

DATE: July 14, 2024

ROLL CALL

HOME GROUP REPS	P
Coming Home - Girard James L	P
Freebirds-Independence Bobby H	P
Do or Die-Iola Kandy R	P
Humble Beginnings - Coffeyville Shelley	A
Last Chance-Eureka Travis E	A
Never Alone - Sedan Flo H	A
Pioneer Group - Emporia Rod D	P
RUTS-Wellington Alec H	A
Second Chance-Ark City Michael S	P
Together We Can-Burlington Rich A	A
Sowing the Seed- Winfield Justin S	P
Recovery In Progress -Chanute Denton R	P
Way to Recovery - Parsons Terrill	P

August 11, 2024

AREA CHAIR POSITIONS	P
Area Chair - Clayton C. 02/24	P
Area Co-Chair - Scott F. 02/24	P
Secretary - Megan W 10/22	P
Co-Secretary- Bobby H.03/24	A
Treasurer - Grace M. 12/23	A
Co-Treasurer -OPEN	
H&I Chair - Kasha P 05/23	A
H&I Co-Chair - Travis E	A
PR Chair - Open 07/14/24	P
PR Co-Chair OPEN	-
Web - Tonia R 07/23	A
Web Co-Chair OPEN	-
Activities Chair - Skylar G 11/20	P
Activities Co-Chair OPEN	-
PO Box - Grace M 03/24	-
Literature Chair - Rob L 10/23	P
Literature Co-Chair Brad D. 07/24	-
Outreach Chair - Keith M. 12/23	A
Outreach Co-Chair	-
RCM - Rod D. 03/24	A
Alt RCM - open	

Subcommittee
Opened at 11:37 am

Chair

Budget Review

Clayton C. provided previous 3 years budget details.

Recommendations:

Clean up debits and credits.

Get rid of any language like profit/loss to deter from sounding like a business.

Use term "account" instead of "Escrow"

Literature & MOM Accounts are self supporting.

HI/PR Need to maintain \$1730 in that account.

Need to have discussion to determine the best way to keep HI/PR accounts funded through General Funds. How much would it cost for their activities? Suggestion to have ad hoc committee to be able to take this information.

Take back to groups to discuss ideas on how H&I/PR could maintain their accounts.

H&I

Shirts were brought from last set of H&I shirts if groups are willing to take back to groups to sell.

Take back to groups to see if there is any willingness to have an event. Discussion to have a preplanned event 4 per year. Get it in the calendar now.

Co-chair position is open. Asking for willingness. Take back to groups.

PR

Still have 2 literature racks available with IPs that can go out in the public. If your group has somewhere available to place one let April J. know.

April J. is resigning as PR chair due to work commitments.

Position will be open for 30 days. Take back to groups for willingness. 2 year clean time requirement..

Four County Mental Health - Recovery month

Independence Sept 13

Coffeyville Sept 20

Cowley Sept 27

530-730p

Independence FCMH asking for assistance in hosting, getting speakers. They will provide food and clean up

Scott F. suggested to contact Jeffrey at Region. Region has a good presentation that they are trying to get out.

Activities

Speakers are set for MOM Campout

Food - Michael S. & James L. will be in charge.

Friday night - on your own

Saturday - Cheeseburger Bar

Sunday- Pancakes

Voted on purchasing hot/cold tumblers instead of coffee mugs. Megan W. presented the mug, and cost. All in favor.

Literature

Requesting order forms be sent for all Literature Orders

Bradley D. nominated for co-chair. Unanimous vote in favor.

Location: Iola, KS

1:12 pm Meeting Opened with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer

12 Traditions Read by Michael H.; 12 Concepts Read by Scott F.

Introductions - Name, Home Group, Area Position

3 Tradition Read & Discussed

Roll Call – Quorum met 8-5, OK to proceed for business.

Secretary – Megan W. read last month's minutes M / S / P

OPEN POSITIONS

Co-Treasurer

PR Chair

PR Co-Chair

Web Co-Chair

Outreach Co-Chair

Activities Co-Chair

Alt-RCM

ELECTIONS

None

GROUP REPORTS

Coming Home - August 10th 9pm-11pm Free Swim @ Girard Swimming Pool. Asking for H&I help in getting in to Treatment Facility in Girard before it moves to Pittsburg.

Freebirds - report not received

Do Or Die- see report

Last Chance - not present. No report

Never Alone - Not present. No report

Pioneer Group - report not received

RUTS- see report

Second Chance - see report

Together We Can - not present. No report

RIP – report not received

Sowing the Seed - see report

Humble Beginnings - Not present. No report

A Way to Recovery- report not received

Chair Reports

Chair-

Co-Chair - Nothing to Report

Secretary - Nothing to Report

H&I - See Report

PR- still have 2 racks available. Let April J. Know if your group needs one. April is going to reach out region to see about helping with 4 County Mental Health Recovery month

Web- Not present. No report

Treasurer - see report. Difference between Treasurer & Literature Totals. Motion to accept report not passed.

Activities - see report.

See attached Artwork for campout and Pre-sale Hoodie & Zip ups. Hoodies are \$20.00 (sizes 2XL-4XL \$24.00) Zip-ups are \$25.00 (sizes 2XL-4XL \$29.00). Take back to your groups. Money and completed order form needs to be returned to Megan W. at September Area meeting. Hoodies & Zip ups will be available to pickup at the campout. There will also be t-shirts for sale at the campout.

Literature- See Report

Outreach- see report

RCM- see report

Old Business

- Budget for subcommittee projects yearly
 - Clayton C. Is working on putting budget together.
 - Last 3 years of budget details were provided.
 - Recommendations:
 - Clean up debits and credits.
 - Get rid of any language like profit/loss to deter from sounding like a business.
 - Use term “account” instead of “Escrow”
 - Literature & MOM Accounts are self supporting. HI/PR accounts need to maintain money in that account since it is not self supporting.
 - Need to have discussion to determine the best way to keep HI/PR accounts funded through General Funds. How much would it cost for their activities?
 - Discussion to have 4 activities per year.
 - Take back to groups to discuss ideas on how H&I/PR could maintain their accounts.
- Sell shirts on website
 - Tonia R. is going to do some research on setting up website.
 - Table until August meeting

New Business

- H&I Workshop
 - Sowing the Seed is hosting a H&I workshop at 1:00 pm on July 27th.
 - Suggestion to have other groups who are needing help with H&I workshops etc to attend.

Meeting Adjourned 2:33pm

NEXT AREA MEETING

DATE: Sunday August 11, 2024

TIME: 1130am

LOCATION: Yates Center Fairgrounds

Next Area Meal - Michael H.

Money provided - \$77

Meeting Adjourned 2:34 pm

Chair Reports

8/11/24

Greetings area family,

It's almost time for the 36th annual Mirror of Miracles Campout! We are working out the final details. Thank you Michael H. for the willingness to help out with some of the veggies!

Don't forget to bring hoodie money and sheets to Sept. Area meeting. I appreciate all the help to make this campout a great one. We will tie together any remaining details at next Area. That's all for now. Thank you for letting me serve!

Skylar G.

Just For Today Area Literature

aug. Report

aug. 11th, 2024

Date	Description	Deposit	Expenses	Balance
	Starting Escrow			991.27
	<i>second chance</i>	463.40		
	<i>eureka</i>	330.30		
	<i>coming home</i>	12.00		
	<i>ruts</i>	209.00		
	<i>misc</i>	133.20		
	Total Sales	1147.90		
	Literature Order		949.20	
	<i>Shipping</i>		80.00	
	<i>Discount</i>		60.43	
	Shipping Reim.	19.57		
8/11/24	current escrow			1209.54
8/11/24	Literature Stock			\$2043.09

Rob L. 620-446-0940 jftaliterature@gmail.com

text #literatureorder so your order is not forgotten!

HELLO FAMILY

I AM RUNNING BEHIND TODAY!!!
HOWEVER HERE IS MY REPORT

I'VE BEEN TO PARSONS, COFFEYVILLE
AND ARK CITY
MAINLY TRYING TO SUPPORT THE NEW
GROUPS.

PARSONS IS WORKING ON A SPEAK AND
EAT AT Big Hill LAKE
WORKING ON THE DATE HAVE THE SPEAKERS
AND FLYER FOR THIS MARTY S. PARSONS
EVENT IS NOT YET DEVELOPED OR APPROVED MIKE G. COFFEYVILLE
WE WANT A WATER MELON FEED BUT WILL SEE IF
WE GET THIS DONE BEFORE THERE OUT OF
SEASON.

I HAVE A SAMPLE OF THE FLYERS FOR
COFFEYVILLE FLYER DRIVE, ONCE AGAIN THEY
NEED TO SET A DATE TO GO PLACE THESE
IN BUSINESS, HOSPITALS, TAILS + INSTITUTIONS
IN COFFEYVILLE, AND SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES

* WE WILL NEED BODIES TO HELP IN BOTH
PARSONS AND COFFEYVILLE DRIVES.
I CANNOT STRESS THIS ENOUGH

I HAVE ALSO GOTTEN GOOD VIBES FROM THE
FREDDONIA COMMUNITY AS THE NEED FOR
NA GROWS IN THIS COMMUNITY.
I WILL BE VISITING WITH THE CITY LIBRARY
AS TO THE OTHER 12 STEP PROGRAM (AA)
HAS ITS FOOT IN THE DOOR!!!

Thanks for LETTING ME BE OF
SERVICE!

~~with~~ ^{in loving SERVICE} HEALTH

P.S. I showed up late.

RIP

8-91

Good ~~Afternoon~~ ^{Morning} Area Family, Thanks
for letting me be of service
my name is Tim & I am
an addict & Alternate GSR
for R.I.P Group and our
Attendance has been rising
with an avg of 15-20 addicts
a meeting which for our
small group is quite a turnout
we have had quite a few
Birthdays (read card) at
our groups last Biz meeting
we discussed maybe having another
function in the fall possibly a
KARAOKE / Dance event but nothing
was decided will know more
next Area. But that is all
we have to report at this time
As Always God is Good & thank
you for allowing me to be
of service

RIP
Tim

Second Chance

Afternoon

August 11

Good Morning Area Family

In the month of July we had 4 JFT
Carmen, Ricly, Justin were clean for 30
days. Seth T and Chaz celebrated 60
days. Sonya and Heather with 90 days.
Larry C, Kevin, Mark, and Kyle - 6 months
clean. Mercedes was a welcome with 1 year
but has continued to come back. Matt
received his 2 year coin and Seth E received
his 6 year coin. Our average was 20 addicts
a night.

Birthday night is the first Sunday of the
month, speaker night the second Friday of
the month and Fellowship night the 3rd
Saturday of every month. We have started a
closed Step Study Meeting on Wednesdays @ 5:30.
We have our Flyer for our 47th Annual New
Beginnings Campout. Speakers are set and we've
decided on a Chicken ; Noodle ; Chili Saturday
evening dinner. Elections for Trustee service
members will be this month at the business
meeting. We have a 50 dollar donation to
Area

Thanks for letting me serve.