

**SOUTH JERSEY INTERGROUP MEETING & INTERGROUP REP. MEETING
UPDATES**

Date: Wed. October 21, 2020

Opening: Opened at 8:00 pm with “Serenity Prayer”

Trustee Reading: Patti- Step 10

Anniversaries: None

Group Announcements: None

**Tradition #10: Kevin L
Concept #10: Joe C**

**next month Tradition #11: Rick
next month Concept #11: Ruthie**

Chair: Brian C
No Report.

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Vice-Chair: Frank C
No Report.

vchairperson@asj.org

Treasurer: Bill T Asst. Treasurer: Andy E

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Hi all,
Contributions were stronger this month,
Thanks to all our Groups for your continued support!
We are up to date on all bills, and in good fiscal condition.
This month's report has all contributions year-to-date, please
review your Group's contributions, and contact us if there's any
questions or discrepancies.

Thanks for letting us serve your Groups.

Peace... Bill & Andy... ;-)

COMMITTEE REPORT

Ans. Service Chair: Steve M Co-Chair: Heather O

answeringservice@asj.org

Recent retirements have time slots needing new volunteers:

Tuesday: 8:00am -10:00am

Thursday: 6:00am – 8:00am

Friday: 4:00pm – 6:00pm

Please ask your home group for volunteers to fill this service.

September was a busy month, and our volunteers did an AMAZING job servicing 90% incoming calls, some doing double shift service until slots are filled. We had 111 total calls... 100 calls answered by our volunteers and 11 by Answercom.

As meetings begin to open and people willing to meet others one-on-one; please continue to remind everyone that more volunteers are need for the 12-step list. Areas we need most help: Berlin, Camden, Hammonton, and Salem. We have signup sheets available for anyone wishing to take a copy to their home groups. If you know anyone who would like to be of service, please have them contact us at answeringservice@asj.org or invite us to speak at your home group.

Steve M

Archives Chair: Rick M Co-Chair: Jennifer D

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Hello all!

The Archives committee met last week at the IG office to continue to work on logging and preserving the archives documentation currently in SJIG possession.

We will continue to work towards a link for groups to keep their group history form and submit on the Archives website part of AASJ.org

Be safe and be well,
Rick and Jen

Bookers Chair: Traci K Co-Chair: Beverly M

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OCTOBER 2020 - MONTHLY REPORT

Our next bookers meeting will be on **Thursday, November 5th at 8pm on Zoom**. We have been encouraging Bookers to reach out to the Booker of the incoming speaker to confirm.

Thanks

Traci K
Bookers Chair

Budget & Finance Chair: Chris C Co-Chair Chris H

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2020 Budget attached and on website asj.org.

H&I Chair: Debbie F Co-Chair: Martin

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Our first meeting will be on 10/26 via Zoom. I have updated the H&I packet and am sending it out to all the H&I reps to make sure the information is up to date and accurate. It has taken longer than I thought it would to get the speaker commitments up and running again, but at long last we are there.

Thank you.

-Debbie

Literature Chair: Carl S Co-Chair: Meghan M

literature@asj.org

Here is the literature report for September 2020:

Opening Balance:	\$ 7,352.80
Transfer to SJIG:	\$ 260.07
Purchases AA World Services	\$ 1,266.30
Deposits from Sales:	\$.00
Ending Balance:	\$ 5,826.43

Meeting list Chair: Kevin L Co-Chair: Tim A

meetinglist@aasj.org

All meeting list changes, updates such as virtual and outdoor meetings being converted to indoor and meetings that are no longer suspended, continue to go through the website chair. Meeting List Chair is cc'd on request and provides support as requested. To date, no additional meetings requested or removed this month. Thank you.

Newsletter Chair: Nancy L Co-Chair: Skye S

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Our newsletter for this month is attached. We are still asking you to please get the newsletter to your sponsees — let them check it out and ask them to write in it! Text it to them!

We are debuting our newest section this month: The Promises. This section asks you to write about how the promises of our program have come true for you!

We are still spotlighting our other newish sections, Beginner's Corner, Young People's Corner, My Best Advice in AA, and Recovery in the Time of Coronavirus. Please volunteer and ask your sponsees and friends to write as well.

Worried your grammar and spelling stinks? Who cares—our editing team will fix it up in a jiffy! No excuses — send us your articles today!

Nancy and Skye

Public Info Chair: Eileen T Co-Chair: Kristin P Co-Chair Bryan C

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Public information has been attending virtual IDRC (intoxicated drivers resource center) Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Volunteers needed (especially women). Thank you to Richie M and Trish L for contributing to this service. Public information has been attending LACADA. (local advisory committee on alcohol and drug addiction). Joe has helped with literature for nurses in hospitals. If anyone is interested in distributing literature on behalf of Public Information, please contact us. Hopefully, we will attend some virtual health classes soon. The schools have not yet been able to have AA attend any virtual classes but will in the future.

Thank you,
Eileen

Social Events Chair: Sherrill B Co-Chair: Chuck M

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SOCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT October 2020

- Smithville Park hike October 17th at 10AM

Thank you,
Sherrill B.
Social Committee Chairperson

Technology Chair: Richie M Co-Chair: Josh V

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Groups continue to update South Jersey Intergroup (SJIG) with their latest meeting formats of indoor, outdoor, virtual, or some combination. Tech Committee continues to support the Meeting List Committee, updating existing meetings as updates are received. Replaced problematic file sharing plugin on website with new solution. Coded Newsletter page to serve most recent newsletter above file sharing of all newsletters. Fixed Minutes and Newsletters pages so they properly share all files. Many groups are asking "How do I update the phone app with the blue chair?" The AA Meeting Guide app, available for both iOS and Android, reads/refreshes our meetings from the SJIG website at <https://asj.org/meetings> every 12 hours. There is no separate update. Please continue to keep SJIG informed of your meeting updates so that we can keep AAs informed of their meeting options in our area. If you change your format (indoor, outdoor, or virtual, please find your meeting on at asj.org/meetings and click the "Hosts: click here to update" link to update your meeting so that AAs can find you easier. Following is the SJIG meeting breakdown. Thank you everyone for helping us get the word out on your meeting status, so that AAs can find a meeting setting they are comfortable with during this time.

of Meetings: 480

of Suspended Meetings: 154

of Virtual* Meetings: 191

of Indoor* Meetings: 162

of Outdoor* Meetings: 21

*may be combined in hybrid meeting style.

Unity Chair: Anna D Co-Chair: Laura K

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No report this month.
Thank you,
Anna and Laura
Unity Committee

SPECIAL REPORTS

Trustees: Brett R, Patti S, Cletus C, Frank Z, Jen Ga

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No Report.

Area 45 Alternate Delegate: Ken T

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Mentioned the Day of Sharing event this Saturday 10-24-2020 on Zoom from 9 am to Noon. Flyer on website asj.org. Grateful for the scheduled speaker GSO rep. Jeff W. Area 45 Fall assembly is next month Sunday 11-22-2020 from 8:30 am to 12:00 pm. Visit the website at sjarea45 for further information.

Office Manager: Karen B

sjintergroup@verizon.net

No Report this month. Took the Intergroup minutes this month.

Old Business:

Brian left a message at Nicolosi's to ask for refund.

New Business:

- Rick asked for feedback on how other groups are handling their 7th tradition contributions. Bill stated that most donations are still coming as checks in the mail or Venmo and PayPal.
- There was discussion about the 2020 BUDGET. Andy explained that overall SJIG is Solvent. He also said that the committees are well funded, mentioned were H & I and Public Info. There will be a vote on the budget in December so home groups should discuss any questions next month.

Adjournment at: 8:49pm: with the *“Declaration of Unity”*

Secretary: Brielle B Assist. Secretary: Marie G

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