



CLEAN ACRES AREA OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

AREA SERVICE MINUTES FOR: May, 2023

OPENING: 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 : Area Chair-*Heather B*, Secretary -*Danielle R.*, Treasurer-*Rusty*, RCM-*Stephanie*, H&I Chair-*Ricky*, H&I Co-Chair- *Mike N.*, Literature Chair- *Jeff G*, Unity Chair- *Phil D.*, Unity Co-Chair - *Smedley*, Policy Chair- *Megan S*.

TRUSTED SERVANTS ABSENT: None

****OPEN POSITIONS:** Co-Treasurer, Area Chair, Area Co-Chair, Literature Co-Chair, PR Chair, PR Co-Chair, Policy Co-Chair, ALT-RCM, Convention Rep, ALT Convention Rep.

HOME GROUPS PRESENT: Find & Feel the Freedom, For Addicts Only, Give it Away, Good morning group, Just for Today, The New Life Group, Recovery on the Hill, Spiritual Awakenings, Stairway to Freedom, W.A.I.T., WE Grow from the darkness. **(11 HG's present)**.

HOME GROUPS ABSENT: Clean & Free, Free at Last, Freedom bound in Downingtown, Good Orderly Direction, Gratefully not dead, How & Why It Works, I Can't We Can, KSQ Recovers 2, 12 Steps to Freedom, Wake up and smell the recovery, Infectious Recovery, Writing to Freedom, Park it in Parkesburg, Drug Free in Dub C, Saturday Night Solutions. **(15 HG'S Absent)**

HOME GROUP REPORTS:

1. **CLEAN & FREE-** no report submitted.
2. **Find & Feel the Freedom:** Address: 430 Hannum Avenue, West Chester, PA. Westside Community Center (Up the hill, last door on the left). Time: Wednesday's 7pm to 8pm. Donation: \$17 donation. Report: Attendance is roughly 12 to 15 people, 8 of which are homegroup members. NA message continues to be carried. Rent is paid and there haven't been any issues with the facility. Anniversaries: None. Come out we would love to have you!
3. **For Addicts Only:** For Addict's Only group of NA; Meets on Mondays 7:30-8:30pm At Saint Andrews's Episcopal Church- 7 Saint Andrew's Lane, Glenmoore PA. This is a closed meeting for addicts only or those who think they may have a drug problem. Wheelchair accessible. GSR: Kim K. Group donation: \$62. Group is small but steady. Support is appreciated.
4. **Free At Last-**
5. **Freedom Bound in Downingtown-** Grace Church Brandywine, 40 W. Lancaster, 19320; 7-815pm on Tuesdays. Donation-\$36. Addict celebrating 6 years. All is well.
6. **Give It Away-** no report submitted.

7. **Good Morning Group-** The good morning group meets Saturday morning 9 am at 37 n Whitehorse in Phoenixville. Attendance is good we are averaging 20 to 30 addicts. All is well. We have a \$72 donation.
8. **Good Orderly Direction-** no report submitted.
9. **Gratefully NOT Dead-** no report submitted.
10. **How & Why It Works-** no report submitted.
11. **I Can't WE Can-** I can't we can group meets Thursday 730-830pm at 121 church street phoenixville pa 19460. No literature order, \$29 area donation. We are continuing to carry the message, no anniversaries this month, and we welcomed four new home group members this month!! :) Thank you for allowing me to participate in my recovery!!
12. **Just For Today-** Group meetings Wednesdays at St. Pauls United Church of Christ on Worthington Rd in Exton 6pm - 7pm.
Group is doing ok, could use more support. Group Anniversary Aug. 23, 2023 - Please see flyer. Anniversaries: Megan S 17 years; Bob P 27 years; Charlie N 6 years - Thank you, Tom P.
13. **KSQ Recovers2-** no report submitted.
14. **The New Life Group-** Meets from 7:00 to 8:30 every Thursday at the new life in Christ church 5th Ave and Lancaster avenue enter through red door in back. We are having our celebration of life during the months of May and June. All is well, attendance is steady, in need of home group members. Donation forthcoming.
15. **Recovery On The Hill-** no report submitted.
16. **Spiritual Awakening-** Meet: Sundays 6pm-730pm. Address: 423 E Lincoln Hwy Coatesville, PA. 19320. Report: All is well, message is being carried, attendance is steady. Group welcomes new a home group member Talib M. Group will be celebrating our 24th anniversary on July 1 with a speaker jam picnic at Caln Municipal Park in Thorndale. Anniversaries: Mark R 10 years May 21. Donation: \$40.76
17. **Stairway to Freedom-** Our attendance is good with 30-40 addicts every week. We are have 17 active homegroup members. We have no anniversaries this month. We meet Monday nights at 7pm at the United Methodist Church at 129 South High Street in West Chester, PA. Ring the bell for the red door off High Street. Please observe all parking signs or you WILL get a parking ticket.
18. **12 Steps to Freedom-** no report submitted.
19. **WAIT Group-** no report submitted.
20. **Wake Up & Smell the Recovery-** no report submitted.
21. **Infectious Recovery-** no report submitted.
22. **Writing to Freedom: Step Writing Group-** no report submitted.
23. **Park it in Parkesburg-** no report submitted.
24. **Drug Free in Dub-C –** no report submitted.
25. **We Grow from the Darkness –** Thursdays at 7pm. Brandywine Baptist Church-1463 Baltimore Pike, Chadds Ford. 9 HG members. Jen B celebrating May 30th (17 years). Kevin W. celebrates 3 years on June 16th. Donation to area: \$31.05. Mike Nolan- m.nolan5445@gmail.com

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:

H&I

ASC H&I REPORT FORM
(H&I subcommittee to area)

DATE: May 2023

CHAIR: Ricky S

CO-CHAIR: Mike N

LITERATURE: Mike N

SECRETARY: Corey A

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Heather, Mike, John, Phil, Ricky, Beth Ann, Stephanie, Bob, and Corey (9 TOTAL MEMBERS

IN ATTENDANCE)

NEW VOTING MEMBERS: None

OPENED WITH: Serenity Prayer, 12 Traditions, 12 Concepts, H&I Policy, & Old Business from previous subcommittee meeting.

OLD BUSINESS: None

COMMITMENT REPORTS:

☑ Gaudenzia (Phil): Commitments filled, residents on time and participate. They are grateful for us being there.

See report below.

☑ Malvern Institute (John): Commitments filled, people participating has grown by substantial amount. Meeting

on time. All is well. See report below.

REGIONAL BUSINESS: Regional H&I is in need of a secretary. Meet 9am on first Saturday of every month. Facilities on

waiting list still. Possibility of sponsorship for incarcerated addicts. Struggling to get committed members to step up in

the service body. Possibly put on a service day for region.

LITERATURE REPORT: To order literature need for panel members. Still in process during the meetings.

NOMINATIONS: None

NEW BUSINESS: Ricky and Mike went to RCA Devon this past month. Facility is starving for NA. Constantly getting

requests for NA literature etc. Thursday evening 7:15pm to 8:15pm. Potentially Sundays as well. Meeting is Co-ed and

will start immediately.

MOTIONS: Phil made a motion to bring a meeting into RCA – Devon Thursday from 7:15pm to 8:15pm. Motion passed.

OPEN FORUM: Discussion about homegroups potentially becoming panel members. It was decided this would be

necessary if we had more open facilities needing a panel leader. Currently all 3 of our meetings are filled and meeting

regularly. It was discussed that current panel leaders could give a month or two to homegroups wanting to participate as

a trial run to see how everything would work.

***UNTIL WE CAN MEET IN PERSON THE H&I Subcommittee will meet the 3 rd SUN OF EACH**

MONTH ID# 275-856-6387 pw:123456

ANYONE INTERESTED IN THIS LIFESAVING SERVICE WORK PLEASE ATTEND OUR

SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS! WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU INVOLVED!

MOTION TO CLOSE WITH THE SERENITY PRAYER

FACILITY REPORTS

Gaudenzia (Phil)

All weekly commitments were filled since our last H&I meeting. Our meeting place is now locked with a key fob

entrance. There was a hiccup getting in the first time but since then we have had easy access. Residents continue to be

on time and they participate in the meeting. Several of them have told me that it's their favorite meeting of the week. It

has quickly become mine as well. Residents also are enthusiastic and respectful. We meet at The Nelson House every

Friday night from 7 – 8 pm.

In loving service,

Phil C.

Malvern Institute (John)

20-40 residents. 2 panel members every meeting. Experience, strength and hope was shared. Meeting was brought in

5/5 times this month. There were no problems. Everyone was receptive and respectful. Participation is satisfactory.

In loving service,

John K.

****Please see email attachment for sign up sheet to get involved****

UNITY

No report submitted.

POLICY

In Attendance: Megan S (Policy Chair), Tom P

Began meeting reviewing questions related to policy. Updating/editing Area Policy continues.

As a reminder to members & homegroups: Please reach out to the policy subcommittee DIRECTLY if you have any policy related questions or need clarification to avoid additional confusion related to our policy.

Please reach out via the email: cleanacres.policy2021@gmail.com or my cell at (484)557-3301.

In Loving Service,

Megan S.

RCM REPORT

1. South Philly Area Unity presents SPEAKER JAM: 12-8pm, Dance: 9pm-1am (\$5 donation). Saturday, May 27th, 2023. Food, fun, fellowship.
2. Bucks County Area Unity Event at Tyler State Park on Memorial Day, Hickory Nut Grove from noon to dusk.
3. Downtown Area -Start to Live group celebrating its 37th anniversary On Sunday, June 4th at 7pm at William Way Community Center (1315 Spruce Street. Doors open at 630pm.
4. Meeting Cards! Who needs meeting cards?! These are to be handed out to newcomers in lieu of the tri-fold meeting sheets. These cards show the regions meeting lists. 10,000 cards is \$300. Please give me your feedback on using the cards.

Stephanie T.

Public Relations Subcommittee

There currently isn't one.

TREASURER REPORT

*See email attachments.

LITERATURE REPORT:

	-Banking	
-Previous Balance.		\$1,772.23
	-May Order	
	-Order cost	\$ 867.80
	-Shipping.	+ \$. 75.42
	-Discount.	- \$. 56.41
	-Actual cost after shipping and discount.	-\$886.81
-Balance.		\$ 885.42
-Reimburse shipping.		+ \$. 19.01
-May Sales.		+ \$351.84
-Current Balance.		\$ 1,256.27
	-Inventory	
	-Start Inventory.	\$3,826.87
	-Plus order.	+ \$. 867.80
	-Less May sales.	- \$. 351.84
	-Current Inventory.	\$4,342.83

As I said at area I hope to be able to give an actual inventory report in June.

Jeff G

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: If all other subcommittees have policies, please send to Megan (policy chair).

***Kim from "For Addicts Only" group makes Motion: To go back to having area service meeting IN-PERSON ONLY, effective January 1st, 2024. Intent: To improve clarity of information and increase unity amongst members.

NOMINATIONS: None.

OPEN FORUM: Bob wants to move subcommittees and area to meeting to Sunday at 3pm.


Kim: Discussed possibility of removing zoom/hybrid from area / made motion.

***CLOSED WITH SERENITY PRAYER ***

*******please see below for current fliers for the area/events/etc.*******

In Loving Service,

Danielle R.



Celebrate!

**Just for Today
Anniversary Meeting**

Wednesday, August 23rd

6:00-7:30PM

St. Paul United Church

101 Worthington Rd

Exton PA 19341

Food

THE CLEAN ACRES AREA

we need your help



SUBCOMMITTEES

UNITY

LITERATURE

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POLICY

HYBRID MEETING

5:30 PM

3rd Sunday Of The Month

Messiah Luthern Church
46 West Lancaster Ave
Downtown PA, 19335
ZOOM ID: 573 556 2175
PASSCODE: 123456

SOUTH PHILLY AREA UNITY PRESEN
SPEAKER JAM/DANCE TIME:12NOON-

WHEN: Sat. May 27, 2023

WHERE: 2135 Chestnut
St, Philadelphia, PA 19103



FOOD*FUN*& FELLOWSHIP
\$5 DANCE FROM 9PM-1AM

Area Treasurer Report

Date 4/14/23

Opening Balance		<u>1150.00</u>
Cash Donations		<u>487.45</u>
Venmo Donations		<u>100.00</u>
Other _____		_____
Other _____		_____
Total		<u>1731.45</u>
Expenses	Check#	
H&I Literature <u>Printing</u>	<u>08</u>	<u>41.00</u>
Literature Expenses	_____	_____
Unity	<u>Venmo</u>	<u>100.00</u>
Meeting List	_____	_____
Phone Fee (Annually) February	_____	_____
PO Box Fee (Annually) September	_____	_____
Area Rent (4 Months in Advance)	_____	_____
Web Fees (Annually) July	_____	_____
Zoom Fees (Annually) January	_____	_____
Supplies (Stamps Receipt Book Checks Etc.)		
Misc. <u>Stamps</u>	<u>Cash</u>	<u>12.60</u>
Misc. <u>H&I Lit</u>	<u>09</u>	<u>10.00</u>
Total Expenses		<u>163.60</u>
Total After Expenses		<u>1567.85</u>
Prudent Reserve		<u>750</u>
Unity Reserve		<u>400</u>
Remaining Balance		<u>417.85</u>
Region Donation	_____	<u>208.93</u>
World Donation	_____	<u>208.92</u>
Ending Balance		<u>0</u>

Area Treasurer Report

Date 5/21/23

Opening Balance		<u>1150.00</u>
Cash Donations		<u>287.01</u>
Venmo Donations		<u>232.69</u>
Other _____		_____
Other _____		_____
Total		<u>1669.70</u>

Expenses	Check#	
H&I Literature	<u>13</u>	<u>32.50</u>
Literature Expenses	<u>12</u>	<u>19.01</u>
Unity	_____	_____
Meeting List	_____	_____
Phone Fee (Annually) February	_____	_____
PO Box Fee (Annually) September	_____	_____
Area Rent (4 Months in Advance)	_____	<u>160.00</u> May - Aug
Web Fees (Annually) July	_____	_____
Zoom Fees (Annually) January	_____	_____
Supplies (Stamps Receipt Book Checks Etc.)	_____	_____
Misc. _____	_____	_____
Misc. _____	_____	_____
Total Expenses		<u>211.51</u>
Total After Expenses		<u>1458.19</u>
Prudent Reserve		<u>750.00</u>
Unity Reserve		<u>400.00</u>
Remaining Balance		<u>308.19</u>
Region Donation	_____	<u>154.10</u>
World Donation	_____	<u>154.09</u>
Ending Balance		<u>0</u>



Chester County H&I Subcommittee has an immediate opportunity for a new meeting at a treatment center on Sunday nights. If you're interested in being a panel leader contact Corey @ 302-437-5795. Don't be nervous, get in service.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>	<u>Clean Date</u>	<u>Weekly Availability</u>

