

Suncoast Area Service
May 1st, 2016 ASC Report

ASC Chair	Scott T	A	FDC Chair	Sandy	P
ASC Vice Chair	Tim G	P	FDC Vice Chair	Open	-
Secretary	Paula S.	A	Policy	Jim K	P
Alt. Secretary	Brittany	P	Alt. Policy	Scott	P
Treasurer	Alicia	P	Lit. Distribution	Jimmy the Nurse	A
Alt. Treasurer	Jack G	P	GSR O&M	Ricky	P
RCM 1	Nick N	P	Activities	Pattie	P
RCM 2	Open	-	Web Servant	Charlie	P
			Alt. Web Servant	Arthur	A

PLEASE NOTE THE NOMINATION FOR RCM 1 NEED GROUP CONSCIENCE BROUGHT BACK TO AREA ON JUNE12 (SEE BELOW)

MEETING CHANGES: None

MOTIONS

Motion 041016-01 UPDATE: Tabled until next Area. Policy states that motions need to be submitted by GSR. Date: April 10th, 2016 Made by Ed C, Tradition Twelve member.

MOTION: Explore relevance of FDC. Much of the service provided by FDC is redundant. Fifth Concept "We avoid unnecessary confusion, we don't have two committees trying to do the same job, duplicating effort, or squabbling over authority".

INTENT: Let H&I do H&I, let PI do PI, etc. My understanding of FDC was to streamline the reports to Area, not to create another layer of bureaucracy.

Motion 041016-02 UPDATE: Tabled until next Area. Policy states that motions need to be submitted by GSR. Date: April 10th, 2016 Made by Ed C, Tradition Twelve member.

MOTION: To review dated Policy and revise to current state and circumstances.

INTENT: Policy is dated and much is not relevant to current circumstances.

SECRETARY REPORT

NEXT MEETING is June 12th

Open Forum/ Announcements:

- Chairperson was not here for May Area due to a loss in the family.
- Fresh Start Group needs a new meeting place.

NOMINATIONS – Group conscience needed for RCM1 at next Area on June 12th

- Andrew from Solution Revolution **nominated Leslie M for RCM 1.** Tony from Admission of Defeat second.
 Leslie M qualifications: Withdrawn
- Plero from Serenity in the Morning **nominated Rebecca B for RCM 1.** Herb from Basic Text second.
 Rebecca B qualifications: 3 1/2 years clean, NA Home group, NA Sponsor, Work NA steps, 1 fellowship/1 program, Sponsor and support that has knowledge of various service, Love and Passion for NA, service and our primary purpose, Fulfilled Area Activities Chair position in PA
- Rebecca from Peace in the Morning **nominated Rachel R for RCM 2.** Scotty T from We Do Recover second. Voting took place for RCM2 and **Rachel R was elected as RC2.**

RCM Report:

Old/Current business: No Region last month.

New Business:

- Region will be held on May 14th and 15th. May 14th is Area support. Anyone from our area may attend. May 15th will be the regional conference. This will be held at 10221 Princess Palm Ave. Tampa, FL 33610. Sheraton Tampa East Hotel. Spaghetti dinner and dance. May 14th dinner at 6pm. Speaker meeting at 7:30pm and dance to follow. Dinner and dance \$20 or dance \$5 or free with preregistration.

Situations/Changes:

- May will be Nick's last Regional meeting. as of right now there is no replacement in line.
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 - ew RCM 2 will take effect June 1 and the RCM 1 will take effect July 1, 2016

Activities:

Old/Current Business: Working on Spring Fling.

New Business:

- Working on Spring Fling.
- Spring Fling is Saturday at 11am with a speaker.

Situations/Changes:

- Need help (service).

GSR O&M:

Old/ Current Business: None

New Business:

- New Alt. GSR: Amy B. Principles before Personalities.

Situations/Changes: None

Helpline:

Old/ Current Business:

New Business:

Situations/Changes:

Expenses:

H & I:

Old/Current Business:

New Business:

Situations/Changes:

Literature/Rack:

Old/Current Business:

New Business:

Situations/Changes:

Newsletter:

Old Business:

New Business:

Situations/Changes:

Policy:

Old/Current Business: Flyers that were previously approved.

New Business: Approved flyer for Fresh Start Group's Memorial Day picnic.

Situations/Changes: None

PR / Public Information:

OLD BUSINESS

- 4/13/2016 PR Presentation to Suncoast Partnership To End Homelessness Continuum Of
- 4/16/2016 NA had a literature table at the Veterans Stand Down/Sarasota Dept. of
- 4/30/2016 NA had a literature table at the Sarasota Community Social Services Outreach

- 4/9/2016 Gilbert spoke at last month's H & I Coordination Meeting re: Bridging the Gap.
- Care Homeless Census Training. Two NA Members shared and meeting lists/I.P.s (English and Spanish) were given to the community professionals in attendance. Health. NA Members in attendance were available to answer questions about the NA Program. This event offered limited legal, health, employment, and other services to homeless veterans from Sarasota and surrounding areas.
- Fair held at Robert L. Taylor Community Center. This was requested at GSR Assembly.
- PR Coordinator's Meeting Held April 9, 2016 @ 1:30pm; Our Lady Queen Of Martyrs Church. Four members attended.
- New College continued communicating with New College Wellness staff to support the formation of a new Home Group (on-campus). Literature Rack ordered, will furnish when received by NA Literature Distribution.
- Police CIT Training, there is no time to add a second 12-step fellowship presentation into the program schedule. NA will provide meeting lists and I.P.s at the two remaining training sessions in the 2016 calendar year.
- Sarasota Racks deliveries done.
- Continue communicating with numerous community social services, healthcare, substance abuse treatment and educational professionals on an as needed basis.
- Made contact with help-line to support Area Service Positions Lists Project.
- Followed up with Children First Social Worker who requested NA I.P.s in Spanish. I.P.s received from Area Lit. Distribution.

Are FDC Subcommittees going to plan to set up table/booth at area activities sponsored events (for service learning)? Current Activities Coordinator committed to supporting FDC's service learning efforts throughout the year.

- NA Hotline number was added to:

- Goodwill Manasota Veteran's Resource Guide
- Resources For Aging Well Seniors Blue Book.
- United Way 211 Manasota Resource Help Line (The existing phone number was found to be incorrect. PR requested the United Way Rep. to correct/update).

NEW BUSINESS

- Goodwill Manasota requested future PR Presentation. Goodwill meeting lists/I.P.s. 4/30/2016
- Florida Center For Early Childhood would like PR Panel Presentation to 15 Professional Staff
- Suncoast Technical College would like to plan NA Speakers to allied health students during the fall 2016 semester. Will make contact in July.
- JFCS made NA aware of 5 public schools with administrative staff in favor of inviting NA to speak at school-wide student Assemblies during the 2016-2017 School Year: Booker Middle School; Booker, H.S.; Heron Creek M.S.; MacIntosh M.S.; Lincoln M.S., Palmetto.
- Manatee and Sarasota Memorial Hospitals – Made contact to provide meeting lists in E.R. and Seniors Blue Book Resources For Aging well invited NA PR Trusted Servant to attend. Invitation to

monthly Seniors Blue Book Community Service Meeting extended to NA, for June's meeting.
Location: Windsor LWR. Would like NA to provide meeting lists and literature for

- 5/6/2016 Six Annual Safe Children's Coalition Conference
- May 6 – May 20th PR Coordinator is on vacation and will be unavailable by phone, text and email
- May 24, 2016 AA invited NA to speak on panel at FSU. Trusted servants have accepted this speaking. The Hyatt Regency in Sarasota. Robin L. accepted leading this event in the PR Coordinator's absence.

PR Committee Planning Meeting @ 1:30pm; Our Lady Queen Of Martyrs Church. NA Members who wish to receive PR Training should contact PR Coordinator and schedule a training session. PR Training is needed prior to carrying the NA Message at PR Presentations; PR Booths and other PR Speaking Opportunities.

NA was asked to provide two members (one R.N. or L.P.N.) to speak at Manatee Technical College, LWR Campus. This is a panel presentation: AA, NA, Alanon. Emails were sent to area trusted servants over a week ago. No members have accepted this service opportunity at this time.

PR Coordinator will be out of town and unavailable to coordinate substitute speakers.

Several new requests for monthly deliveries of meeting lists/I.P.s were made from Sarasota Community Professionals. See updated Racks Deliveries List.

Please announce at Home Group Meetings.

1. "The Suncoast NA Public Relations Coordinator Meeting will be held on the 2 nd Sunday of Each Month @ OLQM Church from 1:30 – 2:30. Members who wish to learn about PR, receive PR Training or speak at a PR Event should attend.
2. PR Co-Coordinator position is vacant, clean-time requirement is 9 months.
3. New Home Group is being started at New College this fall. Members who are interested in supporting this meeting should contact PR Coordinator.

Treasurer's Report: ATTACHED

Web Report:

Old/Current Business:

New Business:

Situations/Changes:

FDC Report

Old/Current Business:

New Business:

Situation/Changes:

Group Reports:

12 O'clock Clean: No Changes

Admission of Defeat: 5/5 Pizza Speaker

Atmosphere of Recovery: New Alt. GSR Charlie L.

Basic Text Study:

- New GSR Mike I.
- Pending Speaker Jam

Bonfire Meeting: No Report

Call Group: No Changes

Eastside Recovery: No Report

Fresh Start: 5/29 Memorial Day Picnic at GT Bray.

Friday Night Clean:

- Anniversaries- John R. 5/6 1yr

Friday Night Lights:

- New GSR Josie V.
- Anniversaries-
 - Goldie B. 5/18 1yr
 - Jeremy Z. 5/22 1yr

Frontline Group: No Changes

Girls Gone Good: No Changes

High Hopes: No Changes

Just for Today: June 4th Anniversary Breakfast 7am at Einstein Bagels Dunkin Donuts

Keep it Simple: No Report

Keeping it Green: No Report

Life Boat Group: No Changes

Living Clean: No Changes

Men's Meeting: No Changes

More Gratitude Less Attitude:

- Joann 5/10 Speaker meeting
- Anniversaries-
 - Joann T. 5/18 5yrs
 - Nancy 5/17 5yrs
 - Chuck W. 5/18 1yr

Never Alone: No Changes

New Beginnings YPG: No Changes

New Directions:

- June 24th Speaker Pizza 8pm
- Anniversaries-
 - Gordon 5/6 13yrs
 - Jake A. 5/6 4yrs
 - Addicted Ed 32yrs

No Matter What Club: No Report

Peace in the Morning: No Changes

Principles B4 Personalities:

- New GSR Ron P.
- New Alt. GSR Amy B.
- Anniversaries-
 - Kelli 5/2 2yrs
 - Danielle 5/15 2yrs

Recovery by the Books: No Changes

Saturday Night Speaker: No Changes

Serenity in the Morning:

- New GSR Joe W.
- New Alt. GSR Ann W.

Solution in the Steps: No Changes

Solution Revolution: No Changes

Together We Can: No Changes

Tradition Twelve: No Changes

Unity and Serenity:

- Anniversaries- Michael K. 5/11 5yrs

Waves of Recovery:

- Anniversaries- Rhonda P. 5/9 4yrs

We Do Recover:

- 5/29 Anniversary 31 at St Thomas Moore
- Anniversaries- Lei S. 5/7 27yrs

The Wednesday Meeting: No Report

Women in Recovery: No Changes

Women's Perspective: No Changes

THE END