

Clean Acres Area of NA – Area Service Committee

Minutes March 18, 2018

Meeting Opened at 7:00 with moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer. Addicts read the NA service paragraph, 12 traditions of NA, and the 12 concepts. Read old business and reviewed & accepted minutes from prior month.

Position	Representative	Present
Chairperson	Patrick C.	Y
Co-Chair	Brad S.	Y
Secretary	Ally S.	Y
Treasurer	John H.	Y
Co-Treasurer	Vacant	-
Regional Committee Member (RCM)	Vacant	-
Alternate RCM	Vacant	-
Hospitals & Institutions Chair	Kyle W.	Y
Hospitals & Institutions Co- Chair	Ryan D.	Y
Literature Chair	Brandon L.	Y
Literature Co-Chair	Monica T.	Y
Public Relations Chair	Stephanie T.	Y
Public Relations Co-Chair	Vacant	-
Convention Representative	Vacant	-
Alternate Convention Rep.	Vacant	-
Unity Chair	Naomi O.	Y
Unity Co-Chair	Angela L.	N
Policy Chair	Tom P.	Y
Policy Co-Chair	Vacant	-

Home Group Attendance:

1	Anonymous Group	Y	17	Just for Today	Y
2	Conscious Contact	Y	18	KSQ Recovers 2	Y
3	Decision & Action	Y	19	Message of Hope	Y
4	Drug Free in the DUB-C	Y	20	New Life Group	Y
5	Easy Does It	-	21	Recovery on the Hill	Y
6	Find and Feel the Freedom	Y	22	Saturday Night Solutions	Y
7	Focus Group	Y	23	Spiritual Awakening	Y
8	Footwork	Y	24	Stairway to Freedom	Y
9	Free at Last	Y	24	STAR Group	Y
10	Give It Away	Y	26	Sunday Steps at Eleven	Y
11	Good Morning Group	Y	27	Surrender to Win	Y
12	Good Orderly Direction	Y	28	Tuesday Night Group	Y
13	Gratefully Not Dead	Y	29	12 Steps to Freedom	Y
14	How & Why It Works	Y	30	The WAIT Group	Y
15	HOW Group	Y	31	Wake Up & Smell the Recovery	Y
16	I Can't, We Can	Y	32	We Grow from the Darkness	Y

Sub-Committee Reports:

Hospitals and Institutions Sub-Committee Report:

Attendance: Kyle, Ryan, Max, Logan, George, Liz, Mason, Robert, Joeym Bradm Victor, Talib, Sean – 13 members in attendance

Report: Opened with Serenity Prayer, 12 Traditions, 12 Concepts & H&I Policy
Regional Business: Asking all areas to bring commitment lists and contact information 3/3/18

Commitment Report: CCCF – 2/2 no issues, need males for approval forms

RCA – 4/4 no issues

VA 39 Sun – 3/4 no issues, looking for new panel leader

VA Women – 4/4 no issues

Malvern – 4/4 no issues

VA PTSD – 4/4 no issues

Gaudenzia – 3/4 cancelled for weather, no issues

VA 39 Wed – 4/4 no issues

Literature Report: \$200

New Business: Talib nominated as panel leader of VA 39 Sun, passed

Open Forum:

Unity Sub-Committee Report:

Meeting start 5:39 Attendance-Naomi, Ken W, Ian, PJ, Leola, Juan, Carissa, Bobby.

- Talked about a t-shirt design. Ken will price and report back.
- Medals will be given for 1st place and a spiritual principles award as well. Ken will purchase with receipt will be reimbursed.
- Email will be generated for list of people who can help and what the assigned position will be.
- Snack bar menu will be decided next area.
- Ken has 2 speakers, Naomi has 1
- Talked about two different events dance at ywmc in coatesville, other is coffee shop music showcase.

End at 6:31

Job list for tournament

- Announcer - Jaun
- DJ - Ian
- Scorekeepers (2 from 12-2, 2 from 2-4)
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
- Snack Bar
 1. Leola
 2. Angela L
- Referees
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
 - 5.
 - 6.
- Registration Table
 1. Carissa
 - 2.
- Brackets
 1. PJ
 2. Neil M

- Set up
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
 - 5.
- Clean up
 1. Trese
 2. Bobby B
 3. Noah F
 - 4.
 - 5.

RCM Report: None.

P.R. Sub-Committee Report:

Meeting lists are available at the literature counter.

NA News is a news letter to keep all areas up to date with World News. If you would like to receive this you can sign up online at www.na.org/subscribe.

CAR Distribution and contents are out. If you would like to be updated on these items you can purchase one from NA World services for \$7.50. This price includes shipping and handling, but not taxes. Or members can also download the CAR for free from www.na.org/conference.

If you have any meeting list changes please feel free to contact me:

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I am also asking for a check for \$54.69 for meeting lists for April.

Area Policy Report:

Opened with the Serenity Prayer. Attendance Tom P and Pat M.

Area Literature Report:

Start Inventory: \$2,897.12

Cash Balance: \$834.23

Expenses:

- Order: \$695.95

- Shipping: \$59.68 - \$41.76 (discount) = \$17.92

- Supplies: \$11.66 (copies of order forms)

Sales: \$950.96

H&I: \$200

End Inventory: \$2,417.11 - \$25 (New Group Kit) = \$2,392.11

End Cash Balance: \$1,259.66

Area Treasurer Report:

OPENING BALANCE	1,292.61
DONATIONS	814.03
TOTAL	2106.64
EXPENCES	654.69
	1451.95
PRUDENT	-750.00
	701.95
AREA DONATION	350.97
WORLD DONATION	350.97

Old Business:

Motions & Nominations:

NOMINATION:

Group/Individual: Sunday Steps at Eleven Home Group

Nomination: John H

Position: Area Treasurer

Qualifications: Required clean time, job, can balance check box, have been treas. 4x before

PASSED – VOTING GSRS PRESENT 28

Y—27

N—0

AB—1

New Business:

Motions & Nominations:

Below topics to be voted on by Home Groups

NOMINATION:

Group: Sunday Steps at Eleven Home Group

Nomination: Nicole K

Position: Area Policy Sub Committee Co-Chair for 2018

Qualifications: 2 years clean, have served as policy chair + various other service positions willing to serve

NOMINATION:

Group: KSQ Recovers 2

Nomination: Vern P

Position: Co-Treasurer

Qualifications: 30 years, willingness to serve.

MOTION:

Group: Literature Sub Committee

Motion: To get rid of inflated literature prices and have literature expenses be reimbursed by Area.

Intent: To increase transparency on how funds are being use within the Literature Committee and to ensure that funds are securely distributed.

Literature prices have been inflated in order to cover the cost of shipping. However, shipping is a variable price and can change from month to month. There is no way of knowing if the groups are giving too much or too little money. If they are giving too much, it isn't fair to them. If they are giving to little, the Literature Committee will end up with a negative cash balance. We request that the groups pay the actual price of the literature and the Area reimburses for shipping and all other expenses (such as receipt books and copies of order forms). Receipts will be provided for all expenses. This will promote clarity and secure proper funding for the Literature Committee.

Group Reports:

Group: Anonymous Group

Location: 10 Liberty Blvd, Malvern PA (Malvern Center) Day & Time: Friday 11:00 pm-12:30am

Report: Attendance is up, meeting will be moving in the next few weeks to Westside Community Center @ 430 Hanum Ave awaiting final confirmation

Donation: \$ 0.00

Group: Conscious Contact

Location: 348 Boot Road, Downingtown PA Day & Time: Sunday 8:00pm – 9:00 pm

Report: New group starting in April. Candlelight Meditation.

Donation: \$0.00

Group: Decision and Action

Location: Manor Presbyterian Church. 505 Street Road Cochranville, PA 19330 Day & Time: Tuesday 7pm - 8:00 pm

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

Donation: \$ 101.03

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: All is well. We got a new homegroup member, Amy.

Donation: \$ 5.00

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: NOT PRESENT

Donation: \$ –

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: Meeting is doing well, large # of rehab patients attend. Free parking!

Donation: \$ 0.00

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: Group doing well. Steve C. celebrated 1 yr on March 7, 2018.

Donation: \$ 0.00

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: Newcomer format. All is well. Talib M. celebrated 7 years, Harold 11 years and Monica 8 years
Donation: \$ ~ 60.00

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: We are moving to shopping center where QVC + PA Dr License are located. Moving April 6-8th. 4/9 in new location.

Donation: \$ 5.53

Group: Give It Away

Meeting Place: The Malvern Center, 10 Liberty Blvd, Malvern, PA 19355 Day & Time: Sundays

6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Report: Group will celebrate our 19th anniversary March 25th starts 5:30, cleantime countdown 6:15, meeting 6:30 2 speakers and food! We are moving to 225 Lancaster Ave Lincoln Court Shopping Center (Drivers License Center) possibly April

Donation: \$ 4.00

Group: Good Morning Group

Meeting Place: Quaker Meeting House, 37 N. Whitehorse Road Day & Time: Saturdays

9:00 am February 23, 2016

Report: All is well.

Donation: \$ 24.00

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.

Donation: \$ 12.00

Group: Gratefully Not Dead

Meeting Place: Malvern Center (shops at great valley) 10 Liberty Blvd. Suite 5b, Malvern, PA 19355 Thursday 12pm-1:00pm

Report: Doubled home group size from 2 to 4 – still carrying the message to the addict.

Donation: \$ 0.00

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: All is well. Attendance is up message still being carried. March 17th Leola B celebrated 13 yrs of uninterrupted recovery!! It Works

Donation: \$ 100.00

Group: H.O.W. Group

Meeting Place: Honey Brook Methodist Church, 4510 Horseshoe Pike, PA 19320 Day &
Time: Tuesdays 7:30 pm – 9 pm
Report: Doing Well. Welcoming the newcomer, pd. rent, attendance is growing. Homegroup
member Kim celebrated 1 yr.
Donation: \$ 5.00

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: All is well.
Donation: \$ 40.00

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: Doing well. Ryan celebrated 2 years clean.
Donation: \$ 27.00

Group: KSQ Recovers 2
Meeting Place: 210 South Broad Street, Kennett Square, PA Day & Time: Wednesdays
7:30 pm – 8:45 pm February 23, 2016
Report: All is well; closed 2/21 due to weather; 1 new HG member Carissa 12 – 15 ppl.
Donation: \$ 3.40

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 – 9:00 pm
Report: 3 yr Anniv Kenny S plus new home group members continue support addicts from
retreat + recovery house. Welcoming to new comers + visitors is working well + carrying the
message well.
Donation: \$ --

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: All is well we have 2 new home group members. Celebration of Life in the month of
May and June every Thursday 7pm 8:30pm Food, fun, Fellowship.
Donation: \$ 69.50

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: Group doing well, Ann went very - well
Donation: \$ 44.10 – from group Anna \$10.00 from last month

Group: Saturday Night Solution

Meeting Place: 430 Hannum Avenue, West Chester Day & Time: Saturday 11:00pm-12:30am
Report: All is well we are having 8th year anniversary Saturday May 5 2018 West Side
Community Center 430 Hannum Avenue Time 9:00pm – 1:00am Food fun + Fellowship
Donation: \$ 0.00

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^[LTL]_[SEP]
Report: All is well, group is carrying the N.A. message on March 25th group having a speaker
jam 2pm-6pm on the Preambles.
Donation: \$ 21.00

Group: Stairway to Freedom

Meeting Place: 129 South High Street, West Chester, PA 19382^[LTL]_[SEP] (red door- ring bell)
Day & Time: Mondays 7:00 pm – 8:15 pm February 23, 2016^[LTL]_[SEP]
Report: All is well – attendance is good.
Donation: \$ 47.65

Group: STAR Group

Meeting Place: St. Andrews Episcopal Church, Rt 401 (west of rt 100) Glenmoore PA 19343
Day & Time: Tuesdays 7:30-8:30^[LTL]_[SEP]
Report: Attendance is up we are carrying the message to the addict who still suffers. All is well.
Donation: \$ 87.51

Group: Sunday Steps at Eleven

Meeting Place: Local Yoga Café @ 216 East Market Street West Chester PA. Day & Time:
Sundays 11am-12:15pm^[LTL]_[SEP]
Report: All is well.
Donation: \$ 6.70

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^[LTL]_[SEP]
Report: Group doing well.
Donation: \$ 0.00

Group: Tuesday Night Group

Meeting Place: Fenn's Coffee. 111 N. Church Street, West Chester, PA.^[LTL]_[SEP]
Time: Tuesdays at 7:00 pm^[LTL]_[SEP]
Report: NONE RECEIVED
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^[LTL]_[SEP]

Report: Homegroup members Kevin + Phil celebrated 2 years; Anniversary mtg on April 20th
food, fun fellowship starting at 7pm; All are welcome; Attendance is up
Donation: \$ None

Group: WAIT

Meeting Place: CYWA 423 East Lincoln Highway. Coatesville PA, 19320. February 23, 2016

Time: Friday 6:00 – 7:30 pm

Report: WAIT Groups attendance is up, we're very happy with hat. New members joining will submit count next area. Alma B – 8yrs

Donation: \$ 104.96

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: All is well, rent is paid, and keep carrying the message.

Donation: \$ 20.00

Group: We Grow from the Darkness

Meeting Place: Church of the Advent, 401 North Union Street, Kennett Square, PA 19348

Day & Time: Thursdays at 7:00pm

Report: All is well; Ally S. celebrated 2 years on March 7th. Starting March 29th we will be meeting downstairs in the St Jude room. Front parking lot & left front entrance, meeting will be in the first room on the right.

Donation: \$ 18.70

OPEN FORUM: