

NATURE COAST INTERGROUP
MEETING MINUTES
May 22, 2011

SECRETARY DENIS S. opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer.

VICE CHAIR BEVERLY H. took a roll call and the following groups were represented:- Attitude Adjustment, Big Book 164, Crystal River Group, Dunnellon Group, Dunnellon New Beginnings, Floral City Group, Floral City Men's, High Noon Group, Holder Way Of Life, Inverness Friday Night, Rainbow Group, Resentment Group, Women's Friendship Group, Women's New Beginnings.

SECRETARY:- Denis S. read minutes of previous meeting and they were accepted as read.

TREASURER:- John L. Reported that the balance on the checking account went down to \$900 so he transferred \$1000 from the money market account to the checking account. He reported that we made a profit of \$57 for the month but he explained that because we had paid the rent in advance that it could not be considered a real profit. We made \$62 on the sale of funnel cakes at the chili cook off and that will be added to the \$492 already in the discretionary fund. John explained that donations for the year are down and that overall we are losing about \$100 per month.

TRUSTEES:- John W, Darral M, Martha G and Paul B had nothing to report.

WEBMASTER:- Darral M reported that Martin from Floral City Men's Group is making great progress working with Ron, John L and Steve N on the website and that things look generally well for the future.

HOTLINE:- Kurt W reported a total of 96 calls to the hotline as follows:- 66 for AA, 9 for NA, 4 for Detox, 6 for Alanon and 11 for AA outside of the county.

JOURNAL:- John L reported that the journal will be ready on the 27th.

INVENTORY AND SALES:- Darral M reported that we are doing well at the bookstore serving the needs of the groups as intended. He thought that because of the economy it would help if the groups were to pay for merchandise at pickup but he said that he fully understands that this is not always possible. He also thought that groups having large orders might give advanced notice so that the products could be ordered to avoid the need for large inventories.

VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR:- John W reported that we have nine volunteers at the moment and that he is pleased with that number. the following served at the bookstore:- Paul B(Attitude Adjustment), Rich G(Keep in Step), John W(Big Book 164), Darral M(Floral City Men's), Denis S(Crystal River), Janet B(Attitude Adjustment), Jim L(Attitude Adjustment), Butch L(Its In The Book), Matt B(Resentment Group), Anonymous.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT:- No report available.

OLD BUSINESS:- (a) Darral reported that Willye laid out the welcome mat for us at the chili cook off, making it easy for us to sell funnel cakes and raise \$62. Marisol did the cooking and her expertise was appreciated by all. Everyone had a great time.

(b) John L will be the chairman for the gratitude dinner and he has already secured Sandy B as the speaker. Darral M. will be the MC.

(c) Kathie S. made a motion that we ask the groups to decide if they would like to provide the entrees for the gratitude dinner and allow individuals to bring the side dishes. The motion was passed by twelve votes with none against.

NEW BUSINESS:- John L. will present the following dates to the Holder Community Center as our preference for upcoming monthly meetings:- September 25th, October 30th, November 20th, December 18th and the last Sunday of each month January through August 2012.

A MOTION TO CLOSE WAS ACCEPTED.