PUBLIC RELATIONS SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES FOR APRIL 7TH, 2024.



ATTENDANCE: Tim C, Katy G, Megan S, Ashley C, Casey D

OPEN POSTIONS: Co-chair, Correctional Facility Coordinator

12 Traditions: Megan S

12 Concepts: Casey D

Service Prayer: -

REPORTS

Chair: Katy G.

Hi family! Addict named Katy!

Hey fam. Not too much for me to report. I did get an estimate for how much the little libraries will cost and 150-250 was the range for them, so let's just say an average of 200. I have left voicemails at WRC and Safe harbor to no avail yet, but I have hope!

Thank you for letting me serve!

Secretary: Ashley C.

Last months minutes have been uploaded. Grateful to be here and for all of you.

Thank you for letting me be of service.

Correctional Facility: Yon k.

GTCJ: Slowly making progress here. Emails to the jail administration have been responded to and received from, in a fairly reasonable manner. Three new male volunteers are scheduled to go and apply for clearance at this facility on Wednesday the 16th. We currently have 4 females, 1 male cleared and 1 probable male.

Need list of whos been cleared

Oaks: NA representation in the form of bi-weekly in person meetings at this facility have been consistent and well attended. Eric H. has been recently cleared and will start going in on the 16th, joining Brian B and Yon as the current volunteers at this facility.

WCJ: No report.

Q: Did we ever get the person taking meetings in representing NA to come and learn the DOs & DONTS?

A: No, we are unsure on how to handle this situation and how to go forward with getting this issue resolved.

Treatment Facility Coordinator: Casey D.

Hey family I'm an addict named Casey,

The dakoske men's treatment center meeting is going well to my knowledge. I just stopped in and updated the schedules at the desk and in the binder. We need informational pamphlets for the binder as well. I also prefer to have a just for today book, an it works how and why, and a step working guide in there. Each chair person is expected to bring their basic text. The schedule seems to be running smoothly.

Detox is going well. Schedules have been dropped off. There are no informational pamphlets there. I will need those for detox as well. We have always tried to keep books in the binder there as well. Like a just for today especially. Chair persons are expected to bring their basic text. I'll put a reminder in the group chat.

There is a rumor that Phoenix is opening back up. I don't have anything to back that up yet. Will be looking for willingness to bring meetings in.

If you are interested in doing H&I service please reach out to me directly. 231-632-5226

There is something indescribable when you have the chance to be a familiar face for someone walking into a meeting. I know that if I didn't know someone at my first meeting I'm not sure I would have stayed. It can feel like a lot to drag ourselves somewhere on a weeknight- at the end of a long day- with our full livesbut let's try to remember- it wasn't that long ago- that all we wanted was to stop using. We have a message to carry. We never know who is listening. Occasionally

we have a lasting impact, and sometimes they are sitting right next to us now in a PR meeting.

Thanks for letting me serve,

Casey D

Fellowship Development Coordinator: Zach W.

NO REPORT.

Webservant: Katy G CO-Megan S.

Hi P.R. fam- Katy G. and Megan S. here!

All events and minutes have been uploaded and updated in a timely manner. I have made some updates to some groups Group Conscience times and dates that have changed. I am also in the process of updating our service opportunities section of our home page. I am planning to split it into Group, Subcommittee and Area Committee sections so I can quickly update groups that need support, and any open positions needed to be filled in any subcommittees and service committees. I have also reached out to Joe Y. who purchased and installed our redirect. We paid \$73.95 for 5 years, so we will have that active until February of 2026.

*Addict named Katy! I am stepping down. Megan S if voted in is going to take over completely and we are going to open up the co-web servant position.

Happy Spring!!

And Remember: IT'S O.K. TO BE CLEAN!!

Thank you for letting us serve,

Katy G. And Megan S.

New WebServant & Past-Webservant

New business *Should we just pay the re-direct for the next 10 years?

Schedule Coordinator: Ashley C.

Ashley C voted into position. Megan S will be teaching her the ropes.

Need updates on cadillac meetings and times

Phone Line Coordinator: Yon K & Katy G

We had one phone call this month from a woman in Luther seeking help starting meetings. There has been a large amount of deaths from OD and she sees a need in the area. She is in recovery and we are in touch and going to set her up with start up kits and she is going to come to Area for the next three months to get put on the schedule.

- Get 2 starter kits, readings, & posters. We are going to help get this meeting started!!

Community Outreach Coordinator: Tim C.

Not a lot to report this month. PSA is airing on WKLT and their subsidiary stations. Wondering if we can flood the internet with our contact information like what is on our refrigerator magnets. Can we post our info on sites that may have addicts looking at it? What do you people think? Open to any ideas of how we can better carry the message.

- ATS auction see if we can get an NA table set up

Thanks for letting me serve.

Tim C.

OLD BUSINESS

Katy is working on updating the PR guidelines for CO-Correctional Facility Coordinator to take back to Area.

NEW BUSINESS

- Get literature to have on hand *15 Basic texts *4 Step working guides *4 It works how and why
- Change PR time to 2pm? A poll will added to the PR group chat so everyone has the ability to vote.
- Change schedule to canceled cadillac meeting

- ELECTION! ©
SCHEDULE COORDINATOR – **ASHLEY C**

OPEN SHARE

CLOSE

NEXT MEETING WILL BE SUNDAY MAY 5^{TH} , 2024 AT 5PM



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