

Midland A.A. Intergroup Minutes

District 20 Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous

Meeting Date: October 7, 2001

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

Carol D.	Saturday Women's Group
Theron B	What's the Point Group
Jack W.	Sanford Thursday
Carl O.	Averill 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 with minor correction.
Treasurer	Steve was out of town but sent his report that our current balance is \$852.36 after paying King Communications.
Jails & Institutions	A woman potentially interested in conducting women's meetings at the Midland County Jail. She was referred to our jail contact for screening.
Public Information	A.A. videotapes have been ordered from GSO for use at local meetings, as approved last month. Also ordered were samples of A.A. public service announcements for television and radio broadcast.
Answering Service	No activity.

IntraArea Meeting: Carl O. and Jack W. attended Intra Area this month in Munger. The new literature chair Jeff. Next month's meeting will be in Flint at the Union Hall.

Announcements: There will be an A.A. forum in Toledo next weekend, October 13 and 14 at the Hilton.

Old Business: No one has brought any meeting agendas for use as examples for those groups who do not have a written agenda but might want to use one. It has been discussed last month that Intergroup could assemble a sample agenda. Carl talked with Bay City Intergroup about a joint New Year's Eve party and they were receptive to the idea.

New Business: There was discussion of how literature is funded for the jail and prison meetings. Big Books for jail inmates have been purchased by the county's 511 treatment program, but that funding is being reduced to the point that they will no longer be able to afford it. IntraArea has been providing literature for the prison because that institution draws from a wider geographical area than just Midland County.

The group decided to order a large number of 4th edition Big Books, which are scheduled to be available in early November, as well as reprints of the recent *Box 459* special edition GSO newsletter about the history of the Big Book so these could be made available. Leftover stock of 3rd edition Big Books can be donated to the jail.

The Intergroup meeting was adjourned at 7:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Theron B.

☞ **The next Midland Area Intergroup meeting will be held on Sunday, November 4, at 7:00 PM at the Unitarian Fellowship Hall on Jefferson.**