AREA 67 CPC COMMITTEE MEETING UNOFFICIAL MINUTES, August 31, 2015 (September Meeting)

Open Meeting: Serenity Prayer, 7:30 pm, meeting was held on this date due to Labor Day

Introductions: Betsy G., Jim L., Michelle H., Richard G., Rick M., Vern P.

<u>12 Traditions – September:</u> Kate E. unable to attend, not read

12 Traditions-October:

Pamphlet Review:

- September- "Members of the Clergy Ask About Alcoholics Anonymous" –Troy B. was unable to attend, so we will fit this pamphlet in where we can
- October- "Alcoholics Anonymous in Your Community" –Rick M.
- November- "Three Talks to Medical Societies by Bill W." Betsy G.
- December- "Let's Be Friendly with Our Friends"- Michelle H.

<u>CPC Committee Purpose:</u> Cooperation with the Professional Community Committee Workbook - page 5: Rick M.

Secretary's Report: August minutes accepted as corrected.

<u>Treasurer's Report:</u> \$37.50 for literature. \$100 for 2015 Rent.

<u>Chairperson's Report:</u> 08.08.15 D31 Service Job Fair Workshop at Kingwood Club. Successful event where small groups were rotating among the service committees, the chairperson's were able to explain what the committee's do & how members can participate in committee work. Rick will follow up with the District to try & encourage participation while it is still fresh. Vern P. gave his first presentation to the Rotary Club with Rick M. and it was a successful opportunity. Rick M. also gave a presentation to the Intergroup Trustees & Delegates & received several member's contact information for potential participation. Rick was surprised at the lack of knowledge at the Intergroup level regarding SETA & District information. This might be an area that we can truly bring in some cooperation & unity

District Reports:

- D20- no report
- D32- met on 08.10.15, 2 new members, created a list of action items, counseled with D40 on how to create databases for outreach, presentations & mail outs
- D40 met on 08.22.15, reaching out to the High Schools & joining in the Area PI "Adopt a High School" program. D40 has a large High School database & will decide how many big books can be bought with budget
- D51- no report
- D52 no report
- D81- remains active in committee work, presentation to the DWI court with a good response from the judge with a potential presentation available on the 5th Wednesday of the month
- D82- 1 new member, Jim L. is interested in reaching out to the clergy in D82, a database will be created for a future mail out

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Upcoming Events:

- CFC Conference, September 12th- Vern P. will deliver the display to Betsy G., who will cover the event. Rick informed Betsy G. of the Sugarland Prison Chaplin that will be there for Betsy to meet & potentially set up a presentation opportunity via Roy E. CFC member
- PI/CPC Conference, September 25-26, 2015, Corpus Christie
- Spectrum Health Fair, October 02, 2015- Rick M. & Darren M. will cover this event

<u>Unfinished/Ongoing Business:</u>

- District Visitation D20 to help support Darren M., D31 to follow up on Service Job Fair, D51 for more info on October presentation
- Contact with Harris County Constable Al Rosen-Rick M. has the contact information & will proceed with the outreach
- Mail Out to Probation & Parole Departments (Waller County)- all materials are prepared & the envelopes just need to be stuffed & then it will be mailed out this week
- PI/CPC Telephone line/Answering Service- Kate E. has handled a PI call, at this date there have not been any CPC messages, 3-4 calls total since the line has been up & running
- Public Web Access for SETA PI/CPC & IT Committee Visit Updates- Vern P. is still working on this
 project. More should be accomplished this week & he will have more to report at the Area PI
 meeting & next month's meeting. The PI/CPC page can still be up & available without interfering
 with the Area website
 - http://www.aa-seta.org/committees/cpc/Professionals/index.shtml
- D51 Caring & Sharing Group Presentation- Panel format or Truth or Dare format, possibly joining forces with the Area PI Committee, 10.24.15, more details after D51 visit
- Secretary Position: OPEN
- Alternate Chair Position: OPEN

New Business:

None

<u>CPC Workbook Study:</u> Begin with "Anonymity" on p. 9 Great summary of anonymity not just for CPC but for the fellowship as a whole, Rick M. mentioned the pamphlet "Understanding Anonymity" to further study, End on pg. 11

Announcements: (Go-To-Meeting Available for the Area Meetings)

- The District 32 CPC Committee Meeting, September 14th, 7:00 pm
- The Area PI Committee Meeting, September 21st, 7:15 pm, Council
- The District 40 PI/CPC Committee Meeting, September 26th, 1:00 pm, SBMC
- The District 52 CPC Committee Meeting, September 27th, 6:15 pm
- The Area CPC Committee Meeting, October 3rd, 4:30 pm, Assembly

Close Meeting: Responsibility Statement, 8:30 pm