

PACE

“Positive Action Changes Everything”

The Mid-Hudson Intergroup Newsletter

August/September 2010



At the July Intergroup meeting, it was decided to plan a weekend retreat for Spring 2011 for a Big Book study. Watch for more details on our website.

12th Step Suggestion to groups: Keep old phone lists and call members that haven't been at the meeting for awhile, on the 12th of the month.

SURRENDERING LEADS TO THE PROMISES

Saturday, August 29, 2010
9:30am – registration
10am – 3pm program
Woodridge Municipal Building
Woodridge, ny

Bring your lunch,
beverages provided.

Suggested Donation \$6
(If you can't pay, don't stay away.)

For more info call Robin 434-7330
or download flyer:
<http://midhudsonoa.org/flyer-20100829-minithon.pdf>

DONATIONS:

NewPaltz(Wed)	\$30.00
NewPaltz(Mon)	60.00

We appreciate group donations to Intergroup. They are the main income we have to pay for the hotline, website fee and other expenses. We also use them to send our representative to World Service Business Conference.

Contact information:

Website: www.midhudsonoa.org
Hotline: 845-657-6603
Meeting changes: 845-783-5715
Chair (Hilda) :845-226-4769

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Aug 29	SummerMinithon
Sept 11	Intergroup meeting
Oct 8	Region6 Assembly
Oct 22-24	Region6 Convention
Nov 20	IDEA Day

MINUTES - Mid Hudson OA Intergroup Meeting
Family of New Paltz, New Paltz, NY, July 10, 2010

Opening: The meeting was opened by Hilda @ 1:05pm with the serenity prayer, 12 steps, traditions 7&8 and concepts of service 7&8. Sign in sheet was circulated for attendance and contact information.

Attendees: Hilda-Chairperson Rica-Treasurer Dexter- Webmaster
 Madeline- Corresponding Secretary Evangelyn-Recording Secretary
 Mary Ellen- Special Events Chair Ronnie-Fishkill

The agenda was reviewed and approved.

Minutes of the May meeting were reviewed and approved.

Officer Reports

Treasurer Report: Will be presented at next Intergroup meeting.

Corresponding Secretary: Poughkeepsie Monday night meeting changed from 7:00pm to 7:15pm. There is a new meeting on Thursday mornings in Warwick.

Committee Reports:

Special Events: The May retreat was a huge success. Feedback was extremely positive and a detailed report was submitted by Mary Ellen for all to review. Planning has begun for next years retreat. Possible dates include May 13-15 or 20-22. Group conscience established *Big Book* as the topic. Dexter will check on a *Big Book* study speaker for the next retreat. Also discussed the possibility of a workshop focusing on applying principles of OA to relationships – Mary Ellen to follow up with Mary Rose regarding a date.

Professional Outreach/PI-The group received an anonymous donation from an OA member of a computer that can be used to play DVD's for public outreach.

Seventh Tradition- \$13 was collected

Old Business

See Special Events above for information on May retreat.

New Business

August mini-thon date has been changed to Sunday August 29th from 10-2pm at Woodridge Municipal Building to accommodate any members that observe Saturday as the Sabbath.

Middletown Sunday meeting at Orange Regional Medical center is in need of support.

Meeting adjourned at 2:15 pm with serenity prayer. Minutes were recorded by Evangelyn and are subject to approval at next business meeting on September 11, 2010.