

Clean Acres Area of NA – Area Service Committee

Position	Representative
Chairperson	Charles C
Co-Chair	Jimmy L
Secretary	Nikki D
Treasurer	Jeff G
Co-Treasurer	Vacant
Regional Committee Member	Medford J
Alternate RCM	Vacant
Hospitals and Institutions Chair	Bob N
Hospitals and Institutions Co-Chair	Brad S
Literature Chair	Kim W
Literature Co-Chair	Pat C
Public Relations Chair	Vacant
Public Relations Co-Chair	Vacant
Convention Representative	Vacant
Alternate Convention Rep	Vacant
Unity Chair	Lula H
Unity Co-Chair	Vacant
Policy Chair	Matt O
Policy Co-Chair	Nicole K

Requirements for Vacant Positions

Co-Treasurer:

Two years clean, employed, ability to balance a checkbook, willingness to serve. One year commitment, followed by one year as Treasurer.

PR Chair:

Two years clean and the willingness to serve. One year commitment.

PR Co-Chair:

Two years clean and the willingness to serve. One year commitment, followed by one year as PR Chair.

Convention Rep:

Two years clean and the willingness to serve. One year commitment.

Alternate Convention Rep:

Two years clean and the willingness to serve. One year commitment followed by one year as Convention Rep.

Area Service Committee Meeting – February 2016

7:00 p.m. Meeting opened with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Addicts read the NA Service Paragraph, the Twelve Traditions of NA, and the concept of the month. Charles chaired the meeting.

7:15 p.m. Charles read **Old Business** and the minutes from January ASC were accepted.

Introductions

Charles C	Nikki D	Logan	Joe G	Brian S	Brad S
Max G	Kyle W	Josh D	Jess L	Jimmy L	Pete L
Brad H	Lance L	Shawn T	Robert S	Johnny P	Talib M
Tyrone N	Leola B	Medford J	Rob U	Phil G	Nicole S
Nicole K	Alix C	Hilary G	Heather W	Stephanie T	Christine D
Whitney E	George A	Neil M	Kim W	Pat C	Jeff G
Debbie L	Lula H	Denise W	Tony H	Jackie C	

7:25 Group Reports (filled in at the end of this report)

7:40 Subcommittee Reports

Hospitals and Institutions

2/27/2016 H&I Sub-Committee Report

Opened with serenity prayer, read 12 traditions, 12 concepts and Area H&I policy. Introductions: Bob – Chair, Brad S. – Co-Chair, Max – Secretary, Josh, Jeff, Ozzie, Pat, Julia, Santo, Mike, Brad, Talib, Kyle, Brion, Logan – Literature, Charles, Nicole, Tara.

Read old business

Commitment Reports:

Malvern: Santo stepping down. Mike is stepping up as leader. All is well.

CCCF: Commitments are going well at both the work release and main prison. We need more volunteers to speak at the prison. Handed out basic texts to inmates.

VA PTSD: All is well.

VA 8A-Womens: Debbie and Tara are filling the commitment; missed once due to weather. Debbie requested help for several weeks in which she will not be able to attend and Tara will be filling in.

Gaudenzia: Missed once due to weather. All is well.

VA 39 Wednesday: All is well, good attendance.

VA 39 Sunday: Missed once due to weather. The facility asked us not to come because of the super bowl. Charles needs help because he is looking to step down. Ozzie expressed interest in commitment.

Regional Business

Brad and bob attended region. Suggested we update our contact info for the current facilities we have.

Nominations:

Mike for leader of Malvern nomination **passed**.

New Business:

Talked about needing women to get involved with the VA Women's commitment. We also talked about maybe getting involved in more women's commitments as a whole.

Talked about Bowling Green commitment for Friday nights. We need to start by doing a presentation at the facility. We need people committed to chairing the meeting before we start anything.

Literature Report:

We couldn't order literature yet because we don't have an area treasurer to write a check

Closed with the Serenity Prayer.

Area Unity Sub-Committee Report

2/27/2016 Unity Sub-Committee Report

5:30pm – Opened with Serenity Prayer.

Attendance: Lula H- Unity Chair, Denise W- support, Tony H- support, Jackie C-support, Leola B-support.

Committee Report:

-Read Tradition One.

-Old Business accepted.

New Business:

-Lula and Denise attended the Region of the Clean Acre Area of NA. Met with Unity Rep and left the report with the Unity Chair. Received the check for the event to be held on February 27, 2016 for \$60.00 rental fee for the location, Messiah Lutheran Church.

-We are asking for the \$125.00 from Area that Clean Acres is responsible for toward the event for supplies.

-The Clean Acres Area of NA will be hosting the GPRSCNA Annual Service Marathon at Messiah Lutheran Church, 46 West Lancaster Avenue, Downingtown, PA 19335 from 1pm-6pm. Food, fun and fellowship.

-We will let the Area group know in March about our next event on May 21, 2016.

-We will be making copies of the Unity Policy for addicts that wish to view.

Treasurer Report: No written treasurer report.

Closed with the Serenity Prayer.

Area RCM Report

No written sub-committee report provided

Area Policy Report

Nicole K filled in for Matt O giving the report.

We are sorting through the past four years to find motions affecting Policy so we can add them into the one we have currently.

Area Literature Report

Literature Report for the February ASC

Kim W, Literature Chair, is asking for reimbursement of \$111.36 for opening new bank account (one-time fee), making "Order" copies, fax and literature supplies needed for the remainder of the year, i.e. rubber bands, bags for distribution, and orders from Area, etc. Thank you in advance. **See breakdown of requested money reimbursement below.**

PLEASE NOTE:

Due to the overwhelming orders coming in at the same time, Kim is requesting that all orders be handed in **NO LATER** than **6:30-6:45pm**. All area orders will be put in at the end of the month to Baltimore and we will only be ordering what we are currently selling to keep our balance zero.

There will be NO payments in advance for literature due to starting over a new year and having a low budget. If we sell out we apologize and will order more for next month. Anyone who has a large order of 5 or more books, OR an order over \$100, please call Kim W at 610-620-7925 or email watsonkim1029@gmail.com

Starting Balance: \$523.00
S.R.S. Center Order: \$519.03
 Discount: \$31.14
 Shipping: \$45.52
 Total: \$533.40
Ending Balance: -\$10.40

Reimbursement Breakdown:
 Bank Account: \$25.00
 Copies/Faxes: \$16.36
 Lit. Supplies: \$60.00
 Total: \$111.36

Area Treasurer Report

Due to the new position just being filled, Jeff will start producing written reports from March through the end of the year. We appreciate everyone's patience and understanding.

Old Business

- Motion for the Clean Acres Area to reimburse the Literature Sub-Committee \$333.86 for all shipping charges for the previous year **passed**.
- Motion for the Clean Acres Area to reimburse the Literature Sub-Committee for shipping and bank charges monthly to keep a \$0 balance **passed**.

Open Forum

- Lula from Unity Sub-Committee requested \$125.00 for the upcoming event with Philadelphia this week. Area Policy states that Unity is allotted \$100 per month when requested, so the motion was really asking for \$25 additional dollars to their allowance. **Motion passed**.
- Motion for reimbursement of \$111.36 for literature supplies (*see Literature Sub-Committee Report for breakdown*) **passed**.

New Business

- Hillary G suggested that the Literature Sub-Committee charge a small extra fee in an attempt to cover some of the large shipping costs. We have done this in the past and it worked out well.
- Logan asked to get a New Group Starter Kit for the new meeting on Sundays in West Chester. Literature Sub-Committee provided him with \$25 worth of supplies to get started.
- Ocean City, Maryland Convention is coming up in May for those who are interested.

Group Reports

Group: Anonymous Group

Meeting Place: 10 Liberty Blvd, Malvern PA (Malvern Center)

Day & Time: Fridays 11:00 pm- 12:30 am

Report: Making rent, carrying the message, all is well.

Donation: not reported.

Group: Come Grow with Us:

Location: 9th and Merchant Street, Coatesville PA, 19320 (Second Baptist Church)

Day & Time: Saturday 7:30-9:00 pm

Report: We have just moved to this location March 5, 2016. One new home group member. One last meeting Saturday night, 2/27/2016, at the old meeting spot.

Donation: \$0

Group: Decision and Action:

Location: Manor Presbyterian Church. 505 Street Road. Cochranville, PA 19330

Days & Time: Tuesdays 7pm - 8:00 pm

Report: All is well. We are still carrying the message to the addict who still suffers. Come join us!

Donation: \$40.62

Group: Drug Free in Dub C

Location: Charles A. Melton Arts and Ed Center, 501 East Miner Street, West Chester, PA 19382

Day & Time: Saturdays 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Report: Meeting is thriving. 60-70 in attendance weekly. Hosting a Basketball Tournament March 26th (see flyer.)

Donation: \$0

Group: Easy Does It

Location: Charles A. Melton Arts and Ed Center, 501 East Miner Street, West Chester, PA 19382

Day & Time: Thursday's 7:00 pm - 8:15 pm

Report: Group is doing well. All are welcome.

Donation: not reported.

Group: Find & Feel the Freedom

Meeting Place: Church of the Holy Trinity, 212 South High Street, West Chester, PA 19380

Day & Time: Wednesday s 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Report: Paying rent and carrying the message. All is well.

Donation: \$12.55

Group: Focus Group

Meeting Place: VA Hospital Building #6 2nd Floor, 14700 Blackhorse Hill Road, Coatesville, PA 19320

Day & Time: Tuesdays 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm

Report: All is well. Carrying the message to the addict who still suffers.

Donation: not reported.

Group: Footwork Group of NA

Meeting Place: Messiah Lutheran Church, 46 W Lancaster Ave, Downingtown, PA 19335

Day & Time: Fridays 8:00 pm – 9:30 pm

Report: All is well, newcomer format. Carrying our message to addicts. Brad H celebrated 4 years.

Donation: \$70

Group: Free At Last

Meeting Place: The Malvern Center, 10 Liberty Blvd, Malvern, PA 19355

Day & Time: Mondays 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Report: **No GSR in attendance.**

Donation:

Group: Give It Away Group

Meeting Place: The Malvern Center, 10 Liberty Blvd, Malvern, PA 19355

Day & Time: Sundays 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Report: Group is doing well.

Donation: \$47.30

Group: Good Morning Group

Meeting Place: Quaker Meeting House, 37 N. Whitehorse Road

Day & Time: Saturdays 9:00 am

Report: Group continues to read through the Basic Text and celebrate group member anniversaries. Melody 2 years, Bob K 30 years. We picked up another home group

member. Group plans to vote on the C.A.R. motions. We have a workshop planned for March. We have a group unity day planned for April. Doors open at 6:30am, the fireplace is lit, so come join us for daytime recovery.

Donation: not reported.

Group: Good Orderly Direction

Meeting Place: St. James Episcopal Church, 409 E. Lancaster Ave, Downingtown, PA 19335

Day & Time: Tuesdays 8:00 pm – 9:30 pm

Report: All is well, continuing to carry the message and welcome newcomers.

Donation: not reported.

Group: How & Why It Works

Meeting Place: Atkinson Shelter, 8th & Diamond Alley, Coatesville, PA 19320

Day & Time: Mondays 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

Report: We are carrying the message of recovery and the meetings are going well. We have 2 anniversaries: Carla 2 years and Leola 11 years.

Donation: not reported.

Group: H.O.W. Group

Meeting Place: Honey Brook Methodist Church, 4510 Horseshoe Pike, PA 19320

Day & Time: Sundays 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm & Tuesdays 7:30 pm – 9 pm

Report: Rent is paid, literature purchased, and we are carrying the message.

Donation: not reported.

Group: I Can't, We Can

Meeting Place: St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 121 Church Street, Phoenixville, PA

Day & Time: Thursdays 7:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Report: Making rent and carrying the message.

Donation: \$50.00

Group: Just For Today

Meeting Place: St. Paul's United Church of Christ. 101 Worthington Road. Exton PA, 19341.

Day & Time: Wednesday from 6-7pm.

Report: 2 anniversaries- Christine 13 years and AJ 10 years. All is well and carrying the message.

Donation: not reported.

Group: KSQ Recovers 2

Meeting Place: 210 South Broad Street, Kennett Square, PA

Day & Time: Wednesdays 7:30 pm – 8:45 pm

Report: **No report turned in.**

Donation:

Group: Message of Hope

Meeting Place: Honey Brook Presbyterian Church, 4331 Horseshoe Pike (rte. 322/Main St.), Honey Brook, PA 19344

Day & Time: Thursdays 8:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Report: Carrying the message and very welcoming to newcomers. New HG member Kenny is celebrating 1 year and speaking on ESH March 17th.

Donation: \$3.50

Group: New Life Group

Meeting Place: New Life in Christ Fellowship. 5th and Lincoln Highway. Coatesville PA, 19320.

Day & Time: Thursdays 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Report: 4 new HG members. All is well. Carrying the message.

Donation: \$0

Group: Recovery on the Hill

Meeting Place: Episcopal Church of the Trinity, 323 Lincoln Highway, Coatesville, PA 19320

Day & Time: Saturdays 10:00 am – 11:30 am

Report: All is well. Continuing to carry the message. Giving donation to Area from January of \$80. Donation this month of \$16.76.

Donation: see above.

Group: Saturday Night Solution

Meeting Place: 430 Hannum Avenue, West Chester

Day & Time: Saturday s 11:00 pm – 12:30 am

Report: **No report given.**

Donation:

Group: Spiritual Awakening Group

Meeting Place: Open Arms Transformation Center, 645 E. Lincoln Hwy, Coatesville, PA 19320

Day & Time: Sundays 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm

Report: Spiritual Awakenings is a step meeting group that carries a positive message of recovery. The group is doing well and attendance is great. 4 new HG members. Sean H celebrates 3 years.

Donation: \$14.63

Group: Stairway to Freedom

Meeting Place: The Journey, 200 S. Church Street, West Chester, PA 19382

Day & Time: Mondays 7:00 pm – 8:15 pm

Report: All is well. 4 new HG members. Mike M celebrated 1 year. Dave celebrated 4 years.

Donation: \$0

Group: STAR Group

Meeting Place: St. Andrews Episcopal Church

Day & Time: Tuesdays 7:30-8:30

Report: We are carrying the message. Attendance is up. Shawn C celebrated 7 years on January 27th. John B will be celebrating a year next month. All is well!

Donation: \$51.65

Group: Sunday Steps at Eleven **NEW GROUP**

Meeting Place: Fenns Coffee (Formerly Fennario's) 111 North Church Street, West Chester, PA 19380

Day & Time: Sundays 11am-12:15pm

Report: First meeting was February 14th, 2016. We've met twice since then.

Attendance has been 8-12 people. We would like to request from Area a Group Starter Package.

Donation: \$15

Group: Surrender to Win

Meeting Place: Building #6 (L2) VA Medical Center, 1400 Blackhorse Hill Road, Coatesville, PA 19320

Day & Time: Mondays 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm

Report: **No GSR in attendance**

Donation:

Group: Tuesday Night Group

Meeting Place: Fennario's Coffee House. 111 N. Church Street, West Chester, PA.

Time: Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

Report: **No GSR in attendance.**

Donation:

Group: Twelve Steps to Freedom

Meeting Place: St. Simon and Jude Church Parish Center East, Rte. 3 and 352, West Chester, PA 19382

Time: Fridays 7: 30 pm – 8:45 pm

Report: All is well, we continue to carry a strong NA message at our meetings.

Attendance has been up.

Donation: \$32.00

Group: WAIT Group

Meeting Place: ****NEW MEETING PLACE**** CYWA 423 East Lincoln Highway. Coatesville PA, 19320.

Time: Friday 6:00 – 7:30 pm

Report: **No report given.**

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Donation: not reported.

Group: Wake Up & Smell the Recovery

Meeting Place: The Malvern Center 5B, 10 Liberty Blvd, Malvern, PA 19355

Time: 10:30 am – 11:30 am

Report: Format changed. Will remain a literature meeting but will be working out of the Basic Text. Positions filled and bills paid.

Donation: \$0