

## OASC 6/22/08

### Submitted for approved by OASC Chair

Ozark Area met at 618 S. Jackson, Joplin MO w/ Miracles hosting

Meeting opened at 1:15pm w/ Serenity Prayer

Roll Call read (Chair over-looked reading of Traditions & Concepts)

**Officers Present:** Chair (Shelie V), Treasurer (Jackee C) RCM (David B)

**Officers Absent:** Secretary (1), Website Coordinator (only required quarterly)

**Officers Vacant:** OASC Vice Chair

**Subcommittee Chairs Present:** AASC (Shavett G), Interim H&I (Don S)

**Subcommittee Chairs Absent:** PI (2)

**Subcommittee Chairs Vacant:** Literature Review & Outreach

**Groups Present:** But Do It (Becky M), Miracles (James L), Point Of Turning (Tina P), Spiritual Principles (Chrys B) Survivors (Jacob L), We Do Recover (Doug B)

**Groups Absent:**

**Groups Inactive:** Together In Unity (2), Butterflies Are Free (4)

**Quorum (6 of 7 active groups):** Yes

**Recognition of New Groups:** None

**Additions or corrections to last month's minutes:** several were listed - corrections will be made and approved May minutes will be redistributed to email recipients and website coordinator

**Motion to accept May minutes with correction:** Accepted

**Additions or corrections to Agenda:** None

### ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

**Chair Report:** Greetings Fellow Addicts:

Welcome to our June OASC Meeting. It is good to be here with you today and to be a part of NA service. Thank you all for being here today. I did attend the H&I subcommittee meeting last weekend. I was not able to attend the AASC meeting earlier today since it was rescheduled. I am not aware of a PI subcommittee meeting that has taken place. I did speak with Jimmy Q from Butterflies Are Free who asked me to give his contact information to area for

minutes to be mailed to him. Jimmy also reported to me yesterday that he has been having trouble with McDonald County jail meetings now for about 5 months. He said for 3 months no one came out to attend the meeting. Then one week about 6 men attended. And now the past 2 months there has been no attendance again. Jimmy reported that he is going into the jail alone. I suggested he contact the H&I subcommittee for support and stop going in alone. I want to remind everyone that our area is hosting the July Regional Assembly. As I reported in April, 2 rooms have been reserved for July 11-13 at the Best Western in Columbia MO (one room is a smoking room/one is non-smoking), and the confirmation numbers have been given to our treasurer. Let's get on with today's business. ILS, Shelie V

**Ozark Area Treasurer's Report  
JUNE 2008  
(Meeting of May 24, 2008)**

Balance.....	\$1097.33	Balance ending May 24 <sup>th</sup> area report
Total Deposits.....	\$ 190.00	Donations and credits given in May 24 <sup>th</sup> meeting
Total Expenses.....	\$ 85.95	Expenses since May 24 <sup>th</sup> report and last meeting
Current Balance.....	\$1201.38	Balance as of June 22 <sup>nd</sup> 2008 meeting
<b>DONATIONS</b>		<b>EXPENSES</b>
Point of Turning.....	\$ 20.00	\$ 15.00 HOLC/May Mtg/Ck#1533
But Do It.....	\$ 70.25	\$ 54.95 Freedom Voice/Ck#1534
Survivor's.....	\$ 100.00	\$ 15.00 HOLC/June Mtg/Ck#1535
		\$ 1.00 Bank Charges
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS...</b>	<b>...\$ 190.00</b>	<b>\$ 85.95 TOTAL EXPENSES</b>

In Loving Service, Jackee C. Area Treasurer

**SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**

**AASC:** Greetings Ozark Area:

The AASC met Sunday June 22<sup>nd</sup> at the HOLC. Most of the sub-committee members were present, and we are on agenda for this year's picnic. After

putting the program together for the picnic, we decided that 2 workshops will suffice. All of the speakers are nailed down, and everything is going as planned. The AASC will meet Saturday July 5<sup>th</sup> & Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> both at 9am at the High On Life Club. Groups please announce we are taking donations for briskets for the picnic. ILS, Shavett

### H&I:

I would like to say that everything is going well with H&I at Ozark Center, Lafayette & Jasper County Jail. Pete I is our new Liaison for the Ozark Center, Don G & David D are still trying to get a meeting into Joplin jail. We talked about having a workshop at the High On Life Picnic. Loving Service, Don S

### Group Reports

#### But Do It: Greetings:

But Do IT meets Wed. at 6:30 at 414 Virginia. We have had good attendance at our meetings and invite all who have not checked out our "new" location to do so. We have scheduled our annual Can't Put A Price On Recovery Picnic in the Park for Saturday, August 23. We will begin at noon, food will be served around 1 and the speaker will be at 2. We have asked Todd from Kansas City to come share with us. We are having some t-shirts made this year and are looking for a design from members of the fellowship. Deadline is Wednesday July 30 and can be submitted at our meeting or given to a home group member. I have fliers for the picnic and the design contest. Please announce in your groups. We have a \$56 donation this month. In Loving Service, Becky M. GSR But Do It

#### Miracles:

I am an addict named James alternate GSR for Miracles group. We have meetings on Fridays at 6:30pm. We have an average of 50 people for attendance. Our Camp Out is Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>, & 6<sup>th</sup> of '08 in Pineville MO, Big Elk Camp & Canoe. Registration will cover meal on Sat. Hope you come. Love to have your support. Sorry to say we have no donations at this time. In Loving Service, James L.

**Point Of Turning:** Hello Ozark Area Family:

Our group still meets in the park, on the corner of Spring & Main St. we meet at the gazebo instead of the meeting room during summer months, weather permitting. Monday and Saturdays are at noon, these meetings are growing but we still need support. Tuesdays @ 7pm & Thursdays @ 8pm. All are open meetings. We do not have a donation this month due to purchasing books for book study meeting.

ILS, Tina P

**Spiritual Principles:** Hello Area:

Meetings are going well. We meet Sun. & Wed. at 9:30am. Our campout went well. We have no donation at this time. We do however plan on holding the 6<sup>th</sup> annual old time campout there next year. In Loving Service, Chrys B

**Survivors:** Hello Area:

Survivors meets Monday through Saturday at noon. We will not be able to make a donation due to no treasurer at the business meeting. Everything is going well. In Loving Service, Jacob L.

**We Do Recover:** Greetings Area from We Do Recover:

We've had a slow month with slightly smaller than average meeting attendance. We have Freedom Day @ Landreth Park 12<sup>th</sup> of July at 2pm. Robin speaks at 4pm. We have no donation this month. In Loving Service, Doug B.

### **SHARING SESSION**

- AASC is still looking for one more workshop idea for the HOLP.
  - H&I will be doing a workshop at the High On Life Picnic
- Chair mentioned that during our March Area meeting members asked Webmaster to submit a brief paragraph of Website Coordinator requirements

including clean time, length of term, and expected duties to be discussed and submitted to groups for approval to be included in area guidelines.

- OASC members briefly discussed the idea of the OASC hosting the area meeting each month rather than alternating groups at one location in order to alleviate confusion. This could be a pot luck meeting each month. Groups were asked to discuss this with group members to see how they feel about the idea in order to present a motion in new business if decided.

#### OLD BUSINESS

- The Regional motions from April OASC minutes were given to previous RCM last month by some groups. Current RCM will get those from Renita. Other groups were asked to get their votes to RCM.
- **M05420801:** Motion for OASC Guideline change: 11.1e amend to read; Mileage expenses deemed reimbursable by sub-committee to be paid per fuel receipt. **Motion passed**

#### NEW BUSINESS

- Groups tied in a vote to waive clean time requirements in order to nominate addict without clean time requirements for the H&I chair position. OASC Chair broke the tie, and the **vote failed**.
- **OASC Chair appointed Donnie S as interim H&I Chair for a one month term until next OASC with the approval of the OASC.**
- Treasurer requested signature for 2 checks to Region for July. One for \$300 to cover hosting Region; the other to cover 2 rooms for 2 nights. **checks signed**
- OASC members want the OASC secretary to begin distributing a monthly flier separate from the minutes listing upcoming area and group events. Once flier is completed it will be sent for review to OASC Chair before distribution to ensure accuracy.
- GSRs were encouraged to copy the last page in the minutes which lists dates of subcommittee meetings and OASC meeting as well as open positions to be posted at their groups.