

**NWPI Meeting Minutes**  
**March 19, 2026 6pm**

**Attendees:**

Catherine W - Intergroup Chair  
Larry D - IG Chair Alternate  
Ray C - Treasurer  
Amy S. - Woman's Corrections Alt  
Ryan T H&I Alternate  
John R - Technology  
Arron M-R - Answering Service  
Ron H - Literature Chair  
Dick H - Grapevine Chair  
Roseanne M - Secretary  
David W - Trustee  
Linda N - D17  
Heather F  
John M  
Dennis D  
Steven  
Gail  
Tim  
Joseph K  
PJ W  
Mike B  
Michael S  
Michael G

Catherine opened the meeting with Serenity prayer. The attendees introduced themselves.

**Minutes:** The February meeting minutes were approved with one date correction.

**Open IG Positions::** Open positions include Alternate Secretary, Accessibility Chair, Alternate Accessibility, Alternate Answering Service, Alternate Men's Corrections, Alternate Literature, Alternate Website, Alternate Technology. Please let your home groups know about the open positions. Also, anyone interested in serving in a committee can be part of the committee providing the service.

**Subcommittees:**

- Treasurer's Report:
  - Major expenses were for the credit card reader and the lease on the "point of sale" system used by the bookstore.
  - Thank you to all the home groups for your contributions.
  - The February report was accepted.

- H & I / Treatment:
  - Please take only a few of the little red big Books at a time.
  - Tolerance volunteered to go to Novant on the 3rd Wednesday of each month.
  - Schedule change- there will only be a Tuesday night meeting (7-8 pm) at Baptist.
  - Current H&I meetings at Old Vineyard (Tuesday 6:30 - 7:30 pm) and Novant (Monday and Wednesday, 7-8 pm).
  - Hope Valley in Dobson is looking for volunteers. Women meet on Tuesdays, 7-8 pm, and Men meet on Thursdays, 7-8 pm.
  - H&I opportunities are listed at [NWPI.net](http://NWPI.net)
- Accessibilities: No report. The Intergroup needs new volunteers for this position.
- Answering Service: Everything is going well with the Answering Service.
- A possible future direction is for a ride share (to meetings) option to be added.
- Cooperation with the Professional Community/Public Information (CPC/PI):
  - The "Adopt a Doc" information is posted on the website.
  - The substance abuse prevention event at Forsyth Tech went well.
- Men's Corrections:
  - The men have received permission to have AA meetings on Monday nights. Unfortunately, they were not able to have a meeting on Monday 3/16.
  - The group needs male volunteers to carry the message. The application package is on the [NWPI.net](http://NWPI.net) website.
- Women's Corrections:
  - No report.
  - The group needs more female volunteers to carry the message. The application package is on the [NWPI.net](http://NWPI.net) website
- Literature:
  - Home groups volunteers for Saturday literature sales are the 10:30 Group for March and YPG for April.
  - We have started collecting NC state sales tax.
  - A credit card reader has arrived at the bookstore and it is functional.
- Website:
  - The committee was busy at the beginning of the month. Everything is running smoothly.
  - Requests for postings and changes are being received and handled.
  - If groups have events they can be entered into the calendar. Remember to email event flyers, meeting schedule updates, etc to [webservant@nwpi.net](mailto:webservant@nwpi.net)
- Technology: Nothing new to report
- Grapevine:
  - The committee members have attended about half of the local meetings to introduce the Grapevine to the membership.
- District 17:
  - The Western area District pre-conference meeting is on 3/21
- District 18:

- o There will be a Traditions 1-3 workshop on March 28, at the IG Office and Zoom, 3:30 to 5:00 pm. Flyers are on the website.
- District 19: no report

### **Old Business**

1. The conference attendance reimbursement policy was accepted. The IG allocated \$1500 in travel funds as a budget line item with up to \$300 per attendee for 5 events. Money will go to first to committee chairs, then alternates, trusted servants and active committee members. They would have the option to attend applicable AA events and conferences. The money would be used to cover registration, travel, lodging, and food. Since pre-approval of a request is necessary, PLEASE submit requests for travel funds as far in advance as possible.
2. A guideline is being developed to cover how much one person can donate to the Intergroup on an annual basis or can leave as a legacy in their will. Discussion right now is for no more than \$10,000 in a will and \$5,000 per person per year. Currently, GSO accepts no more than \$12,500 in a will and \$7,500 per individual per year.
3. The Intergroup received \$1,046.92 in the current literature drive.

### **New Business**

1. Any IG members wishing to attend the May Area 51 Assembly should submit a request for reimbursement funds ASAP.
2. \$300 from the Big Books drive was allocated to the CPC/PI committee.

### **Upcoming events:** see the flyers at [www.nwpi.net](http://www.nwpi.net)

1. The IG open house and Grapevine event are scheduled for March 28, 10-2 pm
2. District 18 Traditions 1-3 workshop on March 28, at the IG Office and Zoom, 3:30 to 5:00 pm.

### **Announcements/Group news:**

1. **Next meeting:** April 16, 2026 \* HYBRID at 6 pm.

**Adjournment:** Meeting closed with the Responsibility Statement