

Suncoast Area Service
December 11, 2016 ASC Report

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

Next Area Service Meeting is January 8, 2016

OPEN POSITIONS for NOMINATIONS for 2017 ASC: FDC Chair

***ALL NOMINEES MUST BE PRESENT AT THE NEXT AREA SERVICE MEETING IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THAT POSITION.

2017 ASC Elections

POSITION	NOMINEE	NOMINATED BY	HOME GROUP	SECONDED BY	HOME GROUP	ELECTED Y/N
Chairperson	Tim G	VOTE OF ACCLAMATION				YES
Vice Chair	Ricky j	Michelle	Sat. Night Speaker	Scotty T	We Do Recover	YES
Alt. Secretary	Sarah	Michelle	Sat. Night Speaker	Lilla	Peace in the Morning	YES
Treasurer	Jack	VOTE OF ACCLAMATION				YES
Alt. Treasurer	Josh	Aaron	Men's Meeting	Christian	High Hopes	YES
Alt. Treasurer	Sean M	Nick	Solution Revolution	Lilla	Peace in the Morning	NO
Policy	Scott	VOTE OF ACCLAMATION				YES
Alt. Policy	Julie	Joe	Serenity in AM	Lilia	Peace in the Morning	YES
Literature	Tim S	VOTE OF ACCLAMATION				YES
GSR O&M	Ron R	Tim S	Basic Text	Tony P	Basic Text	YES
FDC	Tony C	Michelle	Sat. Night Speaker	Kimberly	Women In Recovery	Was not present

MEETING CHANGES: None

MOTIONS: None

Open Forum/ Announcements: None

ANNOUNCEMENTS: If you have any changes, announcements, and / or corrections to our website – please email Webservant@NA.org and Secretary.suncoastNA@gmail.com

SECRETARY REPORT

New Business:

- New Homegroup Report format attached in separate document
- Would like to request that all sub-committee and FDC committee reports be emailed to **secretary.suncoastna@gmail.com**

Old Business:

- The November minutes were late due to the Secretary's new job and there was an error at the top: they still had September as the heading.
- Elections (see above)

GSR O&M:

Old/ Current Business: Ricky thanked the body, Ron read the report

New Business:

- Completed Orientation:
2 in attendance: Matt M GSR and Rick M Alt GSR

Situations/Changes: If your Home Group elects a new GSR please let them know that GSR Orientation is at 3:00pm at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Church, 2nd Sunday of every month (right before AREA SERVICE)

Activities:

Old/ Current Business:

- Marathon meetings on Thanksgiving:
 - Sarasota: total attendance 50, collected \$71.00, donated \$50.00 to the hall which left \$21.00
 - Bradenton: total attendance 92, collected \$200.00, donated \$200.00 to Central Christian Church
- Total amount left \$98.88 out of \$300.

New Business:

- Marathon Meetings for Christmas
- Masquerade Ball on New Years Eve.
 - There will be a decorating party at Patty's house on 12/14 around 6pm – contact her for address.
 - Wrist bands are out for pre-sale \$10 each. Proceeds will go back to the ball
 - Requested \$350 NYE decorations

Situations/Changes: Next meeting will be Sunday, 12/18 1:00 pm at University / Tuttle Starbucks.

Activities Meets the same day as Area at 3pm at Our Lady QOM Church. If you're coming for Area, please come for Activities. Spread the word –

Treasurer's Report: Uploaded in separate document

Policy:

Old/Current Business: No Report

New Business:

Situations/Changes:

GROUP REPORTS: Attached in separate document

FDC Reports:

H&I REPORT

New Business:

- Paper Key tags for Bradenton Bridge and Mothers & Infants were distributed
 - Is Mothers & Infants a DOC? Why do they need paper key tags
 - The H&I meeting format says we do not give out key tags
- Manatee Jail for women
 - Panel leader is not allowed to enter the facility, however she will remain the PL and coordinate the panel members

Situations and Changes: Revisit the paper key tags at next H&I meeting. This should go to Area

Phone Line

Old Business:

- Last Month: 53 calls / 3.5 Minute Call Average
- Phone Line policy turned in to policy sub-committee to be added to Suncoast Policy
- Co-coordinator voted in: Michelle H

New Business:

- Nov. 11 – Dec. 11 there were 40 calls / 4 minute average

Situations and Changes: None

Monthly Expenses: November bill paid, December invoice received on 12/11/16 for \$49.95

Rack Coordinator

Old Business: None

New Business:

- Rack being added to Manatee County Library, currently using table space

Situations and Changes: 24 locations stocked

Monthly Expenses:

Public Relations

Old Business: Call Fran 443-745-1588 to help with PR

New Business:

- Hope Against Heroine 5K run/1K Walk. NA booth need members to man booth
 - Venue: W Bradenton Baptist Church
 - Date: January 28, 2017
 - Time: 3pm to 6:00 pm (event set up is 30 minutes prior)
- Opportunity to speak – Assemblies at public middle & high schools.
 - Board of Ed requires pre-approved curriculum.
 - PR will contact Dominic @ regional.
 - Need assistance with proposal/training and assembling speakers
- Manatee Pride is Saturday, March 18, 2017 Noon -6pm at Bradenton Riverwalk
- PR Orientation materials being created
- Science Learning 2017- what do we want to do?
- PR Looking for members to speak at PR Panel Presentations to community professionals, college students, allied health and dental professionals, law and criminal justice facilities first responders.

Situations and Changes: Need banner for booth

Monthly Expenses:

RCM Report:

Behind The Walls: Please announce at every meeting you attend. 3 different ways to get involved

- a. Pen Pal
- b. Sponsorship
- c. Bridging the gap

email kwrench77@gmail.com for more information

NAWS working on 2 new literature pieces

1. new meditation book based on living clean book
www.na.org/meditationbook to see progress or submit content
2. Mental Health/Mental Illness in Recovery
www.na.org/mhmi to see progress or submit content

Florida Service Symposium ~ Sheraton 10221 Princess Palm Ave Tampa FL March 23-26th, 2017

- a. need volunteers for service at FSS
- b. need women volunteers for women's dinner/workshops at FSS.

No clean time requirement to volunteer.

Rebecca B and Rachael R have sign up sheets for food functions. We really want to collect as much money as possible in advance to cut down on food cost at hotel.

- a. Friday Night Women's Dinner \$30
- b. Saturday Night Banquet \$45
- c. Sunday Zonal Breakfast with speaker \$15

Thursday Night is PR Professionals Round Table ~ If you have any suggestions or contact to which you would like our regional admin to contact/invite, please email rebeccabasso@gmail.com the name and phone number if you have it. DOC, Sheriffs, etc, anyone dealing with addicts that would benefit by finding out more information about who we are and what we do.

Admin is also requesting topic ideas for service for the Symposium as well as ideas for the women's portion of the FSS.

When RCM's go to next RSC in January, I will need to take a list of people staying in the rooms and who will be checking in. RSC provides 2 rooms for 2 nights.

NAWS 2016-2018 Issue Discussion Topics www.na.org/?id=2016idt

Find out from home groups, which topics are most important for us to have more information on.

1. Atmosphere of Recovery in Service
 2. How to use "guiding principles" traditions book
 3. Applying our principles to technology and social media
- You can visit world's site to see more information.

FRCNA~ Help them to plan a better convention by Pre-Registering and save \$
They are working on a smartphone app to cut down cost of printing booklets
Cutoff for speaker submissions is April of 2017

NEW BUSINESS:

A work group may be formed to explore possibility of buying/building a centralized location for RSO and RSC to meet. Location would be in Heartland/Lakeland area.

It would help us to become fully self-supporting and not rely on outside facility for meeting space.

TAKE TO HOME GROUPS: YES OR NO?

Is our area open to exploring the idea? Upon yes or no, that just initiates the work group to take a further look into the possibility.

Our current budget for RSC is \$6000/ year and hotels are currently charging over \$2000 for a meeting place.

NEXT RSC is Jan 13-15, 2017 In Orlando

Rosen Center

9840 International Drive \$129/night \$5 off parking cut off for room discount is December 22.

If you are interested in attending Friday night and staying for FDC on Saturday. Please get with Rebecca B at rebeccabasso@gmail.com.

Thank you for allowing me to serve.