not this change is needed to be done.

Motion made for the PI committee to continue to explore methodology made and accepted.

Motion to close.