

## The South Leawood Group

Meeting Minutes

April 9, 2007

### Attendees

Frank	Greg B.
Mike M.	Chris H.
Dennis M.	AJ
Angela	Dennis N.
Dan M	Dave L.
James A	Jessica
Jeff H.	Jeff T.
Bob S.	Cindy
Carly	James
Sarah	

### District 10 Report

Frank attended the District 10 meeting. The District is planning an old timers meeting in May for people with 30 years or more sobriety. Volunteers are needed to greet and set-up.

The District is still working with the media to get AA public service announcements (PSA) run.

South Leawood only had one committee chair attending. Frank encouraged South Leawood officers to attend the meetings or find a replacement.

### Officers Reports

Treasurer's Report – Chris H. distributed and reviewed the treasurer's report and the group approved the report. Chris pointed out that there are three checks that have been outstanding for three months. Before stopping payment on those checks, Chris will call to see if the organizations to whom the checks were sent received them.

Corrections Report – AJ announced volunteer opportunities with Johnson County Dept. of Corrections. Men and women are needed to bring meetings to the Adult Residential Center. Volunteers are also needed for the Community Weekend Intervention Program (CWIP). Details will be posted on the bulletin board.

Literature – Mike M. reported we're low on Big Books and 12x12's but Central Office was out of both when he went by. There was some discussion around obtaining literature from other sources. Dan noted that the group conscious obligates us to obtain literature

through the Central Office; however, we can go elsewhere as long as we still send money to C.O. (the amount C.O. would have charged less their cost).

Treatment – Chris is still getting up to speed and has reached out to District 10 treatment representatives.

CPC (Cooperation with Professional Communities) – Jeff said there was nothing new to report since last month.

Central Office – Dennis M. gave the Central Office report. New board members were elected. The C.O. picnic will be held 6/17. The old timers meeting will be held 5/12. Group #1 will be celebrating the 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary of AA in Kansas City 5/27-29. Dennis will try to get the problem with literature inventory resolved.

PI (Public Information) – Dan M. reported that \$200 was approved for PSA's. Tapes ranging in length from 15 – 60 seconds are being created. Once submitted, the media has 90 days in which to air the announcements. The billboard was moved and we are trying to figure out where it went. More cards were ordered for the police department. Another ad was placed in the Sun personal section.

### Old Business

Discussion continued on the suggestion Jeff T. made a few months ago to supply Big Books to JoCo Community Corrections. Dennis N. reported that he had made some phone calls but those calls had not been returned.

The \$2700 in excess funds that District 10 has was distributed evenly to GSO and Area 25. Frank pointed out that if we want to implement our suggestions for spending the money as discussed in last month's meeting, we need representation at the District meeting.

### New Business

We are considering increasing rent payment to church by \$100-150. This will be discussed further next month.

The church is moving us downstairs, but it will probably be around 3 months before we move.

James A. volunteered to coordinate the meeting leader's workshop.

Greg B. will hang the new whiteboard.

There was a discussion around people bringing children and dogs into meetings. It was decided that in these specific cases, rather than leave resolution of these issues up to the meeting leaders, the group GSR would directly contact the individuals responsible.

Normally, the meeting leader would be responsible for handling these situations, but in these cases, the individuals had already been confronted.

The group is considering appointing a group historian. Jeff T. was nominated and the matter will be discussed next month.

The next business meeting will be held on Monday, May 14 at 8:15pm.