

NATURE COAST INTERGROUP MEETING MINUTES
JULY 31, 2011.

Chairman Al opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer.

Chairman Al 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 Mens, High Noon Group, Holder Way Of Life, Rainbow Group, Resentment Group, Womens Friendship Group, Yana Group.

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

TREASURER;- John L reported that donations were up significantly over the same period last year. He reported that he paid the rent for the next quarter and that he was contesting two phone bills with Century Link phone company. He presented his financial accounts and they were accepted.

TRUSTEES;- John, Martha, Paul and Darral had nothing to report.

WEBMASTER:- new webmaster Dave B reported that the links box in the website was not visible if using some of the new browsers. He said that this had been mentioned to him by the previous webmaster Ron and that he would be working on it as soon as possible.

HOTLINE:- Kurt W reported a total of 125 calls to the hotline as follows:- AA 85, Detox 16, NA 8, Alanon 4, Information 12.

JOURNAL:- John L reported that he may reduce the print order on the journal from 450 to 400. He said that next months issue will be available earlier than usual.

INVENTORY AND SALES;- Darral reported sales of over \$700 for the period and said he was very pleased with the way everything was going at the bookstore.

VOLUNTEER COORDINATORS REPORT:- John W said that the availability of volunteers for the bookstore had improved greatly and that he was very pleased with the present situation.

CHAIRMAN GRATITUDE DINNER:- John L reported that eight groups had agreed to provide entrees for the gratitude dinner so far. He reported that Intergroup will pick up costs of entrees required above those received from the groups. He made a motion that the ticket price be set at \$2.00 and the motion was passed with 13 votes for and none against.

CHAIRMANS REPORT:- Chairman Al is pleased with the general situation at the present time.

OLD BUSINESS:- Darral M reported that he had renewed the lease on the bookstore for a period of six months.

NEW BUSINESS:- (a) John L proposed that intergroup sponsor three picnics a year, one in the south east of the county, one in the north east and one in the west side of the county. He made a motion that we commit to the first one in cooperation with the Floral City Group in early September. The motion was passed unanimously. Debra S offered to help with the one in the northeast area.

(b) Darral said that he had attended an area conference and that he had discovered that leftover journals are routinely distributed by district committees to help with their work. Martha G remarked that some people might have issues with anonymity and it was agreed that names and contact information of anyone so inclined would be removed. Darral also said that Faithful Fivers, the fundraising plan previously discussed was a common feature in other districts.

(c) Paul B said that people were coming to the bookstore to pick up Where n Whens at times when the store was not open. He proposed that a dispenser be attached to the door of the bookstore so that they would be available whenever the building was open. It was agreed to discuss the matter with building management. Ernie Porter reported that he had delivered Where n Whens to the VA and the Sheriff's Depart.

(d) John L reported that the Community Center in Holder will charge us rent in future for a period of an hour and a half instead of an hour. The district will also be paying for an hour and a half. The Community Center explained that they make the building available from 4pm until 7pm each month to accommodate both monthly meetings.

A MOTION TO CLOSE WAS ACCEPTED