

## **Illowa Intergroup Business Meeting Minutes – June 2, 2025**

Virtual Meeting called to order by Chair, Al B., at 6:00 p.m. with the Serenity Prayer.

### **Attendance: Officers/Chairs/Liaisons present:**

**Chair/Al B., Co-Chair/Randy C., Secretary/Ruby G., Treasurer/ Melanie M., Newsletter/Julie B (Temp)., Telephone Chair/ Desiree (Temp), District 9 Liaison/Jeff T., District 90 Liaison/ Michael K., Webmaster/Randy C., Office Manager/Katie R.**

### **Groups present:**

Motion was made, seconded, and passed to accept May 2025 minutes as published.

### **Officers' Reports:**

#### **Treasurer's Report:**

Checking balance forwarded: \$6,720.57

Total Income: \$2,507.15

Total expenses: \$3,750.64

Income minus expenses: \$1,243.49

Checking ending balance: \$5,477.08

Motion was made, seconded, and passed to approve the treasurer's report.

**Telephone Chair:** No report, but Desiree has found a replacement who is willing to stand and is present for today's meeting.

**Newsletter:** I mailed 7 newsletters but here's the thing ... when I received the one I mail to myself it was stamped POSTAGE DUE! I don't think the Police will knock on your door asking for a few cents, but I just wanted to confess so Katie is prepared in case anyone reaches out. I was later than normal getting them mailed so I used my own stamps, but I guess they were not Forever Stamps. The Newsletter chair position is still OPEN...Please reach out to me if you are thinking you might want to take a crack at it! I'm happy to do this step by step with you! I will compile and send the July newsletter. Yours in service, Julie B.

#### **Office Manager Report:** Hello from Intergroup,

Things are going well here at the office, not a lot going on since the event. I have applied for our new Sales Tax exemption certificate through the state of ILL. This is for the next five years. Call counts for June were 3-12-step, -44 information, -37visitors and 0-Al—Anon. The next business meeting will be held on **Monday, July 7th at 6:00 p.m.** on Zoom.

In love and service, Katie R

**Events:** Present, no report submitted.

**District 9:** Present, no report submitted.

**District 90:** Present, no report submitted.

**Webmaster:** Hello Everyone, we had 5,308 visitors, 1,290 were on the site for more than 30 seconds and that's the number we have been going with, which is slightly below our average of 1,400. The Meetings page is still the most visited page. The Flyer page is the 2<sup>nd</sup> most visited page. The Virtual page is 3<sup>rd</sup> and the 4<sup>th</sup> most visited page was the Calendar. We did have 2 spikes this month, one on the 7<sup>th</sup> and the other on the 15<sup>th</sup>. The rest of the month had its normal ups and downs. Keep checking the **FLYERS** Page for any type of Group Announcements. That's all I have until next month.  
In Love and Service Randy C.

### **Group reports:**

**8n8 AA:**

**Bettendorf:**

**Big Book Study:**

**Blandine:**

**Central:**

**Camden:**

**Courage to Change:**

**DeWitt:**

**Geneseo Group:** I would like to thank our Intergroup webmaster for his quick response to the change in our address description on the Intergroup website. Last week at our monthly speaker meeting quite a few ladies came from out of town to support their friend who was our speaker. A couple of the visitors mentioned that when they arrived that they were unsure what door to enter so they consulted the group listing on the website and quickly found their way inside.

Unfortunately, I missed our last group business meeting due to a prior family commitment. The main topic of discussion was how to facilitate a shared cleaning schedule of our meeting room and the cleaning of the hallways and restrooms that we share with other tenants in the building. We now have a handy sign-up for service sheet, time will tell if this is enough to remediate the matter. Though our group currently meets every other month, making it difficult to gather an informed group conscience in a timely manner, I am sure our group supports the "Right of Decision" as written in Concept III, thus allowing me to make decisions without direct group input.

Yours in service,  
Butch W.

**Henry County Group:**

**House Group:**

**Last Chance:**

**Milan:**

**Marquette:**

**New Beginnings:** Hello Everyone, the Meeting times are Monday at 6:30pm. Wednesday at 8pm, and Saturday at 2pm is the Primary Purpose Big Book Study. The A.R.M. Chapter 17 BB Run on May 18<sup>th</sup> had

a great turnout of about 40 people which is at least twice what it has been in the past few years. The 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition was a little over \$200 for the New Beginnings Group which is again record breaking and just fantastic. The Group very much appreciates all who participated and looks forward to this annual event next year. If you are available for any of our meeting times, please stop in and share your experience, strength and hope, they could really use the outside influence.

Randy C.

**Three Legacies:**

**West End:**

**Old business:** One position available:

1. Newsletter

**New business:**

7th Tradition – Checks can be mailed to the office, or donations can be made online via PayPal to [illowaintergroup@yahoo.com](mailto:illowaintergroup@yahoo.com).

All reports need to be emailed to the secretary as soon as possible if they are to be included in the Intergroup minutes.

Meeting adjourned with the Lord's Prayer.

The next business meeting will be held on **Monday, July 7 at 6:00 p.m.** on Zoom.