

Midland A.A. Intergroup Minutes

District 20 Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous

Meeting Date: April 2, 2000

GSRs and other trusted servants present at the meeting:

Joe H.	District Committee Member
David P.	Sunday Night Group - GSR
Theron B.	Public Information Committee/Secty.
Rick Z.	Friday Freedom Group - GSR
"Big Book" Bill M.	Beginners Information Group - GSR
Steve W.	Treasurer/Monday Beginners Group
Perry S.	Monday Night Group - Treasurer
Lynn S.	Sunday Night, Monday Night - GVR

The meeting was held at the Unitarian Fellowship Hall on Jefferson Avenue at 7:00 PM and was chaired by Joe H. Reports from the officers and committees:

DCM Joe went to IntraArea today, said there was not much to report. Our Area delegate, Murray, is in the hospital.

Secretary Theron passed around copies of the minutes of the last meeting, and a correction was made from "InterArea" to "IntraArea" and to recognize that it was the Friday Night Literature Table that donated the books for the raffle.

Treasurer Steve distributed copies of a report on the expenses from last month's IntraArea meeting in Midland, with a comparison to last years' costs. Food cost was about the same, but rent was much cheaper, saving \$239.
Steve remarked that the Friday Night Freedom Group has not contributed to Intergroup in some time. Rick Z. explained the rent is high, and financial records were not being kept until a new group treasurer started recently.

PI/CPC The committee will be calling the District Court Probation Department to request a meeting about how we can help them in their dealings with alcoholics and A.A. A meeting will also be sought with the new jail administrator to discuss the possibility of resuming jail meetings.

Old Business: None

New Business:

1. Bill M. suggested that, in light of weak attendance at Intergroup business meetings, we examine what value we are providing to the A.A. groups of the area and whether Intergroup is earning the support of the members. There followed a general discussion of how to increase awareness of and involvement in Midland Intergroup, with suggestions of picnics, parties, etc.
2. Bill M. also said that he would convey to IntraArea the suggestion that they meet less frequently.
3. As group treasurer for the Monday Night Beginners Group, Perry S. requested that Intergroup make some money available for the purchase of literature for that group. After a brief discussion \$120 was allocated for the purchase of Big Books and other literature, at Perry's discretion.

☞ **The next Midland Area Intergroup meeting will be held on Sunday, May 7, at 7:00 PM at the Unitarian Fellowship Hall on Jefferson.**

The Intergroup meeting was adjourned at 7:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Theron B.