

Central Intergroup of the Desert

March 5, 2009 General Meeting

Directors

Chairman SherAli J
Vice- Chair John E
Secretary John E - Acting
Treasurer Mike B

Paul A Jim D Paul R Brian C Garret D (Absent)

Also Present

Jim K, Office Manager

31 people in attendance

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE – SherAli read the Reason for Central Office and passed around the 12 Traditions to be read by attendees in long form.

INTROUCTION OF ATTENDEES

MINUTES – John E read the minutes of February 5, 2009. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the minutes were approved as amended.

TREASURER’S REPORT – Mike B. presented the Monthly Financial Report for January 2009. Upon motion duly made and seconded the Financial Report was approved as presented.

MANAGER’S REPORT – Jim K. reported on the following:

- 1) Please sign in at the door. This is used for calling with the meeting reminder and also used for election eligibility determination. Also, please take any Desert Lifelines to your meeting location if the rep isn't here tonight.
- 2) Thanks to Kim W Step 3, Paul R Tradition 3 and Joe A Concept 3. Volunteers for April are Toni Step 4, Cody Tradition 4 and Gay Concept 4.
- 3) Book of the Month for March is the Pocket Big Book. Reg price \$3.50 On Sale for \$2.90
- 4) Central office is still in need of Lifeline Editor. Microsoft Publisher experience and 5 to 8 hours a month.
- 5) Central office has a shift of every other Friday from 5:00 to 8:00 PM that needs to be filled. All other shifts are filled but standbys are always needed.
- 6) Secretary workshop is scheduled for March 22 1-3:30 PM at Central Office

- 7) Effective July 1, 2009 prices on AA World Services books will be increased by \$2.00
- 8) Gratitude dinner is scheduled for November 14. We are looking for a chairman and volunteers.

SPECIAL EVENTS –

(1) Unity Day picnic at Hurkey Creek scheduled for July 12 on top of the mountain. Event supports Central Office, H & I and General Service. Call Sasha at 668-0201 for more info or volunteer help. Next meeting at Fellowship Hall, April 11, 4 PM. Call Dave at 406-3700 for more information

(2) SOCAL H & I will hold a meeting at Fellowship Hall March 29 at 11 AM lunch and Noon meeting. H & I Conference and Convention to be held at Doubletree Hotel, Orange, CA April 24-26.

(3) MAAD DOG DAZE volunteers needed. Committee meets the last Sunday of each month 4 PM Fellowship Hall

OUTREACH COMMITTEE:

Paul A and Garrett D will hold a committee meeting at 6:45 April 2 at Central Office.

NEW BUSINESS – As the result of nomination and member vote, Bill B was elected to the central office board of directors.

GROUP REPRESENTATIVES – COMMENTS AND/OR CONCERNS:

DCYPAA - Holding meeting, outside sporting events and potluck March 21

H&I/G.S. DIST 9 REPORTS – Gay reported on the non-use of personal names for AA groups and the use of non-AA literature at meetings.

SEVENTH TRADITION – PASSED

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

Next Intergroup Meeting: April 2, 7:00 PM

Next Board meeting: March 19, 6:00 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

John E
Acting Secretary