

**Anchorage Area Service Committee Meeting
Minutes of May 7, 2007**

Chair, Christine B, opened the meeting with a moment of silence and the Serenity Prayer at 6:30 p.m.
The Twelve Traditions were read by Dave P., the Twelve Concepts by John G., and the Service Prayer by Alan M.

Roll Call – 13 of 16 GSRs present.

New Groups: Three new groups were recognized: Cat Fight, Claws for the Cause (women's meeting), Monday 7-8 pm, 1220 E. St. downstairs; W.T.S.O.D.M.F (men's step study), Tuesday 7:30-9, Alano Club; Eagle River Group, Friday 6:30-7:30, Joy Lutheran Church (in back), 10111 Eagle River Loop Rd.

Amendments to Agenda: none

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS ... *written reports are filed with original copy of minutes.*

Chair: Christine has begun assembling and ad hoc committee consisting of the area chair, vice chair, and five additional addicts. This committee will try to have something to take back to the groups by July, allowing groups to prepare to discuss the inventory by the August AASC meeting.

Vice-chair: Absent

Secretary: No report. Nick sent around another contact list to update with the new members present.

Treasurer: Absent but provided report. Current balance of \$2,785.74. Treasury still appears to be missing \$309.89 as reported last month.

GROUP REPORTS ... *written reports are filed with original copy of minutes.*

Clean & Serene: Averaging 45 addicts per meeting. Donated \$50 to Area.

Soul-2-Soul: donated \$25 to area.

The Frozen Chozen: Lots of newcomers and treatment center clients attending meeting. Group held its third annual prom, which was well attended, and which used up their entire reserve.

To the Point: Attendance picking up. Donated \$20 to area.

The Gong Show: attendance is growing with lots of newcomers. Heather H. is the new treasurer, John G. the new literature person, and Scott is the literature person. Group took in \$227.76 in 7th tradition money, paid \$160 for rent, and donated \$40 to area.

Saturday Night Live: donated \$10 to area.

Third Way: The new coffee maker is up and running, group is averaging 45 addicts with lots of newcomers, donated \$100 to area.

Out and About: Group celebrated 47 years clean time in April; had 158 addicts in attendance, with 13 newcomers for an average of 32/meeting.

The Morning After: attendance growing, averaging 25 addicts. Donated \$100 to area.

Dynamite Thursday Night: absent

Round About: absent

NA at the VA: group had 153 addicts attend in April, donated \$50 to area.

One Day Today: donated \$20 to area.

Cat Fight: no report

Eagle River Group: attendance averaging 12-15 addicts, donated \$10 to area.

WTSODMF: Filled all service positions: Tony L. GSR, Bill S. Secretary, Michael B. Literature, Perry P. PI, John S. Alternate GSR, Bob M. Treasurer, Jeff J. Entertainment, Ronnie H. H&I. Averaging 11 addicts, current balance of \$34 in treasury. The group voted on group name, created member list, phone list, "available to sponsor" list and is provide meat at Memorial Day picnic.

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

Public Information: Bob J. has resigned as PI Chair. Christine B., Terri H., and Joe C. are assuming most of the current responsibilities of the position.

Hospitals & Institutions: Eileen R. is the new presenter at Hiland Mtn., and Dave La. is the new Panel Leader at Cook Inlet. Dena Acoy is still on hold for confirmation. An H&I and PI Learning Days is scheduled fro March 31 from 10-3 at 3rd and Cordova.

Entertainment: Requested \$130 for Memorial Day picnic at Jewel Lake, \$350 for Eklutna Campout. Passed around sign-up sheet to join entertainment committee.

Literature: Financial report on file with treasurer.

Newsletter: Position remains vacant.

ARSC REPRESENTATIVES' REPORTS

Regional Committee Member: Alan M. present but no report.

Regional Committee Member Alternate: Position vacant

Regional Convention Committee Vice-Chair: Chili cookoff was a success. Talent show planned for June 30, likely at St. Patrick's. Event ideas encouraged, may be brought to Amy L. or Arlene. Registration forms are ready to distribute.

SHARING SESSION

OLD BUSINESS

1. Vote on Kim L. for Entertainment Subcommittee chair: 12-0-0. Kim is voted in.
2. Ross B. is nominated for Regional Delegate
 - a. Ross's qualifications: H&I Secretary 2002, Gong Show Treasurer 2002, H&I panel leader 2003-4, GSR Gong Show 2002-3, Convention Committee member on merchandise, H&I panel leader CIPT, GSR for Out and About (briefly).

NEW BUSINESS

1. Motion by Frozen Chosen: That Area Service Representatives include their home groups on the meeting schedule. Intent: so people from the fellowship can go to those meetings and meet (know) who is serving them at area level.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. Lou Ann asked that people announce at meetings that the Ladies Night meeting on Tuesday's is still happening and has lots of newcomer women needing support.
2. Memorial Day Picnic at Jewel Lake Park, Monday May 28, 10-6
3. Valdez Groups Campout June 1-3, Squirrel Creek Recreation Site
4. Eklutna Lake Campout June 22-24
5. ARCNA XXIII October 19-21 at AK Millennium Hotel
6. Golden Heart Area Blow Out July 20-22
7. Kenai Camp-Vention August 24-26
8. ARCNA Talent Show June 30, St. Patrick's 7 pm.

Next AASCNA meeting at Peggy's on Monday June 4.

Meeting adjourned at 7:35 p.m.