**December 20, 2020**

**Open:** called to order 5:30pm Serenity Prayer

**Attendance:** Pat, Stephanie, Joan, Alice, Frank, Lanelle, Lauren, Louise, Barry, Michael, Molly, Maura, Diane, Brennon, Tabitha, Becky, Jena

**Observer:** Kail – incoming Chair

**Verify Quorum of 6:** Yes

**Recording Secretary:** Stephanie present:

Last months minutes where delayed being put onto the website- please review and email Stephanie corrections/approvals.

She will be mailing the new incoming recording secretary- Christina R. – all binders, she has trained and .

**Tradition 12 presentation:** Becky G. New Horizons

**Concept 12 presentation:** Lauren S. Sunday Morning

**Treasurer Report:** Dan Absent

* Joan- Office Manager- says she heard from Dan early this month to send employee payroll
* Pat will connect incoming Chair- Kail R.- with Dan
* If we receive report prior to next IGR meeting Pat will email it out

**Chair:** Pat present

Thanked the group for allowing him to be of service. This was a challenging year with covid and zoom appreciated everyone’s patients. Thanked Maura and Barry for continuing to keep meeting schedules up to date and website current with all the changes. This year we hired a new Office Manager- thanked the Advisory Board for all their work with posting job description and hiring process. Thanked intergroup committee for reviewing bylaws and position descriptions. Thanked Lanelle and Frank for their service on the Board.

**Vice Chair:** Helen Absent- emailed in report-

District meeting notes Dec. 13,2020 Concept 12

Treasurer: current balance $6,871.21

Secretary: contact address d5aa.secretary@gmail.com

DCM absent

Alt. DCM: Grapevine workshop Dec. 30 7:00 pm on Zoom (Saturday) Flyer coming

May 2020 Assembly: The Assembly Committee needs financial support There will be a raffle for 3 baskets on Dec. 23 on Zoom. Tickets $5.00 each or $20.00 for 5 tickets. Flyers available – contact Christine if you want one. They are currently available at COIG website Cups are in and available for purchase – contact Christine Open positions: Access Alt. Chair Self-Support Chair Archives (cdbergland42@gmail.com)

Old business: District 5 positions open Access Archives Cooperation with Treatment Facilities (CTF) Grapevine

Helen W.

 **Office Manager Report: December 20, 2020**

Thank you to all of the groups and individuals for their contributions, purchases and support of the Intergroup Office. November Sales include: Books $688.85; Coins $659.05; Total sales $1,347.90; Contributions $615.84.

The office continues to offer books and coins for sale by walking up to the far right window with protective covering. We are following state guidelines to maintain the safety of all involved. We wear masks and ask that those ordering at the window also wear masks. We do not allow people inside the office because we cannot maintain social distancing in our small space. This system was created by Renee and Scott months ago and continues to work well.

Intergroup Hours of Operation:

Monday - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Thursday - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Friday - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

1st and 3rd Saturday - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**We will be closed on Friday December 25th in observance of Christmas Day and on**

**Friday January 1st, 2021 in observance of New Year’s Day.**

*As a reminder: Central Oregon Intergroup (COIG) is not an authoritative body over A.A. groups, nor does it initiate rules or directives, as each A.A. group and entity is autonomous and decisions are made through the individual group conscience. Providing guidance on health issues is outside the scope of the A.A. Intergroup office. We suggest that your group see Oregon state health guidelines for opening up AA meetings, and check with your host facility to insure the safety of AA members.*

Calls received at the Intergroup Office line, 541-923-8199 include requests for meeting information, how to start a new zoom meeting, hours of operation, 12th step help, requests for help with hospitals and institutions, and various other chats. Calls are managed and directed to the appropriate channels. Thank you to all of the many volunteers that continue to devote their time to helping the alcoholic in need.

The Intergroup Office computer continues to work well since picking it up November 25th.

I continue to appreciate those who have stopped by to say hello and to welcome me back to the Intergroup Office. The learning curve is leveling out thanks to Renee. She continues to make herself available to help.

Respectfully submitted: Joan Crosby, COIG Office Manager

Motion to accept Office Manager report Barry, seconded by Molly- Approved

**Newsletter Chair:** Molly present-

December newsletter out first of December- 4th quarter issue for 2020- Thanked Barry for posting on website. She is willing to train the incoming newsletter chair.

**Potluck Chair:** Open

**Entertainment Chair:** open

**Schedule Chair:** Maura present-

We have eight meeting that have resumed in person or hybrid. Some in persons meeting have gone back to zoom with the new lockdown orders. Please check the website for updated information. Thanked Joan and Barry for sending group contacts to her. She will keep igr’s updated with in person meetings monthly. Current in person meetings:

Primary Purpose M-F 5:30pm hybrid- St. Helens Hall

Sunday womens meeting 10am

Sunday girls gone sober 4pm Alano club redmond

Monday Tumalo BB study 6pm

Monday crooked river ranch BB study 6pm

Tuesday sisters for serenity redmond hybrid

Wednesday men’s group 7am Sisters

Thursday sisters for serenity redmond 9:30am hybrid 12 in 12 study

Saturday keep it simple Saturday 7:30am St. Helens Hall hybrid

**Web Chair:** Barry present

Shared changes to website- online meetings and meetings

Under Announcements on the webpage links to meetings, zoom help, and hotline

New Page on website- if you are new to aa with links to literature

Contributions page- currently we have a link to contribute to intergroup but he will be adding links to GSO.

**Hotline Chair:** Dan absent-

We currently have openings on Saturday from 9pm – 9am. We are hitting the 1 year mark for some of the volunteers. I anticipate that we will have more openings as the year ends and the new year starts.

Again, wee could use more people to perform 12 step work from all areas. If the IGRs could take this request back to their groups, we may be able to get more folks for this valuable service work.

**IGR:**

Sisters in Sobriety- Susan-Still online at 5:00 pm on Sat. No changes in near future

Primary Purpose- Lanelle- meeting in person 5:30pm M-F St. Helens they will have a in person meeting in on Christmas Eve. OSYPAA meets last Saturday of the month at noon on zoom flyers for OSYPAA will be on intergroup website and they are looking for members to be of service for OSYPAA convention.

Tumalo- Louise- Greetings from the Tumalo group of Alcoholics Anonymous,

We are continuing to meet on Zoom for Friday Speaker meeting at 7:00PM. Usually about 20 people enjoyed a great variety of speakers this month.

We have decided to try to "hybrid" our Monday book study which has been meeting in person. This Monday the 21st will be our first attempt to Zoom our in person meeting. We consulted with AA friends who have been doing the hybrid meeting and got some tips on how best to go about including home and in person attendees and the equipment needed to do so.

We are hosting the 10AM spot during the Christmas Alcathon, our homegroup beloved member Forrest is the 7PM speaker. Hope to see you there!!

In Serenity and Peace,

Louise L

Tumalo

Thursday Night Men’s Book Study- Brennon- continue to pay there rent at first presbyterian to remain in good standing. Contributions to all AA entities.

Sunday Morning- Lauren- Hello, my name is Lauren.  I am an Alcoholic.  My home group is Sunday Serenity.  We meet at 10 AM on Zoom.  Our attendance has drop.  We have seven to twenty people participating.  We really like your support.

Zoom Id is 897 2556 9078  Password is Serenity.

Also, we made a basket for the raffle and the basket will be raffled off on Dec. 23.

We have a Venmo account now.  Also, Becky is our treasurer.   There is not much to report.

I wish you all a Healthy, Happy, Sober and Safe Holidays

Have a Healthy, Happy, Sober and Safe New Year.

See you all next year

In Fellowship and Service Lauren

Firing Line- Maura- Monday night BB study, last Monday of the month speaker meeting. 1 pm alcathon slot. Meeting is on zoom

Tuesday Night AA- Diane- group has noon slot at alcathon. Church of Nazarene is opening up for groups to meet in person-group will discuss returning to in person first of the year. Currently on zoom

Thursday Noon Women- Molly- Tuesday and Thursdays at noon at foundary church in person.

Christmas Alcathon- Flyer is on the website. Michael H. has instructions on how to log on and work zoom. Pat will be opening Zoom room in the morning.

New Years Eve event- Susan to form committee

**New Business:**

1. Advisory Board askes IGRs to make a motion to contribute $200 to area assembly.

Motion by Louise for Intergroup to contribute $200 to area for May 2020 assembly in Bend- seconded by Barry- MOTION PASSED.

* Joan (Office Manager) will send check to Christina area Treasurer.

IGRs please announce at your groups Newsletter Chair will be voted in January 2021 meeting.

Meeting Adjourned 6:30pm

Closed with Responsibility Statement

Minutes Submitted by Stephanie S. Recording Secretary.