

CENTRAL INTERGROUP OF THE DESERT
INTERGROUP MINUTES
January 3, 2008

Jerald W. called the meeting to order with the Serenity Prayer.

Board Members

Chairman: Jerald W.
Vice Chairman: SherAli J.
Secretary: Kara S.
Treasurer: Bertha G.

Directors

Wendy B. Paul A. -Absent
John E. Jim D. -Absent
Paul G.

Also Present:

Jim K., Office Manager
Katrina B., Desert Lifeline Editor

37 people were in attendance.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: Jerald read the Reason for Central Office and passed around the 12 Traditions to be read by attendees.

INTRODUCTION OF NEW ATTENDEES: Jane- Dolls of the Valley Wednesday 10AM, Ann- Back To Basics Friday night Rancho Mirage, Pam- Ladies Night Out Wednesday 7PM, Pearl- Sunday 3rd and 11th Step Meeting in Rancho Mirage, Toni- Alternate for Ladies Night Out Wednesday 7 PM, Cynthia- Alternate for Fellowship Hall, Lee- There Is a Solution 7:30PM Desert Hot Springs, Randy- Yucca Valley Thursday night Big Book Study at the Alano Club.

MINUTES: Upon motion duly made and seconded, the minutes for December 6, 2007 were approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Bertha presented the Monthly Financial Report for November 2007. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the Financial Report was approved as presented.

MANAGER'S REPORT: Jim reported on the following:

- A. Please sign in at the door. This is used for calling with the meeting reminder and also used for the election eligibility determination. Also, please take any Desert Lifelines to your meeting location if the rep isn't here tonight.
- B. Thanks to John E for Step 1, Jay A. for Tradition 1, and Dave H. for Concept 1.
- C. Book of the Month - this month is the Big Book - Large print edition - usually \$6.25, this month only \$5.25.
- D. We could use some more volunteers at Central Office. Please get the word out.
- E. Secretary Workshop -2/17 from 1 - 3 PM. Call Central Office to sign up!

SPECIAL EVENTS: Fran G. was absent. Wendy B. reported on the following: The Women's Banquet is now an A.A. event and a fund- raiser for Central Office. Please take the pink flyers to your meetings and pass the word on. Also, please make the announcement that if anyone would like to donate tickets for the women in recovery homes, please send the money in and write donation on it.

OUTREACH COMMITTEE: Paul G. asked that we all put the word out that being an Intergroup rep is a lot of fun! We need the support and revenue for Central Office so please help us build up our Intergroup membership.

WEBMASTER: Jim K. reported on the following:

Stats for December

Highest # of sessions in one day- 172

Highest # of hits in one day- 2,792

Average sessions- 109

Average hits- 1,724

Total sessions- 3,402

Total hits- 53, 456

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

GROUP REPRESENTATIVES - COMMENTS AND/OR CONCERNS

A. The Keep It Simple meeting Saturday nights at St. Margaret's will be black on January 26th and February 9th.

B. Pow Wow Registration forms will be mailed out this next week. The dates of the Pow-Wow are June 12th- June 15th.

Jim K asked that people please print clearly on your registration forms because some are very hard to read.

H&I/G.S. Dist. 9 REPORTS: None.

SEVENTH TRADITION: Passed.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, the meeting was adjourned followed by the Lord's Prayer.

NEXT INTERGROUP MEETING: Thursday, February 7th, 2008 @ 7:00 PM

NEXT BOARD MEETING: Thursday, January 17th, 2008 @ 6:00 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Kara S.
Secretary