**November GSR 2020 Conference Call Minutes**

**When: Saturday, November 21, 2020 9:00 am CST**

**Where: Zoom**

**Purpose of meeting is to discuss the business of the Midwest Region of Nar-Anon**

**Call to Order:**  Chair, Ruth 9:02 am CST

Open with the Serenity Prayer led by Christina

Tradition 11 and Concept 11 read by Mary

**Roll Call:** Secretary, Caitlin

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| **Meeting Location -**  **RSC Position** | **GSR** | **Meeting Location -**  **RSC Position** | **GSR** |
| IL Schaumberg | Ilene | MO Chesterfield | Debbie |
| IL Vandalia | Leanne | MO Platte Woods | Rosemary |
| IL Homewood | Joni | WI Madison | Cindy (member, no vote) |
| IL Chicago | Cie | WI Appleton | David |
| IL Villa Park | Christina | WI Wis. Rapids | **Mary**, WI ASR |
| IL Christopher | **Nela** (Alt GSR), RSC Outreach Chair | WI Madison Saturday | Bonnie |
| IN Munster | Dana | WI Madison Tuesday | Suzi |
| IL Bloomington | David | Wi Madison Monday | Peggy |
| KS Emporia | Carla | **RSC** | **Caitlin**, Secretary |
| KS Wichita Tuesday | Gina | **RSC** | **Kevin A**, Treasurer |
| KS Shawnee | Judy | **RSC** | **Theresa**, Delegate |
| KS Topeka Saturday | Gerri | **RSC** | **Cathy**, Alt Delegate |
| MO Kansas City | **Rod**,RSC Webmaster | **RSC** | **Ruth**, Chair |

**Bold** indicates RSC member

\*indicates late to call, did not vote on minutes

**Home Group Reports:**

Vandalia IL, Leanne

4-10 attendees; Zoom=lots of newcomers from out of state; facilitated by Leanne and back-ups; open discussion/topics; not so much step work

Kansas City MO, Rod

Started group to create more options in KC; 6-12 attendees; tried hybrid but building shut back down; Zoom=several out of state members; not so much step work

Next month: Chesterfield MO (Debbie) and Shawnee KS (Judy)

**Discussion Topic:** How to handle disruptive members

<https://www.naranonmidwest.org/sharing-recovery/open-mic-discussions/#healthymeetings>

**OLD BUSINESS**

**Approval of Minutes:**

***MOTION***: Motion to accept the assembly minutes from October 17, 2020 as written

Motion to approve: David

Seconded by: Rod

Assembly docs will be put on website and links to docs will be put on minutes

Unanimously approved

Final tally: 20 yes – 0 no – 0 abstain

*Refer to attendees listed above*

**Financial Report:** Kevin, Treasurer

*See Treasurer Report sent via email & posted on MWR website*

[***Financial Records***](http://www.naranonmidwest.org/member-services/treasurers-reports/)(Midwest website)

Donations: WI Area; Assembly revenue deposit

Expenses: $950 donation to WSO

**Website Report:** Rod, Webmaster

New Year New You 24 one-hour meetings

Six-week service series in 2021

**Outreach Report:** Nela, Outreach Committee Chair

Roundtable 11/8, review handbook

Goal is *attraction* vs. promotion

**Delegate Report:** Theresa, MWR Delegate

East Coast convention moved to Sept. 25-27, 2021

Check out website for new literature

Sharing the Slogans book

Fellowship Review

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. GroupMe app for GSRs to connect with each other

Sign up and/or direct questions to Gina ([gina\_bratt@yahoo.com](mailto:gina_bratt@yahoo.com))

Test it out this month; more discussion at December meeting

**Closing Comments**

Keep Rod and Gina updated about the status of your meetings so they can update the website

Zoom vs. Free Conference Call discussion at December meeting; decision in January

Interest in additional GSR meetings? Discuss at December meeting

**Adjournment:** Prayer for the Growth of Our Fellowship, Ruth

Meeting closed by Chair, Ruth

Adjourned 10:11 am CST

Respectfully submitted by Secretary, Caitlin

GSRs are ***invited*** and ***encouraged*** to email any RSC members with discussion topic recommendations

for next month’s agenda prior to the first Saturday of the month.

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(Please do NOT write “Nar-Anon” on the envelope)

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