

DALLAS INTERGROUP ASSOCIATION

REP MEETING MINUTES 01/08/2026

**Glen open with serenity prayer**

**Glen read Intergroup Preamble**

Traditions Read by: Marty Gift of Sobriety

**Roll call by Glen**

**Ian Treasurer Report:**

Group contributions are down a bit and \$1,800 under target for the year.

Individual contributions were up and \$5,000 over target for the year.

Net income for the year \$8,553 and above budget.

Upcoming bulk literature purchase approved to avoid pending cost increase.

Will review budget for 2026 adjustments.

This is my reminder to everyone here, including myself that we need to continue to contribute to intergroup to keep the lights on and keep the phones answered.

**Special Events: Charlie**

We have a Chili Cookoff Feb 28<sup>th</sup> from 1-4 at Cochran Chapel. We will have a raffle; it is \$10.00 to get in. We will need some help promoting this event. This is the last Saturday in February so we did it at that time so people can make their noon meeting and birthday night.

October 24<sup>th</sup> will be our Anniversary at Cochran Chapel

We are looking at adding a 3<sup>rd</sup> event, a comedy night, I am looking for comedians, if you know someone that is funny let me know. I would rather do local people in AA that do comedy. You could do a skit.

Question: Is there a date?

Charlie: We don't have a date yet.

Question: Is there a flyer?

Charlie: Not yet, give us a day or two and we will have one. Samuel will send it out to all the group reps.

**Office Report Given by Glen provided by Samuel:**

- **Moved \$25,000 from Prudent Reserve (with board approval) to pay for bulk literature in anticipation of price increase.** This is about 6 months worth of AAWS inventory for our bookstore. The books have arrived in our inventory as of Jan 8th.
- **Price increase will take place in tandem with AAWS on February 1st.** \$3 increase on all AAWS books (Big Books, 12x12s, etc), and 15% on pamphlets and other literature from AAWS.
- **Closed the Office for Complete Inventory yesterday, Jan 7th.** Estimated \$505 of inventory donated, discarded, or lost since April 2025.

Question: Since we bought the books at the old price, will they be sold at the old price?

Glen: For this month only

**Presentation on Tradition 1: Rufus**

**Old Business:**

Motion: Change the start time of the monthly reps meeting from 8:00 PM to 7:30 PM

Mark: To change the bylaws requires a vote.

Larry: Wouldn't we have to vote to change the quorum?

Glen: That is a vote for the board.

Comment: Can we get a little background on why the meeting is later?

Glen: The rationale for 8:00 is for more people to make the meeting.

Bennett: To be clear this would only affect the people in this meeting.

Comment: I know that there was an issue with a board meeting before that has that been taken care of?

Glen: The board would just have to adjust

Comment: If I remember correctly there was some discussion about sacrifice and this is just once a month.

Glen: The idea behind that is that I went to any length to get a drink I can stay late to do this.

Joseph: Is there something going on in the church that would impact our parking?

Glen: No

Comment: The motion that we are voting on is to change the meeting time from 8:00 to 7:30 the last 2 women from my group would not come because it was too dark.

**In favor: 12**

**Opposed: 18**

**Motion Fails.**

**New Business:**

None

**Announcements:**

Terry Addison Group: Girlpalooza first weekend of May in Coppell. Please take a flyer or 5 back to your group, it is a weekend for women, there will be step speakers and lots of activities at a beautiful hotel, it is a great way to fellowship with others. May 1<sup>st</sup>-May 3<sup>rd</sup>, lots of local speakers and some are being flown in. Alanon is welcome.

Esther Bellwood Group: Started 10pm candlelight on Saturday with real candles. We are the oldest group in Dallas and would love to keep up and running.

Kimber Lambda: 2/14 putting sponsors in drag and letting them entertain. Gay AA conference coming up (Big D Roundup?)

Chris Lakehighlands: This Saturday at 1:30 hosting a corrections workshop

Frank Freedom: 51<sup>st</sup> anniversary catered BBQ, 93-year-old woman is going to read some of the group history

Glen: Intergroup office needs ½ day volunteers 10-1 and 1-5, also Nightwatch needs more volunteers. It is only once per quarter.