

September 2009

AREA MINUTES

Opened meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer

Reading of Twelve Traditions

Reading of Twelve Concepts

Group Roll Call – 12 GSRs present, 9 needed to vote

Administration Roll Call

Chair – Present

Vice Chair – Absent

Secretary – Present

Alt Secre. – Present

Treasurer – Present

Alt Treas. – N/A

H&I – Present

PR – Present

Activities – Present

RCM – Present

RCMA – Present

There will be a policy meeting on September 26, 2009 at 12:00 PM at Charlie's Buffet in Monroe.

REPORTS

H&I – H&I meets one hour before area at 2:00. Everything is going well. **We still need women to support the GRN meetings on Wednesdays at 8 PM.** Please announce at meetings. We are still working on the H&I rules and regulations guideline.

PR / Phone – PR/ Phone meets one hour before area at 2:00. Provided IPs to Covington Miracles this month. 50 – What is Narcotics Anonymous and 50 – Am I an Addict. Phone line is doing great, over half of the calls are being answered by the menu.

Treasurer – We had a beginning balance of \$2,553.05, donations of \$677.38, expenses of \$317.99. This left us with an ending balance of \$2,912.44 (includes prudence reserve of \$1,500). We will be sending a check to region in the amount of \$1,412.44.

Activities – Braves game. 8/23/09. Huge success. Great turn out. **Unity Dance.** 9/4/09. 6:30 speaker meeting. Light turn out, about 26. About 60 for the dance after, lots of dancing and fun! Total income after expenses \$140.00. Committee decided this money should go toward Campvention. Purchased literature to have at activity functions. **Campvention.** 10/30 – 11/1/09. Deposits made to secure campsite and shelter. Art was picked for t-shirts.

Preregistration – Checks will be made to EEA, need to work out with the treasurer to deposit and receive funds to use. Also will need funds for budgeted food. **Workshops** still being worked on, with some success. Hoping to get started before the holidays. **Talent show.** 11/14/2009, Saturday. GRCNA fundraiser. At Zoar Methodist Church. Please donate, if you can, NA memorabilia. Auction scheduled. **Holiday Dance.** 12/12/09 at Zoar Methodist Church. Have reserved the same DJ, hoping to have a Santa Claus and photos available.

RCM – Next Regional meeting September 12th and 13th. PR meets at 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM. H&I meets at 12:00 PM to 2:30 PM. Picnic in the Park following regional meetings. Celebrating 35 years. This is taking place at Forsyth Park in Forsyth, GA.

GSR Reports

By the Book

951 Klondike Court

Conyers, GA

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:30 PM

Saturdays at 11:00 PM Candlelight

Geeia will be celebrating 2 years on Thursday September 10th

Donation: \$0

Changing in Grayson

Grayson First Baptist Church

2142 Grayson Highway (Hwy. 20)

Grayson, GA

Tuesdays at 8:00 PM

Candlelight meeting.

Last Tuesday speaker meeting.

Donation: \$0

Clean & Free (not present)

141 Hwy. 142

Covington Christian Church

Covington, GA

Mondays and Fridays at 8:00 PM

2nd Monday of the month will have a men and women split meeting.

3rd Friday of the month will have a candlelight meeting

Need trusted servants and home group members

Donation: \$0

Covington Miracles

Church of the Good Sheppard

4140 Clark Street

Covington, GA

Tuesdays and Saturdays at 8:00 PM

Eating meeting 2nd Saturday of each month, September 12th. Starts at 6:30 PM. Bring covered dish.

Step Study 1st Tuesday of each month

Tradition Study 3rd Tuesday of each month

Donation: \$25.00

Farfromusin

Snellville United Methodist Church

Building J

2428 E. Main Street

Snellville, GA

Sundays at 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Pete will be celebrating 18 years on September 20th

Donation: \$113.75

Far Out Group

All Saints Lutheran Church

772 Rockbridge Road

Lilburn, GA

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:00 PM

Chuck will be celebrating 3 years and Richie will be celebrating 2 years on September 24th. Pot luck dinner. Starts at 7 PM

Donation: \$25.00

Freedom Train (not present)

385 Born Street, Suite D

Lawrenceville, GA

Saturdays at 8:00 PM

Smoking Meeting

Donation: \$0

Free to Be Me (not present)

Summit Ridge Hospital

250 Scenic Highway

Lawrenceville, GA

Thursdays at 7:30

Donation: \$0

Give Yourself a Break (not present)

Trinity Baptist Church

301 Honey Creek, SE

Conyers, GA

Thursdays at 8:00 PM

Donation: \$0

Harvest

Grace Presbyterian

1834 Buford Drive

Lawrenceville, GA

Thursdays at 7:30 PM – 8:45 PM

Looking for a new meeting location in the same area, our church was sold

Come visit us. See Jennifer if you would like to be a discussion leader

Donation: \$40.00

Just for Today

191 Plainview Drive, Door #3

Lawrenceville, GA

Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at 1:30 PM

Tony M. celebrating 6 years on September 25th

Donation: \$0

Living Solutions (not present)

First United Methodist Church

Family Life Center, Room 219

280 North Broad Street

Winder, GA

Fridays at 7:30 PM

Come out and see us in Winder on Friday nights

Donation: \$40.00

Monroe New Miracles

First United Methodist Church

404 South Broad Street

Monroe, GA

Tuesdays and Fridays at 8:00 PM

Isaac will be celebrating 5 years

Joe P. will be celebrating 23 years on September 11th. This is a eating meeting and starts at 6:30

Donation: \$0

NA Lifetime

Trinity United Methodist Church

6154 Collins Street

Covington, GA

Thursdays at 8:00 PM

Coming up October 23-25th semi-annual free campout (6th year) at Parker family Rolling Acres Farm in Mansfield, Highway 11. Campfire meeting Friday and Saturday. Speaker meeting, raffle and fish fry on Saturday

Need speakers/discussion leaders with time to share experience, strength and hope

Donation: \$20.00

NA Vaders (not present)

First United Methodist Church of Lawrenceville

395 W. Crogan Street

Lawrenceville, GA

Mondays at 8:00 PM

Mixed format

Donation: \$50.00

NA Way

951 Klondike Court

Conyers, GA

Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays at 8:00 PM

Saturdays at 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM

Sundays at 6:30 for book study

Speaker jam September 19th from 12:00 PM – 11:00 PM

Brandy celebrating 3 years on September 25th

Come out and support when you can

Donation: \$0

Recovery at Work (not present)

Springfield Baptist Church

3001 Old Salem Road

Conyers, GA

Tuesdays at 7:05 PM

Donation: \$0

Restoration (not present)

Extraordinary Life Community Church

1879 Smyrna Road

Conyers, GA

Thursday 7:00 PM

1st Thursday is a book discussion

Yolanda celebrating 17 years on September 19th

Donation: \$0

Serenity Seekers

Zoar Methodist Church (rear of gymnasium)

3895 Zoar Church Road

Centerville, GA

Wednesdays at 7:30 PM

Book Study

Gary B. celebrating 19 years, Wednesday September 16th

Come by and visit. Bring a book

Donation: \$25.00

Survivors

First United Methodist Church of Winder

Family Life Center, Room 219

280 North Broad Street

Winder, GA

Mondays and Thursdays at 7:30 PM

Always need support

Donation: \$100.00

Unlimited Hope (not present)

Summit Ridge Hospital

250 Scenic Highway

Lawrenceville, GA

Wednesdays and Fridays at 7:30 PM

Donation: \$0

OLD BUSINESS

Voted on insurance.

7 – for

5 – against

Passed

NEW BUSINESS

Motion made by A.J. seconded by David “Devo” that H&I be allowed to order August literature with September’s due to billing problems. Treasurer never received bill. **Intent:** to continue to effectively carry the message as H&I and have the necessary literature available for them.

12 – for

Passed

Motion made by A.J., seconded by Mike R. The NA Way group conscience would like the area to meet at Klondike Club for area and pay rent to keep with the 7th tradition. **Intent:** to meet at a place that serves the needs of NA and to remain self-supporting. Free is still a donation.

Tabled

There is a sign-up sheet for discussion leaders for meetings going around. Please take back to groups and have anyone interested in being a discussion leader at any of the East End meetings sign up.

NEXT AREA OCTOBER 4TH AT SUMMIT RIDGE