

Summary of New Actions:

- **Action:** Each member bring an OA friend to an IG meeting.
- **ACTION:** Steve work on 3rd quarter event outside of IG meeting.

Meeting Minutes:

Attendees **Virginia** - Chair, **Betty** St E Sat. 9:30, **Mary** Tues WRox 7:30, **Lisa M**, C Sec, R6Del, **Jean** Sun Framingham R6 Del, **Michael**, R6 Del, Editor, **Diane** Member, **Julie** Treasurer, **Yana** Brookline Thursday 100lbr, **Marilyn** Member, **Judy C** Vice Chair, WSBC Del Alt R6, **Elynn** Brookline Sunday 6pm, **Sandy** Wednesday, Hudson

- Opened with serenity prayer at about 7pm.
- 12 Steps read by Mary, Tuesday VA hospital
- 12 Traditions read by Julie Treasurer
- Concept 5 read by Judy, e-mail mistress
- Steve read the minutes. Approved as corrected.

Treasurer's Report

- Discussed retreat summary. Reimbursed leader 100 for art supplies as per our agreement. Learned that she spent \$350. She wasn't looking for the difference but we discussed if we should cover more. She had originally requested \$150. Steve moved we should cover the original request of 150. Seconded and passed.
- Moved to bring the scholarship fund up to two 50% scholarships. Seconded and passed.
- Discussed sending deposit (\$600)to Groton Woods. Motion made and seconded. Passed.
- 2 no shows at retreat so no refunds.
- Rent for this space is \$10/hour. We'll pay for 2.5 hours including the fellowship time.
- Motion: Do not collect 7th tradition or place a basket for fellowship hour. Seconded and Passed.
- T-report accepted as read.

Corresponding Secretary Report:

- SCMI letter sent by e-mail and postal mail along with normal monthly mailings. Report accepted.

Old Business

- **Retreat update:**
 - Next year's retreat is reserved for May 2,3,4. Rachel S as offered to co-chair. Looking for another co-chair.
 - Retreat report: Anecdotal was great. eval sheets where handed out. No info on that yet.
- **Encouraging IG Attendance:** Diane S wrote up article covering her research on encouraging IG attendance. Discussed doing more brainstorming on this topic. It came up during fellowship time. Idea: Have sponsors bring people in to IG. Suggest everyone here bring a person. Lots of discussion about this topic and getting people to come. Best approach

seems to be to ask people to come along.

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- **New meeting location:** Stephen Palmer Center.
 - Judy C reviewed rules. Note parking regulations. Only park in spaces away from building.
 - Note sent to Scott Beckman about leaving Allen Riddle Building and that we enjoyed being there and hope to be back for workshops.
- **Bus to the Convention?**
 - No update.
- **WSBC Update**
 - **Judy read her report**
 - **Steve's report is available online**
 - <http://www.metrowestoa.org/wsb2007/>
- **Possible 3rd Quarter event**
 - 3 speakers that have long term abstinence
 - One speaker focuses on Steps, one on Traditions and one on Tools.
 - Steve willing to co-chair. Need another co-chair to proceed.
 - Schedule for before World Service Convention
 - **ACTION:** Steve work on this outside of IG meeting.
- **Closed at about 8:30 with Serenity Prayer.**

Join us for our next Meeting -

Date: Tuesday, June 19, 2007

Time: 6:00 - 7:00pm: Fellowship & (bring your own) dinner; 7 – 8:30pm: MWIG Meeting

Where: Stephen Palmer Center, 83 Pickering Street, Needham, MA

If you'd like more information, call MWI and leave a message at 508-875-0001 or, send e-mail to info@metrowestoa.org Call or write in advance if you need a ride.