

Brandywine Intergroup Meeting Notes 7/13/24

1. **Serenity Prayer-Welcome-Introductions** (see attached 'We Care List')-
Quorum-yes
2. **Readings**-Tradition 7/Kathy K, Concept 7/Mary Frances
3. **Minutes from June approved**-to be posted on Brandywine IG website
4. **Officer Reports**
 - a. Acting chair/Mike T.-no report
 - b. Treasurer/Ann T.-Reviews June monthly report
Current balance **\$13,997.06** after expenses of \$2599.60 (\$2519.60/WSO delegate, \$80/TSW event) and Income \$895.72
 - c. Secretary/Mike T.-no report
5. **7th tradition** not collected. Donate in person or directly to Brandywine Intergroup at PO Box 605 Bryn Mawr, Pa 19019-0605

6. New Business

2024-25 Budget Review-Ann T., Grace-Proposed changes to previous budget

- a. Group Donations line item: Increase income from group donations to \$8000
- b. WSO Delegates: Increase expenses to pay to send two delegates instead on one
- c. Literature: 1. Use proceeds of current literature inventory for purchase of literature to support new meetings-one time line item for budget 2. After all current inventory of literature is distributed, meetings that sponsor events to provide literature

Budget will be broadcast to group and proposals voted at next Intergroup meeting August 10, 2024

Scholarship Committee/Kathy K.-Proposal: 12 "scholarships" (covers registration/two night stay-double occupancy/\$192-no meals included) to *Region 7 Convention Nov. 1-3 Princess Royale Oceanfront Resort, 9100 Coastal Highway, Ocean City, Maryland 21842*

Motion: to use \$2500 donation to Brandywine intergroup for 12 "scholarships" to Region Seven Convention -one time line item for budget this year. Motion passed.

Criteria for scholarship: a. first time attendees or haven't been to a convention in the last 5 years. b. willingness to share experience at upcoming Brandywine Intergroup meeting or in the Blast c. mailed applications must be received by August 31, 2024 to Brandywine Intergroup PO Box 605 Bryn Mawr Pa 19010-0605

7. Group Issues and Feedback-skipped in the interest of time

8. Committee Reports

- a. **Website/Mary Frances, Laura W., Carol G.**-computer glitch/unable to add new subscribers to Blast email list. Noreen(chair of Blast Committee) will manually add names

b. Twelfth Step Within/Betty

Saturday August 18, 1-4pm-Sponsorship Celebration Day and Rock Painting
Christ Memorial Church 89 Line Road Malvern Pa

c. Events/June

Saturday July 14 Body Image and Clothing Sale: King of Prussia. See flyer for details
(www.brandywineintergroup.org)

Future events:

Saturday September 15 Promises Workshop. More details to follow

Saturday November 23-Idea Day-Oaks/Royerford meetings possible sponsors

d. Outreach Committee/Mary Frances, Pam H (co-chairs)

Health Fairs-Planning health fairs/community events schedule for October- December 2024.

Current schedule: Senior Health Fair July 31/Meadowood, Skippack

Saturday October 26, 11-3pm Pottstown, YWCA sponsored WWV Block Event

Adopt A Rack-follow up with OA members who placed racks, supply with brochure refills. Contact Pam H for refills

e. Literature/Pam H. Current inventory of books, pamphlets and event materials.

Contact for Pam H for materials. See attached inventory.

f. Blast/Noreen, Kathy K.-38% opened Blast. Meetings have committed to submit to Blast for the next three months. Send submissions to Kathy K. nanak976@yahoo.com

g. Zoom/Patty W., Carol G.-nothing to report

9.Unfinished Business

Ann T to send out Bylaws and Budget to intergroup for review and approvals at August 10 meeting

10. Upcoming Events and Announcements

a. Brandywine Intergroup Meeting August 10, 10am11:30am-hybrid meeting at Christ Memorial Lutheran Church, 89 Line Rd. Malvern. zoom link:<http://us02web.zoom.us/j/86258728739> (ID:862 5872 8739).

b. Region 7 Convention: Nov. 1-3, 9100 Coastal Highway, Ocean City Maryland

c. Speaker's Bureau: Contact Carolyn to add or delete your name from the list or find a speaker for your meeting carolynmcgill@comcast.net

d. For current information on PA events hosted by other intergroups, check our website at brandywineintergroup.org. You can also check aoregion7.org for events posted throughout our region.

11. Closing Prayer