

River Cities Intergroup-Meeting Minutes-July 10, 2023

Chairperson Amber opened the meeting at 6:01 PM with the serenity prayer.

Introductions/Attendance: 14 in attendance- Amber L., Jeff R., Joann H., Chuck B., Sheri B., Ashley C., Ebony P., Vanessa V., John H., Pat D., Wyld Bill, Deb Z., Guy O., Tony M., Steve A.

Meeting minutes from June 12, 2023, were reviewed and approved.

Treasurer's Report-Joann H.-Detailed report submitted-2nd quarter payroll taxes have been paid and there is an ongoing review of WAVE (accounting software) for accuracy. Request for IG reps to ask group members if there are any new products that they would like Central Office to offer for sale.

Central Office Manager's Report-Joann H. presented for Debra C., who is on vacation-Detailed report submitted, which Debra prepared and was dated 06-22-2023. A big thank you to all the volunteers. We now have a volunteer for each day the office is open! Joann said using Zelle has helped with donations. (riverscities@rcco-aa.org) She also spoke of *Faithful Fivers*, who are individual AA members who gratefully contribute at least \$5.00 per month to Central Office.

River Roundup Chairperson's Report-Chuck B.-There will be no planning meetings in July or August. They are working on the program. Service positions still needed are Co-treasurer and Bowling chair.

Vice Chairperson/IG liaison-Jeff R.-He is excited about learning his new service position.

Newsletter-Ashley- Activity report submitted-Total contacts-1359 Email open rate- 34% Contact Growth- (negative -1) Ashley is working on finding out about what that statistic means. Ashley instructed us how to subscribe to the newsletter by visiting <https://rcco-aa.org/> and clicking on the newsletter subscribe button on the bottom of the home page. Event flyers can be downloaded from the newsletter.

Web Liaison's Report-Ashley-will work on getting Webmaster to update upcoming events tab.

Fundraiser's/Events Report- Vanessa-There will be a Bunco Fundraiser for the Treatment Committee on July 30th-2-5 PM at the Alano Club. Tickets are \$15.00 and ticket holders are listed on the flyer. This fundraiser is to help support the purchase and literature for the treatment committee to take directly to the clients at local treatment facilities.

There is also a Disco Dance Fundraiser for Central Office at the Alano Club. The date for this event is August 12th-8pm-11pm. Tickets are \$10.00, and space is limited. Ticket holders are listed on the flyer.

Group Reports

Needles Group-Deb Z.-Meetings 7 days a week at 7PM-except Sunday's spiritual meeting at 10AM. The calendar is always AZ time. We usually welcome 2 or 3 newcomers. The lease is up this summer. The city needs the space for their staff, but they are going to help us find another location.

Surrender Group-Guy O.-This is my first IG meeting and am looking forward to my new service position. Meeting is at 7PM Tuesdays at Valley Christian Church. Attendance is around 6-10 people, and we had a couple of visitors recently. We have filled these service positions-IG rep, Secretary and Treasurer.

Marina Group-Pat D. (sub)-22 weekly meetings-Business meeting is the 2nd Saturday of the month. The group is looking into funding big books for treatment center committee. River Float Activity date is set for July 22nd. We will be contributing \$2800.00 shortly.

Bullhead City Men's Stag-Pat D.-Meets Wednesday at 07:30PM-averages around 20-25 in attendance. We have key members with long term sobriety. We use Big Book topics.

Sun Group-Tony M-Multiple meetings-Meets at 75 Capri Lane-Lake Havasu City-32 meetings a week-The business meeting is the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 8:15PM. Attendance has been lower than normal, although newcomers and visitors are still coming. A big decision was made to discontinue Farmer's Brothers Coffee Service. One of our chairpersons resigned. We have a newcomer meeting and Big Book and 12 and 12 meetings.

Our House-Wyld Bill-23 meetings a week-Business meeting is the last Tuesday of the month. Attendance has been up and down, and the snowbirds have flown. Friday Pizza meeting starts at 4:30PM with 15-20 attendees. 10-15 people showed up at Saturday's potluck. We have two Women's meetings, 3 12 X 12 meetings, 3 Big Book meetings, along with a meditation meeting.

Bullhead City Women's Meeting-Vanessa V. (sub) -Meets Mondays at 6:30PM at Chapparal Golf Course. Attendance is usually around 12-35 women. The business meeting is on the 3rd Monday of the month. The format has recently changed to 2 weeks open meeting, 2-week format cards, and a speaker on the 5th week. Sponsors raise hands to volunteer for service and a can for treatment center contributions is available.

As Good As It Gets-Chuck B.-13136 Golden Shores Parkway-Topock-Three meetings a week on Tues, Thurs, and Sundays at 6:00PM. Attendance is around 10-20 members. A few newcomers and several visitors have been showing up. We are keeping the doors open and are welcoming to all.

Friday Night Live-Ashley C. (sub)-Group meets at 700PM on Fridays. This is a speaker meeting. The birthday meeting is the last Friday of the month. We average 50-80 attendees including newcomers, visitors, and those from treatment centers. Cake is served at every meeting! We always ask for willing sponsors and pass the can for treatment the first Friday of the month.

OLD BUSINESS-

We are waiting for Debra C. to return to set up the Land Line through Tri State

NEW BUSINESS-

- Central Office has a \$30,000.00 Wells Fargo Certificate of Deposit (CD) that is about to mature in August. With our prudent reserve of \$15, 000.00 fully funded, we are asking IG representatives to discuss with their groups ideas for the use and distribution of the money and to bring their group ideas to the next IG meeting. IG officers discussed donating part of the money to GSO, and using some of the funds for new flooring, a new office door and a new refrigerator, but need input from the groups. IG officers voted to send the interest of approximately \$400.00 from this CD to GSO when it matures.

- There will be no Intergroup meeting in August. Our next meeting will be September 11, 2023, at 6:00PM.
- Please encourage your home group members to stand for the position of Alternative IG representative if you do not already have someone in that position.

The meeting closed at 6:56 with the Responsibility Declaration.

In Grateful Service,

Sheri B-Recording Secretary