

August 2023 Mid-Continent Intergroup - August 8, 2023

The August 8, 2023 meeting of the Mid-Continent Intergroup was opened with the Serenity Prayer at 6:00 pm via Zoom and in person at Mt. Vernon UMC.

ATTENDANCE: Lee Ann Y (President), Mary B (V Chair), Cyndy C (Secretary), Melissa O (Treasurer), Ginny (Pub. Outreach), Mary Beth H (Lit. Chair), Marilyn F (Parliamentarian), Laura L (Mon. AM Rep.), Bertie (Mon. PM Rep.), Russell B (Thurs. PM rep, Eldorado), Judy D. (Sat. PM rep.)

PARLIAMENTARIAN: We did have a quorum.

RECORDING SECRETARY: July minutes approved as circulated.

TREASURER:

Mid-Continent Intergroup Inc.

Treasurer Report - July 2023

Beginning Balance July 1, 2023 (From 6/31/2023) \$ 8,846.60

Deposits - July 2023

Wichita, Mon AM (7/5/2023) 30.00

Wichita, Sat AM (7/5/2023) 72.00

Total Receipts \$102.00

Disbursements - July, 2023

Ck. 1037- MVUMC - Room donation June 50.00

Ck. 1039 - Lee Ann Y - Internet Security 119.00

Ck. 1040 - MVUMC- Room donation July 50.00

Total Expenses 219.00

Total decrease For July 31, 2023 (117.00)

General Checking Ending Balance July 31, 2023 \$ 8,729.60

Prudent Reserve ending balance June 30, 2022 2,932.97

VICE CHAIR - (Mary B)

Vice Chair Report

Kansas Day 2023

Kansas Day

7 people have pre-registered for Kansas Day. In addition, 1 person has donated a \$10.00 scholarship. 6 of these people are from the Mid-Continent. Flyers have been mailed to Independence Group. Attempts at contacting Concordia have been made with no response. Kansas Day is in less than 5 weeks. Please continue to encourage meeting members to attend.

LITERATURE: (Mary Beth H)

Literature Chair Report July 2023

Beginning Balance as of July 1 \$343.59

Deposits

Reward Deposit July 3 0.05

Total Increase \$0.05

Expenses

Total Expenses \$00.00

Net Increase/Decreases \$0.05

Ending Balance as of July 31 \$343.64

Deposit for newcomer literature and Newton order will be reflected in August.

Region 4 Representative (William)

No report

WSBC DELEGATE:

No report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

PUBLIC OUTREACH CHAIR (GINNY F)

Mid-Continent Intergroup Public Outreach Committee

8/8/23 IG Meeting

- Cumulative Expenses: No change from last month.

Date	Item	Vendor	Item Total
April '21	PO Materials (Literature & Posters)	WSO	\$55.20
May '21	Labels	Office Max	\$ 51.57
Jun '21	Bookmarks	Quick Print	\$ 73.10
Jun '21	Stickers	Signs Now	\$ 148.22
Jun '21	Professional Outreach Packets	WSO	\$ 120.08
Aug' 21	Postage - Barb H.	UPS Store	\$ 5.54
Aug '21	PO Materials (Literature & Posters)	WSO	\$ 55.80
Sep '21	3 Sign Holders & Literatue Holder	Office Max	\$ 35.54
Oct '21	Professional Outreach Packets	WSO	\$ 119.36
Oct '21	Return Address Sized Labels	Office Max	\$ 17.19
Oct '21	Rolling Cart	Office Max	\$ 34.93
Aug '21	PO Materials (Literature & Posters)	WSO	\$ 54.60
Oct '21	Live Well with Diabetes Health Fair	Great Plains Diabetes	\$ 75.00
Feb '22	PO Materials (Literature)	WSO	\$ 100.68
Mar '22	Hutchinson Family Health Fair	Soroptomist International of Hutchinson	\$ 55.00
Sep '22	Live Well with Diabetes Health Fair	Great Plains Diabetes	\$ 75.00
Oct '22	PO Materials (Literature)	WSO	\$ 40.80
Oct '22	Vinyl & Labor for Printing Logo & Name on Table Cloth	Lindsey McCartney	\$ 65.00
Jan. '23	Bookmarks	Quick Print	\$ 52.39
Feb '23	PO Materials (Literature)	WSO	\$ 95.40
Feb '23	PO Materials (Literature)	WSO	\$ 23.75
Mar '23	Labels & Clips	Office Max	\$ 37.17
May '23	Professional Outreach Packets	WSO	\$ 115.25

TOTAL CUMULATIVE EXPENSES: \$1,506.57

TOTAL INITIAL BUDGET: \$ 1,000.00

AMOUNT REMAINING FROM INITIAL BUDGET: \$ -

TOTAL ADDITIONAL BUDGET (Approved in Oct. '21 Mtg.): \$ 1,000.00

AMOUNT REMAINING FROM ADDL. BUDGET: \$ 493.43

- Action Item Update:
 - Radio Advertisements - PO committee met in late July.
 - KMUW Wichita Public Radio: FCC requires that public radio stations must include the phrase "Support for 'XYZ Radio Station' provided by 'ABC Company'...". This would violate the 6th tradition of not endorsing outside enterprises. However, KMUW does not have to do that with their digital ads on their webpage & app. At this point the committee decided not to pursue KMUW digital ads and look at for-profit radio stations instead.
 - We are contacting 3 local radio stations and are compiling the rate information. Based on the information received so far, a 1 month ad campaign will cost between \$2,000 and \$3,700 for an ad that will play an average of three times a day Monday-Sunday.
 - The committee would like to make a motion to set aside an additional \$2,000 to be used for a potential radio campaign.

AD HOC NEWCOMER CHAIR: MARY B

I have received all the literature for 50 new packets on 7/22/23 and have given out the following:

10 packets for Independence meeting

10 were given to Sat. am meeting

7 for Newton meeting (they took 3 from Sat. am meeting to hold them over)

10 were given to Wed. Big Book meeting

I also purchased envelopes as the folders were not containing the literature well.

We have only 13 packets left to hand out as of today 8/7/23.

We may want to look at the cost of doing this the next time we run out.

Send 4 to Bertie.

We would like to have another night meeting.

OFFICE PHONE MESSAGES: No report

WEBSITE/COMMUNICATION CHAIR:

- We do not have a chair at this time.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Region IV Dissolution

Lee Ann Y is setting up a Region Realignment Ad Hoc Committee. She will chair the committee and it will meet initially by Zoom at 6:00 PM. It will meet once a month on Tuesday nights, 2

weeks after the intergroup meeting. This will start on August 22nd. Each meeting will last 30 minutes. Please encourage people from your meeting to join. The first meeting will be Brainstorming the Process and assigning action items.

New Business:

- a. Election
 - Office Candidate (s)
 - Chair Lee Ann Y
 - Treasurer Melissa O
 - Communication Chair (until 2024) Marilyn F.
 - Public Outreach None
 - Reg 4 Rep Barbara H
 - WSBC Delegate (until 2024) Mary B

We started with the partial slate of officers that are running unopposed.

A motion was made by Ginny F and seconded by Russell B.

If you vote for this motion that means you accept all of these candidates. If you vote opposed that means you want us to vote separately on each candidate. The motion passed.

There are two candidates running for Parliamentarian. Russell withdrew and Bertie is the new Parliamentarian.

The meeting adjourned at 6:44PM. We closed with the OA Promise. The next meeting will be at 6:00PM, on September 12, 2023, via Zoom and in person at the Mount Vernon Methodist Church.

Submitted,
Cyndy C. Secretary

