

Ozark Area Minutes 9/18/16

Group Reports:

Stray Katz: Hello Area, I'm Chuck, asst GSR for Stray Katz. We're located at 24706 St. Hwy 171 in Webb City. Our meetings are non-smoking every Saturday at 6pm. There is a book study the first Saturday of every month and we celebrate birthdays on the month. The meeting has group ranging from 10-30 addicts every weekend. We have no donation at this time. In loving service. Thank you! Chuck D.

Straightline: Hello Ozark Area, My name is Amber I'm the GSR of Straightline group of Narcotics Anonymous. We meet Tuesday at 9pm, Thursday at 8pm, and Saturday at 8pm. Our 7th Annual Birthday Bash is October 15th. We will eat between 5-6. Speaker will be Patrick from Springfield at 7pm. We have a \$40 donation today. In loving service, Amber K.

Point Of Turning: Hello Ozark Area, My name is Tina serving as GSR for the Point of Turning group in Ed Dorado Springs. We have 6 meetings a week and are as follows: Mon, Tues, and Fri at 7pm, Wed at 8:30 pm, and Thurs 8 pm, and Sunday at 5pm. Meetings are located at the bottom of the park corner on spring and main street. We are averaging 8-10 addicts per meeting. We have 2 birthdays this month. Toni celebrating 2 years, and Sara celebrating 1. Everyone is welcome to join us for our monthly fellowship potluck and speaker meeting the first Sunday of this month. For our donation this month we have \$10. Thanks for letting me be of service. Tina.

Native American: Hello Ozark Area, My name is Bobbie and I'm an addict. Native American is a non-smoking or vaping meeting held at the Alano Club on Mondays here in Joplin. Our birthday night is the last Monday of the month, and we have no birthdays this month. Our speaker for October is Samantha A. and that will be the 2nd Monday of the month. We're averaging 40 addicts and we have no donation at this time. In loving Service, Bobbie M.

Miracles: Hello Ozark Area, I'm Ed an addict serving as Alt. GSR for the miracles group of Narcotics Anonymous. We meet every Friday at 6:30 PM at 2231 Annie Baxter Joplin, Mo. We are anywhere from 10-80 addicts in attendance and lots of newcomers. Meri S. will be celebrating 10 years on 9/23/06. We have a \$20 donation. In loving service Ed H.

Living Clean: We meet Monday and Wednesday at 6:30 pm and Saturday at 9:3 am. Attendance has been 8-20 people. We are a new group. \$10 donation.

Fifth Tradition: Good Afternoon Ozark Area. My name is Lynette serving as GSR for Fifth Tradition. Our meetings are held at 1831 S. Connor Ave. in Joplin Mo. Every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 6:30-7:30pm. Our business meetings are held the Monday prior to area. Birthday night is the last Tuesday of the month and speaker meeting is the last Thursday of the month. Attendance is great. We have a \$20 donation this month. Megan S. is celebrating 1 year, and Alan F. is celebrating 10 mo. Fifth traditions is having our annual Halloween Dance. It will be held October 29 at the Salvation Army in Joplin Mo. Doors open at 6. \$3 at the door, or \$5 a couple. Karen H. will be our guest speaker.

But Do It: Hello Ozark Area, Samantha, Addict. But do it meets at 6:30 Wednesday at 414 Virginia. This is an open meeting. The last Wednesday of the month is birthday night. We have 3 birthdays this month. Rick W. with 2 years, Samantha A. with 1 year, and Becky M with 22 years. We have a \$40 donation today. In loving service, Samantha A.

Against All Odds: Hello Ozark Area, Addict Chad, serving as alternate GSR for Against All Odds group in Pittsburg, KS. We averaged 11 addicts at our Thursday and Sunday night meeting. The date for our annual Turkey Bowling is set for Nov. 12. Flyers will be ready for October area. This month on birthday night we will be celebrating Nicole C. with 4 years, and Darlene from Joplin will be speaking on September 25 at 6:30 pm. At the Hover Cole center at 3003 n. Joplin st in Pittsburg Ks. We do not have a donation at this time. In loving service. Chad H.

SERVICE COMMITTEE REPORTS:

AASC: Hello Ozark Area, My name is Kim, serving as AASC Interim chair. We discussed the chili cookoff, it will be held at the Life Impact Church 23rd and Annie Baxter November 19th. Regarding HOLP it will be August 25-27 of 2017. We came up with the theme and art work for the picnic, more will be revealed. Also, Lynette will be the speaker for the chili cook off. ILS, Kim S.

Literature: Hello Ozark area, there is not a lot to report. I have been talking to Mike Percell and he has been talking to 2 other areas about things that are happening in their areas. We will all be getting together at Regionals in October. If anyone is interested in the literature subcommittee you can contact me at 417-365-0619. Thank you. Sandee H.

PR: Hello, my name is Amber serving as the PR chair person. Our meeting opened in the usual manner 12 traditions and 12 concepts, and the PR statement. This is my last month as the PR chair. We nominated Viki M. as PR chair. We have several positions open such as vice chair, and outreach. The newsletter is still going strong, and September is still coming together. Thank you so much for letting me be of service. This past year has been such a blessing and the committee has changed my life. I am so grateful to have been a part of.

Regional: Hello Ozark area, I'm Meri, and addict- grateful for the opportunity to be of service to this area. I don't have a lot to report today but I hope everyone had a chance to discuss and vote on the regional resumes in their home group business meetings. I will be taking your votes to the show me regional meeting next month. Also, if you have any upcoming events and would like me to take flyers- there are 19 groups in our region-so I will need 19 flyers. Also, I would like to reiterate the fact that our region has a Yahoo group that is accessible to anyone in our region. There you will find our regions minutes, agendas, and reports. Currently we are working on going to the guidelines, looking for the typos, grammar errors, and changes that were voted on and passed but have not been formally added to the guidelines. That's all for now, thanks for letting me be of service! ILS, Meri H.