# DISTRICT 06 MEETING, SEPTEMBER 2, 2008 MINUTES

Called to order at 7:00 P.M. Serenity Prayer

Andrew read the GSR Preamble

Minutes of August 5, 2008 approved

### **Treasurer's report**

June Updated	3517.06 Balance
	289.97 Expenses
	277.56 Incoming
August Report	3708.54 Balance
	20.46Expenses
	236.00 Income

#### **Registrar report**

New GSRs	Gregory, 12 P.M. Tuesday, How Hall Ann, Women's, HIS Place Church, Friday night 6:30 Chris, Thursday night Moorhead meeting
	Andrew volunteered as DCM for 6A

Visitor Andrew, 25 years sober today

DCMC asked for descriptions of Pacific Regional Forum

- Alt. DCMC talked about living in another culture (our Spanish speaking AAs) and how wonderful that was what an experience the bus trips were. Heard about what's happening around the world, from the at large delegate who traveled to far away parts of the world.
- Secretary shared how it was 64 hours worth of meeting on the bus, how people translated for the 6 English speaking people, how the GSRs got a challenge from WSO to sell so many Grapevine subscriptions.

Scott discussed the October 18, 2007, 1-4P.M., Traditions Workshop sponsored by District 6, spaghetti supper, speaker Nick M., Linda B. will be 3<sup>rd</sup> speaker, to be held in Newport Beach.

#### Alt. DCMC discussed the Traditions Play, had rehearsal tonight.

Michael to email flyer to Lois Wednesday night, for the November 11, 2008 Traditions Play performed by District 06.

DCMC made announcements.

- Heritage Day, Turtle Rock Community Center, district 18, October 11, 2008, 11:00-9:00 P.M., history of southern California AA history, may access the flyer online on the msca aa website, www.msca09aa.org.
- District 06, January 11, 2009, District 6 is hosting ASC in January 2009.....Maryann, is looking for a space that holds 175 people, with tables and chairs. Maryann said the meeting has to stay in District 06 geographic area.

- Looking at visitation packets and making visits to groups that do not have GSR representation at our district meetings. Lots of meetings and groups to visit. As custodians and traditions it's our job to be attractive in principle to the outside world. We may be the only Big Book a normy ever sees.
  - o Two Irvine and Tustin locations have shut their doors to AA meetings...27 or 28 meetings that were affected.
  - o Meetings in CDM lost meeting space due to renovations.

DCMC suggested GSRs go to www.AlcoholicsAnonymous.org and download a Traditions checklist for their groups.

Discussion ensued about meetings that don't have GSRs or Intergroup representation.

Lifeline is published by Intergroup. It was suggested that GSRs write an article about general service. Intergroup to list the same percentages for donations that GSO does.

Chris discussed Tradition 9 Brian discussed Concept 9

Next Meeting Michael to do Tradition 10 Lois to do Concept 10

## **Committee Reports**

- <u>Archives</u> continue to do organizing and sorting to put info into a data base, Heritage Day, 10-11, movie night 9/20, carpool on Wilshire in Fullerton, still looking for District chair
- <u>Corrections</u> Good turn out of women who are going into the jails on panels. Still need more, no meetings in state prisons because of state budget crunch. Counties going strong.
- <u>Cooperation with the Professional Community</u> working on the PI/CPC Workshop to be held on 9/27 in Fullerton. All day affair with speakers, great lunch, committee tables, etc.
- <u>Literature</u> Chair asked for and received approval for additional funds to purchase more literature for new GSRs.
- <u>Treatment Centers</u> No Report
- <u>Grapevine</u> No Report
- Intergroup Liaison No Report
- <u>CEC Needs a chair</u>
- <u>Public Information No Report</u>
- Special Needs Need new chairs. Current co-chairs will attend one last area meeting.
- GSR School No school this evening

## **Birthdays**

Lois	47 years
Jennifer	19 years
John	21 years
Justin	14 years
Owen	25 years
Nikka	13 years
Carol	14 years
Craig	32 years
Chris	1 years
Total	186 years

48 in attendance