

EASTERN AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
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MINUTES- January 30, 2011

EASC Chair brought the EASC regular business meeting to order on Sunday, January 30th, 2011 at 1:00 p.m., in Muskogee, OK. A moment of silence and the serenity prayer followed.

Readings:

12 Traditions- Trent
12 Concepts- Leonard
JFT - Pat M

Roll Call: 9 Officers, 26 GSR's

This made a total of 35, with 32 voting members and 21 being the quorum (2/3).

Secretary read the minutes. The minutes were amended to change the listed disbursements to include the cost of 3 starter packets, instead of just one.

Treasurer's Report: A detailed report is attached.

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Activities: Catherine F. / Chair reported

1. Christmas Marathon meetings - went well- giving back \$172 to EASC
2. Spring Fling- date TBA
3. Rebels With a Cause- Having Valentine Day event
4. Shake-A-Leg - Campout and Dance- May 6-8th

H & I (Hospitals and Institutions): Dougie S. / Chair reporting

1. Announcing 5 new Panel Leaders voted in:
 - Karen H- Tulsa Women and Children- Mondays
 - Al C- Tulsa Job Corp- Mondays
 - Kenny M- Rays Place, Muskogee- Mondays
 - Jessica H- 12&12 Treatment- Fridays
 - Tony P- Rogers County Mens- Tuesdays
2. Reporting the drug court meetings have dissolved due to no participation by the court.

PR (Public Relations): Keith T/ Chair reporting

1. Phonenumber had over 700 phone calls in 2010, 176 of them in Nov/Dec, 186 in Dec/Jan.
2. Stella S has volunteered to update the phone line info.
3. New IP rack at DHS Rogers County is doing well.
4. PR is setting up an information booth at an event in Tulsa Feb 15th called "Drug Drop"
5. The webmaster is redesigning the website to clean it up and make easier to use.
6. Keith T asking groups to get in touch either by phone or web with changes to meeting times, location, days, etc.

LITERATURE: Chair absent- Judy Mc making report

Inventory	\$ 4,637.57
Cash on hand	\$ 398.73
Deposit	\$ 2,588.60
Taxes	\$ 208.12
Sold	\$ 2,449.78
Ending balance	726.40

OUTREACH: Pat M- Chair reporting

The committee has nothing to report for December and January. They do have a new committee member, Joe. They have 5 groups they plan to visit and invite them to EASC: Wyandotte, Okmulgee, & Manford. They also will contact Quinton, and Longtown. They also will be presenting the “Building Stronger Homegroups” workshop on Feb 11th in Claremore.

EASC Bylaw Review ad-hoc committee: The subcommittee has not met since December as all of the members of the committee are all involved in other subcommittees.

Circle of Sisters ad-hoc committee: Becky N reporting- the committee met this morning. Although our bid was submitted by the due date, we have still not been notified if the committee has been selected to make their bid presentation to @ COS in Virginia. There are several women who will be going to Virginia however and will be prepared to present.

RCM Report: Kyle B reporting.

1. December 12 was Region- Keith T attended and took notes
2. WCNA will be September 1-4, 2011 in San Diego. Registration has opened.
3. None of the Area Subcommittee Chairs have been showing up at Region. We all voted for this and attendance at Region is expected.
4. OKRCNA- Mark L will be the Friday night speaker and will also do the comedy show.
5. The GSA for February has been cancelled.
6. USFA will be held March 4-6 in Wichita, Kansas. All members are encouraged to gather more information about this assembly which has been the source of concern within NA.
7. PSZF is going on this week-end.
8. Next Region is Sunday, February 13th in Cushing, OK.

ELECTIONS: Nominations were opened to fill the vacant Alternate RCM position. There were no nominations therefore this item will be tabled until the next EASC business meeting.

Break: 2:04pm-2:15pm

GSR Reports: Reports were given by 27 NA Groups.

Saturday Night Lite- Shana B	Hardcore Recovery- Pat M
Grove Straight Line- Scott B	North Side Stroll- Robert F
Owasso Gratitude Group- Earnest	Second Chance – Jessica R
Sharing In Recovery – Heather PE	Jay Last Chance- Marty S
Broken Arrow Serenity Seekers - Beverly	NA Arisin- Becky
Claremore – Larelie L	Hartshorne Never Alone – Stacy P.
Otherside Group- Tony K	Pryor Hump Day- Gilbert D
Foyil NA- Shawn C	Muskogee Ultimate Weapon- Kenny M
Solutions Group-Celina G	More Will be Revealed- Jody Mc
Rebels With a Cause- Josh P	Just in Time- Ronnie H
McAlester The Lie is Dead- Shawn P	Miami Liberty Group-Levi
Miami The Real Deal- Mike L	More Will be Revealed- Jody
Muskogee Wmn Stpng to Freedom-Kelly	Spiritual Connection- Bert
Vinita Crazy but Clean	Survivors in Recovery- Steve H

New groups- New Life (Jay, OK)- Austin M

The following group(s) specifically requested support from the NA fellowship or have an event coming or change to meeting:

Real Deal, Liberty Group from Miami are asking for Area support

Youth in Recovery group has dissolved

Owasso Gratitude Group- 78 people attended birthday mtg. Thank you.

Sharing in Recovery- will have 5th Annual Sing and Shoot- date TBA

NA-a-Risin- will have free pancakes on Feb 12th

Claremore- Jan 6th- speak&eat. Laralie 6 yrs, Gayle- 8 yrs, Debbi- 1 yr

Otherside Group- is struggling with a new group in town where drug court members just go to get papers sign, but are calling it NA. Would appreciate any experience, strength, and hope

Rebels With a Cause- Feb 19th Birthday night- Leonard O speaker

Dana P 9yrs, Josh P 8yrs, Celeste 3yrs, Valentine Dance to follow

Claremore- new Friday night mtg 7:30

Blind Faith- Campout July 4th week-end @ Lake Oolagah

Hump Day Group- Valentine Dance February 11th

Old Business:

1) Motion to vote - Add new meetings to the meeting list as follows:

Printed Version- 90 days after initial meeting

Online version and phone line listing- 30 days after initial meeting

For 22 Against 1 Abstain 1 Motion passed

New Business:

1) Discussion on future EASC dates . Discovery that the April EASC meeting will fall on Easter Sunday.

Decision as follows: February 27th EASC will be held in Tulsa @ Jimmy Place

March 27th EASC will be held in Bartlesville

May 1st EASC will be held in Muskogee

May 29th EASC will be in Tulsa @ Jimmys Place

The remainder of 2010 will be held as listed on the EAOKNA website

2) Report from Region asking for suggestions: An RCM from another Area is asking for help regarding a member who has been making threats in a meeting and has been arrested. Looking for some solutions.

3) A discussion took place on the topic of the United States Fellowship having an event in Wichita, Kansas March 4-6, what the event is about, what the concerns are regarding NAWS, etc. The secretary was asked the EASC attendees the registration form and resources where to gather more information. From the discussion, a motion was proposed: Shall the EASC send the RCM to the event to gather information on behalf of the Area with a maximum expense of \$300?

This motion will be taken back to the groups for consideration and a vote will take place Feb27.

Disbursements: Region- \$1,000
Treasurer-\$69.58 for stamp booklet
Bank- \$22.00 for new checks

Announcements:

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Closing:

The meeting was adjourned at 3:50 pm. The next meeting will be on February 27th ,2011 hosted by Second Chance Group @ Jimmy's Place in Tulsa.

Respectfully submitted,
Marina P.