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#### COR Meeting

September 18, 2005

1119C Johnston St.,  
Lafayette, La. 6:00 PM

#### AGENDA

Open with the Serenity  
Prayer

Sign-in

Secretary's Report

Treasurer's Report

Office Manager's Report

Committee Reports

District Liaison Reports

Old Business

New Business

Close with the Lord's Prayer

### HURRICANE KATRINA RELIEF INFORMATION

has been added to **The Louisiana Area Assembly Website**. If you know the whereabouts of, or are trying to locate a member of Alcoholics Anonymous from the New Orleans area, please visit <http://www.aa-acadiana.org/> and use the Hurricane Katrina info link.

### UPCOMING CHRISTMAS PARTIES

12/22/2005—Serenity Group of New Iberia

12/17/2005—Acadiana Central Office  
Further information concerning these parties to come later

### CONVENTION RESCHEDULING

ICYPAA 48—was supposed to be held Labor Day Weekend in New Orleans, unfortunately had to be postponed. As soon as new dates are scheduled, we will post them in the PIJ.

Cajun Country Conference—Our area convention had to be postponed as well. As soon as the new scheduled dates are available, we will have them printed here as well.

The Scott Group invites you and your group to the  
**22nd Annual Chicken and Sausage Gumbo**

November 12, 2005  
St. Jules Church Hall  
(corner of Macon and St. Jules St.)

6:30—Fellowship  
7:00—eat Gumbo  
8:00—Speaker T.B.A  
9:00—Door Prizes and 50/50 Raffle

A-L please bring potato salad or favorite dish  
M-Z please bring bread or dessert  
Coffee and Kool-aid will be provided  
\*\*all proceeds go to Acadiana Central Office\*\*



### ANY LENGTHS HALLOWEEN PARTY

Sat., October 29, 2005 at 7pm

Live Music  
Speaker  
Costumes encouraged  
Chili and soft drinks provided  
Dance  
Free admission



### UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS TO BENEFIT LASCYPAA.org

Sat., 10'29'2005—Halloween Carnival  
St. Barnabas Church  
6:30—Carnival Begins  
8:00—Daphne P. (Reflections)  
9:30—Costume Contest

Fri., 11/11/2005—A Night of Big Books  
Riverside Church of Christ  
6:00—Snacks and Sodas  
6:30—Big Book Trivia... Bring your book and win a prize  
8:00—Bobby B.  
(BIG BOOK THUMPER)  
2nd edition BB as a free DoorPrize  
1st edition BB as a raffle item

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**ACADIANA AREA CENTRAL OFFICE REPRESENTATIVES MEETING  
Minutes from August 21, 2005**

The meeting was called to order by Susan T and opened with the Serenity Prayer.

The attendees were:

<u>Steering Committee</u>		<u>Central Office Representatives</u>	
Chairman	Susan T	New Way	Gloria TL
Vice Chairman	Lloyd P	Reflections	Kathy R
Activities	Todd D	Serenity	Lionel L
Treasurer	Jim E	Sun Up	Louie L
Communications	Kristie G	??	Greg
<u>Central Office Representatives</u>			
Abbeville Area	Ronnie H		
Faith	Grace K		

The July **minutes** were read by Kristie G and accepted as read. Schanda C was not able to attend.

**Treasurer's Report:** Jim E reported a starting balance of 2,500.00, a regular total income of 1423.77, and a sales income of 2053.95, for a total income of 3477.72. The regular expenses were 2015.01, sales expenses were 1172.92, for a total of expenses of 3187.93 for the month of July. The net income total was 289.79. We then transferred 289.79 back to the prudent reserve, leaving 2,500.00 for the regular working balance. Treasurer's report was accepted.

**Office Manager's Report** The Best of Bill soft cover **is** in the Central Office, it sells for \$5.65.

- 6 Twelve-Step calls
- 279 Meeting information calls
- 11 Other calls
- 0 Meeting lists mailed
- 3 Meeting Lists faxed
- 7 AI-Anon info
- 4 Office information calls
- 151 Walk-ins
- 61 Sales of merchandise
- 6 Internet Inquiries

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Activities:** Todd D informed us that the Christmas Party will be 12/17/05. Lloyd will check on the bbq pit for the party.

**Communication:** Kristie G, 120 newsletters were printed and 110 were distributed. Report was accepted.

**Contact:** Kathleen R was not present.

**Website:** Greg reported that there have been 60217 hits since 9/2003.

**DISTRICT LIAISON REPORTS**

**District 13E:** None

**District 13B:** None

**District 13C:** Rick R said that there is \$1500.00 in the prudent reserve. He asked COR's to ask groups about topic interest for the workshop. Possibly Bob D, from Las Vegas, can do "Self-centered to God Centered"

**OLD BUSINESS**

None.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Serenity Christmas Party will be 12/22/05.

The meeting adjourned and was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

**Next meeting to be held September 18, 2005 at 6:00 PM at 1119-C Johnston (behind Domino's).**

**Office Manager's Corner**

**ATTENTION.....ATTENTION!!!!**

The increase in book prices took effect on July 1, 2005

**NEW!! Best of Bill soft cover \$5.65**

**For the month of August, the Office**

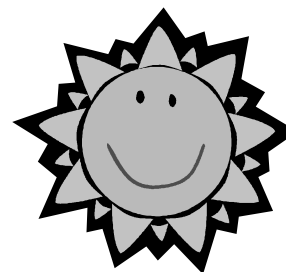
**Mgr. Pat d. reports the following activity:**

12-Step Calls	7
Meeting Info Calls	270
Walk Ins	138
Office Information	9
Al-Anon Info	5
Other Calls	9
Meeting Lists Faxed	4
Internet Inquiries	10
Sales of Merchandise	96
Meeting Lists Mailed	1

**The following members served as volunteers manning the office on Thursdays and Fridays during the month of August:**

- Aug 4 Deneise H.
- Aug 5 Walter T.
- Aug 11 Bill S
- Aug 12 Ed G
- Aug 18 Greg C
- Aug 19 Walter T
- Aug 25 Deneise H
- Aug 26 Walter T

**The Sunlight Of The Spirit**



# SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

## 846 YEARS OF SOBRIETY

Bill Mc	9/21/72 Old Timers Group	33 yrs	Libby C.	9/13/99 Downtown Group	6 yrs
Mike D.	9/13/76 Sun Up	29 yrs	David C.	9/13/99 Liberty Group	6 yrs
Larry M.	9/5/79 Opelousas Group	26 yrs	Peggy B.	9/13/99 Living Sober	6 yrs
Doug J.	9/26/80 Hub City	25 yrs	Paul R.	9/15/99 Living Sober	6 yrs
Madeline G.	9/23/82 Sobriety & Beyond	23 yrs	Robert S.	9/16/99 Living Sober	6 yrs
Sid D.	9/26/82 New Way	23 yrs	Leisa G.	9/25/99 Downtown Group	6 yrs
Rick R.	9/27/82 Refections	23 yrs	Mary M.	9/9/00 Abbeville Area	5 yrs
Russell R.	9/4/84 Scott	21 yrs	Brent V.	9/20/00 Serenity Group N.I.	5 yrs
Fred S.	9/15/85 Hub City	20 yrs	Bradley M.	9/21/00 Lafayette Group	5 yrs
Ricky D.	9/23/85 Abbeville Area	20 yrs	Jon N.	9/3/01 Sun Up	4 yrs
Annette B.	9/30/85 Freedoms Choise	20 yrs	Caroline N	9/7/01 Twelve At Twelve	4 yrs
Jim Van E.	9/7/86 Dry Dock	19 yrs	Leanne L	9/7/01 Twelve At Twelve	4 yrs
Phil M.	9/15/86 Refections	19 yrs	Brandi S.	9/11/01 Twelve At Twelve	4 yrs
Teresa H.	9/8/87 Sun Up	18 yrs	Scott	9/16/01 Abbeville Area	4 yrs
Pat C.	9/13/87 New Way	18 yrs	Nicole D.	9/18/01 Courage To Change	4 yrs
Ronnie B.	9/18/87 Old Timers Group	18 yrs	Carol J.	9/21/01 Abbeville Area	4 yrs
Linda L.	9/3/88 Courage To Change	17 yrs	Jeremy G.	9/23/01 3rd Street Park Crowley	4 yrs
Mary Lee M.	9/3/88 Primary Purpose	17 yrs	Michael I.	9/23/01 Abbeville Area	4 yrs
Mary Lee M.	9/3/88 Willing To Be Willing	17 yrs	Michael Z.	9/27/01 Courage To Change	4 yrs
Mary Lee M.	9/5/88 Willing To Be Willing	17 yrs	Sandy H.	9/1/02 Courage To Change	3 yrs
Donna T.	9/10/88 Lafayette Group	17 yrs	Chad R.	9/4/02 Courage To Change	3 yrs
Nancy R.	9/4/89 Downtown Group	16 yrs	Aiesha L.	9/6/02 Serenity Group N.I.	3 yrs
Joanne V.	9/9/89 Sun Up	16 yrs	Lon L.	9/7/02 Courage To Change	3 yrs
David M,	9/10/90 Freedoms Choise	15 yrs	Preston P.	9/11/02 3rd Street Park Crowley	3 yrs
Charles L.	9/11/90 Queen City/Gratitude	15 yrs	John C.	9/11/02 Courage To Change	3 yrs
Jason H.	9/25/90 Abbeville Area	15 yrs	Nornas L.	9/13/02 Abbeville Area	3 yrs
Ken S.	9/27/90 Abbeville Area	15 yrs	Anna M.	9/17/02 Any Lengths	3 yrs
Monte T.	9/20/92 In Step New Iberia	13 yrs	Jude G.	9/2/03 Scott	2 yrs
George A.	9/3/93 Courage To Change	12 yrs	Frank M	9/3/03 Courage To Change	2 yrs
Ryan D.	9/10/94 Simply Sober	11 yrs	Jonathan M.	9/3/03 Courage To Change	2 yrs
Penny C.	9/17/94 Courage To Change	11 yrs	Seth B.	9/3/03 Courage To Change	2 yrs
Marian L.	9/12/95 Simply Sober	10 yrs	Cynthia W.	9/6/03 Courage To Change	2 yrs
Bob W.	9/18/95 Downtown Group	10 yrs	Lester W.	9/6/03 Courage To Change	2 yrs
Johnny L.	9/4/97 Serenity Group N.I.	8 yrs	Kim R.	9/7/03 Courage To Change	2 yrs
Bryan L.	9/7/97 Courage To Change	8 yrs	James B.	9/9/03 Abbeville Area	2 yrs
Brad D.	9/18/97 Primary Purpose	8 yrs	Lewis H.	9/9/03 Faith Group	2 yrs
Ricky B.	9/22/97 Abbeville Area	8 yrs	Jackie G.	9/12/03 Abbeville Area	2 yrs
Wm. "Ted" B	9/25/97 Freedoms Choise	8 yrs	Scottie V.	9/16/03 Downtown Group	2 yrs
Shannon K.	9/5/98 Sun Up	7 yrs	Teddy R.	9/23/03 Abbeville Area	2 yrs
Elliott B.	9/7/98 New Way	7 yrs	Wesley F.	9/24/03 Any Lengths	2 yrs
Randall M.	9/27/98 Scott	7 yrs	Victor A. Sr.	9/7/04 Opelousas Group	1 yr
Nick B.	9/28/98 Hub City	7 yrs	Sam J.	9/15/04 Freedoms Choise	1 yr
Bill U.	9/29/98 North Side Gratitude	7 yrs	Mark	9/21/04 Duson Willing To Believe	1 yr
Gerald M.	9/1/99 Hang In There	6 yrs	Monica L.	9/21/04 Freedoms Choise	1 yr
Brian R.	9/1/99 Liberty Group	6 yrs	Chris S.	9/23/04 Truman Group	1 yr
Dusty W.	9/4/99 Area Group Of BB	6 yrs	Ron H.	9/27/04 Sun Up	1 yr
Dee H.	9/5/99 New Way	6 yrs	Susan R.	9/29/04 Last Chance Acceptance	1 yr

### Things We Cannot Change (In Memoriam)

<b>Katherine H.</b>	<b>Lafayette</b>
<b>Dot. M.</b>	<b>Sunday Morning Fellowship</b>
<b>Louis "Frere" K.</b>	<b>New Way Group</b>
<b>Willis D.</b>	<b>Abbeville Area</b>

**Pete R.**  
**Sharlus Y.**  
**Madelyn B.**  
**Glynn S.**  
**Beldon F.**  
**John D.**  
**Johm B.**

### SICK BAY 2005

**Bienvenue**  
**Freedom's Choice**  
**Last Chance Acceptance**  
**New Way Group**  
**Queen City/Gratitude**  
**Truman Group**  
**Faith**

July 31 – September 11, 2005

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>
<b>SEPTEMBER 11</b> 3:00 – LASCYPAA meeting  6:30 – District 13 T & C, PI/CPC 300 E. Martial , Laf	<b>SEPTEMBER 12</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 13</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 14</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 15</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 16</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 17</b>
<b>SEPTEMBER 18</b>  6:00 - COR 1119C JOHNSTON, LAF	<b>SEPTEMBER 19</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 20</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 21</b>  6:00 – District 13E 115 Leonie St., Laf	<b>SEPTEMBER 22</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 23</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 24</b>
<b>SEPTEMBER 25</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 26</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 27</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 28</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 29</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 30</b>	<b>OCTOBER 1</b>
<b>OCTOBER 2</b>	<b>OCTOBER 3</b>	<b>OCTOBER 4</b>	<b>OCTOBER 5</b>	<b>OCTOBER 6</b>	<b>OCTOBER 7</b>  ARKYPAA	<b>OCTOBER 8</b>  ARKYPAA
<b>OCTOBER 9</b> ARKYPAA 3:00 – LASCYPAA meeting 6:30 – District 13 T & C, PI/CPC 300 E. Martial , Laf	<b>OCTOBER 10</b>	<b>OCTOBER 11</b>	<b>OCTOBER 12</b>	<b>OCTOBER 13</b>  6:00 – District 13B St. Joseph’s Church Hall	<b>OCTOBER 14</b>	<b>OCTOBER 15</b>
<b>OCTOBER 16</b>  6:00 - COR 1119C JOHNSTON, LAF	<b>OCTOBER 17</b>	<b>OCTOBER 18</b>	<b>OCTOBER 19</b>  6:00 – District 13E 115 Leonie St., Laf	<b>OCTOBER 20</b>	<b>OCTOBER 21</b>	<b>OCTOBER 22</b>