

MARSCNA REGIONAL BUSINESS MEETING
FEBRUARY 17, 1990
SCOTT CITY, KS.

Curtis B. opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer, Carl K. read the Traditions. Introductions of all present. Roll call. There were 8 voting members present.

Previous minutes were read and passed.

P.O. BOX REPORT: No written report

TREASURERS REPORT: See attached

R.S.R. REPORT: See attached

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS:

ACTIVITIES: See attached

CONVENTION: See attached

H.&I.: See attached

LITERATURE: See attached

P.I.: See attached

POLICY: See attached

A.S.R. REPORTS: SEE ATTACHED

CENTRAL KANSAS AREA: SAM M. A.S.R.

FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM: JOE J. A.S.R.

JUST FOR TODAY: LAURA M. A.S.R.ait.

OZ AREA: RANDY R. A.S.R.

S.E. TRADITIONS: RUTH A.S.R.

UNITY: LAURA M. A.S.R.

WESTERN KANSAS AREA: JIM R. A.S.R.

WICHITA METRO AREA: BRENT K. A.S.R.

OLD BUSINESS:

POLICY:

Randy made a motion to accept article 1 2nd. 7for 1abstention

Motion to accept article 2. 2nd. 7-0-1

motion to accept article 3. 2nd. 6-1-1 passed

motion to accept article 4. 2nd 7-0-1 passed

NEW BUSINESS:

Brent made a motion to elect Glen S. Activities chair. 2nd. 8-0-0 passed

Jeff made a motion to elect Jeri S. Literature chair. 2nd. 8-0-0 passed

Motion to purchase typewriter for Regional news letter 2nd. 8-0-0

Motion to give newsletter \$200.00. for printing & postage. 2nd. 8-0-0

Tony was nominated for secretary. 2nd declined!

Jana G. expressed an interest in serving as secretary. Jim R. nominated Jana G. 2nd. 8-0-0

Motion to give Fran B. \$70.00 for mailing regional minutes. 2nd 8-0-0

Marci M. made a motion to give Plicy chair \$30.00 for mailing agenda. 2nd

John B. made a motion to accept bids & elect convention committee for

MARCNA IX in 92, In Feb.91, So the committees could work together. 2nd

Motion to send article V and VI back to areas. 2nd 8-0-0

(Marcie also would appreciate any & all written input on these guidelines

Motion for A.S.R.'s to find out if there is a need for basic text in thier area county jails.

NEXT R.S.C. in COFFEYVILL MAY 18, See atached

MARSC NA TREASURE REPORT

FEBRUARY 17, 1990

Previous Balance1,211.66

MONIES RECIEVED

| | | | |
|----------|----------|---------------------------|--------|
| 12/30/89 | ck# 1227 | newsletter..... | 6.00 |
| 12/10/89 | 1083 | newsletter..... | 6.00 |
| 12/11/89 | 150 | newsletter..... | 18.00 |
| 11/18/89 | 509 | newsletter..... | 6.00 |
| 11/18/89 | 651 | newsletter..... | 6.00 |
| 11/18/89 | 651 | service handbooks..... | 3.50 |
| 11/18/89 | cash | newsletter 6@ \$6.00..... | 36.00 |
| 11/18/89 | cash | service handbooks..... | 4.50 |
| 11/16/89 | ck# 539 | P.I. Reimbursement..... | 117.50 |
| 11/12/89 | 442 | WMASC..... | 80.00 |
| 11/11/89 | 122 | CKA NA..... | 75.00 |
| 10/31/89 | 513 | Butterfly Group..... | 4.70 |
| 10/02/89 | 508 | Butterfly Group..... | 4.68 |

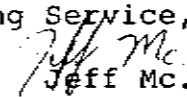
TOTAL RECIEVED.....367.88

MONIES PAID OUT

| | | |
|----------|--|--------|
| 11/18/89 | check# 133..... | 177.00 |
| | (P.I. regional meeting list) | |
| 11/18/89 | check# 134..... | 68.25 |
| | (Secretary expenses) | |
| 11/18/89 | check# 135..... | 750.00 |
| | (WSO Contributions) | |
| 01/8/89 | checks# 136,137,138,139..... | 21.60 |
| | (Conference Agenda Reports 4@ \$5.40ea.) | |

TOTAL PAID OUT.....1,016.85

ENDING BALANCE.....562.69

In Loving Service,

 Jeff Mc.
 Regional Treasurer

R.S.R. REPORT:

W.S.C. '90 starts April 22, 90. The conference agenda report is out. There are about 17 issues & some other issues to be discussed. We (Pat & I) need the area Conscience soon. Received info from W.S.C. on lodging \$84.00 a night.

W.S.C. Policy published the report on continuity.(See Dec. Fellowship)

The tape review committee continues. I was on one conference call and reviewed 14 tapes since last R.S.C. Now serving on Final tape review committee 9 tapes set for final vote on 2-21.

Thank you for allowing me to serve the fellowship of N.A.

John B.
R.S.R.

ACTIVITIES:

Meeting was opened with Serenity prayer. Jim read the Traditions. Glenn read minutes from last meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Alt. chair has not been showing up. Brent's term is up.

Glenn was nominated for chair.

Mark G. was nominated for co-chair.

Glen will make activities calender and send it to A.S.R.s & newsletter.

C.K.A. NO REPORT

F.F.F.:

our area put on a Christmas dance in Dec. and helped united survivors put on a 13 year anniversary chilifeed & dance in Feb. We raised about \$350.00 for the area & regional campouts. Both campouts have thier campgrounds paid for & reserved. We also have T-shirts for sale. We are currently working on flyers, speakers, & agendas for both.

In Service,
Joe J.

Oz Area Report:

Christmas Las- Vegas Style in Leoti in December was

a flop due to bad weather. Third Birthday Chili Supper in Oakley Feb.3 (originally scheduled Jan. 19th) had 14 people in attendance. Made \$20. Hosting the RSC today.

New chairperson, Ethel H. of Oakley; duties begin in March.

We are small in attendance at activities but are showing some increase in attendance. Hanging in there.

In Service to N.A.

Charlotte H.

Oz Area N.A. Chairman

Unity Report:

We are habing a 12 Concepts Workshop Chili Feed and Dance March 24, 1 p.m.-till? Salina groups are having several upcoming functions.S The 3rd annual Just for Today campout sorsored by Crossroads, Juncion City and Nameless, Mangattan will be August 10, 11, 12 at Thunderbird Marina at Milford Lake.

Western Area Report:

Against All Odds: celebrated 5 years Jan. 1990; had speakers celebrating clean time.

Gratitude: celebrating 1 year on Feb. 23, 7:30 at the New Chance Building on Wyatt Earp.

Plans are being discussed for a camp-out sometime in May or June. Plans will be revealed...

Your Friend
Mark G.
Dodge City, KS

Wichita Metro Area:

P.I. Workshop April 28.

March 17, Dance, Ark City.

P.I. Learning Day, Chili Feed, Dance.

Derby 7th Report:

April 28- Derby 7th Anniversary Bash in Back Woods.

Woodlawn United Methodist Church, Derby Ks., 2 p.m. till late???

Dances every 3rd Saturday of the month at St. Francis and Harry Street in Wichita, at the Communication Workers Union Building.

Mid-America Regional Camp-out:

We have the dates July 5-8, 1990 at Bloomington West Group Camp Area on Clinton Lake reserved for our 12th camp-out. Gates open at 4 p.m.

on Sunday. Cost is \$190.00 rent. We have a logo for our T-shirts and the campout. The name is Freedom To Live. T-shirts will be \$10 each.

We are in the process of making flyers. We have contacted a few speakers and one has confirmed. The other will tell me in a couple of days.

And the third I'm still trying to reach. It is coming together great and I can't wait for the biggest and longest running camp-out in the U.S.A. to happen.

Thank you for allowing me to serve,
Glenn S. -Chairman

H&I REPORT

Regional H&I Report:

Meeting opened in usual manner.

Old Business: Voted to table motion to contact Department of Corrections

until we know exactly who we need to talk to and who can possibly get the ball rolling. Don C. from FFF will find the person to contact with follow up letter drafted by P.I. and H&I Chair. More as this topic develops The Region will put on an H&I learning day on Sunday after the Regional at the same location in the South-east Traditions area. Flyers will be out.

NEW BUSINESS:

Carl nominated Dan M. as H&I co-chair, voted and passed.
Contact list passed out, updated will be revised for May regional t

MEETING CLOSED.

Warren J.
H&I Chair

AREA REPORTS

CKA H&I Report:

A lot seems to be happening in H&I in the CKA. We have added a new meeting to our list, Thanks to the Hay's Group. The new meetins is in the Ellis County Jayil on Friday's at 7 p.m.

The Ellsworth Prison Meeting is going strong with anywhere from 50 to 80 inmates attending. Outside support is very weak but we are working on that. Basic text are in a big demand. We only have 7 books to take care of so many people. This is something we may need help with. All other meetings are going strong.

This will be my last meeting as H&I chair for the Central Kansas Area. I would like to thank this Region for all of their help and support. I will still be around to help the in chairperson.

H&I in my heart,
Dan Mason.

FFF H&I Report:

Elected new co-chairperson Karla N. Having difficulty having meetings due to lack of support. New meeting started at KNI (Kansas Neurological Instiute). The V.A. meeting will be 11 years old soon. Area H&I is reforming and needs support. Meeting a Youth Center at Topeka folded due to no outside support. Agreed to host H&I Workshop.

With Love,

Don C.

Western Area Report:

Our area is continuing to stay active in H&I service. We elected a new Area H&I Chair, Jeff A. Congratulation to Jeff. Along with our existing H&I meetings, our area has started a new H&I meeting the 1st Sat. of each month at 7 p.m. at St. Joseph's Hospital, Larnded, Ks.

In Loving Service,
Carl K.

REGIONAL LITERATURE REPORT

Meeting was opened by Jeff M. in the usual manner and area reports were read. Jeff M. reported on pertinent items that are in the Conference Agenda Report.

Laura Mc reported on the Newsletter activities. Out of the \$300 given to her by the RSC in Sept. '89 we have \$25.71 of that left after printing 3 issues of the Newsletter. There were also expenses of \$9 for misc. items needed to produce the newsletter. We have received \$186 income over the last 5 months. Folks' this is an average of \$54 per month spent. I think this is exceptional management of the RSC's money!!! So we are returning \$211.71 to the RSC.

A subscription

A subscription drive was discussed at length and we decided to make a poster to display what the newsletter is about and other important info about it. Also we will have self-addressed envelopes with subscription forms enclosed for the addicts who wish to purchase a subscription. There's a possibility of saving the addict a stamp by having a mail box for those who put their check, completed subscription form in the envelope!

We're trying to keep it as simple as possible folks!! Curtis volunteered to get the envelopes ready before the Convention and back to Laura Mc. It was passed that the committee will exchange and send newsletters with the Unity KC Area and WSO.

Laure will check on prices of the subscription forms and go with whatever is cheapest.

Jeff motioned for \$140 to buy a typewriter for the Newsletter Committee to use to prepare the Newsletter.

Laura MC. requested \$200 to print and mail the next 2 issues of the Newsletter and also purchase supplies to make the subscription poster.

Jeri S. was nominated for Lit. Chair and she accepted and qualified herself. Jeri was voted in as chairperson. Jeri S. nominated Al D. for the position of co-chair. After Al accepted the nomination he was voted as co-chairman. Sold \$31 in hand books today.

In loving service,
Jeri S. Lit-chair

CKA REPORT:

In the CKA, literature sales have been going strong. There has been a considerable amount of literature purchased by the groups for their H&I and P.I. sub-committees. Basic Text sales have been up, as well as items for the newcomer. This flow of material shows the importance of our literature and the Recovering Addict. Work on the Twelve concepts has been next to nil. Most groups in our area have reviewed the draft and the reply has been, "What is it?" Copies are being made and distributed to the groups for review on the first draft of "A guide to Service Structure. I should have more input on this at a later date.

Hope to see everyone at the convention!!

Grateful to serve
Al D.

FFF REPORT

Our area had gotten burned on a \$500 stockpile about 9 mos. ago and decided to dissolve the lit. stockpile. Our co-chair was to take over the lit. committee, but failed to report to the area meeting 2 months in a row. Due to a lack of interest the lit. committee has been dormant. Interest for an area newsletter has risen and has been printed the last two months. Out of necessity of a committee, for this new addition to report to, it is back to the groups to elect a chair and co-chair at the next area mts. This committee will be responsible for reviewing the new literature and publishing a newsletter.

In service,
Joe J.

Unity Area Report

Area Learning Day on 12 Concepts of Service March 24th 1-5 p.m. with free chili and vegetable soup feed. Speaker at 7:30 and Dance at 9p.m. at Ks. College of Technology.
Not much else going on-stockpile is doing o.k.

Jeri S. for Jim F.
Unity Area Chair

ASR REPORTS

CENTRAL KANSAS AREA

The Great Bend group has put in a phone line. The number is 316-792-1991. The message gives meeting list and contact numbers. Pam B. has stepped-down from ASR, and I have been moved up to ASR. Al D. has been voted in as ASR Alt. We seem to be having a lot of people stepping down from positions and having trouble filling them, but we are still hanging in there.

Dan M.
ASR

FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM AREA

We have been working on our Area Campout and the Regional Campout. The campgrounds have been reserved and paid for. We have T-shirts printed and for sale. The flyers are still under construction.

Our Area has been publishing a newsletter for the last few months. We have a dance planned for March 24th at 1248 Buchanan. The next Area business meeting will be February 28th at 5 PM.

In Service with Gratitude,
Joe J. ASR

ASR REPORTS

JUST FOR TODAY AREA

We have a new town joining our Area - Osawatomie! Attendance at JFT group meetings is strong, however lacking at the Area level. Joe G. was elected as ASR in January, but had to resign due to health reasons. There were no nominations or volunteers for this position. We are experiencing growing pains but we're still growing.

In Loving Service,
Laura M., ASR Alt.

OZ AREA

Changes in our area. Our secretary, Monica M(ouse)'s term is up. She will have to be replaced. Activities Chair's term is up. Charlotte and the Lit. Chair are taking over Activities Chair, and the Lit. Chair will be open. H & I Chair Linda B. went to California. New H & I Chair Dan B. and the Area is going to have a PI sub-committee meeting before the next Area meeting in March, so to better carry the message to the addict. So happy to host you folks at the RSC in Scott City.

In Loving Service,
Randy R., ASR

SOUTHEAST TRADITIONS AREA

The SETA is looking forward to hosting the May Regional. The Regional will be held in Coffeyville at the Best Western, 104 W. 11th. Flyer is attached to this report.

Our Policy sub-committee has worked hard on putting guidelines for our Area together. We will be voting on accepting the guidelines in March. Our PI committee is still getting started. We elected an H & I Chairperson at our February Area meeting. Mike C. from Coffeyville is our H & I Chairperson.

We lost a group in our Area. The Pittsburg "Our Gratitude Speaks" group folded this last month. We are saddened by this, but hopeful they will re-form.

Independence "Buzz on Life" group joined our Area in January. They are to hold a St. Patrick's Dance Saturday, March 17th at Riverside Park, Independence, KS. This is a fund raiser for the Area to help host the Regional.

Our Area is donating \$10.00 to the Regional today. Our next Area meeting will be held March 4, in Independence at 12:00 Noon. Everyone is welcome.

Clean & Crazy
Love,
Ruth, ASR

ASR REPORTS

UNITY AREA

The big news in our Area is that we are having a workshop on the 12 Concepts! The workshop will be held March 24th in Salina at 1:00 PM. Afterwards we will have a Chili Feed & Speaker, followed by a dance with a live band. The "Clean & Crazy" group is sponsoring the chili & live band.

I am happy to announce that we have a new ASR Alt., Jeff P., that will be taking over at the May Regional. Also, we have a new PI Chair, Rand G.

We have a new meeting in Abilene, which meets on Friday at 8 PM at 6th & Buckeye. They will also participate in our Area.

We have started doing a Basic Text circulation. Concordia has taken their own initiative and has distributed approximately 50 Basic Texts. We are working on getting scripts for radio stations. We have found scripts work much better than recorded PSA tapes.

Due to our secretary not getting our minutes to us on time, I will have to abstain from the Regional motions that were submitted to go to the groups.

Laura M.
ASR Alt.

WESTERN AREA

Things have been rough in the Area. We let some personalities come before principles, but I think things are changing now.

We elected a Policy Chair and are trying to form a committee to get some policy on paper. We also elected Ann from Garden City as our new Area Chair. Jeff A. from Dodge City is our H & I Chair.

Meetings are going strong in the Area. Garden City has a new meeting place. It is 702 N. Main. They are now having meetings every night but Sunday. All are at 7:30 PM except the 9:30 candlelight meeting on Friday. "Gratitude" group in Dodge City started another meeting - a men's meeting - on Thursdays at 7 PM. All-in-all, there is recovery in the Western Area.

I have a new address and phone number: 104 E. Vine, Apt. 107, Dodge City, KS 67801, 316-225-4838.

In Loving Service,
Jim R., ASR

WICHITA METRO AREA

Our helpline number has changed to 316-832-9441. We have received input from the convention center in Doo-Dah on various hotels & info for a 1991 convention bid, and we will go over all we have, and make our bid.

Brent K.
ASR

AMMENDMENT TO MINUTES

POLICY COMMITTEE 2-17-90

The Policy meeting opened with a moment of silence, 12 Traditions, and introductions. Agendas and draft guidelines were passed-out to those who didn't receive them in the mail.

There was discussion over Article III, which was taken back to the groups at the last RSC. This motion has to do with membership. It states that only RSC officers, chair, and voting participants may make and 2nd motions. The SETA sent their Policy vice-chair to voice their concern over this motion. Some Policy members felt we were limiting ourselves by not allowing any NA member to make and 2nd motions. It was pointed out that this motion would be voted on at the RSC, so we proceeded ahead with new business.

We began with Article IV, entitled SUBCOMMITTEES. The Policy committee felt that the individual subcommittees should spend a little more time on these guidelines. Please look these over (if you haven't), subcommittees, and submit these at the Coffeyville Regional in May. The Convention committee has also been asked for guidelines.

Articles V & VI were approved by Policy and will be submitted in New Business to go back for a group vote. The Policy committee will be anxiously awaiting the ASR's vote in May.

After the motions began to fly hot & heavy, after much discussion, tabling, and withdrawing, it was decided that the rest of the draft guidelines needed more work. So..., again the draft guidelines IV & VII through XI will be taken up under Old Business at the next RSC. Any and all written input on these guidelines between now and the next RSC would be greatly appreciated. Anyone who needs a copy of these please get with me! Write or call: Marci Magee
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Salina 67401

MARSCNA

Quarterly Business & Committee Meetings
May 19-20, 1990 Coffeyville, Kansas

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday May 18, 1990

Candlelight Meeting - 10:00 pm

New Dimensions Group 7th & Elm (St. Pauls Episcopal Church)

Saturday May 19, 1990

Regional Meeting Events

Committee Meetings - 9:00 am

Lunch Break ----- 1:00 pm

RSC Meeting ----- 2:30 pm

Speaker Meeting ---- 8:00 pm (or completion of RSC)

Dance, Raffle etc. - 9:00 pm

(All Events on Saturday to be held at Best Western, Fountain Plaza Inn, 104 West 11th Street)

Sunday May 20, 1990

NH Newspaper Meeting (9:00 am, Coffeyville Regional Medical Center, 2nd & Buckeye Entrance Room 108)

Contacts

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John M. (316) 251-5126

Mileage chart and Accommodations list on the reverse side.

Hosted by the Southeast
Traditions Area