

# Tri-County Intergroup Meeting

## Sunday, October 17, 2021

**Open with Serenity Prayer** – Emily G.

TCIO Purpose – Karol B.

12 Traditions – Nick ET.

Attendance: 13

### Officers Reports:

**Chair** – Emily G: Area Assy attended. Chaired by Emily J.  
9 people attended: Representatives from 4 of our 5 intergroups in Area 62 in attendance including Grand Strand, Tricounty, Lowcountry and Greater Columbia

#### Tricountry Intergroup:

- Recently had Soberfest on Folly Beach - We had a great turnout! Our events chair is planning on Spiritually Lit and a Gratitude Dinner this fall
- Communications committee is working towards more focus on the spirit of rotation for phone line assignments, they are trying to have groups answer the phones 24 hours/day versus utilizing an answering service, updating 12 Step Call List, Encouraging more member involvement
- Intergroup board member terms are ending this year.
- Meeting Schedule Chair and Website Chair continue to work diligently keeping meeting schedules current and up to date. Both in print and the website - [Tcio.org](http://Tcio.org)

#### Lowcountry Intergroup:

- Answering service used 24/7 - Calls transferred assigned AA member or alternate for that day.
- Newly appointed literature chair has been going out to groups to sell literature - "Trudging Book Store"
- Founders Day in person - great turnout!
- "Fall Picnic" October 11 W/ Service Workshop, hosted by Rick P
- Not currently printing schedules - only bookmarks W/ QR code linking to the meeting guide app

#### Greater Columbia:

- Book sales recently have greatly increased, placing orders weekly
- Book marks printed W/QR code linked to Meeting Schedule on Website
- Live AA member answer the phone line 24 hours/day, currently updating their 12 Step Call List
- Recently added District 31 meetings to their meeting schedules

**Districts 40, 50 and 51** Currently are not part of an intergroup in our area - Dave N. From Greater Columbia is working on adding meetings from these districts to the Greater Columbia meeting schedule

**Co-Chair** – Ashley G: Not Present

**Treasurer** – Charlie F: Spreadsheet shared on screen. Contact Charlie for copy request. Donations from individuals, unable to locate which home grp to attribute to.

**Alt Treasurer** – Sallie: Working on transitioning information from Treasurer.

**Secretary** – Cynthia R: Not present

**Alt. Secretary** – Karol B: Thanks Emily for taking minutes last month. Email [tinytaz1@aol.com](mailto:tinytaz1@aol.com) if corrections needed.

**Communications** – Brian S: Not Present

**Office Mgr.** – Pete L: Not Present

**Special Events** – Courtney B: Nov. 6 Spiritually Lit Beach Bonfire Mtg. 7-10pm. Fliers coming soon. Volunteers needed; anyone need service work contact Courtney B  
Gratitude Night for Gratitude Month. Venue suggestions?  
Maybe WAG?

**Website** – Christy T: TCIO Website:

- Averaging 550 hits per day
- Please look at the Zoom and In-Person meeting pages, if you see any updates needed for your group, please email: [tciocharleston@gmail.com](mailto:tciocharleston@gmail.com)

**Schedules** – Elizabeth J: 30 New Mtg. Updates and still coming in. May need new printing? Need newly printed schedules to get out to mtgs, most are preCOVID. Out of date.

**PI/CPC** – Patrick W: Waiting for updated budget. 5 Displays going out Water Supply.

**Treatment** –Mike H(email): Need more groups involved.... 14 out of 72. Get the word out.

- Committee Mtg held 9/22, 14 groups present.
- MUSC 5 days week. Tues-Thur & Sun. 3ppl max, mask required.
- Charleston Vet has an open slot Mon. @ 7:30 in November.
- Palmetto Center 4 days a week. Schedule change: From Tues evening to Sat 4pm, help needed filling this slot. All guests require vaccination & masks.
- Treatment Chair for TCIO elections held for next term.

### Old Business:

**New Business:**

SSAASA is November 19-21 on ZOOM.

Elections are in Dec. All positions open. Pass it on to all Groups. Show up and learn more about the workings of Alcoholics Anonymous. Service is Sanity.

**Group Reports:**

<p>Acceptance –</p> <p>As Bill Sees It –</p> <p>Berkeley – Roger: No changes, still hybrid Monday and Thursday nights at 8 pm</p> <p>Breech’s Inlet –</p> <p>Citadel Meeting – Patrick W: Brand new meeting –on Wednesday at 6:30pm. Going well. Well attended(10).</p> <p>Cool Hip &amp; Sober –</p> <p>Crowfield Group – Tommy: Doing Well. Meeting Tuesday at 7:30 pm in Presb. Church</p> <p>Daily Reprieve Group – Sallie: Meeting Wed &amp; Sunday hybrid 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday mo. 7:30pm</p> <p>Downtown in the Morning Daniel Island Grp –</p> <p>East Cooper Sunrise – Doing well.</p> <p>Edisto – Sallie: Doing well. Still in Trailer on Plantation Rd. Fri night potluck</p> <p>Eustabafflous –</p> <p>Fellowship of the Spirit –</p> <p>Folly Beach – Elizabeth: Mon 55 Center St. 8pm .All are well attended.</p> <p>God’s Grace (James Island) –</p> <p>Goose Creek –</p> <p>Heritage –</p> <p>Hollywood/Ravenel – Sallie: Attendance is low, Meeting needs support.</p> <p>Holy City Speaker –</p> <p>Just for Today – Elizabeth: Mtg Mon new loc. See Schedule for location.</p> <p>James Island Lighthouse –</p> <p>Johns Island –</p> <p>Keystone –</p> <p>North Area Group – Emily G: All mtgs doing well in person, only Zoom is 7am daily. Tues 8pm Big Book Mtg now on Zoom temp, no schedule update. Same Zoom link as 7am. Halloween party. Sat Oct. 30 after 8pm Candlelight mtg. Flier coming soon. Birthday Bash dinner &amp; mtg 1<sup>st</sup> Fri. Come join us.</p>	<p>Oakbrook –</p> <p>Old Central – Elizabeth: 8 Mtgs weekly Face to Face. Hosting a Play In December. Volunteers needed (service work). More to come.</p> <p>Old Village – Patrick: Meetings Tuesday &amp; Thursday –well attended.</p> <p>Practical Experience –</p> <p>Pre Nooners –</p> <p>Remnants –</p> <p>Riverland Terrace –</p> <p>Ridgeville –</p> <p>Seabreeze –</p> <p>Second Chance – Tommy: Financially not well. Need support for attendance &amp; \$\$</p> <p>Serenity Group –</p> <p>Sober Thursday – Courtney B: Doing well.</p> <p>St Paul’s – Mike H: All 4 meetings in person. Well attended. Sat Newcomers meeting changed to 6:30 pm starting 10/9 in Skardon Hall</p> <p>Summerville –</p> <p>Sunlight of the Spirit –</p> <p>Three Legacies –</p> <p>Trident –</p> <p>Trudgers –</p> <p>West Ashley Grp – Nick ET: Dance 8p Nov 5. DJ maybe live band. All mtgs Wide Open, we are going strong. New Meeting: Sunday 7:30am Meditation Meeting, attendance is great!</p> <p>Whooooaa –</p> <p>Women’s Honesty Hour –</p> <p>WTF (women’s meeting) –</p>
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**Motion to Close:**

**Responsibility Statement**

I am responsible when anyone, anywhere reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there and for that, I AM RESPONSIBLE.

Thank you for allowing me to be of Service,  
Karol B.