



Today

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Palm Beach County Intergroup Association

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FOUNDERS DAY PICNIC

Saturday, June 25th
Carlin Park - Jupiter

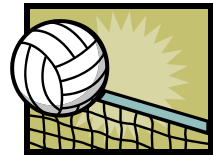
Sea Oats and Gumbo Limbo Pavilions
11am to 6pm



Kids Bounce House



**Volleyball
Tournament**
Sign up your Home Group



Bring your Family and Friends for Fun, Food, and Fellowship

\$10.00 Contribution (Kids under 10 FREE)

For Tickets or Information - Call Intergroup @ 561-655-5700
Service Volunteers needed.



Is your Group Registered?

Intergroup now has a Registrar who will email your group representative the current Minutes, Agenda, Motions, and Today.

Please contact Intergroup to register your Group

What's missing in my sobriety?

“Our real purpose is to fit ourselves to be of maximum SERVICE to God and the people about us.”

Into Action, pg 77



Gift Certificate

Palm Beach County Intergroup

The Perfect Gift !

Gift Certificates now available at the Intergroup Office.

Celebrate your years of recovery!
Join the Birthday Club

(Use form on Page 4.)



Intergroup's Purpose

To serve our associated groups in carrying the A.A. message to the still suffering alcoholic according to the principles of the Twelve Steps, Twelve Traditions, and Twelve Concepts of A.A., always remembering that our common welfare comes first.

Group Contributions

2011	YTD	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL
AFTER HOURS GROUP	\$ 984.89	\$ -	\$ 356.04	\$ 628.85	\$ -
ANONYMOUS	\$ 347.82	\$ 330.00	\$ -	\$ 17.35	\$ 0.47
BEACHCOMBER GROUP	\$ 400.00	\$ 200.00	\$ -	\$ 200.00	\$ -
CARDINAL LANE GROUP	\$ 120.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ -	\$ 40.00
CONSCIOUS CONTACT	\$ 75.00	\$ -	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00
DAYS END GROUP	\$ 90.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 90.00	\$ -
DAY OPENERS	\$ 618.89	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 618.89
DESIGN FOR LIVING	\$ 75.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 75.00
DON'T QUIT BEFORE MIRACLE	\$ 62.00	\$ 62.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
EACH DAY A NEW BEGINNING	\$ 216.00	\$ -	\$ 216.00	\$ -	\$ -
EYE OPENERS	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
FREE SPIRITED WOMEN	\$ 261.50	\$ 174.55	\$ -	\$ 86.95	\$ -
FRIENDS OF BILL W GROUP	\$ 100.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ -
GIFT OF SOBRIETY	\$ 20.00	\$ -	\$ 10.00	\$ -	\$ 10.00
GOLD COAST CANDLELIGHT	\$ 200.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200.00
GOOD GUYS GROUP	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
GOOD ORDERLY DIRECTION	\$ 309.90	\$ -	\$ 309.90	\$ -	\$ -
HAPPY HOUR, Palm Beach	\$ 500.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 500.00	\$ -
HAPPY, JOYOUS, FREE	\$ 61.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 23.00	\$ 38.00
HARMONY WOMEN'S GROUP	\$ 861.00	\$ -	\$ 861.00	\$ -	\$ -
HERE AND NOW	\$ 150.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 150.00	\$ -
HIGH NOON GROUP	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ 25.00	\$ -	\$ 75.00
HIGHER POWER GROUP	\$ 175.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 175.00
HOOED ON SOBRIETY	\$ 273.65	\$ 155.65	\$ -	\$ 18.00	\$ 100.00
ISLAND GROUP (SAT 9:00 AM)	\$ 160.00	\$ 160.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
JUPITER FARMS GROUP	\$ 508.00	\$ 324.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 184.00
JUPITER SUNRISE GROUP	\$ 2,381.61	\$ 676.17	\$ 536.30	\$ 461.68	\$ 707.46
LADIES CHOICE	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
LAKE WORTH GROUP	\$ 150.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 150.00
LAKE WORTH SERENITY GROUP	\$ 150.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 150.00
LANTANA GROUP	\$ 418.46	\$ 246.80	\$ 78.35	\$ 93.31	\$ -
LEAVES OF GOLD	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -
LIVE AND LET LIVE	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100.00
LOGGERHEAD BEACH GROUP	\$ 450.00	\$ -	\$ 450.00	\$ -	\$ -
LOOK TO THIS DAY	\$ 21.00	\$ 21.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
LOVE, FAITH & LIFE	\$ 15.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 15.00	\$ -
MEN'S FIFTH TRADITION GROUP	\$ 160.00	\$ 65.00	\$ -	\$ 70.00	\$ 25.00
MID DAY LIVE	\$ 400.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 400.00
MONDAY NIGHT MEDITATION	\$ 45.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 25.00	\$ 20.00
NEW DOWNTOWN GROUP	\$ 450.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 200.00	\$ -
NORTHWOOD GROUP	\$ 80.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 80.00
PRIMARY PURPOSE	\$ 493.50	\$ 125.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 368.50
PRIMETIME GROUP	\$ 249.37	\$ 80.00	\$ 87.50	\$ -	\$ 81.87
PROMISES PROMISES	\$ 60.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ -	\$ 20.00
RULE 62	\$ 5.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5.00
SERENITY ON THE BEACH	\$ 160.00	\$ -	\$ 160.00	\$ -	\$ -
SISTER'S IN SOBRIETY	\$ 200.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200.00	\$ -
SMOKE FREE SOBRIETY	\$ 289.39	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 289.39
SOBER SENIORS	\$ 435.00	\$ 200.00	\$ -	\$ 125.00	\$ 110.00
SOBRIETY & THUNDER	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
SOBRIETY FIRST	\$ 240.00	\$ -	\$ 120.00	\$ -	\$ 120.00
SPIRITUAL AWAKENING	\$ 131.50	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 131.50	\$ -
SUNDAY NIGHT MEDITATION	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
SWEET SERENITY	\$ 60.00	\$ -	\$ 60.00	\$ -	\$ -
THERE IS A SOLUTION	\$ 62.00	\$ 36.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 26.00
WEDNESDAY NOON BIG BOOK	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
WESTSIDE GROUP	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ -
WOMEN'S 4TH DIMENSION	\$ 64.47	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 64.47	\$ -
WOMEN'S IN SOBRIETY	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 14,690.95	\$ 3,716.17	\$ 3,605.09	\$ 3,175.11	\$ 4,194.58
CONTRIBUTING GROUPS	59	26	19	21	28

Palm Beach County Intergroup
Operating Report – 4/01/2011 - 4/30/2011

Revenues:	
Literature Sales	\$4,552.09
Sales Tax	\$278.58
Tax Exempt Sales	\$122.00
Group Contributions	\$4,194.58
Spaghetti Dinner	\$3,202.00
Today Subscriptions	\$12.00
Birthday Club Memberships	\$108.00
Meeting Basket	\$69.70
Total Revenues:	\$12,538.95

Expenses:	
Literature Purchases	\$2,663.52
Sales Tax	\$242.16
Spaghetti Dinner - Hall Rental	\$1,100.00
Spaghetti Dinner - Food	\$358.16
Spaghetti Dinner - Supplies	\$40.00
Spaghetti Dinner—Books For Raffle	\$47.70
Spaghetti Dinner - Decorations	\$26.50
Office Salary	\$2923.06
FICA & Unemployment Tax	\$274.28
Paychex (monthly fee)	\$59.00
Rent & Water	\$475.00
AT&T (Internet, Phone, Website)	\$309.45
FP&L	\$123.59
Exterminating	\$35.00
Printing	\$376.00
Office Supplies / Postage	\$242.31
Total Expenses	\$9,295.73
Monthly Surplus / (Deficit)	\$3,243.22
Checking Account Balance	\$4,238.84

Prudent Reserve Interest	0.51
Transferred to Prudent Reserve	\$3,000.00
Prudent Reserve Balance	\$16,543.15

INSTITUTIONS COMMITTEE
Operating Report 3/1/11 - 3/31/11

Beginning Balance	\$10,190.84
Income:	
Group Contributions	
After Hours Group	\$275.33
Love Faith & Life	\$15.00
Days End Group	\$90.00
Total Income	\$380.33
Expenses:	
Bank Charge	\$0.00
Big Books	\$0.00
Printing	\$22.66
Rent	\$60.00
Total Expenses	\$82.66
Monthly Profit/Loss	\$297.67
Ending Balance	10,488.51

INSTITUTIONS COMMITTEE
Operating Report 4/1/11 - 4/30/11

Beginning Balance	\$10,488.51
Income:	
Group Contributions	
Each Day A New Beginning	\$24.00
Ocean Park Meeting	\$50.00
Free Spirited Women	\$14.48
Anonymous Donation	\$10.00
Total Income	\$127.48
Expenses:	
Bank Charge	\$0.00
Big Books	\$1,346.00
Printing	\$22.69
Rent	\$60.00
Total Expenses	\$1,428.69
Monthly Profit/Loss	-\$1,301.21
Ending Balance	\$9,187.30

Tomorrow

May 20th: Archives Committee Meeting 2:00pm - 4:00pm @ Intergroup Office. All are welcome.

June 1st: Committee Chair Meeting 6:15pm @ Intergroup Office. All Welcome.

June 4th: Founders' Day Dinner 6:00pm @ Finland House, Lantana. Hosted by District 8. Tickets \$10 at Intergroup Office, More info: Ed B. 561-588-8359 or Howard C. 561-644-4904

June 4th & 5th: Big Book Study Weekend 8:30am - 4pm @ Triangle Club (Serenity Room). Big books supplied, bring pen and maybe sweater. Sponsored by the Good Morning Group. More info: Ann 772-672-1230

June 5th: Institutions Committee Meeting @ Triangle Club (4:30pm - Orientation) 5:30pm Committee Meeting.

June 8th: Intergroup Business Meeting 6:15pm @ Intergroup Office.

June 12th: Delegate's Report & Luncheon 2:00pm - 5:00pm @ Triangle Club. Hosted By District 8

June 12th: General Service, District 8 Meeting 5:00pm @ Triangle Club.

June 25th: Intergroups' Annual Founders Day Picnic 11am-6pm @ Carlin Park, Jupiter, Contact Intergroup for more details. 655-5700

July 15th - 17th: Area 15 Quarterly @ Doral, Miami. Hosted by District 10

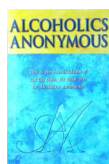
Office Activity in April

- 12 Step Requests –4
- Other program info - 46
- Institutions – 0
- Request for meeting info – 189
- Public Information – 3
- Visitors – 210
- AA Emails – 183
 - **Total Activity - 635**

Website Visits in April

- 1st time visits – 1607
- Return visits — 416
- **Total Visitors— 2023**

WELCOME NEW REPS IN APRIL !!



- Cori - Women's Tuesday Night Step
- Heather - Women's Awakening Study Group
- Claudia - Love Faith & Life
- Vicki - Central Group
- Kelly - Women's 4th Dimension
- Sandy (Alt.) Women's 4th Dimension
- Chris (Alt.) Leaves of Gold
- Brittney (Alt.) Day Opener's
- Tom - Monday Night Men's

ASL Interpreted Meetings are offered
Thursday @ 8:00 pm at the
Love, Faith & Life Group
Good Shepherd United Methodist
Church
2341 South Military Trail, WPB

*** Step 5 :**

Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being the exact nature of our wrongs.

JOIN THE BIRTHDAY CLUB!

Celebrate your years of recovery by giving a little something back!

You get:

Bill & Bob Medallion, Birthday Flyer , and
Name in the TODAY newsletter.

Complete this form and mail to:

Birthday Club, 1371 Okeechobee Road, WPB FL 33401
Or email us at: pbciaa@bellsouth.net.

\$1 per year of sobriety is the suggested donation.
(Feel free to give more!)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Email : _____

Sobriety Date: ____/____/____



DONATION: \$ _____

BIRTHDAY CLUB

★ May Celebrants ★

Robert F.	36 Years	Daniel K.	8 Years
Joyce C.	33 Years	Donna M.	3 Years
Helen B.	21 Years	Mike S.	1 Years
Karen W.	17 Years		

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*** Tradition 5:**

**Each group has but one primary purpose—
to carry its message to the alcoholic who still suffers.**

1. Do I ever cop out by saying, "I'm not a group, so this or that Tradition doesn't apply to me"?
2. Am I willing to explain firmly to a newcomer the *limitations* of AA help, even if he gets mad at me for not giving him a loan?
3. Have I today imposed on any AA member for a special favor or consideration simply because I am a fellow alcoholic?
4. Am I willing to twelfth-step the next newcomer without regard to who or what is in it for me?
5. Do I help my group in every way I can to fulfill our primary purpose?
6. Do I remember that AA old-timers, too, can be alcoholics who still suffer? Do I try both to help them and to learn from them?

*** Concept 5 :**

Throughout our world service structure, a traditional "Right of Appeal" ought to prevail, thus assuring us that minority opinion will be heard and that petitions for the redress of personal grievances will be carefully considered.

- Do we encourage the minority opinion, the "Right of Appeal", to be heard at our home group, district committee meetings, area assemblies and the Conference?
- What does our group accept as "substantial unanimity"?
- Has our group experienced the "tyranny of the majority" or the "tyranny of the minority"?

Does our group understand the importance of all points of view being heard before a vote is taken?



This Step Five may take a while; I would hate for you to fall asleep in the middle of it !

INTERGROUP MEETING
Intergroup Meeting April 13th, 2011

Call to Order: 6:22 pm

Serenity Prayer

Read 12 Traditions

Declaration of Unity: This we owe A.A.'s future: To place our common welfare first; to keep our fellowship united. For on A.A. unity depend our lives; and the lives of those to come.

Chairperson's Report: **Alex A.:** On April 2nd, Intergroup held its 7th Annual Spaghetti Dinner with old-timers Speaker panel. With over 900 years of combined sobriety sharing their experience, strength, and hope to a gathering of over 400 people, a great event was had by all. We wish to thank all who attended and supported this event and express our gratitude to our speakers and those who volunteered to make this event such a great success. Our next event will be the Annual Founders Day Picnic which will be held on June 25th at Carlin Park in Jupiter. Tickets will be available to Group Representatives at the May Intergroup Business Meeting. The Officers met this past Saturday and conducted the Annual Review of our Office Manager, Ed B.. While all of the Officers felt strongly that Ed should be given the highest pay raise possible, we felt it prudent and within our budgetary constraints to offer him a salary raise of \$38.46 per week. We thank Ed for his continued service and wish him continued success in the coming year. After some discussion regarding the state of Intergroup, we have concluded that our office computer equipment has become antiquated. Both the Chair and Chair elect met to discuss possible courses of action to address this problem, agreeing that we form an independent ad-hoc committee as the most informative and prudent path to follow and will be presented to the group tonight. Both the Alternate Chair and Treasure have been excused for personal and business reasons; therefore, the Chair will be giving both reports. We still have service positions available and if you desire to stand, but do not fulfill the requirements, please stand and a group census will be taken to waive the requirement not fulfilled. All service positions elected last month and tonight will be seated next month at our regular business meeting to be held on May 11th. In love and service, Alex A.-Chair.

Welcome New Representatives: Cori/Women's Tuesday Night Step, Heather/Women's Awakening Study Group, Claudia/Love Faith and Life, Vicki/Central Group, Kelly/Women's Fourth Dimension, Sandy (Alternate)/Women's Fourth Dimension, Chris/Leaves of Gold, Brittney (Alternate)/ Day Opener's, Tom/ Monday Night Men's.

Vice Chair's Report: **Steve Y.:** (absent) (Read in to minutes by Chair) We wish to thank all who attended and supported this year's Annual Spaghetti Dinner with old-timers Speaker panel and express our gratitude to our speakers and those who volunteered to make this event such a great success. Our next event will be the Annual Founders Day Picnic which will be held on June 25th at Carlin Park in Jupiter.

Treasurer's Report: **Henry M.:** (absent) (Read in to minutes by Chair) Our monthly revenue for March 2011 was \$10,844.70 and expenses were \$8,441.55 leaving a surplus 2,403.15. Our Checking Account balance was \$3,995.62. We were able to transfer \$1,500.00 into our Prudent Reserve Account bringing that balance up to \$13,542.64 which is still below the \$22,200.00 prudent reserve requirement by \$8,657.36. Our revenue in March 2010 was \$15,832.80 and expenses were \$14,065.07 leaving a surplus of \$1,767.73 at that time. Although this report seems to say that we aren't doing as well financially this year, it isn't so, as the Spaghetti Dinner was held in March 2010 which allowed us to reflect proceeds from that event in the March 2011 Report. The dinner wasn't held until April this year and most of the actual revenues will not show up until the May 2011 meeting. In actuality we are doing better this year as our surplus is greater by \$635.42. The Prudent Reserve balance was \$2,000.15 at that time well below the requirement in 2010. A \$1,200.00 drop in Group Contributions this year as opposed to 2010 is also reflected in the revenue difference. The drastic difference in expenses was mainly caused by a payment of \$3,972.24 to the IRS. Through continued service, diligence, and prudence we are continuing to operate with a sense of purpose and stability at our office. It is at this time that I would like to thank all of you for allowing me to be of service and bearing with my absence at our business meetings. In Love & Service, Henry M.

Secretary's Report: **Claudia D.:** Accepted as posted in the Today.

Office Manager's Report: **Ed B.:** The total office activity for March was 628 compared to 765 last year; which was a decline of 137. Most of the decline was in the area meeting information calls & emails. The website visits for March 2,663. This is an increase of 328 over last year. The number of first time visitors was 2,156 and the return visitors were 507. The Intergroup Office hours are Monday through Friday 9am – 5pm, and Saturday 9:30am – 1:30pm. If you would like to volunteer at the Intergroup Office please call the office at: 561.655.5700. Currently we have full staff of volunteers, but we could always use back-up volunteers. We have the new “Where & When's” for sale in the Intergroup Office. However, if there are any errors or omissions, please email them to: whereandwhen@aa-palmbeachcounty.org. This information is on the website under the heading: Committees. Also, the New Group Form and the Group Change Form are on the website in fillable PDF format. So now you can them to make any changes to Group information, save the changes on your computer, and email the changes to the Intergroup Association. There was some discussion at the Standing Committee Meeting regarding Group Contributions and “pie charts.” All of this is explained in the pamphlet, “Self-Support: Where Money and Spirituality Mix,” a free pamphlet provided by AAWS. Also, if you need to purchase any literature, see me after the meeting. If you have any ticket money from the Spaghetti Dinner or unsold tickets, you can turn those in to me after the meeting. In love and service, Ed B. Office Manager.

INTERGROUP MEETING

Intergroup Meeting April 13th, 2011 (Minutes Continued)

General Service/ Intergroup Liaison: Matt J.: The April General Service Representative meeting was held at the Triangle Club on Sunday, April 10th, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. Due to the lengthy agenda, there was no GSR sharing this month. The main focus of the meeting was to complete discussion of the thirteen items that are on the agenda for the General Service Conference committees. The representatives discussed the proposals for: CPC (Cooperating with the Professional Community), Finance, Corrections, Grapevine, Literature, PI (Public Information), Trustees, Archives, International Conventions and Regional Forums. GSR chairperson, Cathy M., gave her report and informed the membership that the May GSR meeting has been changed to May 15th. Alternate Chairperson, Ed B., gave his report and announced the "Founders Day" dinner will be held on June 4th at the Finland House. Treasurer, Kevin D., gave the financial report. Copies of the aforementioned reports and documents were made available for all attendees. Please see me after the meeting if you would like to view the Financial Statement or see a copy of the Agenda Items for the General Service Conference Committees. Flyers for the "Founders Day" dinner are also available. In love and service, Matt Jensen-Intergroup/GSR Liaison.

South County Intergroup Liaison: Gary B.: Cheryl called the meeting to order with the Serenity Prayer. Office Manager Pam presented the proposed 2011 budget of approximately 127,000. The group inventory questions were tabled for this month. Intergroup Picnic tickets are still available. The remaining 2 fundraisers are the serenity Scramble in October--a group is needed to put the event on--and the Gratitude Dinner in November which will be chaired by The Women Living Sober Group. Jim, Group Information Committee, is in need of volunteers in Boca to attend meetings there to get group contact information. The Telephone Relay Committee needs group to volunteers for September through December. The H&I Committee needs women volunteers. The BTG motion to send a letter of introduction to Treatment Centers explaining the purpose of the BTG Committee passed. The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Archives Committee Liaison: Nick F.: I attended the Spaghetti/Long-Timers Panel Meeting. A booth was set up by General Service Archivist Claudia M. and myself with the 3 archivists working together. An Archives Workshop is scheduled for May. Details will be in the May Today. Any AA members who wish to donate AA archive material, contact the Intergroup office or click on the hyperlink on the Intergroup website, Committees, then Archives Liaison. Thank you.

Committee Reports:

1. Public Information: (open) Martina R.: 1 Email contact to set up a speaking engagement.

2. 12 Step List: (Nancy-Elect): Nick F.: Approx. 120 volunteers from within the Association. All is well. I thank the Association for the opportunity to serve. **Nancy:** Updating. Two women are helping, and made many more phone calls. Increased from 39 to 46 men, and from 63 women to 70 women.

3. Website Committee: Larry M.: Updated name of the Sharing Committee. Created flyer for the Old Timers Spaghetti Dinner and posted on website.

4. Phone Volunteer: Luiz C.: There have been a couple of problems regarding phone forwarding on the shifts, but I have been contacting the volunteers to rectify the situation and, hopefully, prevent this from happening again. Also, there are two shifts that have open: Sunday 6am -10am, and Sunday 10am -2pm. If anyone is interested in taking either shift, please contact me at (561) 827-5168, or through e-mail: scimitar2127@hotmail.com. Wish all a great month!

5. Today: (open) Mark P.: Enjoy this month's Today.

6. B-day Club/Today Subscription: Pat D.: I had a transition meetings with Denis on 4/1/11. We reviewed the current form used for new subscribers and identified things that should be changed: there is no specific reference to a city or a zip code. Also, Denis is curious as to how we get people to send requests for renewals. He suggested getting everyone's e-mail addresses because it costs a postage stamp to send them a reminder. I provided him with the list of Today subscribers, and have given him labels for the next few months' mailings.

7. Website Committee: Trish.: No Report

8. Group Contact Committee: Robert C.: Has been making phone calls. Has been to about 10-15 different meetings.

9. Bridging the Gap: Ashley N: I had eleven bridge the gaps for March: Eight were bridges for people leaving the area, one for a person arriving home from outside the area, and two were bridges for people leaving a local rehab and going to a Halfway House. Thank you.

10. Where and When Committee: Meredith: About 500 Copies left of Where and When, and it's important to fill out the form in order to update meetings.

11. Institutions: Wendy S.: Your Institutions Committee currently brings 96 meetings a week to 36 facilities. We had 8 new volunteers this month. There are still plenty of opportunities for all interested in this rewarding service work. Plan to attend our regular meeting at the Triangle Club on Sunday, May 1st. Orientation for new members is at 4:30 pm followed by the full committee meeting at 5:00 pm. New volunteers need to have six months of continuous sobriety and will observe 2 meetings in facilities prior to active service. Hope to see you in May.

Unfinished Business: None

New Business: Elections. New Chairs will stand in May. Any positions not filled will have "open" next to the name.