

Suncoast Area Service

February 2015

ASC Report

Chair	Jim S.	A	FDC Chair	Tony C.	P
Vice Chair	Scott T.	P	FDC Vice Chair	Open	-
Secretary	Tim G.	P	Policy	Chris M.	P
Alt. Secretary	OPEN	-	Alt. Policy	Open	-
Treasurer	Ron C.	P	Lit. Distribution	Angie S.	P
Alt. Treasurer	Alicia	P	GSR O&M	Jarrold S.	P
RCM 1	Roger S.	P	Activities	Jessica A.	P
RCM 2	Nick N.	A	IT	Scott W.	P

**Open Forum/ Announcements:**

Tradition Twelve: needs help paying rent.

Wed-7pm Tues. needs women with time to attend.

Equality in voices.

Potluck Dinner at New Directions changing date flyers will be out.

Lifeboat would like to be on the website.

Eastside Recovery picnic moved to April 11th

It has been suggested that home groups create a new service position. The position will be the groups FDC liaison. A volunteer from the home group will go to FDC every month and bring back a report to their group. This will help insure that the message and needs of the FDC are being communicated with the Area's home groups.

**Secretary Report**

**Old/ Current Business:** I am currently working on updating the Secretary's files and need your help as GSR's and other trusted servants to verify the information I have on file and also update all missing information. Our 8<sup>th</sup> Concept states: Our service structure depends on the integrity and effectiveness of our communications.

**New Business:** Rachel has officially stepped down as the Area's acting secretary and Tim G. has stepped into the role in its' full capacity. We are still in need of an alternate secretary.

**Situations and Changes:** In accordance with changes to ASC Policy The Suncoast ASC Treasurers will only accept Money Orders or Cashier's Checks. Coins and Cash (Paper Currency) have been disallowed.

**RCM Report:**

**Old/Current Business:** NONE

**New Business:** Met in Ocala Jan. 16,17, and 18<sup>th</sup>.

Saturday attended area support from 9am-3pm: Speakers needed for FRCNA record speaker tape and submit, requirements 5 years clean and submission at [naflorida.org/speakers](http://naflorida.org/speakers). Also needs lots of support and volunteers. How to make policy subcommittee more attractive. Dual diagnosed meetings, Roberts rules or consensus based voting.

Presentation about making a regional helpline.

Round tables:

1. Idea form about a project for continuous work groups for P.S.A. For the region
2. Idea form about having a co-resource coordinator
3. Idea form about having a secretary for Saturday area support.

Sunday: Attended RSC from 9am-3pm, talked about service symposium that is being held on March 12<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> , Trusted servants needed.

**FDC:**

**Old/Current Business: No Report Submitted**

**New Business: No Report Submitted**

**Situations/Changes: No Report Submitted**

**Activities:**

**Old/Current Business:**

**New Business:** Activities will be meeting Tuesday February 17<sup>th</sup> at 6pm at Starbucks on Tuttle and University. Needs support. Talent Show in the works for March or April (More will be revealed)

**Situations and Changes:** None

**Policy:**

**Old/Current Business:** Need ALT Policy Nominated

**New Business:** 3 in attendance, approved flyer for group from St Pete, Friday Night Lights Flyer needed revision.

**Situations/Changes:** Need ALT Policy Nominated

**GSR O&M:**

**Old/ Current Business:** None

**New Business:** None

**Situations /Changes:** None

**Literature:**

**Old/Current Business:** 5 back orders filled

**New Business:** Spent 1863.48 on Lit Order

**Situations/Changes:** No changes

**Treasurer's Report:**

**New Business:** See attached

**Old /Current Business:** None

Situations/Changes: None

**Group Reports:**

**12 O'clock Clean:** Chelsea T. is the new GSR and Devin is ALT – Thanks for your service! Now meets everyday, please announce at your home group until meeting list is updated.

**Admission of Defeat:** New ALT GSR Erin J. - Thanks for your service!

**Atmosphere of Recovery:** Absent

**Basic Text Study:** No Changes

**Anniversaries:** Lynn B. 3/27/1994 - 21 Years

**Call Group:** No Changes

**Different Choices:** Group is requesting help.

**Eastside Recovery:** Group Picnic rescheduled to April 11<sup>th</sup> 2015 at Bennett Park Noon – 4pm, Thursday night needs Speakers and all 3 meetings need support.

**Fresh Start Group:** No Changes

**Friday Night Clean:** Absent

**Friday Night Lights:** No Changes

**Frontline Group:** Needs people with experience strength and hope to support the newcomers.

**Girls Gone Good:** Woman's meeting, speaker last Thursday of every month.

**Anniversaries:** Michelle B. 3/19/2011 4 Years

**High Hopes:** No Changes

**Keep it Simple:** Absent

**Life Boat Group:** No Changes

**Living Clean:** In need of support, home group members, and trusted servants.

**Men's Meeting:** No Changes

**More Gratitude Less Attitude:** Meets 365 days a year, Speaker Meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month.

**Never Alone:** Absent

**New Directions:** Pot luck dinner changed to 3/13/15 discard previous flyer and announce.

**No Matter What Club:** Absent

**Peace in the Morning:** David C. New ALT GSR thanks for your service.

**Principles B4 Personalities:** Billy B. New ALT GSR thanks for your service

**Recovery by the Books:** No Changes

**Saturday Night Speaker:** Desperately looking for trusted servants and attendees to bring this meeting to First Step.

**Serenity in the Morning:** No Changes

**Solution Revolution:** No Changes

**Solution in the Steps:** No Changes

**Anniversaries:** David D. 2/8/08 7 Years

Gary D. 3/11/07 8 Years

**Tradition Twelve:** No Changes

**Unity and Serenity:** New GSR Stacia D. thanks for your service

**Waves of Recovery:** No Changes

**We Do Recover:** Represented without group's conscience, no report submitted.

**The Wednesday Meeting:** No Changes

**Wednesday Night Bonfire:** No Changes

**Women in Recovery:** No Changes

**Women's Perspective:** No Changes

## **Work the Steps or Die: Absent**

### **ASC MOTION:**

24/37 64.8% GSRs present.

Votes for Motion 1-3:

5 Abstentions

4 Against

15 For

15/19 78.9%

#### **Motion Passed:**

1-3: Motion: That in order to protect the safety of our Treasures and ensure that we uphold our 11<sup>th</sup> concept (NA funds are to be used to further our primary purpose, and must be managed responsibly.) all moneys should be turned in to the ASC in the form of a money order or cashier's check.

Amendment to Section VI bullet 8: Disallow personal checks or coins in favor of cash, money order, or cashier's check.

Exact change: Disallow personal checks, coins, and cash in favor of money order or cashier's check only.

**Elections:** None – The following positions still need filled please bring nominations to next ASC:

Alt Secretary  
FDC Vice Chair  
Alt Policy