

## SECRETARY REPORT MARCH 8, 2020

The ASC meeting of March 8, 2020 opened at 3:30pm with the 12 Traditions followed by the Serenity Prayer, the 12 Concepts for Service and the definition of an ASC.

In **Open Forum** Jimmy brought up that burnt spoons had been found in the plumbing of the church and church officials had what they believed to be a drug deal caught on their security cameras and that the people responsible were identifiable. They would like us to handle the situation internally and chose not to prosecute. There was some discussion and the groups involved agreed to be more diligent.

The **Secretary Report** of February was read and approved.

**Roll call** was taken. 30 of 43 groups were present.

**RCM** had no report as RCM meeting is held next week as well as the GSR Assembly at the Sheraton in Brandon.

Wanda reported 2587.81 in the **Literature** account.

**H & I** reported that they have been unable to contact facilities that had requested a meeting and the Salvation Army women's meeting has been canceled. It was pointed out that these were situations that H&I should handle in conjunction with PR.

Craig, **PR** chair relayed that Drs. Hospital claims to have no room for a meeting. PR will be doing a presentation this month at Manatee School of Nursing. The Chair stated that if anyone knew of a place that could potentially hold meetings to bring the suggestions to Craig as this is the role of PR,

**Rack** has filled the existing racks in Manatee County.

Mike, **I.T.** reported the website has been restored to 100% functionality. As for the meeting lists, he's increased the spacing which seems to make them a little easier to read and recommends we stay with this as it conforms with the World BMO.

Jack read the **Treasurers report** which will be included in a separate document. He did announce that the literature prices have officially changed and if anyone has old forms please destroy them and use the new form.

**Newsletter** announced all three of the submissions have been published in the latest edition and new submissions are welcome.

**Activities** made a final announcement regarding the Chili cook off beginning at 6pm March 11, 2020, reminded everyone of the successful bowling event that is ongoing. The t-shirt contest will be judged at Area Services next month on April 5. Activities has managed to keep the cost of the shirts to \$10. Bay Area has invited the Suncoast to Unity Day on May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Look for upcoming flyer.

**Policy** chair Michael is still looking for a co-chair. Requirements can be found in our current area policy, available on the Suncoast NA website.

**GSR O&M** reminded everyone to fill out their report forms before turning them in.

GSR's were invited to read their reports or turn them in. No one chose to read.

### **Old Business**

Kate O nominated Kimberly S for co-secretary.

Roll was taken before a vote, 31 of 43 groups were present or represented.

Kimberly was elected as co-secretary with no opposition.

Plans for next ASC meeting were set for April 5 due to a conflict with Easter. Also, the May meeting will be held on the first Sunday because of Mothers Day.

The meeting was closed at 4:35pm with a closing prayer.

