

Minutes  
OA Southern Maine Intergroup (SMI) Meeting  
**Sunday, May 3, 2015**  
335 Brighton Ave., Portland

*Present (IR= Representative to Intergroup):*

- Danielle L., Portland Sat. meeting IR
- Robin S., Portland Sat. meeting IR
- Gina T., Augusta Sat. meeting IR and Waterville Thurs. meeting IR
- George H, Chair
- Nancy D Portland Tues. meeting IR
- Trish V, Scarborough Mon. meeting IR
- Becky D., Scarborough Thurs. meeting IR
- Cheryl, Brunswick Sun. meeting IR and Region 6 rep
- Quinn B., Treasurer, Region 6 rep, and Brunswick Thurs. meeting IR
- Henry, D., Brunswick Mon. meeting IR

1. Opening and Introductions

2. Reports

2.1. Secretary - Minutes of March 1, 2015 meeting approved as submitted.

2.2. Treasurer - Report approved as submitted.

2.3. Region 6 - Quinn and Cheryl reported on recent Region 6 meeting in Albany, New York.

2.3.1. Folks can sign up for email updates on Region 6 website, including 12 Steps Within newsletter and Region 6 Messenger.

2.3.2. IDEA is the third Saturday in November, and the 12 Steps Within committee has come up with a script to use when calling members not attending meetings.

2.3.3. IGOR (Intergroup Outreach) has a pre-packaged workshop on how to sponsor. Karen R., SMIG's trustee, helped put together "Difference between abstinence and food plans. Keep in mind for upcoming workshops. If group needs a speaker, there is a speaker list on the Region 6 website. IGOR handbook being revised to include electronic updates.

## 2.4. Events Committee

2.4.1. On May 16 in York after the 9:00 a.m. meeting there is a workshop on learning how to sponsor. More information can be found at [www.oamaine.org](http://www.oamaine.org) under "News & Events".

2.4.2. Discussed September 19 (Augusta) and September 26 (Portland) events.

2.4.3. Henry is checking with Cheryl on doing a clothing exchange. IRs are asked to discuss the idea of clothing exchange with their groups to get feedback.

3. Meeting adjourned.