

**Minutes from District Meeting
Saturday, March 24, 2001**

Meeting was called to order by D.R. at 10:12 AM.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

In Attendance:

D.R. Report-Gave an up date of the meeting at Klewiston-~~D. Robinson~~ spoke on, "*Life in the Full Circle*" Subjects discussed: considering bids of keeping the assemblies and convention at the same place each year; to petition World Service to make West Coast a separate district. Carolina Strother's letter of resignation was read and accepted with regrets. agreed to fill in the office.

Announcements-Corrected addresses were received and passed onto secretary.

Treasurer's Report- submitted report, copy enclosed.

AISL's Report gave report, she is working on two listings in the phone books and our own answering service. More information on the 2001 resource books will follow. Sarasota will have a Kid's Fair with information booths, the date is uncertain, she will investigate.

Property-All items accounted for after the Gratitude dinner and returned to .

Alateen- reported that the guidance councilor at the new high school being built in North Port is interested in having Alanon contacts. also got a call from an Alateen interesting in starting a meeting, discussion followed. announced new meeting on Monday Night at Fresh Start AFG in North Port, flyer enclosed.

Archives-chairman still needed. G.R.s are to ask their groups for volunteers.

Where & Whens- sent the new ones to the meeting to be distributed.

PIPCPC-I will take new W&W's to . There is a new meeting at the Jewish Community Center on Tuesday at 12:30.

Literature- mailed new price list to all G.R.'s

Old Business- expressed thanks to Chairmen and all members who make the Gratitude Dinner a successful night of fellowship. There was an abundance of food, people, and gifts. Thanks to all who attended. After discussion,

proceeds were distributed; \$500 to Area, \$240 to World Service and the balance to the district. Seven members huddled in the rain for our district's celebration of Alanon's Golden Anniversary at Gilchrist Park in Punta Gorda on Sunday, March 4th.

ALERT- Cut off date is May 12th for S. FLORIDA AREA SPRING ASSEMBLE JUNE 8-10 ON BEAUTIFUL FORT LAUDERDALE BEACH (Flyer attached)

Convention - 12th Annual South Florida Convention in Naples-In depth discussion for a Chairman for the Boutique. Our district is chairing the Boutique. Particulars are in the enclosed guideline. Meetings are in April, May, June, July and August. All G.R.'s are asked to take this IMPORTANT issue back to their meetings. A chairman is needed. Convention date is August 24, 25, 26 at Naples Beach Hotel. A Convention Flyer is enclosed.

Group Issues-Serenity Seekers's attendance is growing--up to 30 to 35 members. New Beginnings growing-wall to wall people. Meeting in Arcadia had nine people. We haven't had feed back from new Horizons in Port Charlotte.

Meeting adjourned with closing prayer at 11:30AM

Submitted by ? Secretary

Next meeting -- May 19, 2001

Remember to bring your *Service Manual*