

RVA ACA Intergroup Meeting Minutes
Thursday 11/21/24

Starting Time of Meeting: 7:06 PM

In attendance: Chris H., Cliff B., Marty Y., Laura M., Tamara R., Debbie D.

Meeting Opens with Serenity Prayer

Treasurer's Report (Cliff B.)

October Donations:

October Expenses:

October Balance:

Status of Prudent Reserve (\$200):

Cliff reported that all expenses for the October 12 picnic have been reimbursed. He confirmed that we do have our prudent reserve of \$200.

Group treasurers should make out their Intergroup donation checks to ACA Intergroup Richmond VA and mail them to Cliff Bruce, 11512 Ivy Home Terrace, Richmond VA 23233.

Secretary's Report (Debbie D.)

Debbie had nothing to report.

Chairperson's Report (Chris H.)

Chris had nothing to report.

Public Outreach Committee Report (Marty Y.)

Marty has come up with a Newcomer's handout that sounds very good. It will need to be condensed some to be presented as a tri-fold brochure for both community resource centers as well as for the groups to have available. He guesses that 75 - 100 copies would be good to start with. Marty said that he will do this by 1/1/25

If anyone is interested in working with Marty on Public Outreach, contact him at 804-355-2318 or paintwagon@hotmail.com

Literature Committee Report (Vacant)

Tech Support Report (Vacant)

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Old Business

Cliff: status of automatic payment system like Venmo or Zell - Cliff has not gotten around to checking out autopayments with Truist. Debbie said that she will check into it.

Intergroup service positions of Literature Chair + Tech Support still vacant.

New Business

Cliff came up with the idea that Intergroup could accept both the Intergroup and WSO donations from the groups and write a check to send on the WSO portions so that the groups don't have to get a checking account. Discussion ensued. It appears that the "Freedom from the Past" meeting in-person Monday meeting may be the only group that doesn't have a group checking account. The group decided that it wouldn't be a good idea to handle the groups' WSO contributions - that it goes against Tradition 4: Each group should be autonomous except in matters affecting other groups or A.A. as a whole. Also, we don't want to encourage a state of codependency with the groups by doing for them what they can do for themselves.

Chris said that he'll talk to Claudia again about doing a zoom call to go over the steps for setting up a group checking account that doesn't require bank fees.

Announcements -

Intergroup has a pressing need for someone to volunteer as **Literature Committee Chairperson** as well as **Tech Support**. Contact Intergroup at contact@rvaacadff.org if you're interested in either of these positions.

Close Meeting with the ACA Serenity Prayer 8:45 PM

The next Intergroup meeting will convene via zoom on Thursday, 12/19/24 at 7:00.

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RVA ACA Intergroup meets on the third Thursday of each month via zoom.

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