

SWFLOA Intergroup Minutes

March 5, 2022

- Call to Order by Jill B. at 10:35
- Open with Serenity Prayer
- Amend Agenda with 2 changes: Concept 3 instead of Concept 2, Carol G. also Unity Wrap up – Jill B. Moved to accept changes and seconded by Carol F.
- Feb 2022 Minutes – Correction Carol F. listed twice (may have already been changed). Moved by Pat, Seconded by Roz
- Roll Call
 - Jill B. – Chairperson and Saturday Riverside Rep, website manager (temporary)
 - Carol G. – Vice Chair and Wednesday 10am Big Book Rep
 - Gil P. Secretary – excused absence (Carol G. and Pat H. kept notes)
 - Pat H. – Treasurer and Monday 10:45 Cape Coral Rep.
 - Roz S – Region 8 and Thursday a.m. Rep
 - Rich S. – PI/PO
 - Ellen B. – Meeting Changes/list and Tuesday 10:00pm
- Officer/Committee Reports
 - Chair report by Jill – Submitted Regional 8 registration Rep form
 - PI/PO – Rich reported next because he needed to leave early – He will be stepping down after the Estero Health Fair due to some personal struggles. He was thanked for his service and his honesty.
 - Vice Chair report by Carol G. – Reported that she had contacted all Meeting contacts encouraging them to announce at their meetings the desire to have IG Reps. All were very agreeable to make the announcement at their meetings. Carol reported that was great to reach out and speak to these members. Nancy from Naples was in touch with me requesting a change to their meetings eliminating the password from their Zoom Link. They would like to try that before going to the Waiting Room. We are able to do that without affecting other meetings.
 - Treasurer -Pat presented the Treasurers report. Approved
 - Roz asked about Unity day donations and Pat reported that so far she had not received any. Roz said hers was in the mail. Also Roz suggested we consider a registration fee for events and adding the Venmo information for donations.
 - Region 8 - Roz reported that Region 8 has gone from one meeting a month to two. She shared they were sharing inspiring information on how to improve our meetings and attract and welcome newcomers.
 - Website – Jill reported that she will be temporarily updating website. She has updated the meetings. Also reported that the “donate” page has been disabled.
- OLD BUSINESS
 - Unity Day - Jill reported it went well with lots of good feedback; Roz would like us to hold Unity Day in the afternoon to coincide with other meetings.

- Estero Health Fair – Rich reported that they have received two volunteers to help himself and Pat. To be held on March 26, 9-12 at Estero Park and Recreation Center, 9200 Corkscrew Palms Blvd, Estero, FL 33928.
- Recruiting New Members-- discussion continued of welcoming new members/sending pamphlets and adding this to the website, or should it be individual meeting responsibilities? We are putting it on the agenda for next month
- Retreat 2022-- Jill reported it will be on Saturday, April 9 from 9:30-3:00 with 4 speakers; Theme is "Continue to Watch for Selfishness, Dishonesty, Resentments and Fear. She will finish the flyer; it was decided to put Tradition 7 information on the flyer for Venmo, PayPal or checks with a suggested donation/possible register ahead of time
- By-laws-- Roz has spoken to Gil and will be updating our bylaws to coincide with WSO
- Good and Welfare-- update on Sandra, Roz, Kitty

Meeting ended at 11:22 a.m.

Minutes written by Carol G. from her and Pat H.'s notes; submitted by Gil P.