WUIG INTERGROUP MEETING MINUTES FOR JUNE 1, 2017

ATTENDEES: Mary T: Chair; Mike C: Vice Chair, Region 6 Rep/WS Del, PI/PO, Sponsorship Workshops, Step Study Co-Leader; Cathy: Sat Garrison; Bob: Thurs Yorktown; Deborah: Corresponding Secretary/Retreat Co-Chair; Chelsea: Newsletter Chair; Lisa: Katonah Weds night; Mike W: Wed HOW; Carol G: Service Coordinator; Susannah: Sat So. Salem; Janice: Visitor

MINUTES:

- Correction: Header on emailed minutes reads 'April Meeting'; should read 'May Meeting'
- Minutes adopted with correction
- Mary will email corrected version to Ellen this month for posting on website (normally this function will be done by the Recording Secretary)

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY:

Current Meeting List:

- Tuesday Hastings meeting no longer exists
- Thursday 6:30 Yonkers meeting no longer exists
- Thursday 6:30 Pelham Meeting no longer exists
- NEW Pelham Meeting: Thursday 5pm Body Image Meeting
- A) Chair: Should we have contact numbers on the meeting list on our WUIG website? DISCUSSION: Should we put contact names and numbers back on the meeting list online; MOTION to put info back on meeting list: PASSED.
- B) Chair: There is a need to educate groups on how to update their meeting info on <u>OA.org</u> Vice-Chair distributed copies of OA meeting registration and change form

TREASURER

NOT PRESENT- No report

UPDATES

- 71 people at Abstinence Made Simple workshop on May 21
- Great feedback
- People suggested more time in breakout groups and list for rides
- Made the rent (\$300) and a portion of the expenses (\$250 for supplies to cover multiple workshops)
- Collected about \$370 in 7th tradition (to be confirmed by Treasurer)

REGION6 REP ELECTION

- Chair: We have one Region 6 Assembly coming up before Don's one-year term ends
- Carol G. self-nominated
- Unanimously Elected

ACTIVE COMMITTEES

- NEWSLETTER:
 - May/June issue will be available in mid-June in print and online
 - August/September Issue: BACK TO BASICS Submissions due July 20
- SERVICE COORDINATOR:
 - Printed copies of WUIG Call to Service flyer to distribute at meetings
 - Printed copies of Call 5 and Keep 'Em Alive cards to distribute at meetings

AD HOC COMMITTEES

- NEWCOMER RETENTION:
 - Newcomer Retention Pamphlet

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- Training for Carrying the Message to newcomers? (Part of IDEA Day?)
- SPONSORSHIP DAY (Saturday, August 19th)
 - Stepping Stones Picnic: Two-weeks ahead we need to give an exact number of attendees and we must do a 1pm tour
 - Need a firm number of attendees by August 5th (Take a waiting list)
 - Talk to Megan about how to set up online registration
- 15-WEEK STEP STUDY:
 - Will begin in either September or January
 - 15 Consecutive Tuesday nights; Mike said he would investigate the possibility of doing Sunday evenings when it was brought up

IDEA DAY:

- \$100 Deposit in for Pleasantville Church (Chair's personal check; will be reimbursed if necessary)

NEW BUSINESS

- Chair: WUIG has been asked if we would be interested in supplying manpower for the 2019 Region 6 Convention? (mid-to-late October)
- DISCUSSION
- Chair will ask the person who has asked us if they can prepare a SurveyMonkey questionnaire for us to gauge willingness of our local members to give service and to step up as chairs and/or co-chairs
- Results will be brought back to the September meeting for full WUIG to discuss and vote

KEY POINTS TO GIVE YOUR MEETINGS

- Katonah Wed night 7:30 meeting is cancelled on June 7 due to parade in town.
- *The Serenity Times* Newsletter August/September submissions are due July 20th—the topic is "Back to Basics". The current June newsletter will be out mid-month.
- Sponsorship Day is August 19th. WUIG is organizing a brown bag picnic lunch at Stepping Stones (Katonah) at 11:30 am followed by a tour of the Bill Wilson house at 1:00 pm -- bring your sponsor or sponsee.
- Call to Service + Call Five to Keep 'Em Alive flyers were given to IRs to distribute at meetings
- Wednesday night White Plains HOW meeting has a new format which includes round robin sharing

Closed meeting at 8:35pm