

Central Mass. Intergroup Newsletter

September - October 2010

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Officers and Representatives in Attendance

September 11, 2010

Chairperson/Web Coordinator – Coreen	Tuesday Worcester 10:00 AM - Not Present
Vice-Chairperson - Stephanie	Tuesday Worcester 7:00 PM - Not Present
Secretary – Vacant Position	Wednesday Southbridge 7:00 PM - Not Present
Treasurer – Not Present	Thursday N. Leominster 7:00 PM - Not Present
Newsletter & WSBC Delegate – Nancy	Thursday, Shrewsbury 7:00 PM - Not Present
P.O., P.I. Committee – Rose	Thursday Southborough 7:00 PM – Not Present
Region 6 Reps. – Gary & Pam	Friday Putnam, CT 7:00 PM - Not Present
Executel/Hotline - Pam	Friday Worcester 6 :00 PM AdCare - Jodi
Sunday Fitchburg 7:00 PM – Not Present	Friday Worcester 7:00 PM AdCare - Joanne
Sunday Worcester 7:00 PM - Not Present	Friday Southborough 10:00 AM – Not Present
Monday Auburn 7:00 PM - Mary Beth	Saturday Charlton 9:00 AM - Not Present
M/W/F Worcester 7:00 AM - Not Present	Saturday Leominster 8:00 AM - Linda
Tuesday Gardner 6:30 PM – Nancy	Saturday Leominster 10:00 AM - Rose
Tuesday Danielson, CT 7:00 PM - Not Present	Saturday Worcester 7:30 AM – Not Present
Tuesday Westboro 7:00 PM - Not Present	

Donations for August & September

Monday Auburn 7:00 PM	\$200.00	Friday, Putnam, CT 7:00 PM	\$ 35.00
M/W/F Worcester 7:00 AM	35.00	Saturday Worcester 7:30 AM	40.00
Tuesday Westboro 7:30 PM	100.00	Saturday Leominster 8:00 AM	75.00
Thursday Leominster 7:00 PM	150.00	Saturday Charlton 9:00 AM	50.00
Friday Southborough 10:00 AM	50.00		

Officers and Representatives in Attendance

October 2, 2010

Chairperson/Web Coordinator – Coreen	Tuesday Worcester 10:00 AM - Not Present
Vice-Chairperson - Stephanie	Tuesday Worcester 7:00 PM - Not Present
Secretary – Vacant Position	Wednesday Southbridge 7:00 PM - Not Present
Treasurer – Tom	Thursday N. Leominster 7:00 PM - Not Present
Newsletter & WSBC Delegate – Nancy	Thursday, Shrewsbury 7:00 PM - Not Present
P.O., P.I. Committee – Rose	Thursday Southborough 7:00 PM – Pat
Region 6 Rep. & Executel/Hotline – Pam	Friday Putnam, CT 7:00 PM - Not Present
Sunday Fitchburg 7:00 PM – Susan	Friday Worcester 6 :00 PM AdCare - Jodi
Sunday Worcester 7:00 PM - Not Present	Friday Worcester 7:00 PM AdCare – Not Present
Monday Auburn 7:00 PM - Mary Beth	Friday Southborough 10:00 AM – Alice
M/W/F Worcester 7:00 AM - Not Present	Saturday Charlton 9:00 AM - Not Present
Tuesday Gardner 6:30 PM – Nancy	Saturday Leominster 8:00 AM – Not Present
Tuesday Danielson, CT 7:00 PM - Not Present	Saturday Leominster 10:00 AM - Rose
Tuesday Westboro 7:00 PM - Not Present	Saturday Worcester 7:30 AM – Not Present

Thanks to all who gave service by attending CMI meetings.

Packets for Health Care Professionals

The CMI Professional Outreach/Public Information Coordinator will be sending packets for health care professionals to each of CMI's groups for distribution in their areas. Individual volunteers are also needed to take packets to health offices in schools.

MEETINGS OF THE MONTH!!

NOVEMBER: Friday 6:00 PM – Big Book Meeting
AdCare Hospital
Worcester, MA

DECEMBER: Thursday 7:00 PM – Literature Meeting
Southborough Library
Southborough, MA

Free Workshops Available to Intergroups or Individual Groups

Region 6 is offering workshops on "Service & Traditions" and "How to Make Your Intergroup or Group Stronger." These workshops can be held either for a four-hour period or for an entire weekend. An Intergroup or group needs to provide a meeting place, and all other expenses will be funded by Region 6,

CMI Meeting

Next meeting will be held on Saturday, November 6. All are welcome to join us at the Unitarian Universalist Church, Holden St., Worcester, MA from 8:45–9:45 AM.

CMI Elections Held on October 2nd

The following Central Mass. Intergroup officers & representatives were elected for 2010-11:

Chairperson (2nd term) – Coreen
Vice-Chairperson – Susan
Treasurer – Tom
Secretary – Stephanie
Newsletter – Nancy
Executel/Hotline – Pam
Professional Outreach/Public Information Coordinator – Rose
Region 6 Reps. – Pam & Rose
World Service Business Conference Delegate – Nancy

Upcoming Events

IDEA DAY – International Day of Experiencing Abstinence

Sponsored by North Shore Intergroup

Saturday, November 20 – 1:00-4:00 PM (Registration 12:30 PM)

Beverly Hospital – Northeast Health Systems
Herrick Street
Beverly, MA

For directions, visit the CMI website at the following link:
http://www.centmassint.org/files/2010_IDEA_DAY.pdf

MARATHON 2011 – OA in Action

Sponsored by Western Mass. Intergroup

Saturday, January 8, 2011 (snow date 1/15/11) – 8:30 AM – 3:00 PM

St. David's Episcopal Church
699 Springfield Street
Feeding Hills, MA

REGION 6 SPRING ASSEMBLY

Saturday, April 9, 2011

Best Western Sovereign Hotel
Western Avenue, Albany, NY

A GUIDED JOURNEY THROUGH THE 12 STEPS OF OA

Sponsored by Western Mass. Intergroup

June 3, 4 & 5, 2011

Genesis Spiritual Life Center
53 Mill Street
Westfield, MA

Contact person: Roberta at wmiretreat@oawmass.org or (413) 862-9627

Region 6 Seeking Articles for Newsletter

At the Region 6 Assembly, Intergroups were encouraged to share ideas as well as to do service by submitting stories for the Region 6 Newsletter on the topic of *Our Intergroup and What Makes It Work*. E-mail your story to: newsletter@oaregion6.org.

Random Words of Wisdom

“You said that as long as I put A.A. first in my life, everything I put second would be first class.”
(*Alcoholics Anonymous Big Book*, Fourth Edition, p. 337)

“Acceptance is the answer to all my problems today. When I am disturbed, it is because I find some person, place, thing, or situation—some fact of my life—unacceptable to me, and I can find no serenity until I accept that person, place, thing, or situation as being exactly the way it is supposed to be at this moment. Nothing, absolutely nothing, happens in God’s world by mistake.” (*Alcoholics Anonymous Big Book*, Fourth Edition, p. 417)