

Mid America RSC Meeting
Feb. 15 & 16, 1992
McPherson, KS

Jeff Mc. opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Robert K. read the 12 Traditions. Leah S. read the minutes of the last meeting. Minutes were approved with the following amendment: Each Area receiving 250 Regional Meeting Lists, 50 of which are suppose to go to Area H&I Sub Committees.

H&I SUB COMMITTEE REPORT: George opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Greg B. read the 12 Traditions. Roll was taken. Areas represented were; Central, FFF, Just For Today, Western, and Wichita Metro.

Discussions were, Budget last year was \$1,750.00. This years proposal will be as follows: \$150.00 for Learning Day Workshops, Literature, \$500.00 for a Literature stockpile, and \$600.00 for 1(one) trusted servant to 1(one) quarterly for H&I. Total: \$1,250.00 Discussion on Basic Texts to County jails.

Also on H&I trusted servant being reimbursed for gas and lodging if necessary, to attend MRLD Committee Meetings.

NOTE TO ALL ASR'S: Take it back to your Area to find out which County jails in your Area have Basic Texts so we can finish this project.

God Willing, Clean Today,

George V., RSC H&I Chair

FFF H&I REPORT: We are trying to make a list of H&I meetings, days, times, locations, panel leaders, names and phone numbers, facility contact person names and phone numbers, and any other pertinent information.

The Women's Recovery meeting needs new panel leaders. After January 9th, Cindy and Nancy will be giving up this meeting. Thanks to these two trusted servants for their time. Linda S. and Tracy were considerations for replacements. Cindy recommended a year clean time necessary for the volunteer of this position. Also making it an open meeting was discussed to get more recovery to the meeting.

Sam V.L. will be giving up his position at the VA as soon as a replacement can be found. Let H&I know if you're interested.

Larry R. mentioned the Learning Days in Wichita on Sept. 18, 19, and 20, 1992. They have asked for more participation from the Area H&I and PI Sub Committees.

Tobey went over the material in the packets that we made from the H&I handbook. A packet was given to each H&I meeting. Panel leaders need to share them.

A stamp for the literature was mentioned. Charley D. will check on this, until then, please write the NA phone number on all literature.

We will ask the Area to purchase from the WSO, 100 Welcome chips, 100 30-day keytags, and 50 white books.

JUST FOR TODAY LITERATURE REPORT: There's not much to report from JFTA. I've been waiting and hoping that some of the approval literature would come down to me. NOT SO! I've decided to order myself a set to share with JFTA.

I have been re-elected to this position for the next year so will be seeing you all around.

I will take IN TIMES OF ILLNESS and refresh my Areas memories about the copy I gave each GSR.

I'm glad to be back, sorry that I missed in November. The results of my last surgery were positive. Needless to say, I'm looking forward to a fairly uneventful year, health wise.

Looking forward to the next year.

In Service,
Laurie H.
1333 Merchant #304
Emporia, KS 66801-5028
(#!@) 342-2256

CENTRAL KANSAS AREA LITERATURE REPORT: Literature Chair was changed this month. The new Literature Chair is Bob P. Literature sales continue to be good in our area. We maintain a good inventory and are ordering new Literature to add to our inventory. As the new Chair, I will start to read and review the Literature in inventory and be able to respond to my Areas needs.

Gratefully Serving,
Bob P.
Central Kansas Area Literature Chair

WESTERN KANSAS AREA LITERATURE REPORT: Hi! I'm Marla the new WKA Literature Chair as of Oct. '91. To date there has been no real movement of literature, for various reasons. Just want to say I'm very happy to serve at the Area level and wish to become much more involved with N.A. It's a great program. Hopefully there will be much more to report at the next RSC.

Grateful To Serve,
Marla K.
WKA Literature Chair
P.O. Box 1112
Syracuse, KS 67878
(316) 384-5717

ASR AREA REPORTS

JUST FOR TODAY: Hello from J.F.T.A. I am sorry I was unable to attend the Regional last November. Many personal reasons involved. I have to take care of myself first.

I am here today, at my first Regional as an ASR. I hope to serve my Area and friends well. I wish Pete, our former ASR, well with his school and hope to see him back at another time.

I now have a little catching up to do with you all today. Last October at the JFTA business meeting, also my first meeting as ASR, we had an Area Inventory. This was very well needed, there was a good turn out and much heated discussion resulted in a very positive closing.

Last December, we sponsored a fund raiser for this year's Convention I am pleased to announce that we have already turned over approximately \$590.00 to the Convention Committee.

I thank all of those who attended and helped make this possible.

Presently, our Area is working towards setting up a phonenumber and we are planning a fundraiser on April 4th to fund us. All funds raised over our phonenumber expenses will be donated to this year's Regional Campout at Clinton Lake.

Our Area has also acquired a new mailing address. (P.O. Box 573 Lawrence, KS 66044)

Our Emporia group is planning a St. Patrick's Day Dance. Our Lawrence groups are planning a joint activity to be announced at a later date.

Now, last but not least, I wish to address the matter of the Regional Meetings List. It is not my intention to criticize anyone or any committee, so please do not misunderstand.

I do not understand why our Area was omitted from this list. After reviewing and comparing the new list to the old list, I notice that we were not the only Area not published on the new list. And that there are also penciled in changes to be made on the new list.

Our Area has few changes to be made, but isn't our previous listing better than no listing?

I hope these points can be resolved in this meeting today.

We have printed an Area Meetings List and will distribute to anyone interested here today.

Thanks for being here!

Very Sincerely,
Roger B.

CENTRAL KANSAS AREA REPORT: Howdy! A few changes in our Area since last Regionals, Bob P. from Pratt, is our new Literature Chair, Eris J. also from Pratt is our new Alt. A.S.R., and me, Greg B. moved up to A.S.R.

Three groups in our Area are taking on more meetings. Pratt has two more meetings, Larned has one, and Ellinwood has one. They will go on a 3 month trail bases before putting them on the meeting list.

Our Area has agreed to look over the C.A.R. We have scheduled to do this March 14 & 15. God willing and we get the C.A.R. from World Service in time, we may be HAPPENING. Anyone interested in setting in on this meeting is WELCOME.

Also a GREAT THANKS to Al D. and Ed J. for their devotion and service to the Central Kansas Area. Thanks!

Alive and Kicking,
Greg B.

C.K.A.--A.S.R.

UNITY AREA ALTERNATE ASR REPORT: The slump in our lack of trusted servants has continued to drop with H&I's Chair resigning and PI Chairs terms ending with no replacement. I feel that this is temporary but I also feel that maybe an Area Inventory might be in order in the near future. Because of my inability to take adequate notes I don't have any trival issues to discuss at this time. I would like to comment that after reviewing the Regional Meeting List yesterday, our Area has not grown to the extent that it shows.

Our Area is currently working on policy additions and/or changes, particularly in our fund raisers and where the money should go. Our

WESTERN AREA H&I REPORT: Western Area is alive and (well)? No meetings dropped, none added. Still trying to get participation in our struggling, little H&I Committee. Keeping each other posted on when and where our H&I Meetings are at. Listing panel members willing to share the NA Way.

Put it to our ASC that Multi-Regional Learning Days would entertain bids from any groups in our Area to host Committee Meetings.

Still have some troubles getting willing members to carry the message as this is our primary purpose, but there seems to be little willingness to pitch in and be committed to the effort. We have too few people in such a large spread out rural area.

Distributed Basic Texts to: Haskell Co., Hamilton Co., Kearny Co., and Stevens Co. THANKS Hugh H.

Another Day Clean
Thanks to NA and a
Loving God,

Robert K.
Western Area H&I Chair

CENTRAL KANSAS AREA H&I REPORT: Things are going Great! Larned State Hospital Meeting is being held as a Speaker Meeting followed by question and answer panel. St. Joes (in Larned), is being held as a Speaker Meeting only. Clara Barton, Hoisington, is being held as basically an NA Meeting. All meetings are being covered.

The new I.P. on people in treatment seems to catch a lot of peoples attention. Not much of anything else going on with H&I in Area.

P.S. A lot of Thanks to those who helped with H&I Meetings in this Area.

One Day At A Time,
Greg B., CKA H&I Chair

CAMPOUT COMMITTEE: We opened in the usual manner. Since the last Regional, we have had some problems with our choice of Clinton Lake as the location for MAR Campout '92. They will monitor how many people we have and if we exceed the limit, we will have to ask people to leave. Glen S. checked out some other locations. We still could use Clinton, we have booked Thunderbird Marina at Milford Lake, and we are looking into Lucas Park at Wilson Lake. We have decided if we can get Lucas Park that will be the site for our Campout. This decision was made because of initial cost that would be signifincilly higher at Milford than Wilson. Since we are up in the air, we have many items hanging. We have decided to purchase 144 T-Shirts for sale even prior to the Campout. However, with no firm location we can not finalize our flyers or the art work for the T-Shirts. We will have a Campout Committee Meeting in Wichita on March 14, 1992 at 1:00 p.m., at 732 S Broadway. Wichita Area has volunteered to sell merchandise at the Campout. Any other Areas can jump on the band wagon and do something. We will hopefully see you at the meeting in Wichita. Account Balance: Last RSC \$496.00 Current: \$480.00 The \$16.00 was not spent but came from a check

fundraiser Feb. 29th in McPherson, is in the final stages and we are real excited about it.

Another item of our concern was the CAR, we don't understand why no order forms were sent out or even at a later date listed in the Newslite.

One last thing before I close, our Area is discussing placing a bid for MARCNA X 1993.

Gratefully Serving,
Tim S.

FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM: Our fellowship has grown in leaps and bounds in the Topeka Area. Congratulations are in order for our Public Information Committee, Hospitals and Institutions Committee, and our groups, and our Activities. Two of the meetings in Topeka which used to have 15 to 20 members attending now have between 60-70 members attending. Our P.I. efforts have extended. We're putting ads in 25 buses about N.A. We are going to also have a radio ad with TV ads coming soon. Our United Survivors Group just held it's 15th Anniversary celebration and it was a success. We also decided as an Area to have chicken at the Regional Campout. All the groups decided on this at our business meeting. Our Area has its monthly ASC meeting the last Sunday of every month at 5:00 p.m. at 1248 Buchanan in Topeka. Our Public Information Chair also wants Anita to send all material that she receives to him. Our Area has been holding one function per month to help raise funds for our Area Campout. Our Area Campout is scheduled for May 22, 23, and 24th, 1992 at Shawnee Lake Reynolds Lodge Area. Our Area is also looking forward to having the Convention. The people there are fired up.

Larry and myself are also thinking of attending the World Service Conference in Dallas in April. With it being this close, we feel we can sit in on some committees and be informed right there.

March 14th, we will be having a St. Patty's Day Dance at Topeka. Flyers will be out soon. Our Area also is looking into starting a phonline committee so the burden is not put on the P.I. Subcommittee alone.

Sometimes Struggling, but Always Growing

Glenn S. ASR
Larry R. Alt. ASR

WICHITA METRO AREA REPORT: The Alt. ASR (John J.) and I checked out 3 groups since last RSC for tradition violations. We found none broken. In fact, found very spiritual and deeply sharing meetings. Treatment people sharing. We made suggestions on group conscience once a month, so forth.

New group is forming for 2nd shift people.

A group of women, from Women's Group, are taking a H&I meeting into Women's Treatment facility starting 1st Friday in March. Wish us success with this venture. The meeting will be at 9:00 p.m. after clients children are put to bed.

Donated \$80.00 to RSC.

In Loving Service to NA and HP,

Betty P. ASR

WESTERN AREA REPORT: Our Area continues to have good involvement at our Area meetings. A new group is forming in Hvgoton. Our A.S.C. voted to send them a starter kit. We are also starting an "Addicts on Asphalt", to help support any group having trouble or just make a different meeting. We also carried a \$709.00 donation to this Regional from the 2nd Annual Dodge City Round-Up.

We also had an Area Inventory. It went very well, many things were discussed. We decided we were right where we should be. We also took an Area count of addicts attending meetings. Approximately 56 addicts in our Area.

Steve J.
ASR

OZ AREA ASR REPORT: We here in Oz Area are struggling but recovering. We're making some changes to compensate for some needs which haven't been being met.

We have disconnected our Hotline because the cost couldn't be justified. When we checked the contact numbers, only 2 were valid numbers.

Also, the lack of commitment in the Area is a major factor in our struggling. It appears to this addict that there are many addicts in the Area that like to attend meetings, drink coffee and socialize, yet when it comes to taking a position in the Area and doing some footwork, we're coming up short.

Some members aren't willing to travel to the A.B.M., so we ask ourselves how far did we go to score that bag, that fix, or that line? And most of us answer the ends of the Earth. We have decided to make our business meeting a revolting meeting. We are hoping that in doing so we will gain some interest and participation. The March business meeting will be held in Scott City on the 2nd Sunday at 2:00 p.m. at the legion. April will be in Leoti, and May will be in Colby. There was talk of dissolving the Area or merging with another. Hopefully by cutting some cost and revolving the Area we can pull through and carry on. We're taking this One Day At A Time. God Help Us.

In Service,
Casey L.
Oz Area ASR

ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE REPORT: Debby S. opened with the Serenity Prayer. Leah S. read the minutes from the last meeting. S/P

The Committee met and discussed the following items:

1. Spiritual Retreat
2. Upcoming RSC Meeting (s)
3. Budget for the year

SPIRITUAL RETREAT

We discussed the dates for the next SOUL TO SOUL Spiritual Retreat. Dates that we are tentatively looking at are, September 25, 26, & 27 or October 2, 3, and 4, 1992 at Camp Chipewa in Ottawa, KS. Roger B. will be checking on the facility availability. m/s/p

UPCOMING RSC MEETING (S)

The next RSC Meeting Saturday lunch on May 16, 1992 will be a cookout. RSC

will provide the hamburgers and hot dogs---along with buns and relishes. We ask everyone to bring one item: chips, salad, or desert. We would appreciate the donations. Our D.J. for Saturday evenings dance will be Larry R. (Pony Boy) and the Hometown Boys. The Chef for Saturdays lunch will be Glenn S.---(Are we sure we want to eat his cooking?). Glenn S. has also offered to supply the donuts for the next RSC-----Our Hats Are Off To You!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

For our RSC evening Speaker Meeting in August, we are going to see if it would be feasible to go to Coronado Heights (North of McPherson about 15 miles). We will let you know at the next RSC for sure.

Meals for the Saturday lunch will be \$3.00 unless it is a very special meal. m/s/p

*NOTE: DON'T FORGET THE NEXT RSC WILL BE AT MCPHERSON 4-H BUILDING!

BUDGET FOR THE YEAR: We discussed the idea of the Region seeding us \$500.00 for the Spiritual Retreat. We want to use these funds to have T-shirts made to sell to generate us money for this event. That way we would not have to rely on the Region for all of the funds needed to put on this event. We would ask that anyone that has any Arts & Graphics for our SOUL TO SOUL SPIRITUAL RETREAT II, please bring their ideas to the next RSC.

Our budget for the year is as follows:

Spiritual Retreat	\$500.00 (seed money)
Regionals	\$800.00 (\$200.00 each meeting)
Total Annual:	\$1,300.00

NOTE*****UPCOMING EVENTS:

February 29, McPherson 4-H Building. Unity Area Spiritual Day starting at 1:00 p.m. There will be several workshops, Spiritual Meditation, chili feed, Speaker Meeting, Dance---All this for only \$5.00 or \$3.00 & auction item.

July 17, 18, & 19, 1992 Hoisington NA Campout at Wilson Lake Lucas Park.

July 31. August 1 & 2, 1992 McPherson New Life Ladies 3rd Annual Campout at Wilson Lake, Lucas Park. Covered dish meal (hamburgers supplied) and dance Saturday evening (Dynamite DJ from Salina)

July 24, 25, and 26, 1992 High On Life Picnic at Stockton Lake, In Stockton, MO.

August 7, 8, & 9, 1992, Just For Today 5th Annual Campout at Thunderbird Marina, Milford Lake (by Junction City), KS.

Our meeting closed in the usual manner.

In Service,

Debby S., Activities Chairperson
Leah S., Activities Co-Chairperson

P.I. SUB COMMITTEE MEETING: Anita opened with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Hugh read the 12 Traditions. Hugh read the minutes of the last meeting. Robert moved to accept the minutes as read. s/p

AREA REPORTS:

WESTERN AREA: Hugh received the phoneline guide handbook. Western Area approved in concept but most abstained from vote to approve final

draft. Made stamp for Western Area, feels we needed more time to go over the phonenumber guide to vote in good conscience.

JUST FOR TODAY AREA: Phoneline fundraiser in working stages to set up area phonenumber, contacted Emporia and Lawrence to support this effort.

FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM:

1. Letters to school.
2. Calls after mailing.
3. Bus stop ads.
4. Add in buses and on benches. Articles with interviews to run in newspapers, Keep anonymity. Revised a 12th Step phonenumber--call list. Contacted by a high school for Speakers engagement. Man in phone booth radio ad. We are looking into starting a phonenumber committee.

WICHITA METRO AREA: We have differed our efforts and energy away from our attempted attempts at taking presentations into Public Schools, in our Area. Instead we are currently working on several smaller projects we feel are more feasible and well within our addict support capabilities. These projects are as follows: Getting the Helpline phone number into all area phone books in the blue pages under self help, also we are working on getting literature out to places such as Parole/Probation Offices, Hospitals, etc., and finally we are working on getting posters printed and circulated in the public. Other projects that were previously under way, PSA tapes are already out to the TV Stations and we are awaiting a response. Our phonenumber is doing well, calls are coming in steady.

In Loving Service,
Anvil M.
Co-Chair W.M.A.S.C. P.I

CENTRAL KANSAS AREA: CKA P.I. sub-committee is doing real good. We've been working on getting literature into places like the crisis shelters. The response when asked if they were interested was a definite yes. We're also trying to improve the public's view of N.A. by writing short stories of recovery and getting them published. Of course anonymity is our "Motto".

Our area was not able to go through the Phonenumber Guidelines because of lack of time. I wish we would have received it sooner. We are giving the Regional P.I. Sub-committee our vote of confidence.

I'm sorry I am unable to attend this month's Regional. Prior commitments. I hope to see you all in May.

JUST ANOTHER TRUSTED SERVANT! Penny D.

OLD BUSINESS: Meeting list completed. Thanks Anita. Printed 1,800 copies since the printer goofed. They printed 1,400 without change. Total for extra 400 was \$107.09 also for typesetting.

We obtained the special edition of Basic Text. We'll ask if we can auction it off at the convention then turn around and buy another one. S/p

Discussed how many shirts our area would purchase (Multi Regional

Learning Day). Anvil moved to divide shirts among the 4 Regions that have donated seed money. Anita had a problem with this; anyone should be able obtain the shirts.

Motions: 1 doz. to South Carolina, 2 doz. each to Show Me, OK, Mid America, and Lone Star. Remaining 3 doz. left with MRLD Chair for distribution at large. Hugh 2nd. Voted and passed.

PROPOSED BUDGET:

\$600.00	Trusted servant to quarterly
\$500.00	Meeting list
\$150.00	Two learning workshop
Reinburse Anita for Postage	\$2.95
Meeting list	\$107.09

Motion second and passed.

From Nebraska area. We would ask them if they would place on their RSA their helpline number and then, or contact your nearest local helpline number.

Adjourned s/p

JUST FOR TODAY AREA: Our first priorities are establishing phone-lines, in both Emporia and Lawrence since we have two area codes in the area.

The area has agreed to let us use the Area P.O. BOX for P.I. contacts.

Distributed a list of contact numbers to all GSR's in the Area

Co-Chairs are working with group PI Chairs to co-ordinate efforts and help improve area unity.

Fundraiser dance in Lawrence the first weekend in March (tentative) Marko F. should have flyer out soon.

We are new at this and trying to follow WSO Guide carefully.

Love In Service,
David A.

WESTERN AREA P.I. REPORT: I have attended Multi Region Learning Days committee meetings in Dec. and Jan. at Tulsa and Norman. I am really impressed at the progress being made at the Multi Region Learning Days committees.

144 T-shirts will be ordered. They will sell for \$8.00 each.

I got our area PI stamp last week and the stamp was wrong. We sent the stamp back to get it corrected. The Western Area donated \$50.00 to the Genesis NA Group (Ulysses) to set up an NA-Hot Line. The Western Area also ordered a starter kit for Hoisington KS. They are wanting to start an NA group in Hiisington. The Western Area has also started a new area support group called "Addicts on Asphalt". We went to Garden City meeting in January. I plan on going to Liberal meeting the 21st of February. We are also anxious to start PI work in the schools in our area soon.

In Loving Service,
Hugh H.

FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM: Old Business: 1. Amanda typed 12 letters of introduction to various schools. (a) We decided to send them to the guidance counselor of each school. (b) Dave volunteered to address and stuff the envelopes. (c) Bruce will get the names of

Learning Day). Anvil moved to divide shirts among the 4 Regions that have donated seed money. Anita had a problem with this; anyone should be able to obtain the shirts.

Motions: 1 doz. to South Carolina, 2 doz. each to Show Me, OK, Mid America, and Lone Star. Remaining 3 doz. left with MRLD Chair for distribution at large. Hugh 2nd. Voted and passed.

PROPOSED BUDGET:

\$600.00	Trusted servant to quarterly
\$500.00	Meeting list
\$150.00	Two learning workshop
Reimburse Anita for Postage	\$2.95
Meeting list	\$107.09

Motion second and passed.

From Nebraska area. We would ask them if they would place on their RSA their helpline number and then, or contact your nearest local helpline number.

Adjourned s/p

JUST FOR TODAY AREA: Our first priorities are establishing phone-lines, in both Emporia and Lawrence since we have two area codes in the area.

The area has agreed to let us use the Area P.O. BOX for P.I. contacts.

Distributed a list of contact numbers to all GSR's in the Area

Co-Chairs are working with group PI Chairs to co-ordinate efforts and help improve area unity.

Fundraiser dance in Lawrence the first weekend in March (tentative)

Marko F. should have flyer out soon.

We are new at this and trying to follow WSO Guide carefully.

Love In Service,
David A.

WESTERN AREA P.I. REPORT: I have attended Multi Region Learning Days committee meetings in Dec. and Jan. at Tulsa and Norman. I am really impressed at the progress being made at the Multi Region Learning Days committees.

144 T-shirts will be ordered. They will sell for \$8.00 each.

I got our area PI stamp last week and the stamp was wrong. We sent the stamp back to get it corrected. The Western Area donated \$50.00 to the Genesis NA Group (Ulysses) to set up an NA-Hot Line. The Western Area also ordered a starter kit for Hoisington KS. They are wanting to start an NA group in Hiisington. The Western Area has also started a new area support group called "Addicts on Asphalt". We went to Garden City meeting in January. I plan on going to Liberal meeting the 21st of February. We are also anxious to start PI work in the schools in our area soon.

In Loving Service,
Hugh H.

FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM: Old Business: 1. Amanda typed 12 letters of introduction to various schools. (a) We decided to send them to the guidance counselor of each school. (b) Dave volunteered to address and stuff the envelopes. (c) Bruce will get the names of

M/S/P Pat made the motion to "can" the Regional Meeting List. Discussion ensued. m/s/p Discussion cease. 5for, 1 abstain

M/S/P Pat made to move on to the next item.

NEW BUSINESS:

M/ Trusted servant for H & I or PI be reimbursed for gas and lodging if so required from the RSC for the Multi Learning Day Committee. Motion dies for lack of second.

M/S Policy Chair represent this Region at WSC quarterly with expenses paid by RSC. Discussion ensued. Motion tabled until next Regional.

M/S/P Pat made the motion to send back to sub committee and ASR's the efficiency of sending RSR's and Alt. RSR and Sub-committee Chairs to quarterly, to be brought back in May for discussion. Discussion ensued. m/s/p Discussion cease. Passed unanimously.

M/S/P Reimburse Anita \$7.95 for postage. \$107.09 for meeting list.

M/S/P Motion for RSR's: \$185.00 for expenses for Warren
\$170.00 for expenses for Pat
\$466.69 for hotel

Discussion ensued. Passed unanimously.

NOTE Take back to groups the need for braille and large print NA Literature!!

M/S/P Activities Committee request \$200.00 for next RSC, \$120.00 for rent, other \$80.00 for miscellaneous. Passed unanimously.

M/S/P That the Mid America Region proceed with a feasibility study to form a Regional Service Office.

INTENT: This study to be conducted utilizing the Service Office Workbook, dated Feb. 1990; to identify if there is a need for an office and can it be supported?

Discussion ensued. m/s/p Discussion cease.

M/S/P Anita to send all PI Chairs in Area's all information she gets from the World Service.

M/S/P Motion for chicken at the Regional Campout.
3 for 1 oppose 3 abstain Chair person had to break tie.

Anita J. to get more information on the 1-800 N. a. phonenumber.

M/S/P George asked for \$429.61 for H & I Literature consisting of: 500 white books, 100 IP22, 100 IP16, 100 IP11, 100 IP7, 100 IP23, and 5 Basic Texts.

4 for, 3 abstain

M/S/P Greg made the motion to start using letter head for the minutes.

M/S/P Glenn S. made a motion for prudent reserve be \$500.00.

Mid America Region
 Treasurer Report
 Nov. 17, 1991 to Feb. 16, 1992

Beginning Balance: \$1,246.75

Donations Received

Spiritual Retreat	\$ 76.76
Newsletter Subscriptions	96.00
MARSC N.A. FUNDRAISER	388.33
Western KS Area Donation	175.00
Wichita Metro Area Donation	80.00
Central KS Area Donation	175.00
New Hope N.A. Donation	50.00
Anita J. Reimbursement	175.00
Literature Handbooks	10.00
12th Step and 7th Tradition	19.00

BALANCE BEFORE EXPENSES: \$2,441.84

EXPENSES:

157 Red Coach Inn (D.J. Expenses)	45.00
158 Anita Jackson (Copies/PO Box)	55.19
159 WSO (H&I Literature)	47.70
160 Leah S. (Secretary Report)	80.00
161 WSC (Donation)	900.00

TOTAL: \$1,127.89

CASH EXPENSES 11-17-91

Treasure Report Copies	1.00
Rent For MARSENA	32.00
Reimburse Glenn S. (pop)	3.65

TOTAL \$ 36.65

EXPENSES AFTER Jan. 1, 1992

163 Nathan F.(Newsletter)	100.00
164 McPherson Co. 4-H Building	100.00
165 Debby Stewart	75.00
1-31 Service Charge	1.39

Total expenses \$1,440.93

ENDING BALANCE: \$1,000.91

August 17, 1991

Multi Regional Learning Day Committee,

- 1.) Meeting opened 6:40 Tulsa Ok. Sheraton Kinnington Hotel.
- 2.) Members introduced themselves and identified region they represented.
- 3.) Old minytes read-accepted as readed.
- 4.) Regions present; Mid America, Okla, Show-Me, Lone Star Region, nebraska.
- 5.) 500.00 seed money not specifically mentioned in first minutes of original meeting. \$500.00 seed money per Region will go to next hosting region- anything over and above seed money has not been decided on yet.
- 6.) It was suggested that the committee have a group concinsus to take to their region.
- 7.) It was suggested that moneys over seed money be given to World Service Committee. Passed. This is our suggestion.
- 8.) It was suggested that the Regions be allowed to have input concerning the afore mentioned moneys.
- 9.) It was suggested that the sponsoring regions receive reimbursement from the funds up to their \$500.00 donation and anything over be given to the WSC. Was suggested that if we stop having the learning day that each region that put their seed money in would get their money back.
- 10.) Possible theme; One Submission- Put Service Into Your Program Please send Arts and Graphics & Theme before next meeting- sub-committee may be made to ;

Anita Jackson
3701 Arkansas
Wichita Ks. 67204
(316) 832-0475

Susan Smothers
9417 E. 38 St.
Tulsa OK. 74145
(918) 664-4883

On or before Sept 25.

- 11.) Agenda
Theme
Questionaire
Arts & Graphics
Merchandizing
Budgeting
P.O. BOX
Hotel & Hospitality
Entertainment
Bank Account

- 12.) Next meeting was going to be in Denton. But was informed that we could not have it their due to them not having the learning their.

- 13.) Next meeting will be in Derby Kansas. Addressed

Woodlawn United Methodist Church
431 N. Woodlawn
Derby Ks.
Contact person; Anita J.
(316) 832-0475
3701 N. Arkansas
Wichita Ks 67204

WSC P.I. COMMITTEE MEETING :
Report by Anita Jackson
Regional P.I. Chairperson, WSC P.I. Pool member

Meeting started Friday morning. We went over the projects we were working on at World Service.

1. Number one was a contact person at WSO. This is now Carl for P.I.
 2. Newsletter for Professionals; Rogans was able to give this report. We need input from counslors, treatment center, and some professionals. We need 4-5- pieces to put in Newsletter.
 3. Video projects: Once it is started it will take about 3 weeks. We have 2 Bids for the video one was for \$30,000 the other for \$50,000. Some people from WSC will talk with them. The committee will not see this video until it is put out.
 4. Rural P.I.: We will get it ready to go back out to the fellowship again.(There was some talk about Unity Area sending out the postcards and thier return.
 5. Public Rellation Policy : Need input by January 1,1992 so it can be reviewed and utilized prior to the 1992 WSC. There were some questions asked in the current July P.I. News.
 6. Disaster Plan; There have been few changes. A section was added on tornadoes. This project should be concluded within the next two to three months. There was discussion as to whether to include the handbook as an addendum to the Guide to Public Information or whether to have it be a separate item for distribution, free or other wise.
 7. Internal Guidelines; Discussed on having 12 voting member not 16. also on how many pool members. May be 12 like voting members. Defining the WSO staff and what are thier responsibilities will there be; BOD member(s) defining responsibilities of Board member(s) Advisory members; and elections of appointments to the committee.
 8. P.I. Liaison with H&I: At this point there were questions as to what to do, where to go, who to see. George wants to do either pursue something specific or withdraw from this position.
 9. Questionnaire for Non N.A. Events: We discussed that the objections to the attitudes section being too negative and inappropriate. The section on referral patterns was also thought of as being negative. The committee voted to discontinue the questionnaire altogether. A suggestion was made that a " post card" format be considered. (This postcard was from one of our area sending in the questionnaire of Rural P.I. Good work)
 10. Multi Regional Learning Days: Learning days were briefly discussed in general as well as currently scheduled Learning days.
- AT THIS TIME WE STOP FOR LUNCH
11. Guide to Public Information: Dave and Troy willinvestigate tabs reformatting additions etc and some back with recommendations.
 12. International P.I.: It was suggested that a letter be preped and send to a number of publications regarding articles to appear in an international publication. Talked about Readers Digest a concern was expressed about the limit of 300 words. PSA being run or to be run on T.V. and cable networks. The PSA will first appear on HNN on a trial basis. It was suggested that a letter be sent to P HONELINE Subcommittee. We also talk about whether or not the PSA's would be closed captioned.
 13. P.I. Within the Fellowship: This was put out but it was not the way that Dianne wanted it. Dianne will report back to the committee.
 14. Defining Responsibilities of Pool Members; Further work needs to be done on this.

Rogan brought up the funding issue from Tom .

August 17, 1991

Talked on the New Jersey Department of health package. There was a lot of talk on this issues. New Jersey is one of the first states to recognize addiction as a disease. Thier was concern about cooperation and affiliation, endorsement and outside issues. It was suggested that four N.A. groups in New Jersey (already selected) would be target for the information to be gathered for the study. There was some concern about anonymity within these groups. Impact to fellowship. This is a new area for P.I. to encounter This survey would be done and we would control the use of the results.

PHONELINE : Minor changes was made and approved by the working committee. We discussed color, paper stock and weight, and style regarding the cover, dividers, and tabs. They was hoping that the color will be hot pink. The revised will be in the CAR for 1992.

P.I. Liaison with H&I: After talking to members of H&I George report with the committee that H&I needed help real bad. They needed someone from P.I. to show them how to do it the right way.

Out of the whole end week we had a open forum. This was great.
OPEN FORUM.

A. Send all input to Carl.

B. We discussed "advisory" member and discussed eliminating the title and elimimating advisory members from the mailing list including those currently holding that designation.

C. The "I" versus the "We" version of the Serenity Prayer was discussed from the point of view of unity and conformity.

D. We need articles for the Newsletter for Professionals.

E. We discussed the use of PSA's.

F. Comments from members or guests;

1. One member discussed his feelings regarding the lack of response from committee members during a time of grief, pain, and tragedy.

2. Several people discussed their fears about coming out to the quarterly and expressed thier gratitude for being welcomed and made a part of; one person said he did not feel accepted as a newcomer who is willing to serve; still others said they feft rejuvenated in the area of service as a result of their attendance at this Quarterly.

3. One member felt more could have been accomplished inthe time we had available. He was also concerned about the short period of time between the receipt of the large amount of material that needed reviewing and the time set for the Quarterly.

And there was more I do have the unapproe minutes.

I will be placing in the regional minutes a copy of the Multi Regional Learning day. I would like to say thank you for some members from Western Kansas Area for coming down. At least we have another area there from our state. We do need support from the Mid- america Regions.

We was able to go to Western Ks Area Round up for the question and answers. I enjoy going and being a part of. The basket was passed after the meeting for money to send to the World for International effects. We was able to raise \$46.00.

I have movied also. My new address is

Anita Jackson
1001 E. MacAuthor
Box 13 lot 207

Wichita Ks 67216
5540346

I was unable to go to the Multi Regional Learning Day in Calif. I will give the money back to the regional. I will be asking for ;

P.O.BOX payment	\$35.00
Quik Print;	6.95
QUIK PRINT	2.58
STAMPS	5.80
Quik Print	1.11
Total	<u>\$51.44</u>
Copies	3.75
	<u>55.19</u>

In Loving Service,

Anita Jackson
Regional P.I. Chair

Discussion ensued. m/s/p Discussion cease. Anything above prudent reserve be sent to WSC. WSC donation: \$453.71.

CONVENTION REPORT:

Opened in usual manner. January balance of \$1,245.12. All is going well. Hospitality Room will have more food than junk. Glenn is taking donations for food. Registration packets will be more exciting. They will have address book and pen. Badges will be clip on's. Merchandising will be ordering Lit., cups, and such from WSO, jewelry will be sold by Bill Humphry's with 25% of sales going to MARCNA IX. Tapes will be made by Tiffany Productions. Ross has more items of interest such as magnets, cups, bumperstickers, buttons. Our program has been layed-out. Entertainment will be DJ--Dynamite Don, Comedian-- Johnny Emmitt. Speakers will be Alice H. on Friday, Bill H. on Saturday, and Blaze on Sunday. Our next committee meeting will be held at the RAMADA INN, Topeka, starting at 1:00pm---March 15th.

MARCNA IX
Committee

NOTE May 16, 1992, Next Regional elect new RSR and Alt. RSR

May 16, 1992 RSC Sub Committee Agenda:

9:00 a.m. H&I and Activities
11:00 a.m. Campout and Policy
1:00 to 2:00 p.m. Lunch
2:00 p.m. Literature and PI
4:00 p.m. Convention and RSO Ad Hoc
7:00 p.m. Speaker Meeting
8:00 p.m. Dance

May 17, 1992 RSC Meeting starting promptly at 9:00 a.m.

The meeting closed in the usual manner.

I need to be honest with all of you. I relapsed Feb. 28, 1992. I know that I will have to give up the Secretary position and it really bothers me that I have failed not only myself but all of you because the minutes are late again. I am really sorry. Thanks for letting me serve. Maybe in a year I can be Secretary again. I hope so. Thanks to everyone for their help.

Grateful To Serve,

Beak