

WHAT IS THE 11th STEP?

AA Step 11 encourages people to reach out a Higher Power and to accept that He or She has a plan for their life. One of the underlying principles of Alcoholics Anonymous is that nothing happens by mistake. Members are encouraged to recognize their Higher Power, to listen to that Higher Power, and allow Him or Her to inspire them in their journey of recovery. This is achieved through prayer and meditation.

Tips for Applying the 11th Step on a Daily Basis

If you have little to no experience with spiritual matters or it's been a long time since you connected to your Higher Power, then this step may present a challenge for you. Here are a few tips to assist you in applying the principle of AA Step 11 in your life.

Don't get hung up on the term – When people are presented with the term “God”, many immediately associate it with the deity of the dominant religion in their society. In Northern America, this would be the Judeo-Christian god. However, “God” is a neutral term, and it is best not to get caught up in how other people choose to define it. Focus on connecting to what you understand to be God, whether that is Vishnu, Yahweh, Allah, the Great Spirit, or something else.

Prayer can take many forms – It is generally accepted that prayer means getting on your knees and speaking to your Higher Power. If that is what prayer means to you and you are comfortable with that, then pray in that manner. Don't feel bad, though, if it doesn't. The content of your prayers

is more important than how you say them. Speak to your Higher Power as though you were talking to another person. Tell Him or Her about what is troubling you, ask for guidance, and express gratitude for the assistance you have received in your life.

Meditation is listening – If prayer is the act of talking to your Higher Power, then meditation is the act of listening to Him or Her. It is a physical and mental discipline that requires you to be still and observe. Many people are uncomfortable with silence, and they will do anything to avoid it. If this describes you, then meditation may be challenging when you first begin. Rest assured, though, it will get easier each time you do it.

“As a way of letting go of conscious thought, it may be helpful to observe your breathing or to concentrate on a candle flame.” Begin by sitting quietly for 5 to 10 minutes. Thoughts will come to you, but try not to hold onto them. Let them flow in and out your mind. As a way of letting go of conscious thought, it may be helpful to observe your breathing or to concentrate on a candle flame. The goal is to connect to your Higher Power and listen for wisdom. There are many books and websites about meditation. It may be helpful to peruse them.

AA Step 11 represents a significant change in the way you see yourself and the world. If you are having difficulty completing this step, then connect to your sponsor sober support group for help.

Special Events

*Gratitude
Dinner*
November 15, 2014

Alcathon
December 24 & 25
December 31
January 1

THE STEPS & THE TRADITIONS

STEP 11 - “Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscious contact with God as we understood Him, praying only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry that out.”

TRADITION 11 - “Our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than promotion; we need always maintain personal anonymity at the level of press, radio and films.”

2014 Serenity Scramble Thank You from Sarge!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone that made this year's Serenity Scramble a success. Through the service of the Volunteers, Office Manager & Steering Committee members of So. County Intergroup, Hole sponsors, prize donors, photographers and supporters that came for the luncheon and Players this was truly a wonderful Sober event.

Congratulations to all the winners.

The 50/50 prize of \$497.00 was won by golfer Fran R.

1st Place @ 15 under par 57 was the team Joe E., Russ B., Joe D. and Nikek (foursome @ Atlantis C.C.)

2nd Place @ 13 under par 59 was the team Jeff S., Pat M., Shane H. and John H. (foursome @ Westchester C.C.)

Last place (honesty award) @ 78 Bruce T., Byron K., Gary F. & Andrezt S., \$ 25.00 gift card

Men's Long drive - Joey P. \$50.00 gift card

Women's long drive - Anne G \$50.00 gift card

Men's closest to the hole - Bill D. \$50.00 gift card

Women's closest to the hole - Kristine. \$50.00 gift card

Gratefully, Sarge

2014 Serenity Scramble Chair

Effective January 1, 2015

AAWS price increase took effect October 1, 2014. A vote will take place at the December 17 Monthly Business Meeting with regard to SPBCI upcoming price increase for Big Book / 12 Steps and 12 Traditions /All AA World Services Publications.

Intergroup Gratitude Dinner

Saturday, November 15th, 2014 at 7:00pm

At The Embassy Suites Hotel, Boca Raton

Tickets: \$47/person or \$470/Table of 10

TICKET PURCHASE INFORMATION

1. Individual tickets and full table tickets will be sold at the SPBCI office beginning September 18, 2014
2. Tickets will be distributed when the Meal Selection Form is completed
3. Meal selections cannot be changed after Meal Selection Form has been submitted

GRATITUDE DINNER – MEAL SELECTION

CHICKEN SCALOPPINI PICATTA:

Breast of Chicken in a light Lemon Butter & Capers Sauce served with Angel Hair Pasta and Medley of Seasonal Vegetables

TILAPIA:

Filet of Almond Crusted Tilapia with Lemon Cream Sauce accompanied by Coconut Infused Rice and Medley of Seasonal Vegetables

VEGETARIAN:

Penne Pasta with Asparagus in a Sun Dried Tomato and Roasted Garlic Sauce

South Palm Beach County Intergroup - Profit & Loss - September 2014

| | Sep 14 | YTD Sep 14 | | Sep 14 | YTD Sep 14 |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|------------|---|------------|------------|
| Ordinary Income/Expense | | | Insurance | 303.24 | 2,594.72 |
| Income | | | Inventory Adjustment | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Interest Income | 0.00 | 3.17 | Quarterlies / Mileage Reimb | 600.61 | 2,381.51 |
| Cash Discounts | 0.00 | 149.50 | Miscellaneous Expenses | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Contribution-Non Group | | | Payroll Expenses | 3,312.31 | 32,728.97 |
| Anonymous | 117.00 | 1,119.52 | Postage and Delivery | 48.00 | 101.50 |
| Birthday Club | 37.00 | 436.00 | Printing and Reproduction | | |
| Faithful Fivers | 50.00 | 225.00 | SCAAN | 191.00 | 1,719.00 |
| Contribution-Non Group - Ot | 0.00 | 507.69 | Printing and Reproduction - 1 | 0.00 | 80.00 |
| Total Contribution-Non Group | 204.00 | 2,288.21 | Total Printing and Reproduction | 191.00 | 1,799.00 |
| Contribution Income | 1,728.46 | 33,599.77 | Professional Fees | | |
| Fund Raising Income | | | Accounting | 0.00 | 900.00 |
| 2013 Alcathon Income | 0.00 | 1,100.00 | Computer Technology | 61.31 | 61.31 |
| 2014 Gratitude Dinner | 0.00 | 0.00 | Total Professional Fees | 61.31 | 961.31 |
| 2014 Picnic/Raffle | 0.00 | 5,049.00 | Program & Committee Expenses | 0.00 | 105.00 |
| 2014 Serenity Scramble | 0.00 | 0.00 | Rent | 1,318.16 | 11,551.38 |
| Total Fund Raising Income | 0.00 | 6,149.00 | Repairs | | |
| Sales | | | Building Repairs & Maintena | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| AAWS Books | 4,151.45 | 38,198.40 | Total Repairs | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| AAWS Other | 65.00 | 830.08 | Storage | 65.00 | 520.00 |
| AAWS Pamphlets | 174.29 | 1,763.25 | Supplies | 118.69 | 2,484.69 |
| Chips | 550.25 | 4,042.50 | Telephone | 342.00 | 2,962.34 |
| Demdaco Gift Items | 54.00 | 993.00 | Utilities | | |
| Gift Items | 443.50 | 4,497.80 | Electric | 246.50 | 2,011.44 |
| Grapevine Books | 127.00 | 1,836.00 | Total Utilities | 246.50 | 2,011.44 |
| Grapevine Other Material | 25.00 | 273.50 | Total Expense | 7,099.73 | 64,608.04 |
| Hazelden Books | 301.85 | 4,680.30 | Net Income | (1,754.82) | 5,677.17 |
| Hazelden Other | 0.00 | 0.00 | | | |
| Medallions | 2,246.50 | 15,673.50 | | | |
| Sale of Books | 38.00 | 312.00 | | | |
| Where & When | 430.50 | 3,638.50 | | | |
| Total Sales | 8,607.34 | 76,738.83 | | | |
| Total Income | 10,539.80 | 118,928.48 | | | |
| Cost of Goods Sold | 5,194.69 | 48,643.27 | | | |
| Gross Profit | 5,345.11 | 70,285.21 | | | |
| Expense | | | | | |
| Advertising | 0.00 | 122.50 | | | |
| Annual Report Fee | 61.25 | 0.00 | | | |
| Bank Service Charges | 0.00 | 122.00 | | | |
| Contributions | 0.00 | 500.00 | | | |
| Fees Credit Cards | 430.66 | 2,046.60 | | | |
| Fund Raising Expenses | | | | | |
| 2014 Gratitude Dinner | 0.00 | 0.00 | | | |
| 2014 Picnic Expenses | 0.00 | 1,617.08 | | | |
| 2014 Serenity Scramble | 0.00 | 0.00 | | | |
| Total Fund Raising Expenses | 0.00 | 1,617.08 | | | |

SPBCI OFFICE CLOSED
 November 11 ~ Veteran's Day
 November 27, 28 & 29 ~ Thanksgiving
 December 24 & 25 ~ Christmas
 December 31 ~ New Year's Eve
 January 1, 2015 ~ New Year's Day

| Intergroup Activity Log | Aug 14 | Sep 14 |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|
| 12th Step Calls | 2 | 2 |
| First Call to AA | 8 | 4 |
| Meeting Inquiries | 70 | 88 |
| Business Inquiries | 45 | 93 |
| Walk-Ins | 203 | 216 |
| QB Sales Receipts | 277 | 321 |

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|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Operating Acct | \$10,354.92 | Accounts Receival | \$0.00 | Fixed Assets | 2,188.71 |
| Prudent Reserve Act | \$28,000.00 | Inventory Asset | 32,102.04 | Other Asset/Rent Dep | 2,769.38 |
| Petty Cash | 5150.00 | Other Current Ass | 3,973.92 | TOTAL OTHER ASSETS | 4,958.09 |
| TOTAL CASH | \$38,504.92 | TOTAL NONCASH ASSETS | 74,580.88 | TOTAL ASSETS | \$79,538.97 |

Office Volunteers

Joe H., Randy, Kelly N., Nancy, George, Bari, Caryl, Ken, Petti, Stan,
 Dennis, Andrew, Charlie, Alexandra D., Lisa M., Samantha, Adam, Lillian,
 Linette, Jonathan, Ben M., Peter, Carol, Natasha

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS: SEPTEMBER 2014 AND YEAR-TO-DATE 2014

| GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS: SEPTEMBER AND YEAR-TO-DATE 2014 | | | | | | |
|--|----------|----------|----------------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| GROUP NAME(S) | Sep 2014 | YTD 2014 | GROUP NAME(S) | Sep 2014 | YTD 2014 | YTD 2014 |
| L-2-3 Step, Boca | 0.00 | 40.00 | Keep It Simple | 0.00 | 119.44 | 435.00 |
| 11th Step Group, Lake Worth | 0.00 | 0.00 | KISS Boynton Beach | 0.00 | 0.00 | 430.11 |
| 12 O'Clock High W Boca | 75.00 | 380.00 | Lake Worth Tues Nite BBSS | 0.00 | 0.00 | 731.80 |
| Acceptance is the Answer, Delray | 0.00 | 53.00 | Lake Worth Young People's | 0.00 | 87.54 | 396.50 |
| All Aboard | 67.50 | 57.50 | Language Of The Heart, Delray | 0.00 | 250.00 | 0.00 |
| Big Book Adventure, Boca | 0.00 | 641.06 | Lantana Group | 0.00 | 168.61 | 0.00 |
| Big Boys, Boca | 0.00 | 0.00 | Let's Do Lunch, Boca | 0.00 | 270.00 | 20.00 |
| Boca Boys, West Boca | 0.00 | 150.00 | Living Sober Women, Delray | 0.00 | 0.00 | 100.00 |
| Boca Men's Recovery | 0.00 | 150.00 | Lunch Bunch, Boca | 0.00 | 935.11 | 190.00 |
| Boca Men's, Boca | 0.00 | 346.00 | Men's Tuesday Solution, Boca | 0.00 | 0.00 | 100.00 |
| Boca Women's Group | 0.00 | 122.50 | Men On-Track, Boca | 45.00 | 151.00 | 1,136.00 |
| Boynton Beach Beginners | 150.00 | 300.00 | Men With Solutions, Delray | 0.00 | 280.50 | 3,000.00 |
| Boynton Beach Group, Boynton | 0.00 | 90.00 | Midday Miracles, Delray | 0.00 | 208.80 | 200.00 |
| Boynton Beach Men's | 0.00 | 0.00 | Morning Medicine, Boca | 100.00 | 750.00 | 200.00 |
| Boynton Boat Ramp Group | 0.00 | 5.00 | New Beginnings, Wayside | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Cardinal Lane, Lantana | 0.00 | 174.60 | New Life Group | 0.00 | 100.00 | 68.11 |
| Cheer Up @1013 | 0.00 | 24.00 | New Life II | 100.00 | 1,247.14 | 639.00 |
| Daily Grace | 75.00 | 250.00 | No Matter What Group | 0.00 | 0.00 | 110.22 |
| Delray 11th Step Meditation Grp | 0.00 | 450.00 | North Boca Steps & Traditions | 0.00 | 0.00 | 80.00 |
| Depression and the Alcoholic | 25.00 | 115.00 | North Delray Steps & Traditions | 0.00 | 888.88 | 128.85 |
| Derailroaded Group | 0.00 | 0.00 | One Day At A Time, Delray | 0.00 | 0.00 | 261.00 |
| Divas at 830 AM | 0.00 | 328.80 | One Page at a Time, Delray Beach | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Double Digit Gang, Delray | 0.00 | 102.60 | Open Your Heart, Delray | 0.00 | 100.00 | 606.44 |
| Downtown Delray Group | 0.00 | 968.00 | Page 83 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 100.00 |
| Downtown, Boynton | 0.00 | 100.00 | People With Time | 0.00 | 854.87 | 450.00 |
| East Delray Men's Group | 0.00 | 675.30 | Primary Purpose, Boca Pines | 0.00 | 0.00 | 1,143.00 |
| Eastside Women's Group | 0.00 | 150.00 | Principles and Promises | 0.00 | 150.00 | 1,486.15 |
| Experience, Strength & Hope, BB | 42.00 | 91.00 | Principles in Practice | 0.00 | 0.00 | 300.00 |
| Eye Opener's, Lake Worth | 0.00 | 0.00 | Road To Recovery, Boca | 50.00 | 300.00 | 132.26 |
| Five Time Loser's Delray | 350.00 | 600.00 | Romance & Finance, W Boca | 0.00 | 450.00 | 130.00 |
| Fri Night Special/Sat Eve Post | 0.00 | 400.00 | Safe Harbor, Boynton | 0.00 | 275.00 | 60.92 |
| From Steerage | 0.00 | 50.00 | Saturday Night Live @ Five, Boca | 243.50 | 465.50 | 31.00 |
| Inside Out Group | 0.00 | 0.00 | Second Chance Women, Delray | 0.00 | 0.00 | 25.00 |
| Intergroup Meeting | 54.00 | 491.22 | Seniors in Sobriety, Delray | 0.00 | 200.00 | 40.00 |
| Journey to Freedom, Boca | 0.00 | 0.00 | Serenity Hour, Delray | 0.00 | 673.00 | 14.00 |
| Just Before Dawn | 0.00 | 750.00 | Serenity on the Beach, Lantana | 0.00 | 640.00 | 0.00 |
| Just For Now, Boca | 0.00 | 551.00 | Sober Sisters Boca | 52.46 | 517.88 | 0.00 |
| | | | Sober Sisters, Lake Worth | 0.00 | 32.57 | 807.00 |
| | | | Solar Sunset Group, Boca Pines | 275.00 | 1,485.00 | 1,728.46 |
| | | | | | | 33,599.77 |

AA HOTLINE – RELAY PHONE



The Hand of AA is Available
24 Hours a Day!

November - Spiritual Awakenings

December - Five Time Losers

January - Just For Now

February - Boca Big Book Step Study Group

FAITHFUL FIVERS

With Gratitude for their support:

Stan R. – Just Before Dawn

Michael G. – Sobriety for Breakfast

Bari W. – Welcome Home in Delray

Linda P. – West Boca Friendship Group



Susan D. - November 7, 98 - 16 years

Boynton Beach Beginners Group

Congratulations!

from SPBC Intergroup

BIRTHDAY CLUB

SOUTH PALM BEACH COUNTY INTERGROUP

CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR ANNIVERSARY!

Your donation goes to help the valuable services provided by Intergroup including the AA hotline, meeting schedules, 12 step work, literature inventory, SCAAN newsletter and hospital/institution meetings.

Name _____ Anniversary Date _____

Home Group _____ Contribution* \$ _____

*Recommended contribution is \$1 for every year of sobriety.

If you would like a reminder notice next year, please fill out the address portion below or provide an email address.

Address _____ City _____

State/Zip _____ Email _____

Intergroup Business Meeting Minutes

September 17, 2014

Chairperson: John S. Meeting opened with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Minutes from the August 27, 2014 meeting were approved. New group reps were welcomed. John announced both the Serenity Scramble and Gratitude Dinner event plans are going well, detailed reports will be given by the chairs. John brought up the Webmaster position. He stated that in the spirit of rotation anyone interested in volunteering for the position should let Intergroup know. The 7th tradition baskets were passed.

New Group Reps: All Aboard - Stephanie L.; Welcome Home In Delray - Pam T. (Alt); Deraildroad Group - David F.; Sobriety In The Wind - Gregory G.; One Day at a Time - Cleavant M.

Vice Chair: Cheryl S. Cheryl has been in contact with all committee chairs and is available for help and guidance in their new roles.

Office Manager: Jeannie G. Jeannie thanked the SPBCI office volunteer staff & welcomed Elizabeth B. as the new treasurer. Tables for the 2014 Gratitude Dinner are on sale tonight. Individual tickets and remaining tables can be purchased at the SPBCI office beginning September 17th. Currently the Serenity Scramble has 27 paid golf reservations, and 8 paid hole sponsorships. Gift raffle donations are welcome. The office will be closed Columbus Day, October 13, 2014.

Treasurer: Elizabeth B. Elizabeth introduced herself and is looking forward to the new service position. The financials are in good standing, detailed report can be found in the SCAAN.

Archivist: Michael G. No Report. Excused absence.

Archives: Laura K. Laura stepped down from the position. Volunteers Michelle T. and Derek L. will set up an archives table at the Gratitude Dinner. Elections for the position will be held at tonight's meeting.

Bridge the Gap: Bari W. (women) Bari had one bridge the gap call last month. Bari asked all reps to let everyone know this service is available to those just leaving treatment.

Dave F. (men) Dave thanked the previous chair for acclimating him to the new position. There was one call. The individual was put in touch with an AA member.

General Service Liaison: Molly B. Highlights from the District meeting on September 14, 2014. Chairperson Tom W. gave opening remarks and welcomed all new GSRs as well as the alt GSRs. He announced that the next quarterly will be October 10th-12th in Hutchinson Island. District 8 submitted a motion for the January Area 15 Agenda that states: "That area 15 submit a request for a conference Agenda item as follows: That the General Service office create a brief informative video on the subject of "Anonymity Online." Aimed at the fellowship, the video would state in simple terms the responsibilities of AA members in regard to protecting our anonymity online, especially when using social media." There was discussion on this motion, they voted and it passed. For a detailed report, contact the Intergroup office.

Group Information: Elliott R. Elliott has assembled a committee. They have not received any calls yet. They are willing and able to visit any group.

Hospitals and Institutions: Kitty B. and Emily L. Kitty B gave the report. Currently, we have 48 meetings per week in 19 facilities. There have only been a few minor changes since last month's report. The regularly scheduled H & I meeting will take place this upcoming Saturday, September 20th at 2pm at the Intergroup Office. We do have a few openings available. All chair people are asked to attend and all those who wish to volunteer are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Public Information: Position Open.

SCAAN: Maryann & John T. Articles are always welcome. Please email to the Intergroup office by the 15th of the month. Members made a request to increase the font size in the SCAAN because they felt it was too small to read.

Telephone Relay: Joe M. As of September 17th, 2014 we have volunteer groups for the telephone relay through the month of February 2015. If there are any groups interested in taking the relay phone, I will come to your home group and explain the responsibilities and how the relay works.

Where & When: Daniel L. - Unexcused absence; Kaely L. Kaely apologized for missing last month. There is one change to the Where & When. The October edition has been sent to the printer and will be available soon. All changes can be sent to Jeannie at the Intergroup office.

12th Step Committee: Ginger G. (women) Excused absence. The Women's list is up to date. Scott K. (men) Excused absence. The men's list is up to date.

Liaison to North County Intergroup: Gary K. NPBCI met on September 10, 2014. Sixty in attendance, including seven new reps. Under North Palm Beach County By-Laws we are mandated to hold 4 Service Events per year. Because the Intergroup Picnic was held later than usual they will be unable to hold the Pot Luck Dinner that is usually held in October this year. They will focus on the Alcaathons. This year's picnic was a huge success however the primary complaint was the intolerable heat. It may get moved later in the year in the future. The Treasurer reported that overall, the Intergroup's finances are strong. Office Manager reported that the total Office Activity for August was 684. This was 72 less than month, and 168 less than last year. Activity-wise, it has been very quiet month. AAWs has announced price increases on Conference Approved Literature effective October 1st. PBC will try to have enough inventory on hand to defer any price increase until November 1st. John (Public Information) resigned and the former chair of this committee, Sean M stood for it again and was approved by the body. PI hosted a table with display board, and literature racks, for the second annual symposium organized by Doris Carroll at the West Palm Beach offices of 'A Partnership for a Drug-Free Community'. The event was at the South Florida Fairgrounds. PI will be staffing a table at the Veteran's Stand-Down held Saturday the 27th September 2014 from 12 noon to 5:00 P.M. in the Activity Hall of Pompey Park in Delray Beach. Last year's attendance was in excess of 200 veterans. Committee Chair for the website reported that in July they had a total of 6,796 visits including 5,445 first time visits. The Institutions Committee currently brings 99 meetings a week to 40 facilities. The Big Book Ball is going to be a

New Year's Eve celebration. The Ball will be held December 31 at the Borland Center on PGA Blvd in Palm Beach Gardens from 7pm to midnight. Tickets will cost \$20 and include a light dinner, great dancing and New Year's fun. Motion was brought forward to amend the NPBC Intergroup bylaws as follows: PBC Intergroup will observe in all of its activities and service events the spirit and intent of the 12 Traditions of Alcoholics Anonymous. It will refrain from any type of fund raising activities to include raffles and lotteries - excluding the Institutions Committee. PBC Intergroup service events ought not to be promoted at the level of press, radio, film. Motion did not pass.

Serenity Scramble: Sarge (chair). The Serenity Scramble volunteer meeting was held at the Intergroup office on September 6, 2014 and all assignments were given. It is imperative that Intergroup reps make the announcement and request that their group participate in hole sponsorship.

Gratitude Dinner: Ginny D. (chair) West Boynton Beach Group. The Gratitude Dinner will be held on November 15, 2014 at the Embassy Suites Hotel in Boca Raton. The theme is 'Gifts of Sobriety'. Ticket Price is \$47. The group has set up committees, the decorations are being done by Julie and John R will be taking care of plants. So far three baskets have been made up of donations. The speaker selection is still in process. The group has two talented singers who will end the night with some entertainment. Ticket sales opened tonight for full table purchase, individual tickets will be sold starting tomorrow at the SPBC Intergroup office. Regarding ticket sales, once your meal selection is made it cannot be changed.

Old Business:

Elections: Public Information - remains open. Archives Chair - Michele T.

Intergroup Business Meeting Date

The dates for the Intergroup Business meetings for the remainder of the year were discussed. Central House has offered alternate dates for November, the 19th, and December, the 17th. John S. suggested to not have a November meeting as it will be right after the Gratitude Dinner. Elizabeth B. made a motion to eliminate the November meeting and change the December meeting to the 17th. Motion was seconded and voted on. Motion passed.

SCAAN Events:

Cheryl S. researched how events were listed in the SCAAN previously and discovered that it has already been voted on and that the events are to be separated AA and Non-AA with a disclaimer.

New Business:

Archivist

It was announced that our Archivist, Michael G. will be out indefinitely due to health issues. Discussion of the Archivist roles and responsibilities opened. All reps are encouraged to bring this back to groups as there is a possibility of an opening in this non-rotating position. Bari W. made a motion as follows: Due to Michael G's illness and absence from his position as Archivist, and the fact that he will not be able to resume his responsibilities for an indeterminate amount of time, I would like to make a motion to reinstate Pam T as our interim Archivist until Michael can return. Motion was seconded and voted on. Motion did not pass. The body decided to announce the opening and bring it back to their home groups to see if anyone else is interested in the position before a final vote is taken.

Serenity Scramble Picture Taking

Sarge received an email from Intergroup stating that picture taking is not allowed at the Intergroup event. Discussion of AA guidelines in regards to anonymity and picture taking opened. Sarge made a motion as follows: Anyone at the Serenity Scramble who wants their picture taken can take a picture. Motion was seconded and voted on. Motion passed.

Closed meeting with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
Sarah B.

November Service Meetings

No Meeting Scheduled

SPBC Intergroup H&I Committee Meeting
Saturday, 2:00 PM - SPBCI Office

November 16

District 8 General Service Business Meeting - Triangle Club
4:00 PM: GSR/DCM SHARING
4:40 PM DISTRICT 8 BUSINESS MEETING

No Meeting Scheduled

SPBC Intergroup Steering Committee Meeting
Saturday, 9:00 AM - SPBCI Office

December 17 (no meeting in November)

SPBC Intergroup Monthly Business Meeting
Wednesday, 7:00 PM - Delray Central House

AA EVENTS

November 15
Intergroup Gratitude Dinner
Embassy Suites Hotel, Boca Raton

December 24-25
SPBCI Alcathon
Delray Central House

December 31-January 1, 2015
SPBCI Alcathon
Delray Central House

July 2-5, 2015
2015 International Convention of Alcoholics Anonymous
Atlanta <http://www.aa.org/>

OTHER EVENTS

The Other Events listed below are presented solely as a service to SCAAN readers, not as an endorsement by SPBCI.

November 8
Grapevine Contributor's Workshop
Hosted by Women Living Sober
2:00 – 4:00 PM, Delray Central House

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Office Hours

Monday-Friday: 9am - 5pm

Saturday: 10am - 1pm

STEERING COMMITTEE

Chair - John S. Vice Chair - Cheryl S.
Treasurer - Elizabeth B. Secretary - Sarah B.
Office Manager - Jeannie G.

COMMITTEES

Archives Michele T.
Archivist Michael G.
Bridge the Gap - Men Dave F.
Bridge the Gap - Women Bari W.
General Services Liaison Molly B.
Group Information Elliot R.
Hospitals & Institutions Emily L.
Hospitals & Institutions Kitty B.
Liaison to North County Intergroup Gary K.
Public Information OPEN
SCAAN Maryanne & John T.
Telephone Relay Joe M.
Twelve Step Committee - Men Scott K.
Twelve Step Committee - Women Ginger A.
Webmaster David R.
Where & When Kaely L.
Where & When Danny L.

SPBC INTERGROUP EVENT CHAIRS

Gratitude Dinner (November 15) West Boynton Group