July 8, 2021 Dallas Intergroup Representatives Meeting Minutes

OPENING: Tom M. (Board President) opened the meeting at 8:00 pm with the Serenity Prayer.

TRADITIONS READ: Nicole S. NETA 65 read the Traditions.

ROLL CALL:

- 34 Groups
- 48 Attendees
- 1 District
- 1 Area

TREASURER'S REPORT: Leigh I.

We had the highest month with \$16,468 in merchandise sales. Healthy cash position.

Gross Profit: \$12,540.33 Net Income: \$2,268.44

Tom M. wants to be sure the groups understand that we do appreciate all the sacrifices people make. We are grateful for all contributions large and small. It is not the amount but the act. Thank you.

SITE SELECTION: Tad B.

Location is south of Beltline between Inwood and Midway. We are zeroing in on the finer points of the lease and we have a tentative move date of Aug 14. Bob S will be orchestrating the move. If you would like to volunteer contact Bob S. 972-743-3510 or Jeff W. 214-385-5103.

OFFICE REPORT: Kathy W.

Put out a call for office volunteers – some folks have stepped up and most slots are filled for next week. Can always use more volunteers.

A BIG SHOUT OUT to PRESTON GROUP! Preston Group generally helps the DIA Office out M-F from 8:30 am – 10:00 am by answering the phones. However last week the phones went down at the Dallas Intergroup Office and the phones rolled over to the Preston Group all day long. They stepped up to the task. Thank you!!

AADallas.org is constantly being updated with new group meeting times. Although the AA app is run by GSO and takes a little more time to update. Please be patient.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

TREATMENT: Tad B.

Green Oaks needs a group to bring meetings on Monday nights. Shivering Denizens might be a possibility.

PI/CPC: Mike D.

We would like to do what we do at UT Southwest at the Dallas Children's Hospital and Presbyterian Hospital. If you know someone at these facilities that we could talk to about that please let us know. Email Mike D. at mdaymday1@gmail.com

CORRECTIONS: Kathy W. for Kim M.

Buster Cole needs men to bring in meetings. They will have to take the TDCJ training. Dallas County Jail needs volunteers for men's and women's meetings. Men's meetings are in the morning and women's are at 12:30. Contact Kim W. at 903-257-8260 or email kimberlymcnally@yahoo.com.

SPECIAL EVENTS: Charlie O.

We have found a location for the DIA Anniversary. We are still working out the details. Cochran United Methodist Church at 9027 Midway, near NW Hwy and Midway. The anniversary meeting will be from 1:00 - 4:30 pm on Sept 25th. Registration starts at 1:00 pm and the meeting starts at 1:30 pm. There will be \$2 tickets for door prizes. There will be a flyer put out in a week or two that will be emailed to Intergroup Reps.

NIGHTWATCH: Tom M.

Humming along. If someone is interested in helping call the Intergroup office, send an email to office@aadallas.com or go to the website to sign up. You need to have 1 year of continuous sobriety, have worked the 12 steps and can carry the message. There is always more room for volunteers. Called on generally once a quarter.

SPECIAL NEEDS: Sherry Y.

We have reached out to the district and NETA to find out what the needs are.

NEWSLETTER: Bob S.

Steve W. is the editor. He is a professional newsletter editor and has a bunch of people helping out to produce our next newsletter.

Volunteers for move – we could use a few BIG trucks or 15-20 pickups. We will be meeting at our current Intergroup location on Aug 14 (tentative) at 9:00 am and be finished by noon.

GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS:

On June 23rd, the Chicago Group celebrated our new home, Cochran Chapel UMC (located at the southwest corner of Northwest Highway and Midway), with a potluck dinner and Secretary's Night. We have discontinued our Zoom-based meetings; please join us for in person fellowship and recovery on Wednesday nights at our new location.

The Gift of Sobriety 34th Anniversary Celebration: Saturday, July 24 - Noon Meeting, 4:30pm Meeting, and 7:00pm Speaker and a Potluck.

Greenville Traditions 74th Anniversary on July 17th from 2 to 8 with speakers, BBQ and raffle.

Lake Highlands Group is having 7am meetings on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. In person on a 3-month trial basis. Already started.

Georgetown Anniversary party is July 25 at 11:00am.

The last day to register and get a t-shirt for Miracles at Lake Murray is a week from today. You can still register but the cutoff for the t-shirts is July 15.

Irving Group looking for Friday night speakers. 7 to 8 p.m. Contact Robert L. at 214-492-9920

Principles Groups is back in person (with Zoom still available as well)
Tuesday @ 8pm
Grace Bible Church
11306 Inwood Rd Dallas, Tx

The Colony Group needs speakers the last 2 Fridays of this month. please contact Sarah H. at 214-930-9626.

Belwood Group has meetings 7 days a week at 7 am, noon, 6 pm, and 8 pm

Dallas Intergroup Anniversary Celebration is Sept 25 from 1:00-4:30 pm at Cochran Chapel UMC (located at the southwest corner of Northwest Highway and Midway).

IN CLOSING: Tom M

Dallas Intergroup Reps will not be meeting in August, as is our tradition every year. We will meet in person in Sept, second Thurs of the month. Location is to be announced as we will be in the middle of a move. We will reach out by email and post on the DIA website when we have a determination of the location. A question was asked as to whether it will be a hybrid meeting and the answer is no. We do not feel like we have the technological capabilities to pull that off.

ADJOURN: Tom M.

Ended the meeting at 8:47 with the Lord's Prayer.

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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