

Midland A.A. Intergroup Minutes

District 20 Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous

Meeting Date: September 9, 2001

GSRs, other trusted servants and visitors present at the meeting:

Steve W.	Sunday Night Group, Intergroup Treasurer
Bill M.	Monday Night Beginners Group
Lynn S.	Sunday Night Group
Theron B	What's the Point Group
Jack W.	Sanford Thursday
Carl O.	Averill Group
Perry S.	Wednesday Serenity Group

The meeting was held at the Unitarian Hall on Jefferson Ave. at 6:30 PM and was opened with the Serenity Prayer. Committee reports:

Secretary	The minutes were read and accepted.
Treasurer	Steve reported that our current balance is \$781 after paying King Communications.
Jails & Institutions	Bill reported that the prison meetings need volunteers; anyone interested should see him or LC Bob. Theron said that the jail still needs women to take AA meetings inside; anyone interested should see him.
Public Information	Literature was placed at the Midland library, the hospital emergency room and at the Midland County Courthouse. A younger member has volunteered to speak at the local high schools, so the school counselors will be contacted. Bill M. made the suggestion to order videotapes for use at local meetings; this was approved after discussion. Jack made a motion to have the Friday night literature table sponsored by Intergroup in order to take the financial burden off individual members who had been paying for orders in advance out of their own pockets. Previously the literature table was not supported by any particular group; this motion would make it a function of the Intergroup Public Information Committee. The motion passed unanimously.
Answering Service	No activity.

IntraArea Meeting: Bill M. and Jack W. attended Intra Area this month. Ypsilanti is officially the site for the Michigan State conference in 2002. New 4th edition Big Books will be out in November and will cost \$5.00.

Announcements: Next month's Intra-Area meeting will be in Munger on Sunday, October 7. The new women's group at 3:00 PM on Saturday at the Baptist church on Jefferson has been added to the meeting schedule.

Old Business: None.

New Business: Bill M. suggested that Intergroup provide a suggested format in writing for conducting meetings, as a way of encouraging newer members to chair meetings. The group representatives present agreed to get meeting agendas from the groups that have them to use as examples.

Carl suggested contacting the Bay City area Intergroup about having a joint New Year's Eve party. This idea was well received and Carl will make the initial contact.

The Intergroup meeting was adjourned at 7:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Theron B.

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