

PIEDMONT INTERGROUP MEETING MINUTES
March 12, 2022 @ 9:30 AM – Zoom

OA – Piedmont Intergroup meeting March 12, 2022

9:30am called to order by Maureen

Susan W. outgoing WSO Rep. and IG rep for WSBC delegate, Thurs Big Book)	Alice – Web & 7am Monday	Nancy J – 1pm Tues Spiritual
Jose – IG Vice Chair	Carol – Tue Cornelius meeting, meeting list and outreach	Nettie – 4pm Charlotte
Steve – IG Treasurer	Jim C. – 7am Friday meditation	Stacey – Tuesday 10am recovery from relapse
Stephanie – IG Secretary	Miona – Morris Friday abstinence meeting 12pm	Kelly H. – Lincolnton Group
Maureen – Intergroup Chair	Marilyn – Wed 10:30 Charlotte	Susan B. – Ex Officio
Kathy M from Lake Wylie Thur 6:45 pm		

Maureen opened the meeting at 9:30am with the Serenity Prayer

New Business to be Added to “New Business”
Region 8 Assembly for Spring 2023
Approval of the minutes
Approval of the minutes. Motion approved, and seconded.
Treasurer’s report
Account Balance: \$5,328.00 February Income: \$180.91 February Expenses: \$374.49 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• WSO: \$81.30• SOAR: \$27.10 Expenses for next month <ul style="list-style-type: none">• WSO – 30% of income• SOAR – 10% of income The Wednesday 10:30 meeting is staying on zoom so they are to donate their funds to Piedmont Intergroup. Other groups who are zoom only are asking to check with their members to see if they too would like to donate their funds if they are no longer needed.
Meeting List Report
2 new 17-week programs have started. <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. 6am Eastern - Tuesdaysb. 1pm Eastern - Tuesdays Maybe another on a weekend this summer. Alice encouraged people to share the information.

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Refer people to Alice, and link is on the Events page on the Piedmont IG website. Also on the mailing list of the emails.

Action → Stephanie adds the names that would like to be added.

Website Report

Alice believes the website is up to date. Would like to reserve \$1,000 for website updates. Possibly have time this summer to relook at the website. Could give a rough cost this summer.

What is in the budget? Believe that it's currently \$600.00 then \$60.00 a month. Not officially.

Alice made a motion to add a line item to reserve in the budget for web development for \$1,000 and was seconded by Miona and approved. **Vote passed as unanimous.**

Alice would like to look at the website and make recommendations. No decision has been made to transition that onto someone else. But good to have a back-up.

Steve asked if Alice is willing to continue? Yes, but doesn't have the bandwidth right now.

Group Outreach

Carol - Nothing to report

SOAR Region 8

Since WSBC delegate and Region 8 representatives are no longer board positions, someone from the board can fill those positions. Stacey asked Susan B if there is a lot of follow up after the Assembly. Susan B said it depends on the committee you are on. Stacey volunteered to be Region 8 representative.

World Service Office Report

Maureen indicated that there is still a rep needed for WSO.

Susan W. sent in the agenda questionnaire from the IG. Asked if they extended the deadline?

Application for delegate, was this extended? Susan B. said registration is still open. Susan W. encouraged people to participate and consider.

Old Business

WS Representative deadline – Alice will not be able to fill role. New delegate deadline is March 31st.

Susan B. will look into Region 8 deadlines for assembly.

New Business

Website report. Steve is trying to work with Justin and there is a PayPal account. The PayPal is the last thing for him to investigate. There are links that can be used to facilitate payments.

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There are also other programs like Zelle.

Region 8 – Spring Region assembly for 2023. Need to talk about this, should we have a meeting? This is a one-time event like the one in April that is being hosted by Memphis.

Susan B. concerned with the volunteer for the committees and cannot even get a WS representative.

Kelly H. concerns about being asked to continually being asked to do more service. Alice said that conventions are great for people's recovery. Charlotte is a great place to hold assembly because of ease of travel.

Action: Stacey M. would like to be the SOAR 8 representative.

Please go to meetings and ask if people would like to host 2023 **← Action**, talk again next month.

Maureen asked is anyone is interested in being on a retreat committee at Christ Mount. Stacey and Alice are interested and can reach out to Richard and Christ Mount.

Maureen asked that IG reps go back to groups and ask if anyone is interested in being Event chair and if a group wants to host the summer social which would be in May.

Upcoming Dates

- Region 8 assembly – April 1st – 3rd virtually
- World Service business conference April 25th – 30th – this is virtual now.

NEXT MEETING

Next meeting is April 9 @ 9:30am

Maureen called for the meeting to be adjourned at 10:19am closing with the Serenity Prayer.

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- I. **OPENING – Serenity Prayer**
- II. **ATTENDANCE - Introductions/Roll Call**
- III. **CHAIR MOMENT**
 - A. Agenda Review/Revisions – any new business items
 - a. **STEP 3** – Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God as we understood Him.
 - b. **TRADITION 3** – The only requirement for OA membership is a desire to stop eating compulsively.
 - c. **CONCEPT 3** – The right of decision, based on trust, makes effective leadership possible.
 - B. Approval of Minutes
- IV. **STANDING REPORTS**
 - A. Treasurers Report
 - B. Info Line Report (remove this)
 - C. Meeting List Report
 - D. Website Report
 - E. Group Outreach
 - F. SOAR8 Region
 - G. WSO Report
- V. **OLD BUSINESS**
 - A. New World Service Delegate – Alice will not be available for WSBC. Deadline has passed to register
 - B. March 25th is deadline to register for Region 8 Assembly which is April 1st
- VI. **NEW BUSINESS**
 - A. Website Report - Alice S.
- VII. **7th Tradition**
- VIII. **Upcoming Dates**
 - A. 4/01/2022 Region 8 assembly
 - B. 4/25/2022 – 4/30/2022, World Service Business Conference – virtual now.
- IX. **Next Intergroup meeting**
 - A. April 9th, 2022, 9:30am
- X. **VISITOR/NEWCOMER QUESTIONS**
- XI. **CLOSING – Serenity Prayer**