

District 90 Minutes Oct. 8, 2019

Meeting held at First Southern Baptist Church in Colona, opened at 6:00 p.m.

In attendance: Richard S., Craig K., Randall C., Randy C., Gene V., Joyce E., & Justin W.

Birthdays- Randall C. – 5 Years **Minutes-** Sept. Minutes Approved.

DCM- Richard S. No Report

Alt DCM- Open

Treasurer- Gene V. We still have money to spend.

Secretary- Jesse R. - Absent

Committee Reports:

Corrections- Craig K. The Woman's Meeting at the Rock Island County Jail is doing Great. We have started a morning meeting on Tuesdays, we have 2 Volunteers so far and could use a few more. We now have a new Volunteer Application should speed up approval time. The Men's meeting at Rock Island County Jail is looking to change days from Fridays to a different night, is there anyone out there interested Volunteering? Henry County Jail meetings both men and women are doing well. We are always there every Saturday 9 am. The Kewanee Life Skills Re-entry Center Meetings are going great. We are doing The Primary Purpose Big Book study on Thursdays, it is outstanding. Our Speaker Meeting is on the 2nd Saturday of each month going forward. This month will be Mario N. Also looking for speakers who have served time in a correctional facility willing to come and speak. The East Moline Correctional Facility – Really in Need of volunteers to go into and to sponsor inmates. Always looking for more volunteers A member in good standing (my opinion only)
Craig K.

--Joyce asked about E. Moline and Craig responded that there are no men volunteering. It should be noted, a person cannot do multiple facilities.

PI- Absent

Treatment- Justin W. Accepted/registered as our Treatment Chair from AAWS. Good on supplies.

Grapevine- Open

CPC- Open

Accessibilities- – Absent

Literature- – Absent

Intergroup Liaison- Randall C. Newsletter Chair position was filled by Beth E. of the BB Study Group. Lisa Reminded us to bring Cash or Check because Intergroup cannot accept Debit or Credit Cards. Also, the deadline for putting anything in the Newsletter needs to be in by the 15th of the preceding month. The Telephone Chair informed us that she is updating the 12th Step List and if you would like to be taken off or put on to contact her or Intergroup. Plus, there are 4 openings in the Phone Rotation; 1st Sunday (PM 5:30p-9a), 3rd Thursday (PM 5:30p-9a), 5th Sunday (AM 9a-5:30p), & 5th Friday (PM 5:30p-9a). Events Chair is looking for people to join a Speaker Committee to help choose a Speaker for the Intergroup Event. There are 3 dates available at the RI Holiday Inn; March 28th, April 11th. & April 25th. He is Leaning towards the March 28th date and should have that confirmed by next month. The Website had 899 users who were on the site for more than 30 sec. which is about as low as we would like to see it go. A spike on Monday Sept. 30th was about 100 more than any other day with no reasonable explanation. Last month Dist. 9 CPC, asked us to put a link to AAWS "For Professionals" page put on our top menu or front page. After checking with the AAWS "Terms of Use" it was agreed to add the link. Consequently, due to some other issues brought up by last month's web discussion I have made some changes in the "look" of the website which can be viewed at (www.rcookproductions.com) Take a look and let me know what you think and I hope to switch next month. That's all I have until next month. In Love and Service Randall C.

GSR Reports:

Aledo- Randy C. (GSR) Pretty much the same, OK.

Henry County- Craig K. Self-Supporting, Weezie will be the Speaker this month, and looking for someone to consistently Chair the Noon Meetings.

House- Joyce E. (GSR) Area Archives workshop went well, she attended the Fall Assembly, asked about group elections, "Do groups keep in sync with the District's Elections?"

--General consensus was that most groups do; Henry Co. has an Agenda Board for Business Meetings to announce what will be covered. All depends on the House Group Conscious.

Last Chance- Justin V. (GSR) Self-Supporting, decline in PM Meetings and more in the mornings. Speaker/Potluck 3rd Friday.

New Beginnings- Randall C. (GSR) Hello Everyone, attendance has been pretty good lately for the Primary Purpose Big Book Study Meeting on Saturday's at 2pm, as well as the Wednesday Night Meeting. The Monday Night Speaker Meeting has had low attendance so we haven't had Speakers but have some booked for Oct. and will see how attendance goes. Finally, as always, we are looking for Speakers, Sponsors and rides... That's all I have until next month. In Love and Service Randall C.

Old Business: Elections in Nov. - Correction on flyer, Date needs Changed to Nov. 5th and Time 6pm

New Business: The DCM will attend the Oct. Area Committee Meeting and bring back the New Officers List. Gene Made a Motion to not turn in the cost of pizza to area and the Dist. just pay for it, Approved. .

Next meeting is at First Southern Baptist Church in Colona on Nov. 5th, 2019 at 6:00pm.