

CONNECTICUT INTERGROUP MEETING MINUTES- June 13th, 2011

LOCATION: Manchester, CT

Intergroup Attendees:

Anne B., Chair; **Jana**, Vice Chair; **Wendy**, Treasurer; **Robin**, Correspondence Secretary, Avon; **Sue**, West Hartford; **Cassie**, Recording Secretary, Collinsville

Anne opened the meeting with the June 13th reading from Voices of Recovery at 7:19pm

Secretary's Report:

Anne motioned to accept the minutes without change, Robin seconded, and the motion was passed.

Treasurer's Report:

Wendy reported there were no donations and the total balance was \$3,674.30. Our scholarship for the Massachusetts retreat the 1st week in June hadn't been sent out. Wendy said she would send it out now. She stated the insurance bill was expected soon. It was also stated that we might not have paid yet for the space for the March marathon. Wendy said she has been trying to contact someone about that.

Public Information:

Cassie offered to print out Public Information suggestions from the OA website.

Literature:

Cassie asked if the new versions of the pamphlet were now available. It was said they were. Anne also noted the most recent Lifeline had, inside the back cover, the new definition for abstinence and plan of action. Cassie mentioned she had seen them on the OA.org site as well.

Correspondence:

There was no new correspondence to report.

Old Business:

1. New venues for intergroup were discussed. Robin reported that the Quaker meeting house would be \$40 or \$60. She also stated we likely didn't need 2 hours and that 1 hour would allow places like the Elmwood Community Church, which would be \$25. Jana suggested checking with them if we should donate more for the days we run over, as we occasionally go over. Sue motioned that we apply to the Elmwood Community Church. The motion was seconded by Anne and passed unanimously. Robin suggested we start in September. She also stated she would send in the application.
2. The July 18th Manchester and August 18th 7pm Collinsville meetings for intergroup were reconfirmed. Anne stated she would be unable to attend in July.
3. Wendy reported that we were confirmed for March 24th for next year's marathon at Unity Church in South Windsor.
4. There was no web progress to report, however the commitment of those involved was firmed. Cassie mentioned that WordPress is wysiwyg, what-you-see-is-what-you-get, and is relatively simple to use.

New Business:

1. Anne received a survey from World Service regarding the Business Meeting. There was discussion regarding our answer that we sent people but not the full number allowed. The survey asked for a reason for less than full representation to which we responded that our

intergroup was just now becoming strengthened. We also answered that we did feel properly represented.

2. Information was received that a trustee of World Service resigned.
3. Wendy had printed out copies of the new meeting lists. People committed to getting copies to the various meetings.

Next Meeting:

The next meeting will be July 18th in Manchester.

The meeting was closed with the Serenity Prayer at 8:02pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cassie D.

Recording Secretary