

NORTHERN DELAWARE INTERGROUP MINUTES

Date: August 6, 2025

Call to order: 7:00 PM

Attendance : See Sign-in Sheets

Responsibility Pledge: I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA to always be there. And for that: I am responsible.

Anniversaries: Tim – 17 Yr. Lisa – 19 Yr. Pam – 1 Yr.
Dave O. 14 – Yr. David – 39 Yr. James – 2 Yr.
Marjorie – 30 Yr. Rhonda – 9 Mo. Mark – 21 Yr.
Dave – 25 Yr. Elissa – 17 Yr.

Preamble was read aloud

Tradition 8 was read aloud

QUORUM: A quorum - minimum 35 - members. 40 eligible members present.

New Group Reps: Shawn – Just for Today
Rose – New Lease on Life
John (Alt.) – Concord Step Solution
Felice – Big Book Tuesday
Trudy – Brandywine Valley Women
Sandra - Greenhill Women's
Sean – Early Risers (Tri Ad)

Minutes from Previous Meeting: Motion to accept: Accepted and Seconded.

Chair: George M. – Opened the meeting with information about the NDIAA Inventory scheduled for Saturday, September 20, 2025, at Limestone Presbyterian Church, 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM. This is an important part of NDIAA's process to ensure that Intergroup represents the AA community well. We're here to serve the community. Please announce this to your groups and ask the membership how we can do a better job.

Service Positions: The September Intergroup meeting is when the elections will be held for Intergroup Chair, Vice Chair, Treasurer, Secretary and (3) Members at Large positions will be voted on for the upcoming 2026 - 2028 term. Please announce this to your groups.

Finance Chair: There is someone who has stepped forward with an interest in this Chair position. This person has a background in finance and familiarity with QuickBooks and other financial programs.

There is a new commitment for Limen Recovery + Wellness, men's house. Tim and George will be meeting with the facility administration when they are ready to bring on the women's house.

The Intergroup office needs painting. It has been estimated that about \$100 is needed for painting. The representative of Early Risers Group offered \$100 for the paint. Thank you, Early Risers!!! The back room at the Intergroup office has been cleaned and in October we will have our Steering Committee Meetings back in the Intergroup Office.

Vice Chair: David O. – Not Present. No Report.

Treasurer Report: Gene M. – Referring to the August 6, 2025, Financial Summary and Reports the Intergroup 2025 Net Income is \$6,225.47 greater than the 2024 Net Income. The Total Prudent Reserve is \$22,986.03 - 3.4 months' operating expenses.

Intergroup Office Report: Ena C. / Patsy M.

Contacts:

AA Info./12 Step: 20

Al Anon/Alateen: 1

Member Misc.: 82

Visitors: 75

Literature: 34

Total: 212

Home Answering: Patti R. – Not Present. No Report.

Looking for Meetings: 12-Step: Spanish Speaking:

AA Info./Office: Admin./Misc.:

Committee Reports:

Area 12 Liaison: Mike C.: – Opened with the upcoming 2025 East Northeast Regional Forum being held December 05 2025 - December 07 2025 in Providence Rhode Island. Refer to AA.Org / Events <https://www.aa.org/event/2025-northeast-regional-forum> for additional information.

Mike also stated he needs to resign his position as Area 12 Liason.

Bridging the Gap:

Corrections Commitments: Jack B. / Maureen M. : – Ena filled in with having heard from Jack who stated that, on the men’s side, things are going well. No report has been received from Maureen.

CPC/PI: Robert F.: – Stated that CPC is looking for additional help and support. Anyone who has an interest in this service can meet up with Robert on Wednesday August 13th at Canby Park, 1906 Maryland Ave.

Bob further stated that the CPC/PI Committee exists to familiarize the professional community with Alcoholics Anonymous.

Finance: Gene M. – Refer to the Treasury Report.

Institutional Commitments: Tim W.: – Stated that all of the facility commitments appear to have been filled and all meetings were attended. He offered an unqualified thank you to the membership for their participation!

Further, Intergroup lost a commitment at Gateway House.

Lastly, no meetings are currently being held at Hope House I, II, and III.

Literature: Fara D.: – Shared information from the June Intergroup meeting. Thank you to Christine and the ladies in the office for making this possible.

The Founders Day picnic went well. Sold \$113.00 in literature.

No future events requesting literature at this time.

Newsletter: – Ann Marie B.: – Not Present. Ena filled in with: The Intergroup Newsletter – Coffee Pot Talk – continues to be published to the NDIAA website. There were questionnaires available at the meeting. “History of your group” If a group wished to fill out the questionnaire, return to Intergroup and it will then be published into the Newsletter. Thank you, Ann Marie, for your service!

Special Events: Philomena P. – Not Present – Amy M. filled in with:

- The next event will be October 5, 2025, Fall Breakfast. Tickets are available now. The Special Events Committee will meet to discuss a potential speaker, table centerpieces and a gift for the speaker.
- November 25, 2025, was supposed to be a Halloween Dance but has been replaced with a Bingo Night. The time will be announced at a later date; location will be Limestone Presbyterian Church.

- November 8, 2025, will be another Bingo Night. The time will be announced at a later date; location will be Limestone Presbyterian Church.
- November 28, 2025, the Friday after Thanksgiving, will be the Longtimers' Meeting. Location: Skyline United Methodist Church.

Unity: Carly B. – Opened by asking about Intergroup meeting listings and seeking confirmation whether particular meetings are still active. The membership was helpful in this endeavor.

3rd Annual Speaker Jam will be held sometime in mid/late September. Flyer will be available at the next Intergroup Meeting in September.

Web Chair: Laura D. – Not Present. No Report.

Old Business: None mentioned.

New Business: George M. – The Intergroup, in general, always needs more help. John R. brought up the subject of the Picnic and the Puppeteer. George stated that we will move the picnic to the other pavilion next year, so we are further away from other pavilions.

Noted: **Beginning Monday, August 11**, the General Service Office in New York will operate remotely and will be closed to visitors for 10-12 weeks due to the retrofit of our office space and work on our facilities. If you are planning to visit the General Service Office, please call ahead to confirm.

Serenity Prayer/Adjourn: 7:43 P.M.