

CLEAN ACRES AREA OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

AREA SERVICE MINUTES FOR FEB 2021 MTG

<u>OPENING:</u> MTG opened at 7PM with a moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer. Addicts read: The NA Service Paragraph, The 12 Traditions of NA, & the 12 Concepts of NA service. The secretary read the old biz from the previous month & the area service body reviewed & accepted the previous month's minutes.

TRUSTED SERVANTS PRESENT: Area Chair Ian S, Area Co-Chair Lorenzo A, Secretary Heather B, Treasurer John H, RCM Harvey E, ALT RCM Eric M, H&I Chair Frank R, Literature Chair Kyle D, Public Relations Chair Ashley K, Unity Chair Deborah B, Unity Co-Chair Robin S, Policy Chair Tom D

TRUSTED SERVANTS ABSENT: None

<u>OPEN POSITIONS:</u> Treasurer Co-Chair, H&I Co-Chair, Convention Rep, ALT Convention Rep, Policy Co-Chair, Literature Co-Chair, Public Relations Co-Chair

HOME GROUPS PRESENT: Give It Away, How & Why It Work's, Free At Last, For Addicts Only, HOW, Find & Feel the Freedom, KSQ Recovers 2, Park it in Parkesburg, New Life, I Can't WE Can, Footwork's, Good Morning, Recovery on the Hill, Saturday Night Solution, Infectious Recovery, WAIT, 12 Steps to Freedom (17 HG's Present)

HOME GROUPS ABSENT: Drug Free in Dub-C, Wake up & Smell Recovery, Anonymous, We Grow From the Darkness, Easy Does it, Gratefully Not Dead, Just for Today, STAR, Tuesday Night, Decision & Action, Good Orderly Direction, Stairway to Freedom, Writing to Freedom, Conscious Contact, Sunday Steps (15 HG'S Absent)

-SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS-

ASC H & I REPORT FORM

(H & I subcommittee to area)

DATE: Feb 2021

CHAIR: Frank CO-CHAIR: NONE

LITERATURE: Justin H (absent) SECRETARY: Heather B

MEMBERS IN ATTENDENCE: Frank, Heather B, Kyle W, Terse, Victor, Talib, Lorenzo, Joanna, Lorenzo (9

TOTAL MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE)

NEW VOTING MEMBERS: Joanna

<u>OPENED WITH: Serenity Prayer followed by, 12 Concepts, 12 Traditions, H&I Policy, & Old Business from previous subcommittee meeting.</u>

REGIONAL BUSSINESS: SEE ATTACHED GREATER PHILADELPHIA REGIONAL H&I MINUTES

<u>LITERATURE REPORT: We have literature on hand & working o collecting more from previous panel leaders</u>

REPORT:

Malvern Monday Night Virtually: (Terse) No misses 4/4
Malvern Thursday Night Virtually: (Victor) no misses 4/4

NEW BUSSINESS: We are waiting to hear from DRC on Monday about the virtual commitment on the weekend, will discuss changes with the subcommittee moving forward with that. Talked about extending the olive branch to DANA to attend our subcommittee meeting to part of a functioning subcommittee. Discussed how to get more members involved in H&I service. We are need of help in other areas & our own area. We discussed what we are going to do when some of our old commitments are ready to move forward virtually or in person. Talked about getting creative in trying to invite folks to get involved in service. We are asking GSR's to rely message, announcing it in meetings we attend, etc.

Motions: None
Nominations: None

*UNTIL WE CAN MEET IN PERSON THE H&I Subcommittee will meet the 3rd SUN OF EACH MONTH ID# 275-856-6387 pw:123456 CALLING ALL SUBCOMITTEE MEMBERS TO PLEASE ATTEND NEXT MONTH!!

MOTION TO CLOSE WITH THE SERENITY PRAYER

Hospitals & Institutions

RSC Feb 2021

<u>AREAS PRESENT:</u> Clean Acres, NW, DANA, SPHILA, MONTCO, SKVA, WSW, BI-LINGUAL COORDINATOR, PR MEMBERS

AREAS NOT PRESENT: Camden, DELCO, ICA, PHILA, POF,

Opened Meeting with Serenity Prayer

READINGS: 12 Concepts, 12 Traditions, Basic Purpose & Function, Secretaries Report from 1/2021

<u>ADMIN REPORT:</u> - We have a new email address which is <u>hi@naworks.org</u> if you need an e-mail address for your area H&I subcommittee please reach out to members of the IT RSC. –SKVA has joined together with the Clean Acres Area to form a metro & combine service efforts with Gaudenzia DRC, the invitation was also extended to DANA as well. Members of both areas were to start new H&I presentation for Jan 30th (men) & Jan 31st (women). P.O.C Ms. Brown reached out & asked date to be

pushed back due to scheduling conflict. Presentations were to start on Feb 2nd& 3rd when staff was supposed to be scheduled to give addicts access to the "zoom room". Ms. Brown reached out again & said they are short staffed right now & she needs to get clearance from clinical director to see if meetings on Sat & Sun can be from 3pm-4pm while staff is present. Will be following up with her this wk to see if she has gotten clearance & taking this information back to the areas. NW will be meeting on the 3rd Sat & if the support is there they will be moving forward with presentations there on wed & Thursday evenings. –Spoke to IT RSC they have a Google calendar where we can use the regions zoom account with a host code to give Gaudenzia 1 zoom ID & password instead of 6. Believe this will make things simpler. –Mailed out Basic Texts to the S.PHILA area for distribution to Riversbend facility upon request. – Please submit up to date & accurate commitment contact lists. Please use the following format: Name of facility, date & time of meeting, P.O.C name, #, & e-mail, type of treatment facility.

AREA REPORTS:

<u>CLEAN ACRES: NO MTGS in person, 1 virtually 0 misses</u>, Clean Acres is facilitating 2 MTGS a wk Mon & Thru evenings via the Blue Jeans Application for the Malvern Institute. SKVA joining subcommittee to form metro to have more support in our service efforts, we are going to extend the invitation to the DANA area as well. Voted in panel leaders for the Gaudenzia DRC

<u>DANA:</u> NO MTGS in person, 2 Recovery Houses Virtually, Recovery house MTGS going well. Still in a holding pattern for the previous MTGS the subcommittee facilitated. Charter Fairmount, Gaudenzia reentry, Penn Presby Doing the best we can to reach out to directors at facilities.

NW: NO MTG in person or virtually. Subcommittee will be meeting 3rd sat of the month virtually. Trying to contact prior commitments.

SPHILA: **NO MTGS virtually or in person**. Still waiting to set up a day & time with ODAAT 2 facility. Received basic texts from regional chair distributed to Rivers bend upon request.

SKVA: *NO MTGS Virtually or in person.* Have been providing literature to Fairmount once a month. Reaching out to GSR's for more service & involvement.

<u>WSW</u>: NO MTGS in person or virtually. New H&I Chair trying to contact facilities to let them know there has been a change in leadership. Reaching out to the GSR's about service & involvement with H&I. Planning out the details for a learning day on April 10th more information to come.

MONTCO: 1 virtual MTG twice a wk & 2 in person MTGS/ 0 misses: In person is: Horsham Clinic Friday, Saturday, and Sunday- we have not missed any meetings on our end, meetings were cancelled bc of covid outbreaks and Horsham putting the units on a quarantine so the panel leaders are calling ahead of time to see if we can bring the meeting in. Eagleville- we were bringing meetings in up until the beginning of January, Eagleville had an outbreak and put the campus on a lockdown we have been in contact with them trying to figure out when to go back in Valley forge- we do zoom meetings every Sunday and Wednesday evenings, all is well. Still trying to contact Malvern Willow grove to facilitate mtgs upon request.

OUTREACH: No report given

OLD BIZ: Until we are able to meet in person we will continue to meet the 1st Sat of each month @ 9am via zoom ID#: 275-856-6387 Password: 123456

NEW BIZ: Talked about corrections on the H&I flyer to include Spanish & English as well as a QR code patients can scan & take them right to a the meetings throughout the region. The flyer has been an effort of H&I, phone lines, & PR members as well as the bilingual coordinator. Talked about bringing up the flyer is bilingual & will be taking you to a website that is not & does not have the Spanish speaking meetings outlined. Will be adding that to the minutes as long as the form for what to discuss at a virtual H&I presentation for the new chairs. Talked about 1 P.O.C for Gaudenzia DRC regional chair. Will be adding all the H&I chairs contact info to the minutes for new chairs to use. Try to get more info & knowledge on how to use the regions Google/zoom account & host code.

<u>OPEN FORUM:</u> H&I RSC trusted servants contact information attached, Information to be exchanged during a virtual H&I presentation form attached, **NEW & IMPROVED** Are you are leaving an institution H&I English & Spanish flyer with QR code attached. **PLEASE RE-DISTRUBTE TO ALL FACILITIES & ASK TO MAKE AVALIABLE TO ADDICTS UPON RELEASE SO THEY KNOW WHERE TO FIND US!** Also suggest panel leaders screen share the flyer at the beginning &/or end of H&I presentations. Always remember to send all area H&I subcommittee reports to hi@naworks.org to our RSC H&I secretary at <u>liljerome222@aol.com</u>

*CLOSED WITH SERENITY PRAYER *

In Loving Service,

Heather B

Clean Acres Area Unity Committee

Chair: Debora

Co-Chair: Robin S Secretary: Robin S.

Tom opened with Serenity Prayer

Robin read 1th Tradition

Attendees: Debora, Robin, and Tom

We worked on the unity email address, <u>cleanacres.unitycommittee@gmail.com</u> This email is now working.

Robin to change password for this email account, and then email to the members of the unity committee.

Debora and Tom still is working on getting exact date when Clean Acres was formed.

We discussed next unity day event which will be in May, it is our anniversary. Debora brought up meeting should be a learning day, Robin suggested that we have all home groups that want to participate to have a slot where they discuss the formation of their home groups.

We are thinking it will be a virtual event. More details to follow. Robin attended Regional Unity Committee Meeting on 2/13, Debora will go to next meeting 2/27.

Chair Debora B 610-772-7265 Brookswilson2@aol.com

Co Chair Robin S 484-587-4012 sayra52@yahoo.com Unity Meeting ID 734 620 8556 Passcode 000000

RCM REPORT

J.A.C. is asking that our area sub-committees participate at Regions sub-committee meetings the time, dates will be available in a few weeks on Regions website to see when your committee will meet.

Any home group that needs to update any info about their current meeting status are asked to go to NAWORKS.ORG meeting-update form and update your info.

Autonomy Zonal Forum has extended the time for groups to fill out the form that will help the committee see where there's a need in helping carry our message to addicts that may be in institutions, prisons, halfway house go to NAWORKS.ORG or SURVEYMONKEY.COM

TRUSTED SERVANT

RCM HARVEY E. RCM ALT. ERIC M

PUBLIC RELATIONS

NO REPORT GIVEN

AREA POLICY

No Policy Chair or Co-Chair at this time.

AREA LITERATURE

Literature report 2/21/2021

Inventory

-Starting Inventory \$4,012.11

-Less sales. - \$86.64

-Plus order (purchase) + \$0

-Current Inventory. \$3,925.47

Banking

-Previous balance. \$1,456.47

-Less purchase - \$0

-Less Shipping - \$0

-Plus sales (deposit) + \$86.64

-Shipping reimbursement +0

-Current Balance. \$1,543.11

As mentioned, the literature suppler prices have gone up and I will be reaching out to the Website contact to get the new pdf on the Clean Arces website. To place a order for literature we will be using the same location as before, the Boscovs parking lot at 4pm on Sunday (2/28/2021). Please text or email me your order using my information below. If I do not confirm any email orders, please call or text me.

Thanks!

Kyle D Literature Chair, 610-764-9428, kdomsohn@yahoo.com

FEB AREA TREASURER REPORT

2/21/2021

ENDING BALANCE: 1/17/2021	\$ 1,151.00	Kristen H \$2.00
REVISED BALANCE: 2/21/2021	\$ 1,169.00	HOW HG \$5.00
BANK FEE	- \$ 7.50	Scott T \$20.00
AREA ZOOM ACCT	- \$ 15.89	Heather B \$20.00
VENMO TRANSFER	\$ 291.00	Scott T \$10.00
GPRSO (# 217)	- \$ 143.00	Den H \$3.00
WORLD SERVICE (# 218)	-\$ 143.00	Scott T \$10.00
		Infectious Recovery \$220.00
		Aubrey J \$1.00

TOTAL = \$ 291.00

PO BOX 58

EXTON, PA, 19341 OR Venmo @Clean-Acres

OLD BIZ:

- GSR'S VOTED & IT PASSED FOR OUR NEW POLICY CHAIR TOM D!
- GSR'S VOTED & IT PASSED FOR HARVEY E & ERIC M TO STAY ON AS RCM & ALT RCM

NEW BIZ:

ALL MOTIONS & NOMINATIONS TO BE VOTED ON BY ALL HG'S!!!!

1) FROM: Ashley K Current PR chair

NOMINATION: For Adam S to be PR Co-Chair

QUALIFICATIONS: Adam has a NA sponsor he uses & works with, A NA HG that he is an active participant in, Adam works a NA program of recovery, Adam has served on the PR

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subcommittee & held a chair position in the past, Adam has the required clean time for the position, & Adam accepts the nomination for the position.

GROUP REPORTS

<u>-Find & Feel the Freedom-:</u> time: Wednesdays 6:30 pm Location: West Side Community Center 430 Hannum Ave West Chester, PA 19380Report: all is going well we are meeting in person while practicing social distancing and COVID precautions are in place. No donation, No anniversaries

<u>-The Foot Works Group-</u> Every Friday 8:00pm-9:30pm, Messiah Lutheran Church, 46 W Lancaster AVE, Downingtown PA, 19335. Currently MTG on Zoom ID# 380-725-4217 REPORT: We are doing well & we have a new HG member named Jennie. No Donation. **Anniversaries** Harold L 14 yrs., Talib M 10 yrs.: Contact: cmorgensen88@gmail.com

<u>-For Addicts Only:</u> Every Monday 7:30-8:30pm, St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 7 St. Andrews Lane, Glenmoore PA, 19343. *REPORT:* We meet every Mon via Zoom ID# 678-881- 941.REPORT: We will be MTG on the zoom platform until further notice. Group is doing well, we are not collecting 7th tradition at this time. We do however put info in the chat for addicts to donate straight to area through venmo @Clean-Acres No anniversaries

<u>-Free At Last-</u> Every Monday & Thursday @7pm, The Malvern Center, Frazier PA, REPORT: Meetings are limited to 25 people to "insure social distancing "Masks are required, available at the door. We are getting a lot of 1/2 way houses and newcomers just out of rehab. Please come and help carry the message. No donation ANIVERSARY: none

<u>-Give It Away-</u> Every Sunday Hybird MTG, @6pm-7:30pm, Lincoln Courts Shopping Center, Malvern Center around back by Revive Studio, close to main road, 225 Lancaster Ave, Frazier PA, Zoom ID # 126-442-713 REPORT: All is well, **DONATION: \$3.00**, **ANNIVERSARIES: Rusty celebrated 20yrs on 29th of February and Phil Celebrated 2yrs on February 29th**

<u>-Good Morning Group-</u> Every Sat 9am-10:00am. Schuykill Friends Meeting House, 37 N. Whitehorse RD, Phoenixville, PA 19460. *REPORT:* We are still MTG on Sat Mornings via zoom. anniversaries: **2/17 Melody 7 years 2/17 Scott 5 years2/20 Bobby 35 years** REPORT: We are carrying the message with at least 20-25 ppl attending. Will continue to meet on Zoom for the foreseeable future. Zoom ID# 586-473-933 password:000000 no donation

<u>-How & Why It Works-</u> Meets Mon-Fri; 12:00pm-1:00pm @ The Atkinson Shelter (rear) on Diamond Ave, 822 E. Chestnut ST, Coatesville PA, 19320. *REPORT:* Currently MTG virtually on zoom ID# 267-545-797 NO password. The message is being carried attendance is good! We would like to welcome new HG members: Jay, Dewey, Kristy, Kendra. No donation

- -The HOW Group- Every Tuesday, @ 7:30-8:30pm, Honey Brook United Methodist Church, 4510 Horseshoe PK, Honey Brook PA, REPORT: We will be going back to the scheduled time in person at 7:30 on Tuesday nights, starting Feb 23Social distancing and masks are mandatory. This is a requirement of the church and there are no exceptions. No donations No anniversaries
- <u>-I Can't WE Can</u>- Every Thursday, @ 7:30-8:30pm, ST. Peters Episcopal Church, 121 Church St, Phoenixville PA, We are still meeting on Zoom. Meeting ID = 534 922 735, Password 093768, REPORT: Carrying the Message, we are going to continue meeting on zoom. We could use support. No Donation, anniversary: Victor 5 yrs!
- -KSQ Recovers2- Every Wednesday, @ 7:30-8:30pm, First Baptist Church, 415 W State St, Kennett Square PA, Currently Meeting via the Zoom Platform ID# 914-833-111 REPORT: Still MTG virtually, attendance is okay, we are providing area venmo, No anniversaries, No Donations
- <u>-The New Life Group</u>- Every Thursday, @ 7:00-8:30pm, The New Life & Christ Fellowship Church, Enter Parking lot on 5th & Harmony Red door, 1 S 5th Ave, Coatesville PA, Currently MTG via the zoom platform ID# 843-9154-7970 PW:000000 REPORT: Attendance continues to fluctuates. We need home group members. No anniversaries this month. No donations
- <u>-Recovery On The Hill</u> Every Sat 10:00am-11:30pm @ Episcopal Church of the Trinity, 323 E Lincoln HWY, Coatesville PA 19320. *REPORT:* Currently MTG via zoom platform, ID# 939-668-618 attendance is steady, no new members, <u>ANNIVERSARIES:</u> none Currently not collecting 7th tradition, no donation
- <u>-Saturday Night Solution-</u> Every Saturday @ 11pm-12:15am, Trinity Assembly Of God Church, 1022 Pottstown Pike, West Chester PA, 19380. *REPORT:* HG is carrying the message, We are in dire need of HG members, thinking about shutting MTG down until we can meet outside members are showing up refusing to wear masks & provide temps. Still asking members to bring chairs, wear masks, & we are taking temps at the door! No anniversaries, No donations.
- -WAIT Group- REPORT:HG hasn't met in over a year. HG isn't MTG virtually or in person. No anniversaries. No donation.
- <u>-Infectious Recovery-</u> The afternoon Group meets every day @1pm EST Zoom ID# 722-207-704, Late Night Group meets every night @ 10pm EST Zoom ID# 867- 161- 320, The Deeply Rooted Women's Group meets every Sunday at 5pmEST Zoom ID# 868-2537-0461. *REPORT: No report submitted* **DONATION:** *\$220.00* Anniversaries: None
- <u>-Park it in Parkesburg-</u> Every Thursday @ 5pm-6pm, Impact Church, 101 E 1st Ave, Parkesburg PA, 19365. REPORT: No report submitted **Donation: \$10.00** Anniversaries: None
- <u>- 12 Steps to Freedom</u>- Every Friday @ 7:30pm-8:30pm, St. Simon & Jude Church, 6 Cavanaugh CT, West Chester PA, 19382. REPORT: We are responsibly carrying the message to all who want

it. We are MTG in person w/ masks required & distance respected. No Donation. Anniversaries: None

OPEN FORUM

- <u>-</u> A motion was put on the floor to destroy all of the old regional MTG books. The MTG books were no longer accurate. This motion was seconded & the GSR's voted to destroy the MTG books & asked the Literature chair to reflect the changes in the balance. The motion passed.
- A member mentioned that the last 2 Unity events were held on another members personal zoom account. This member was instructed to submit previous receipts to treasurer & they would be refunded for the amount. The member stated that they didn't know if they still had the receipts. The treasure asked the member to please make a handwritten receipt & submit it & the money would be refunded.
- A member asked about the money the Unity subcommittee was given for past events that didn't happen. The previous Unity chair responded that the money had been returned to the area.
- It was discussed that Ian has been voted in as the area chair. It was requested that all members be polite & courteous allowing him to chair the meeting. It was also requested that you wait to be called on, keep yourself muted when you are not speaking, & to please use the hand raising option to allow members to be called on in the order they are raised.
- Denise W stated that the Focus Group would like to donate 1,000 masks & mandatory masks & social distancing signs to any HG that has a need for these items. If your HG is interested you may contact her @ 610-202-8614
- It was brought to the area floor & discussed in great detail by many trusted servants that we have members "trolling meetings." Members attending in person meetings & refusing to wear masks, social distance, or have their temperatures taken. We have a couple HG's that have agreed to take these precautions due to the meeting place being mandated to do so. It was discussed that we are looking for cooperation without affiliation in this matter. Our 1st tradition was discussed that our **common welfare** must come first personal recovery depends on NA unity. Not only do our HG's have a responsibility to keep the doors open, but, they also have a responsibility to make sure that our members have a safe & attractive atmosphere to recover in. This is why some meetings ask at the beginning if you have weapons or drugs on you to please discard of them & return back to the meeting. Another member brought up that they looked at the Clean Acres website & only 1 group had this information listed with their meeting listing. We discussed in great detail solutions for this dilemma. It was suggested that groups make sure to update their meeting info on our website www.cleanacresna.org The second solution was to have a HG member offer to sit out in a car with members who do not want to cooperate & read from & discuss something from the basic text. The 3rd solution was to make

sure that multiple groups that meet at the same facility are on the same page with covid restrictions/precautions so it's not confusion & contradiction to the members who attend. Lastly, if we were asked to wear a mask to cop drugs would this even be an issue?!?

-THE SERVICE BODY MTG CLOSED WITH A MOMENT OF SILENCE & THE SERENITY PRAYER!-

CLEAN TIME CELEBRATED THIS MONTH IN CLEAN ACRES WAS 98 YEARS!!! YEAR TO DATE: 215 YEARS!!! CONGRATS! WE DO RECOVER!!