

Please take to your next business meeting

Westchester United Intergroup
Minutes for September 2004

Those present: Chair, WSBC Delegate - Carol B., Vice Chair - Bobbye H., Recording Sec. – Dave S., Corresponding Sec., Newsletter – Priscilla R., Sun. A.M. White Plains Hospital - Pat B., Sun. Tarrytown - Lionel G., Sun. White Plains St. Matthews - Judith W., Mon. White Plains Ridgeview - Roberta M., Mon. Mt. Kisco – Michael B., Mon. White Plains St. Matthews – Shirley A., Wed. Yonkers – Camille C., Wed. White Plains Utd. Methodist - Eleanor B., Wed. St. Matthews - Jim B., Thurs. Temple Israel - Larissa M., Fri. White Plains Ridgeview – Virginia M., Fri. St. Matthews – Kathy F., Fri. Ossining - Carol C., Sheila, Jonathan J., Janet B.- Visitors

The meeting started at 7:30 p.m. with introductions, the Serenity Prayer, the O.A. Preamble, the Twelve Steps, Twelve Traditions, and Concepts 1-6. The sign-in sheet was passed. The basket was passed according to the Seventh Tradition.

Recording Sec. Report (Dave): Motion to accept last month's minutes adopted unanimously.

Treasurer's Report (Elaine): See attachment. Motion to file for audit adopted unanimously.

Corresponding Sec. Report (Priscilla): See attachment

Public Information Report: P.I. Chair is an open position. Elections will be held next month.

Newsletter Report (Priscilla): See attachment

Speaker Bank Update (Kathy D.): No new activity.

Hotline Update (Larissa): Mon. Bryant Ave. meeting will be closed Labor Day.

Webmistress (Beth): See attachment.

12 Step Within Committee (TSW)(Brenda): Met 3 times. Finalized a welcome back flyer to make groups and individuals aware of the Welcome Back Packets. Discussed plans for IDEA Day to be held on Nov.20. Flyers circulated, announcing the Callathon which recommends that volunteers call on the 12th of each month 12 present or former members who are in need. **Motion made to accept the flyers and to distribute them at individual meetings. Motion adopted 11pro 2 con 3 abstaining Next meeting 9/8 at Lionel's. Contact Brenda or Carol B. for exact date and time.**

Big Book Retreat committee (Meg): Mariondale (location of retreat) contract needs to be signed by Sept 15th. Next meeting Thurs.@ 4p.m. @ Meg's house.

Unfinished Business:

1. Larissa did research on teen focused meetings. She did not find anything at the world service level. There is a teen focused meeting in Darien Ct. according to Brenda and Larissa will do more research on this.
2. Radio show: Carol received another request for individuals to participate in another taping of Steppin' Out. One person from Westchester and 3 from N.Y.C. did participate. It will not air in the New

York area but can probably be accessed on the internet @ steppinouradio.com. Carol turned the process of choosing participants over to World Service as to get a wider cross section of members to take part.

3. Bedford Hills – Carol did write a letter to the Correctional facility advising them that we cannot this outreach.

4. Public Service Announcements – Currently working on a list of local cable networks and their contact people. They will then be contacted to find out what kind of format they need for our announcements.

New Business:

1. Motion made by Kathy to postpone elections 1 month. Motion defeated ?

2. Qualifications and responsibilities read for positions up for election.

3. Bobbye nominates Elaine for treasurer. Brenda nominates Christine for Rec. Sec. Larissa nominates Brenda for Region 6 Rep. Pat nominates Larry for Region 6 Rep. Brenda nominates Mary T. for Region 6 Rep. Pat nominates Beth for Webmistress. Shirley nominates Priscilla for Newsletter. Bobbye nominates Larissa for Hotline. Pat nominates Bea for P.I. Chair. Larissa nominates Kathy D. for Speaker Bank. Dave nominates Paul for Temporary Sponsor Bank.

4. Motion made by Larissa to discuss and investigate moving location date and time of WUIG meeting. Motion defeated 6 pro 8 con 2 abstaining

Announcements

- 1. Upcoming group anniversaries;
South Salem- Sept. 18 Sat. 9am
Carmel – Oct.
White Plains St. Matthew's, Mon. and Wed.- Nov
White Plains, Barker Ave.- Oct.
White Plains, Bryant ave.-May
Please send dates to Newsletter Chair
- 2. Dignity of choice Pamphlets available from World Service
- 3. summary of WUIG announcements are available on our website www.oawestchester-ny.org
- 4. Marathon in Hicksville on sat. 9/11 from 1p-5p. For further info call Stu @ 631-987-5429
- 5. Marathon on body Image in NYC on Sunday 10/17 all day. Flyers attached

9:00p.m. Meeting adjourned

Remember our next Intergroup meeting is Thurs, Oct. 7

@ a new time 7:30 P.M.!