

## SOUTH JERSEY INTERGROUP AND IG REP MEETING UPDATES

Date: Intergroup- Wed January 17, 2018

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

Trustee Reading: Frank

### Group Anniversaries

Chews Landing. 26<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. January 25<sup>th</sup>. Two speakers at 7:30pm. Desserts to follow.

Women in Sobriety. Kiss Club. 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary. January 20<sup>th</sup>. 1:30pm refreshments. 2:00pm speaker.

Moorestown Spiritual Growth Group. February 11<sup>th</sup>. Food at 7pm. Speaker at 8pm.

Welcome Home Group. New Beginnings. 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary. February 12<sup>th</sup>. Food at 7pm. Speaker at 8pm.

Lifeline. Collingswood. 36<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. February 26<sup>th</sup>. Food at 7pm. Speaker at 8pm.

Voorhees Women of Grace. Hope Methodist Church. 26<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. March 28<sup>th</sup>. 6:00pm- 8:00pm.

Tradition #1: Frank

Concept #1: Daryl

Greeters for January: Jake, Rick

Set-up/Cleaners for January: Michael, Brian  
Mike, Anna

next month Tradition #2: Ryan

next month Concept #2: Joe

Greeters for February: Nancy, Linda

Set-up/Cleaners for February: Michael, Joe, Mike

Chair: Patti S Prior Chair: Brett R

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Welcome to all the new committee chairs and co-chairs. Welcome to the new Panel members

Welcome to the new trustees as well.

As you all probably know already, I am here to be of assistance to all of you. If there is anything I can do to support your committee or responsibility, please feel free to call or email me.

Patti S

Welcome to 2018 and to the new panel! Thanks for your service. Thanks for the opportunity to serve as Chair of SJIG. Brett R

Vice-Chair: Brian C Prior Vice-Chair: Joe M

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Welcome to all the new committee chairs and co-chairs. Hope we have a great year! Want to thank everybody for the opportunity to serve AA. Call or email with anything I can help with. Brian C

Again thanks for the adventure of being your co chair for the last 2 years. Good luck to the next committee I am sure you all will be successful. I will be watching.

Peace out

Joe M

Treasurer: Janet I Asst. Treasurer: Jen T

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Thanks to ALL our Groups, and to the Committees, for making these past couple years a rewarding and growth experience. Brian & I thank you for putting your confidence in us. It has been a privilege to serve you.

We finished out 2017 in the black, as expected, and very close to budget !

Thank you and Best wishes to all who follow us.

Andy E and Brian C

## COMMITTEE REPORT

Ans. Service Chair: Tracy C Co-Chair: Nancy L

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12 shifts reported their call totals for October, that totaled 55 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 80 calls. This number is down from the 81 calls taken by Answercomm in November. I would like to hear back from more of the shifts to get a better idea of how many total calls we do receive in a month. We would like to have all the calls to be received by the members of AA, so the caller is speaking to an alcoholic.

We continue to take names 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](mailto:answeringservice@aasj.org).

I would like to thank everyone who has been active in answering the phones during my service. It has been a great experience; look forward to finding a new service commitment so I can stay active. Thanks again for the opportunity to serve as the chairperson.

I would like to also ask everyone who is currently on the answering service to contact the new chairperson so that we may be better able to see what vacancies are available to be filled. The new chairperson is Tracey C and was my co-chair thanks again for all your service.

If any phone service related issues are identified feel free to call us for assistance anytime.

**Archives Chair: Jennifer D Co-Chair: Rick M**

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No Report

**Bookers Chair: Beverly M Co-Chair: Tracy K**

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Welcome to all new Trustees, Panel members, and committee chairs / co chairs!!!

The next Booker's exchange will be held by the new chairs on Thursday February 1<sup>st</sup> at 8 pm! The location is the New Beginnings Clubhouse at 1001 Rose in Runnemede.

**Budget & Finance Chair: Phil K Co-Chair: Andy P**

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No Report

**H&I Chair: Frank C Co-Chair: Debbie F**

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Thanks to all those who attended our monthly H&I meeting on December 18, 2017. We appreciate your service as always. We had 18 groups and individuals in attendance. We had 168 commitments in February to fill. Please see the January H&I packet attached. Our next H&I meeting is January 29, 2018 at 7PM.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

As always, if you are unable to get a commitment covered please let us know at least 24 hours in advance. If a commitment needs literature, please let us know so we can get it out to them. If there's an issue with the staff at the commitment or a double booking, try to work it out first. If necessary, call either of us so we can get the issue resolved.

Please let us know if you can take any of the below commitments for January and February.

#### JANUARY

##### Monday

Ancora - Hammonton NJ Jan. 22 7-8pm  
202 Spring Garden Rd, Hammonton, NJ

##### Tuesday

Cooper Hospital - Camden NJ - Jan. 2, 9 8-9pm  
1 Cooper Plaza, Camden, NJ

Solstice Counseling - Lumberton NJ - Jan. 2 7-8pm  
1561 Rt. 38 W, Lumberton, NJ

Delaware House - Westampton NJ - Jan 2, 9, 23, 30 2-3pm  
21 Ikea Drive, Westampton NJ

##### Wednesday

Unity I - Cherry Hill - Jan. 3, 17 12:40-1:30 pm  
1 Keystone Ave, Cherry Hill, NJ

Seabrook Women - Jan. 31 7:30-8:30pm  
133 Polk Ln, Seabrook, NJ 08302

Solstice Counseling - Lumberton NJ - Jan. 24 12-1pm  
1561 Rt. 38 W, Lumberton, NJ

Thursday

Unity Place II - Hammonton NJ - Jan. 4, 18 2-3 pm  
121 S. White Horse Pike, Hammonton, NJ

Daybreak - Atco NJ - Jan. 11, 18, 25 10:30-12:00 noon  
368 White Horse Pike, Atco, NJ

FEBRUARY

Monday

Princeton House Behavioral Health Unit Feb. 19, 9:30-10:20am  
351 New Albany Road, Moorestown NJ

Tuesday

Virtua Psych Unit - Mt. Holly NJ Feb 13, 8:30-9:30pm  
175 Madison Ave, Mt. Holly NJ

Solstice Counseling - Lumberton NJ - Feb. 13, 27 7-8pm  
1561 Rt. 38 W, Lumberton, NJ

Delaware House - Westampton NJ - Feb. 6, 27 2-3pm  
21 Ikea Drive, Westampton NJ

Unity Place I - Cherry Hill NJ Feb 7, 21 - Feb. 12:40-1:30pm  
1 Keystone Ave, Cherry Hill, NJ

Wednesday

Solstice Counseling - Lumberton NJ - Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28 12-1pm  
1561 Rt. 38 W, Lumberton, NJ

Northbrook Behavioral Health - Blackwood NJ - Feb. 14 8-9pm  
425 Woodbury-Turnersville Rd, Blackwood, NJ

Thursday

Ancora - Hammonton NJ Feb. 15, 22 7-8pm  
202 Spring Garden Rd, Hammonton, NJ

Unity Place II - Hammonton NJ - Feb. 1, 15 2-3 pm  
121 S. White Horse Pike, Hammonton, NJ

Daybreak - Atco NJ - Feb. 8, 15, 22 10:30-12:00 noon  
368 White Horse Pike, Atco, NJ

**Literature Chair: Andy E Co-Chair:**

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Our bank balance for December 1 was \$8914.09.

Five credits totaled \$3,762.40

Six debits totaled (\$3,562.73)

Balance for December 31 was **\$9113.76**

We did the semiannual inventory on December 27 and changed the "total retail value" from \$19,900.30 to \$19,816.65. The volunteers continued doing a good job of covering the scheduled shifts, and also brought the road show to a District workshop on sponsorship. More volunteers always welcome, especially for the morning shifts.

**Meeting list Chair: Anna D Co-Chair: Laura K**

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No Report

**Newsletter Chair: Judy P Co-Chair: April E**

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We are compiling things for the February newsletter, and could use articles. If anyone has anything to submit, please send to me by Friday. Otherwise we will use a Grapevine piece and plan on our usual announcements, trivia question and help wanted sections. We are also incorporating the office manager/ literature hours.

**Public Info Chair: Eileen T Co-Chair: Rich M**

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Public Information continues to support IDRC in Westmont and Mount Holly. At the end of January Eileen will be attending the quarterly SAC (Substance Abuse Counselor) meeting with local high schools in an effort to continue to bring young members into the classrooms and inform students of AA.

I would like to thank Jim S for his efforts and tireless work with Public Information for the past two years. Jim has done a lot with organizing and attending many programs and overseeing all aspects of Public Info. Thank you Jim! I would also like to welcome Rich M as the CoChair of Public Information. Rich has been instrumental in helping with the high school programs by organizing and facilitating the speakers at various schools and will continue to help spearhead programs in South Jersey. I am very excited to be Chair of Public Info and look forward to getting involved in many more local programs in South Jersey to help carry the AA message.

**Social Events Chair: Dylan B Co-Chair: Dylan C**

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No Report

**Unity Chair: Jen G Co-Chair: Wendy W**

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No Report

**Website Chair: Josh V Co-Chair: Richie M**

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Cutting over to new site this month, date tbd. Richie M. volunteered to be web cochair and we are excited to have him on board. Still need to create backup strategy, email setup, resolve backlogged meeting list changes, and input calendar events. Any other outstanding items will be resolved once cutover is completed.

## **SPECIAL REPORTS**

**Trustees: Brett R, Bruce B, Cletus C, Frank Z, Tina O**

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**Office Manager: Karen M**

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Welcome to our 2018-19 Steering Committee. I'm excited to start working with all of you. Please let me know if there is anything I can help you with. Please complete and return the Panel & Committee information sheet from your packet tonight so we can update our contact lists. Please ask committee co-chairs to complete the second copy and return it to the office as soon as possible.

Copier prices have been continuing to drop as I've been sidetracked getting ready for the Steering Committee meeting. I hope to work with Andy to come to a decision by the end of the month.

**Old Business:**

**New Business: Approval of new committee chairs- unanimously in favor.**

**Adjournment at 8:25pm: with the "Responsibility Pledge"**

Respectfully Submitted- **Secretary: Nichole T Assist. Secretary: Carolyn L**

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