INTER GROUP BUSINESS MEETING 10/18/18

Meeting opened at with the serenity prayer.

Kristi read the minutes Janet made a motion to accept Jen 2nd passed. Attendance; Kristi, Janet, Elizabeth, Jen, Dave, Winslow, Kathy, Joanne

Reports

Treasure report; We received \$542 in donations this month, bringing our total to \$919.80 Janet made a motion to accept, Kathy 2nd passed

Office manager report;

- general information 10
- meeting schedules 6
- request for help 2
- referrals to other agencies 1
- literature orders 12
- chip orders 5
- donations 2
- drop ins 37
- other 2
- miscellaneous phone calls 4

New info log category - this includes wrong numbers, telemarketer and hang ups. September 11th to October 10th the answering service handled 8 calls. 1 of those resulted in 12 step action. The recovery fair and senior fair went very well. Between the 2 events, we distributed almost 100 pieces of literature not including schedules. District 7 is paying for the registration fee at the recovery fair and all the pamphlets were distributed. Thank you to Janet, Jeanmarie, steve and Joey for all their help at the recovery fair and Randy R. the senior fair. Thank you Elizabeth for getting a new EIN number. Bottle drop still needs our IRS non-profit documentation. They have rejected our Oregon state non-profit tax exempt documentation. It seems the responsible thing is to get our current IRS status. The fee is \$275 to submit for the 501c then \$10 annually when we file the 990N a special e-file for non-profits. Janet had an idea that we recycle enough to cover the the \$275 then file to make it official. We currently have \$34. As a reminder the rogue roundup committee has asked inter group if we can pick up the recycling. There is potentially some good cash involved in this. We accepted as a means to participate in the round up and make some cash.

Web servant report; Visitor count is approximately 30,555, total for the month is down from last month at around 1055 for the month. added a new tab for carry the message this tab highlights specific dates and time for needed service commitments. included Joey's panel opportunities and sunshine committee, posted august minutes.

Literature report; no report

Volunteer report; Open house was so fun and very successful in many ways. we sure had a lot of fun and recruited some volunteers even. thank you everyone. Today, Jen trained Laurie and George V. Iam training Lisa on Monday afternoon with George and Laurie attending. Ron is willing to take on another shift during the week also. We are in the process of getting people trained and ready to fill spots permanently. Thursday afternoons, Monday morning and afternoon and vacation slots. Richard will be out for 2 weeks and it will be covered by Goerge V. Don gave notice he must resign due to hip surgery coming up but will be back eventually. Angel is another member interested in volunteering on our list and we will keep in touch, but she just moved up here from CA got a job and still getting situated. With Richard and Jen going on a vacation my biggest goal is to make sure i don't need to call her and hopefully the volunteers won't either.

Events coordinator; Janet reported the open house went really well, Thank you Winslow for donating the pizza, we had a really good turn out and were able to get 2 volunteers for central office, we did not have any treatment centers come. we have a lot of cookies and muffins leftover that Jen put in her freezer to save for marathon meetings.

Newsletter report; Winslow is up to 16 pages with the newsletter but he is still not going over budget. he would like to get more material to put in it. Winslow is having fun with it and is embarrassed on how much time he spends on it.

Meeting check ins

happy hour; is good ESH; hanging in there

looking forward; doing good, wonderful format, they read the daily reflection

progress not perfection; need more people

stronger together; doing good, they are going to try and get a GSR voted in at next business meeting, Janet is going to ask meeting if they want to take a couple shifts in snack shack at round up

Old business

Randy gave report to district. Outreach committee is no longer due to the lack of people showing up, Joey will update when that changes. Jen ended up giving report at district

New business

spring fling will be on march 9th and Otto will be speaking. we do not need to put a deposit down. the next thing coming up is marathon so we need to start having people start to sign up. At open house we had a drawing and the winner is...... Crystal H. she wins a gift certificate to the central office for a piece of literature. Dave suggested to wait until we build up some money before we get our IRS number.

Janet made a motion to close at 812pm