

NATURE COAST INTERGROUP MEETING MINUTES

September 25, 2016

CHAIRPERSON Steve N. opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

JEN B. took a roll call and the following groups were represented: Attitude Adjustment, Crystal River, First Thought Wrong, Freedom House, Monday Night Men's Step, No Name Group, Old Firehouse, Rainbow Group, Real Happy Hour, Sober Sandgnats, Women's Friendship, Women's New Beginnings.. A total of 12 groups were present with 20 people in total.

NEW REPRESENTATIVES:- No New Representatives.

SECRETARY:- Jen B. read the minutes of the previous meeting. The minutes were accepted as read.

TREASURER:- Paige read the final report for August 2016 of a beginning balance of \$3139.20 an ending balance of \$2590.32. The treasurer's report was read and accepted. The September Preliminary was presented and final numbers will be out for the next meeting.

TRUSTEES:- Sandy had a great time at the picnic and heard a lot of people had a great time. She reported a lot of people would like to change the location per walking distance. Bill has been looking for new locations for Nature Coast Intergroup to meet and so far some have been pricey. Denis said the picnic was wonderful. The turn out was good along with the food. Janet did not attend the picnic per the reason Sandy had mentioned but she heard everyone had a good time.

HOTLINE:- Freedom House Group took the hotline for September- 57 calls, 3 from active alcoholics and the rest for meeting locations. Steve N. said Freedom House Group will take it. 23 were for AA meeting information, 5 wet drunks, 3 court ordered and driver's school info, 2 hang ups, 3 for rides, questions about aa and alcoholism 2, club recovery phone number 2, 2 for NA, 2 sales calls, 1 alanon, 1 wanted to be an aa counselor, 1 rehab center, 1 to correct our information, 1 for directions to yana club, 2 for email a where and when, 1 2am need to talk call, 1 wanted to drink, 1 to hernando Sunday beach meeting and 1 wrong number, finally 1 prank clown call with "I don't need you anymore". Women's Friendship Group will be taking October's commitment.

WEBMASTER:- Steve N., Webmaster, 352 visitors. 63% new and 37% were returning. They viewed 1663 pages. 3.9 pages viewed per session. 41% Bounce rate. 53% used a desktop, 6% used tablets and the rest their phones. Most visited pages; general meeting information, meeting by day (Monday, Friday, Wednesday, Sunday, Saturday, Tuesday and none for Thursday), meeting by location, calendar, journal, contact information, minutes, district 28, young aa, newcomer, audio aa, aa links, is aa for you, contribution information. Most downloaded; where and when, journal, tradition cd, convention flyer, responsibilities statement. The number of hits was 34004.

JOURNAL:- Lynn said that now the Journal will be an October issue. She is seeking any flyers for the upcoming events and any save the dates. She wanted a small article about the Picnic in the Park.

EVENTS:- - Lynn G. said Picnic in the Park was a great success thanks to Paige, Dennis, and Rich. Eventhough the date was changed it was still pretty hot. There was minimal staff in the Park so it was difficult to items into the park. The Picnic was a success \$484.74 profit. The chili cook Off will not be held this year.

Alternate Chairperson Report: Steve N. said he didn't have much to report.

CHAIRPERSON:- Rick said he didn't have much to report.

New Business: It was discussed that the Chili Cook Off will not be cancelled but moved to possibly February of next year per the inordinate amount of upcoming events. Resumes were read for the upcoming elections for service positions. Resumes will be included in the minutes as a separate pdf with last names not included. Those wishing to run are as

follows; Treasurer- Paige B., Events Chair- Lynn D., Chair- Steve N., Trustee- Bill M., Trustee or Alt. Chair- Dean B., Trustee- Sandy H., secretary- Lorraine T., Trustee- Janet B. for 1 year term..

OLD BUSINESS: It was brought up as a reminder that October would be a special meeting to change Structures and Guidelines to add the position of alternate treasurer.

A MOTION TO CLOSE WAS ACCEPTED