

SOUTH JERSEY INTERGROUP MEETING

Date: Steering- January 20, 2016

Opening: Opened at 8:00 pm with "Serenity Prayer"

Trustee Reading: Beverly on Step 1

Anniversaries:

- Charley, 1/5 – 30 years
- Dylan, 1/19 – 6 months
- Janet, 1/29 – 27 years
- Joe, 1/5 – 25 years
- Alex, 1/19 – 6 months
- Eileen, 1/20 – 6 years
- Laura, 1/1 – 4 years

Group Announcements:

- The Convention Committee currently has 7 meeting slots available. Any groups interested in holding a meeting at this year's convention during any of the following times are encouraged to reach out to Intergroup: Saturday 4am, 5am and 6pm. Sunday 2am, 3am, 4am and 5am.
- 482 Club is holding a Sponsorship Workshop on 2/6/16 from 10 am – 2 pm.
- Hainesport Proper Group is holding its 31st anniversary on 2/28/16.
- Monday Night "the Other 12" (a tradition's meeting) is welcoming anyone interested in learning more about AA's 12 traditions.
- "Many Paths to Spirituality" is a new meeting being held at New Beginnings Clubhouse on Tuesday nights from 7-8pm. All are welcome.
- 400 Club is holding a Super Bowl party. There will be a hoagie sale as well. All are welcome.
- New Beginnings clubhouse is holding a Super Bowl party. All are welcome.
- Washington Township Step Group is having its 8th anniversary on 2/10/16.
- Moorestown Spiritual Growth is having its 31st anniversary. Food at 7pm, speakers at 8pm.
- Saturday Thoroughfare meeting is welcoming everyone to its meeting.

Intergroup Chair: Brett R

chairperson@aasi.org

Welcome to 2016! Hope you all had an excellent holiday(s). Now, back to work. Thank you all who have agreed to chair committees for the new term. Reminder that we are looking for another Trustee and chairs for the Budget and Finance and Archives committees. Enlist a sponsee, show them what a little service can do.

Intergroup Vice-Chair: Joe M

vchairperson@aasi.org

No Report

Treasurer: Andy E

Asst. Treasurer: Brian C

treasurer@aasi.org

Again thank you for allowing me to serve as Your Treasurer, it has been a great experience and a great test to my Sobriety. As You can see we ended the Year in the black. Thank you to Andy E, Karen M, Janet I and all those who truly made my Job so easy, and most of the times Stress free. Bless You all in 2016.

Tradition # 1: Ray

next month **Tradition # 2: Lou**

Concept # 1: Dave

next month **Concept # 2: Dave**

Greeters for January: Brian, Dylan

Greeters for February: Missy, Frank

Set-up/Cleaners for January: Mary, Andy, Patty

Set-up/Cleaners for February: Troy, Tim, Patty, Andy

COMMITTEE REPORT

Ans. Service Chair: Tim A

Co-Chair: Tracey C

answeringservice@aasi.org

32 shifts reported their call totals for December, and that totaled 174 calls taken by committee members. We request that everyone continue to send in their monthly totals! As usual, volunteers that cannot cover their shift should notify us, so we can try and have it covered by a "real AA" rather than by Answercomm.

Answercomm reported taking 61 calls. This number is down slightly from the 70 calls taken by Answercomm in November, but this is still a good.

Currently we have ONE OPEN SHIFT: Wednesdays from 8am – 10am. We also continue to take name for our waiting list, and are still taking AA members to sign up to be available for a 12 Step call, so please have interested people continue to contact us via answeringservice@aasj.org. It has been my pleasure to serve on the Answering Service Committee over the past 5+ years. I would like to personally thank everyone who has helped to make this committee a success 24 hours a day/7 days a week. Finally, we are looking for a Co-Chair – to work with Tim going into 2016. Please have interested AA members contact us for more information on what we do, and how we do it! If any phone service related issues are identified feel free to call us for assistance anytime.

Archives Chair: **Co-Chair:** archives@aasj.org
The Archives Committee is currently looking for a Chair and Co-chair. Anyone interested in learning more, please contact Intergroup at any of the email addresses on this report, or talk to your Intergroup rep. All are welcome to inquire!

Bookers Chair: Jennifer D **Co-Chair: Rick M** booker@aasj.org
Next Booker Meeting February 4.2016 at 8 pm. New Beginnings

Budget & Finance Chair: Laura R. **Co-Chair:** budget@aasj.org
The Budget & Finance Committee is currently looking for a co-chair. Anyone interested in learning more, please contact Intergroup at any of the email addresses on this report, or talk to your Intergroup rep. All are welcome to inquire!

H&I Chair: Patti S **Co-Chair: Frank C** handi@aasj.org
I would like to thank you all for this awesome opportunity to serve as your H & I Chair for the last 2 years. It was an excellent experience and definitely enhanced my sobriety in so many different ways. I leave you in the capable hands of Patti and Frank...open February commitments will be coming to you shortly!

We held our meeting on December 28 at 7pm. We had 15 groups in attendance. We had a total of 165 commitments and there are only 16 left open. It was a great turn out! IWe are very excited to start this position of service for AA. It is a privilege. I have listed the open commitments below. Our next meeting is on January 25th. Reminder to everyone that if you have taken a commitment please make every effort to fill it. If, for some, you can't fill let us know right away.

Wednesday
Unity Place I Cherry Hill
February 24th
10 -10 : 30 am.

Delaware House Westampton
February 3rd 10th 24th
1-2pm

Solstice Lumberton
February 3rd 10th 24th
11a-12pm

Ambrosia
February 11, 25 7:30pm

Thursday
Unity Place II Hammomton
2-3pm
February 4th and 18th

Daybreak Atco
February 11th 18th 25th
10 : 30 a-12 p

Friday
Vineland prep academy
February 5th
7-8 pm

Literature Chair: Jimmy G.

Co-Chair: Melanie M

literature@aaSj.org

Beginning Balance: \$6125.72
Sales: \$2730.95
Purchases: \$1375.95
Ending Balance: \$7480.72

Welcome to our new Literature Chair, Jimmy G. Contact Jimmy for details. We are looking for volunteers to work Saturdays from 10-Noon, subs for all shifts & upcoming Roadshows. If your group would like the Literature Roadshow to come out in 2016, please contact Jimmy at literature@aaSj.org or give him a call. Many thanks to all the folks who have helped with Literature over the past 2 years. – Janet

Meeting list Chair: Traci K

Co-Chair: Laura K

meetinglist@aaSj.org

No Report

Newsletter Chair: April E

Co-Chair: Shawn Mck

newsletter@aaSj.org

This is April E--chair of the newsletter committee. Shawn M and I are busy preparing our first edition of the newsletter. We have an introduction from Shawn and I, a nice piece on Step 2, several announcements, and my regular column. We are looking forward to getting our process down and continuing the great work Marty previously did with this newsletter!

Public Info Chair: Jim S

Co-Chair: Eileen T

publicinfo@aaSj.org

No Report

Social Events Chair: Sal C

Co-Chair: Dylan B

socialevents@aaSj.org

No Report

Unity Chair: Cletus C

Co-Chair: Karen M

unity@aaSj.org

I am looking forward to continuing the Unity commitment. I am happy to have Karen join the Unity Committee. We have made good progress in creating a list of meetings we should visit along with tracking the meetings already given out.
Best regards

Website Chair: Ray

Co-Chair:

webmaster@aaSj.org

The Website Committee is currently looking for a co-chair. Anyone with coding experience is preferred, no matter how minimal. Anyone interested in learning more, please contact Intergroup at any of the email addresses on this report, or talk to your Intergroup rep. All are welcome to inquire!

SPECIAL REPORTS

Trustees: Beverly M, Kelli S, Tina O, Bruce B

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No Report

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Office hours: Tues, Wed, Thurs 12:00pm to 3:00pm

SJIG Office hours are Tuesday thru Thursday Noon to 3pm. If you have an upcoming event & would like to have flyers made for the Intergroup meetings, please email me the flyer or the information to make one for you. The answering machine at the SJIG office has been fixed.

Old Business:

- Eddie J. has been elected as our newest Trustee!

New Business:

- No new business.

Adjournment: 8:48 PM with the *"I Am Responsible" Pledge*

Respectfully Submitted- Secretary: Dan Z Assist. Secretary: Chelsea C secretary@asj.org