



6.2.2020

## ROCKLAND COUNTY INTERGROUP

### Minutes from 6/2/2020

**Group Representatives:** Congers by the Book, Pearl River Group, SOS Group, Sunrise, Suffern, Garnerville Promises, GSR Group, West Nyack Group, Thruway Men's Group, Grapevine, Bookers Exchange Chair, Answering Service Chair, PI Chair, GSR Liaison, Webmaster, H&I Chair, Treasurer, Secretary and 2 Visitors. 21 in attendance. Please remember to sign in as an officer/chair, group rep, or visitor.

May's Intergroup meeting was via Zoom online due to the prohibition of gatherings.

### REPORTS:

**Secretary Report:** Gabby G

A quorum was established. Minutes from May were reviewed, and no corrections noted. Minutes were accepted.

**Treasurer Report:** Ray M

P.O. Box 706, West Nyack, NY 10994

Read for May and accepted with comments and a minor typo.

Opening working balance: \$ 7,310.59

Group 7th Tradition: \$ 718.85

Mailing Lists: \$

Expenses: \$ -122.95

Closing Working Balance: \$ 7,906.49

Working Balance (excluding prudent reserve of \$6.3k): \$ 509.49

Share-A-Day (Not RCI Money): \$ 1,097.00



We received group 7th Tradition of **\$ 718.85**.

Freedom of Choice	\$ 200.00
Pearl River	\$ 20.00
Suffern	\$ 50.00
Garnerville Promises	\$ 180.00
PayPal	\$ 126.85
No Name Checks	\$ 125.00

We thank your Group for your support of Rockland County Intergroup.

We received requests and paid bills totaling ( **\$ - 122.95**)

Verizon	\$ 45.95
St. Stephen's - Rent	\$ 60.00
Website	\$ 17.00

Please contact me, if needed, via e-mail: [rcitreasurer@aarockland.org](mailto:rcitreasurer@aarockland.org) or

call me ~ and I will arrange payments and pickups.

Please make 7th Tradition checks to: Rockland County Intergroup of A.A.

\*Please share at business meetings that Intergroup needs 7<sup>th</sup> tradition donations to continue AA work in Rockland County

**Public Information:** Rachel

No Report



**Bookers:** Jeff B

Since Churches are still not open, there is no definite date for the Bookers Meeting. The tentative date is still July 7<sup>th</sup>, but look at email for further information.

**Meeting Lists:** Kevin B

No lists were sent to the printers this month as the meetings are continuing through Zoom.

**H & I** Thomas K

Zoom Meetings are now taking place regularly at Good Samaritan Hospital, Nyack Hospital and Open Arms. Speakers are needed for these meetings, there will be a link on the Website to sign up.

Virtual meetings for hospitals:

Nyack Hospital: Tuesday at 7PM, Thursday at 7PM, Friday at 7PM, and Saturday at 7PM

Good Sam Hospital: Sunday at 1030AM, Monday at 630PM, Wednesday at 630PM, and Saturday at 10:30AM

I do not have information on the day/time for Open Arms so if you are interested, please contact H&I for details.

PLEASE share with your groups and your network that they are in need of speakers. Anyone interested in speaking should send an email to H&I via the [rocklandnyaa.org](https://rocklandnyaa.org) website. There is a link on the bottom right of the home page for H&I. Here is the direct link you can share: <https://rocklandnyaa.org/get-involved/intergroup/hospitals-and-institution/>

**Answering Service:** Avraham S (443.416.2765)

Please get lists to Avraham at least 3-5 days prior. Currently lists are coming in regularly and on time. The website holds the information for Answering Service including the calendar.

A further reminder that people on call do not need to call in to 'check in'. This is important as each call over 100 calls cost \$0.65 per call. Please remind all groups of this.

**Share-A-Day:** Thomas K and Jennifer F

Share-a-Day is currently still planned to go ahead, the date is still TBA and details will be discussed as the time draws nearer.

**Service:** Mike S. and Kevin K.

Not Present



**SENY liaison:** Sean M

Not Present. Kevin B reported that there are three events coming up.

June 13<sup>th</sup> - Post Conference Assembly, July 12<sup>th</sup> – Accessibilities Workshop, Ad Hoc Committee will be holding a Service Job Workshop over two Thursdays.

Please check the events calendar on rocklandnyaa.org (<https://rocklandnyaa.org/events/>) for a full list of all AA activities happening in the area.

**Women's Corrections:** Jessica V

Not Present

**Men's Corrections:** Chris N

No Report.

**Website:** Diane

The wording of Zoom Meetings will now be called Virtual Meetings. All Announcements are put on the Rockland Web Page. (<https://rocklandnyaa.org/events/>)

**Young People in AA:** Eric H

Not Present

**Old Business:**

A Motion was put forward to create a Committee for Bridging the Gap as an Intergroup Committee. 16 in favor - The motion was carried and the Bye Laws will be worked on by said committee in due course. A vote will take place at next month's Intergroup Meeting regarding who will take the position of Chair. The suggested sobriety for the post will be 2 years.

**New Business:**

Currently it is too early to discuss re-opening Meetings. Virtual Meetings will continue to be held for those that cannot access in person meetings and this would fall under Accessibilities, this may be a separate position in Intergroup.

A Motion was put forward to continue paying the rent of \$60 per month to St. Stephen's Church for the Intergroup Meeting Space. 12 in favor, 1 opposed, 3 abstentions – The Motion was carried.

**Meeting closed at 9:00 PM**