

Wyo-Braska Area Service Committee

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2/9/03
Cheyenne, WY
1:10pm

Tommy O. opens with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer
Rex M. reads the 12 Traditions
Frank R. reads the 12 Concepts

Role Call ~ Ed P. RCM, Tommy O. Chair, Rex M. Vice Chair, Les F. Treasurer, Gail D. Alt. Treasurer/Activities Chair, Frank R. PI Chair, D Alt. Activities Chair, Chuck K. GSR Live & Let Live, Gary D. GSR Vision of Hope, John K. GSR Life Plan, Billy W. Alt. Life Plan.

Not Present: Kathleen L. Secretary/H&I Chair, Greg R. Literature Chair, Tim P. Wheatland, John E. GSR Clean & Serene, P.J. Nearly Normal, Sylvia Sidney.

Minutes ~

Minutes are read, reviewed, amended and filed
Amendments: Gail reelected as Alt. Treasurer
Need list of amendments from last month
HX verification on pg. 4
Adjournment time

Frank R. motions to accept the minutes as amended
Gail D. seconds the motion
Approved

Opening Treasurers Report ~

No opening balance recorded

Area Chair Report ~

Report read and filed in the Area archives
Main Ideas

Preparing for the GSR workshop. Bill S., Regional Delegate has agreed to support us and Kimberly M. has expressed an interest in participating. (Kimberly unable to attend)
All service positions need a copy of the Area bylaws and review the description of their service position.
Review minutes prior to the Area meeting.
Coordinate with the Region to carry the message to WWC on a regular basis.

Area Vice Chair Report ~

Activities committee is preparing Valentines dance/fund raiser for 2/15/03.
See Activities report for details.

Area Literature is in and can be purchased through Greg R. Area Literature Chair.

RCM Report ~

Report read and filed in the Area archives

Main Ideas

The New World Pool is seeking addicts with 5+ years clean, service experience and skill to contribute to the WSP. Please complete and submit new forms found @ www.na.org.

Pre-register for URMRCNA IV by 5/1/03. P.O. Box 445, Evanston, WY, 82931-0445.

Central WY Area GSR workshop is 4/19/03 @ 2:00pm at the north clubhouse in Casper, WY.

Campout August 21, 22, 23 Millhollow, flyer's available.

WSLD is seeking a main speaker for the event in Phoenix, AZ.

Region seeking support in taking meetings into WWC.

Next URMSC is 5/3/03 in Scottsbluff, NE.

Convention Liaison ~

Report read and filed in the Area archives

Main Ideas

Will receive flyer soon.

Bill S. willing to help.

Registration Chair needs help with mass mailings.

As of 2/8/03 flyers are in and ready to be sent out.

Treasurers Report

Report read and filed in the Area archives

General Fund - \$610.78

Group Reports ~**Life Plan**

Meeting – Monday @ 7:30pm, 5711 Osage, Cheyenne

Attendance – 20-22

7th Tradition – \$74.00

John K. GSR

Clean and Free

No report at this time

Vision of Hope

Meeting – 7:00pm Salvation Army

Attendance – 20

Concerns – None

7th Tradition – Contributions went to the Area at Valentines Day.
Able to meet expenses and keep meetings running on minimal contributions this month.

Needs – None

Gary D. GSR

Saturday Night Live

Meeting – 7:30pm UMC East

Attendance – 60-70

Update – 3/15, 3/22 & 3/29 will meet at Zen's Café

Concerns – None

7th Tradition - Contributions went to the Area at Valentines Day.
Able to meet expenses and keep meetings running on minimal contributions this month.

Needs – None

Gail D. GSR

Nearly Normal

No report at this time

PJ GSR

Clean and Serene

No report at this time

7th Tradition - \$8.10

John E. GSR

One Step at a Time

No report at this time

Sylvia GSR

Live & Let Live

Present but I couldn't find a written report

Chuck K. GSR

A Vision for You

No report at this time

Jim P. GSR

Sub-Committee Reports ~

Activities

Report is read and filed in the Area archives

Valentines dance preparations are going well with lots of volunteers and contributions from groups and individuals

Preliminary arrangements are in the works for Unity Days

H&I

No Report at this time

Kathleen L. Chair

PI

Report read and filed in the Area archives

Info-Line and website payments are up to date.

Take PI's formal name off these accounts as to not impede on his credit rating.

Spring updates for the Area Information Pamphlets and website are being made.

Other PI services are LCCC-TV, AT&T Cable, Star-Harold, WY Tribune-Eagle.

Looking for positive, dependable PI volunteers.

Needing bring next PI chair on board for appropriate training, etc.

Break 2:30

Sharing Session~

Gail D. expresses concern about the increased cost of the Retreat of the Rockies for UD this year.

Les F. states we may need to find a cheaper place or free.

Frank R. also suggests we find a cheaper place or somewhere free and close to Cheyenne.

John K. suggests we need to go to the Board of the R or the R with a written report and present an offer, which is in our budget.

Ed P. states we need to express to the Board who we are an NA and how much we can afford.

Tommy O. Suggests to have a committee of officers to go and discuss and compose a letter to R/R of our concerns.

Bill W. presents a 50-50 raffle in our Area to include all groups to raise money for UD.

Tommy O. brings up is there a conflict on our Traditions especially the 7th; if it's in conflict.

Ed P. expresses concern of groups not contributing to Area of our 7th Tradition from our groups.

Tommy O. expresses concern from all the groups the need to contribute.

Ed P. expresses concern that a town as big as Cheyenne doesn't contribute more money to Area.

Gail D. expresses that Cheyenne is an H&I town and that we don't have access to a lot of funds.

John K. thinks there's a lack of education within the members of NA in this town where the money goes that goes in the 7th Tradition.

Bill W. states we need to educate our members.

Les F. states that individuals are still donating anonymously.

Rex M.

Frank R. has concerns of the flow of the money and is concerned of concept 11 and that members to understand this concept. That funds are used to further our primary purpose and funds be managed responsibly.

Gail D. states the need to be brought to this committee's attention that this individual remains at a distant and quits discrediting our efforts during activity events.

Old Business ~

Tommy O. has concerns about our new roster.

Tommy O. expresses concerns about not enough communication on road trips and maybe we should have a once a month road trip instead of once a week.

Rex M. agrees to have road trips once a month.

New Business~

Election

Gary D. nominates Ed P. for reelection to RCM.
Unanimous decision

Motions

#1

Motion: That ASC chair appoint Unity Days ADHOC Committee
Intent: To make final prep or close Unity Days
Maker: Les F.
Seconded: Chuck K.
Motion Carries

#2

Motion: To print and distribute ASC pamphlet on "Where Does Your \$ go?"
Intent: To inform and educate groups/members to give 7th Tradition \$ and to fulfill our obligation of accountability.
Maker: Frank R. PI Chair
Seconded: Gail D.
Motion carries

#3

Motion: 50/50 Area raffle
Intent: To generate funds for Unity Days
Maker: Billy W. Alt. GSR Life Plan
Seconded: John K.
Motion carries

Closing Treasurers Report~

Disbursements	\$97.62
Balance	\$803.41

Adjournment~

4:03