

## ***KC Area Gamblers Anonymous Minutes of Meeting***

<b>Group</b>	Kansas City Intergroup
<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	Tuesday, October 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2016 @ 6:00pm
<b>Location</b>	First Baptist Church of Shawnee, Shawnee KS
<b>Meeting Chair</b>	Linda J.
<b>Opening</b>	Moment of Silence & Sought My Soul Prayer
<b>Secretary Report</b>	Minutes from Sept 2016 approved.
<b>Attendees</b>	Martha N, Linda J, Lesa S, Larry W, Ed P, Dawn J, Michelle J

### News from Area Meetings:

<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Reported By</b>	<b>Intergroup Rep</b>	<b>Trusted Servant</b>
<b>Sunday Evening</b>	<b>North KCMO</b>	<b>Larry W</b>	<b>Larry W</b>	<b>Larry W</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Averaging 8-13 members;</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>Jennifer M., 10/15, 8 years</i>			
<b>Monday Evening</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>	<b>Michelle J</b>	<b>Sarah C</b>	<b>Michelle J</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Averaging 5-7 members</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>Brian J. 10/01, 7 years</i>			
<b>Tuesday Evening</b>	<b>Shawnee, KS</b>	<b>Lesa S</b>	<b>Dawn J</b>	<b>Bill H</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Averaging 11-15 member, 2 new comers</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>Byron T. 10/25, 7 years</i>			
<b>Wednesday Noon</b>	<b>KCMO</b>	<b>Martha N</b>	<b>Martha N</b>	<b>Martha N</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Averaging 2 - 3 members;</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>Martha N. 10/09, 9 years</i>			
<b>Wednesday Evening</b>	<b>Lee's Summit, MO</b>		<b>Marti J</b>	<b>Marti J</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Email report from Marti reporting 20-25 average attendance with some new members returning. Working on recovery "One Day at a Time"!</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>none</i>			
<b>Wednesday Evening</b>	<b>KCK</b>	<b>Kathy M</b>	<b>Kathy M</b>	<b>Kathy M</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Averaging 2-5 members. Has a donation of \$10 to send to ISO for Gratitude Month (September)</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>None</i>			
<b>Thursday Evening</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>	<b>Ed P</b>	<b>?</b>	<b>Duane M</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Averaging 5-10 members</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>none</i>			
<b>Friday Evening</b>	<b>Shawnee, KS</b>	<b>Ed P</b>	<b>Larry W</b>	<b>Joe S</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Averaging 13-18 members</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>Rich W. 10/09, 19 years</i>			
<b>Saturday Morning</b>	<b>KCMO</b>	<b>Larry W</b>	<b>?</b>	<b>John C</b>
<i>Comments</i>	<i>Averaging 10-15 members</i>			
<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>Phil R 10/27, 3 years; Bob S. 10/10 9 years</i>			

## Committee Reports:

<b>CHAIRPERSON</b> <i>Chair: Sarah C</i> <i>Report By: Linda J</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes approved.</li> </ul>
<b>SECRETARY</b> <i>Chair: Lesa S</i> <i>Report By: Lesa S.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Email <a href="mailto:lesasimonson@gmail.com">lesasimonson@gmail.com</a> with meeting updates.</li> <li>▪ Correction on last month's minutes. Added Keith's Anniversary from Thursday night.</li> </ul>
<b>TREASURER</b> <i>Chair: Dawn J</i> <i>Report By: Dawn J</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Motion to add Linda J and Michelle J on as signers/co-Treasurers for the KCGA bank account for deposits and to write checks, and to remove Marty J and Dawn J as signers. Dawn J to remain as interim Bookkeeper to do the financial reporting. Voted and passed. Thank you for your service, Marti and Dawn!</li> <li>▪ Lesa to check with Trusted Servant from Sat meeting to ensure \$50 check was mailed directly to ISO.</li> <li>▪ Michelle J has \$1200 from Hendrix. Checking with them on the additional \$400 check and will deposit into GA Bank account.</li> <li>▪ \$99 was the cost of the PO Box, motion was passed to reimburse Michelle J for that cost.</li> <li>▪ Linda placed a large order for supplies to replenish materials for intergroup and created a Materials Catalog. Motion to reimburse Linda was passed.</li> </ul>
<b>PRESSURE RELIEF</b> <i>Chair: Linda J</i> <i>Report By: Linda J</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Forms and details were sent to GA and Gam-anon members that made requests in August. They were instructed on how to proceed and follow up with Linda J</li> </ul>
<b>PUBLIC RELATIONS</b> <i>Chair: OPEN</i> <i>Report By: Linda J</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Linda J: No report.</li> <li>▪ GA was not present at the Art of Recovery. Looking for new ways to reach the public.</li> </ul>
<b>SOCIAL COMMITTEE</b> <i>Chair: Ed P</i> <i>Report By: Ed P</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ed P suggested a winter activity. It was suggested that we could do a potluck. If any meetings are interested in hosting, (Friday?), we could do a potluck mid-November before the holiday season gets underway.</li> </ul>
<b>HOTLINE</b> <i>Chair: Joe S</i> <i>Report By: n/a</i>	<p>National Hotline Phone Number (855) 222-5542</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ No report.</li> </ul>
<b>AREA TRUSTEE</b> <i>Chairs: Linda J &amp; Brian J</i> <i>Report By: Linda J</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Brian J attended the San Diego conference early October and said the conference was a success. He attended 4 workshops their mini-conference and will bring back information and report at the next intergroup meeting.</li> </ul>

<p><b>LITERATURE</b>  <i>Chair: Kathy M</i>  <i>Report By: Kathy M</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Linda J presented the Materials Catalog that she put together. The cost to create a Literature Catalog was – \$81.50 per notebook. It contains one current sample of each literature piece available from GA . This catalog will be passed around to meetings to see if there is interest with each group and each meeting is able to request one. Cost of the catalog would be paid by the meeting if they have the resources to do so, or Intergroup can help cover the costs as needed.</li> <li>▪ New member Retention Pamphlet will be added to the Materials Catalog.</li> <li>▪ Each meeting will be notified of updated literature by Kathy M and then each meeting can order updated material to keep Catalog current.</li> </ul>
<p><b>FUNDRAISING</b>  <i>Chair: Open</i>  <i>Report By: n/a</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ No Report</li> </ul>
<p><b>KCGA4U WEBSITE</b>  <i>Chair: Kevin C/Open</i>  <i>Report By: No Report</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ed P reported that the website is down as the domain has expired. Kevin C will update once he is back and feeling better.</li> <li>▪ Gary from Tuesday night is joining the website committee.</li> <li>▪ Ed P talked about concerns of the meeting schedule not appearing in the google search.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MINI CONFERENCE</b>  <i>Chair: Kevin B</i>  <i>Report By: Kevin B</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Next planning meeting for conference will be on <b>Thursday, November 17th @ 6:15 at the Thursday meeting location – Atonement Lutheran in Overland Park.</b></li> <li>▪ <b>Mini-Conference Date is March 4th at the Monday Night location.</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>OLD BUSINESS</b></p>	<p><u>Intergroup Committee Positions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Discussion of Resource Card:</b> Linda J created a Sample of card showing counseling and help resources to use as an aid for new members in need of help. There was discussion about the resource card violates the section in the handbook: “GA shall not endorse, finance or lend...” The topic has been tabled until the next intergroup meeting due to time constraints and needs further discussion.</li> <li>▪ We have open Chairs for Intergroup: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Public Relations: OPEN</b></li> <li>○ <b>Fundraising: OPEN</b></li> <li>○ <b>Website: Kevin C/ OPEN</b></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>NEW BUSINESS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Resource Card Discussion</li> <li>▪ Ed P suggested that there be one trusted servant or member to contact for issues or concerns.</li> </ul>

Anniversaries:

Name	Anniversary Date	Years	Meeting Day	Location
<b>Brian J</b>	10/01/2009	7	Monday Evening	Overland Park, KS
<b>Byron T</b>	10/25/2009	7	Tuesday Evening	Shawnee, KS
<b>Martha N</b>	10/09/2007	9	Wednesday Noon	Kansas City, MO
<b>Rich W</b>	10/09/1997	19	Friday Evening	Shawnee, KS
<b>Bob S</b>	10/10/2007	9	Saturday Morning	Kansas City, MO
<b>Phil R</b>	10/27/2013	3	Saturday Morning	Kansas City, MO
<b>Jennifer M</b>	10/15/2008	8	Sunday Evening	Kansas City, MO

Next Intergroup Meeting:

Date & Time	Location
<b>Friday , November 11th 6:00 pm</b>	<b>Friday Night Meeting Location, Hope Lutheran Church, 6308 Quivera Road, Shawnee, KS</b>