

PHILADELPHIA AREA SERVICE
DECEMBER 12, 1987

MOMENT OF SILENCE
SERENITY PRAYER
12 TRADITIONS OF N.A.

M/S/P to accept last months minutes

GROUP REPORTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

NEW MEETING!!! 26th & Cumberland Sts. Mon. 1 P.M. Needs Support!!
NEW MEETING!!! (NO NAME YET!) 4555 Pechin St. Salvation Army Tue. 8 P.M. needs support!!
NEW MEETING!!! "THE ONLY REQUIREMENT" Frankford Hospital classroom #3, Sun. 12 noon Needs support Desperately! Bus/mtg is 1st Sun of month, Grp/cons. meeting 4th Sun, Step, Spkr, & Tradition meeting!! Also, needs Alt GSR.
"NEW BEGINNINGS" NEW LOCATION!! Was at 7th & McKean, now at 13th & Fitzwater St. Sun. 10 A.M.
"REALITY" 2205 Bridge St. Mon 12 noon, Fri 12:30 P.M. needs support at bus/mtg.
"START TO LIVE" 3rd & Reed Sts. Sun. 7 P.M. asks for support at group conscience meeting, 3rd Sat of month 1 P.M. ALL ARE WELCOME!!
"NOW OR NEVER" Griscom & Overington Sts. Friendship Center Thur. 1 P.M. needs support at meeting and business meeting, 1st Thur of month following regular meeting.
"NEW ATTITUDES" Bustleton & Solly Aves. Solly Playground Mon. 8 P.M. needs general chair. Needs support at Business meetings. There will be no meeting on Dec. 28th Playground will be closed. Jan 4th will be regular meeting and business meeting.
NEW MEETING!!! "SATURDAY NOGHT ALIVE" 3010 S. 18th St St. Richards Rectory basement Sat. 8 P.M. Needs support!!
"DO YOU WANT WHAT WE HAVE" Front St. & Blvd. Thur 8 P.M. Needs support, business meeting last Thur of month.
"ON THE RIGHT TRACK" 3001 Walnut St. Tues. 5:30 P.M. Step Meeting is last Tues of month, ALL ARE WELCOME!!
"OXFORD CIRCLE" St. Martins, Fri. 7:30 P.M. Needs support at business meeting, 1st Fri of month at 7 P.M.
"STEP UP TO RECOVERY" 4555 Pechin St. Tues 8 P.M. Celebrates it's 1st Anniversary Jan 14th, 1988 Group also needs alot of support!
"KEEP COMING BACK" Tues 7 P.M. is moveing on Jan 5th, 1988 from 2308 N. Broad St. New Location is Broad & Diamond Brehemn Baptist Church.
"TOGETHER WE CAN" 6309 Crestenville Rd. 1 Blk North of Adams Ave. Mon. 8 P.M. needs support!
"K.I.S.S." Frankford & Somerset Womens Education Project Tues & Wed 2 P.M. could use support at regular meetings and bus/mtgs. Bus/mtg is held 1st Wed. of month. Also, needs officers!
"CLEAN TOGETHER" 22nd & Chestnut Sts. Tues. 8 P.M. Needs support!!
"H.O.W." 16th & Girard St. Josephs Hospital Fri. 8:15 P.M. would like to Thank the Area for support. Meeting has grown!
"SERIOUS RECOVERY" Loretto & Naples Sts. Wed. 7:30 P.M. Needs Support!!
"NO NONSENCE" 2627 Kensington Ave. has 9 meetings per week!! Sun 4 P.M. and midnight, Wed. 10:30 A.M. and 7 P.M. Thurs. 10:30 A.M. & midnight, Fri 8 P.M., Sat 12 noon & 8 P.M. Needs support, Bus.mtg 1st Sat, Grp/cons 2nd Sat
"O.D.A.T." 8th & Girard 1F Tower Bldg. Tues 8 P.M. 2nd Tues Step Meeting
"PIECE OF MIND" Friends Hospital Thur 6 P.M. Needs support at bus/mtg last Thur of month.
"NEW HORIZONS" Bustleton & Solly Aves. Next bus/mtg last Thur of month elections for GSR & GSR alt. Needs support!
"SUNLIGHT" 5301 Overbrook Ave. Wed & Sat 1 P.M. having general elections last Sat of month at business meeting.

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS:

HOTLINE: We went back to the old system of using teams, due to the large increase in the hotline bill. We no longer have direct contact with the addict, but we are doing the best that we can. In the up & coming months we will be looking for a better way to serve the still suffering addict. Next meeting 2nd Sun in Jan. ASC, BVM at 6:30 Come & get involved!!

UNITY: Ski-trip, Valentines Day Weekend will take place, anyone interested in going should contact Gerald at 642-7319, Bill 537-1842 or Ileen 535-3845. ADHOC committee has folded due to lack of support. Unity committee is in desperate need of support!! If we don't get some support we will have no alternative but to fold. Come out and get involved, ALL ARE WELCOME!!

H & I: Still no reports from most groups! We have some open commitments: Vet's Hospital Detox Mon 6 P.M., Consortium Methadon Clinic 451 University Ave. Wed 10:30 A.M. and possibly the Horizon House in South Phillie and Riverview Home. Any groups interested should attend the next H & I meeting. Committee would like to inform the area that all H&I meetings are closed meetings and that the general recommendations are 6 months for chairing or speaking. We also have a prison commitment *taken* at the House of Correction Mens, general population. We are in desperate need of men to host prison commitments and encourage anyone (men or women) interested in this to please contact Paul M. at 483-0921. What better way to give back what was so freely given to you. Get involved!! House of Correction Womens side still available, need a women to get a badge. Host badges require 1 yr clean, 1 yr no lock up, no parole, no probation.

P.I.: Committee doing well; Next meeting Sun Dec 27th Longshore & Hegerman Any groups who need changes made on meeting lists should submit them to the P.I. committee. Ted S. is our nomination for Chair for next year. Greater Phila Regional Unity Day at the Holiday Inn Street Rd & Rt 1 Feb 6th from 12 noon til 2 A.M. Dinner & Dance 12.00 Commitment at East Washington Rhades Middle School, everything went well. For meeting list changes call Curt at 743-3727.

LIT. REVIEW: We have just started looking over the material given to us. Setting an agenda for our meetings. We're actively seeking input from the fellowship regarding a) pamphlets for review & input, b) pamphlets for approval from the WLC and c) new creative ideas and concepts that may be used by the fellowship in literature form. Group participation would be greatly appreciated. We are meeting weekly on Tues at 8 P.M. at 5334 Hedge St Contact Yvette at 831-9646 or Mark 289-6475, We also meet just before ASC meeting at BVM at 6 P.M. All are encouraged to attend and get involved!!

RSO: Resolved to accept Lisa J to board from Tri-county also William L. & Bill C. from pool members. Motion for \$700.00 from region to complete corporate transaction. Fiscal year to be Aug 1st to July 31st. To retain a CPA from outside the fellowship. That a projected budget for 88-89 is conservative \$10,000.00 Secretary resigned, Lisa J. elected as new Secty. Next meeting 1-9-88 10 a.m. Walt M.'s house 7604 Castor Ave 342-7868

CLEANSHEET: Cleansheets will now be purchased at the ASC meeting. They will cost 10¢ each. GSR's should let Tony know how many thier group will need. Committee doing well. Any input from this area should be submitted to Tony at 228-5566.

OLD BIZ: NO OLD BUSINESS!!

TREASURY REPORT:

1374.72	
- 10.00	(rent)
1364.72	
-1095.00	(Hotline Bill)
269.72	
- 30.00	(Secty needs)
239.72	
- 9.00	(Unity)
230.72	
- 55.00	(P.I.)
175.72	
- 50.00	(H & I)
125.72	(in reserve)

discussion about a donation to the region, motion made but defeated!
M/S/P to accept treasury report

LITERATURE STATUS: Basic Text's held up in printing, will have at next meeting. Asks GSR's to buy cleansheets thru Tony H. Please mail in you orders ahead of time to Mike Barry 6508 Torresdale Ave. Phila. PA 19135 or call him at 332-7691. This months sales- 2822.00, we owe 2600.00, \$222. in account

NEW BIZ: M/S/ to request the original and existing articals of incorporation and by-laws for the WSO, we wish to do this thru the service structure. INTENT: We have started a corporation at our regional level. We wish to see how the WSO is directly accountable to those they serve; and how we can do this with our local fellowship. This motion is to go back to the groups.

M/S TO GO BACK TO THE GROUPS FOR GROUP CONSCIENCE: That on Jan. 11th the Phila Area Service open up an office for the conducting of literature sales and Hotline activities. INTENT: To better reach the still suffering addict through direct communication and to have literature availabe for sale on days other than ASC meeting days.

M/S/P to close meeting at 9:15 P.M.

*****AREA LEGS*****

**Both motions, above in New Biz, are to go back to the groups for group conscience. GSR's please be prepared to vote for you group on both motions. Remember that abstentions count as a "NO" vote, so come with your groups conscience .

Nominations & Elections of all area officers, including sub-committee chairs and co-chairs will take place at January ASC meeting. Come out and get involved. You got to give it away to keep it. Don't be nervous about service!!

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEARS FROM ALL OF US TO ALL OF YOU!!!!!!

P.S. Announcement: Agenda Report Review Feb. 20, 1988 10 A.M. at 22nd & Chestnut Sts. Free Spaghetti Dinner & Dance at 9 P.M.