

**NORTHEAST ALABAMA AREA OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
(NEAANA)**

Minutes from the Area Service Committee (ASC) meeting held on February 10, 2013
in Rainbow City, AL

Adam L. (Area Chair) opened the meeting with a moment of silence and the "We"
version of the Serenity Prayer.

Adam read the Area Purpose

Jason read the 12 Traditions of NA

Tonya read the 12 Concepts of NA

Roll Call:

NEAANA POSITIONS	HELD BY:	Jan-13	PHONE NUMBER
Area Chair	Adam L.	Present	256-558-8014
Vice Chair	Nick W.	Present	256-996-6761
Treasurer	Lori B.	Present	256-454-1884
Alt Treasurer		Vacant	
Secretary	Betsy U.	Present	256-276-9716
Alt Secretary		Vacant	
PI Chair	Emily L.	Present	256-558-2295
H&I Chair	Greg M.	Present	256-293-7579
Outreach Chair	Andy Mc.	Present	205-369-6171
Literature Chair	Matt P.	Present	256-975-7117
RCM	Dale G.	Present	256-997-7226
RCM-A		Vacant	

Groups:

NEAANA GROUPS	CITY	Jan-13	GSR	PHONE NUMBER
Active Change	Rainsville	Present	Nick W.	256-996-6761
Anonymi	Gadsden	Present	Chris M.	256-458-1998
Breaking Free	Boaz	Present	Greg M.	256-293-7579
Centre of Hope	Centre	Present	Tony G.	256-996-3971
Courage to Change (CTC)	Anniston	Present	Frankie H.	256-403-1706
Freedom	Albertville	Present	Ricky D.	256-477-5933
Help In Progress (HIP)	Oxford	Present	Chris G.	256-282-6988
Just For Today	Talladega	Present	Don K.	256-493-1569
Living In Freedom Everyday (LIFE)	Sylacauga	Present	David J.	256-404-2949
Second Chance	Centre	Present	Steve S.	256-927-7693
	Rainbow			
Shot Of Serenity (SOS)	City	Present	David W.	256-295-0060

RECOGNITION OF NEW GROUPS:

Andy Mc. Gift of Desperation - Gadsden (See first meeting flyer and New Group Information Sheet attached)

NEW GROUP!!!

FIRST MEETING OF THE
GIFT OF DESPERATION GROUP OF NA
FEBUARY 15TH 2013 7pm to 8:15pm

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
1885 RAINBOW DR.
GADSDEN, AL 35901

New Group Information Sheet

Group Name: Gift of Desperation

Mailing Address: 1885 Rainbow Drive

City, State, Zip: Gadsden AL 35901

GSR: Andy M

Phone Number: 205-369-6171 Alternate Phone Number: _____

Email address: ajmc1979@yahoo.com

Alternate GSR: Jake B

Phone Number: 256-504-9401 Alternate Phone Number: _____

Email address: jakebeggs@gmail.com

Meeting Schedule & Description

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Sunday

7pm
NS
WCA
Closed
\$

Directions, Landmarks & Any Extra Notes...

last Friday of the month is a speaker meeting
rotating Topic Discussion / **IP** study

Michelle S. Recovery In Progress (R.I.P.) - Childersburg (See meeting flyer and New Group Information Sheet attached)

Recovery In Progress Group

Narcotics Anonymous

Meets at: 32367 Hwy 280 Childersburg

(Across from the Kangaroo)

Meeting Times:

Mon. 7:30pm

Tues. 7:30pm

Thurs. 7:30pm

Sat. 8:00pm

New Group Information Sheet

Group Name: Recovery IN Progress

Mailing Address: 32307 Hwy 280

City, State, Zip: Childersburg, AL

GSR: William Smith

Phone Number: 256 346-1511 Alternate Phone Number: 256 689-0400

Email address: _____

Alternate GSR: Michelle Smith

Phone Number: 256 689-0400 Alternate Phone Number: 256 346 1511

Email address: thesmithsworld@yahoo.com

Meeting Schedule & Description

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7:30 Open	7:30 Open		7:30 Open		7:30 Open Candlelight	

Directions, Landmarks & Any Extra Notes...

ACROSS from the Kangaroo

OPEN FORUM:

1. We have outgrown the facility at S.O.S. (good problem to have)
2. Subcommittees are growing, PI went over time limit today and needs more than 30 minutes.
3. New GSR needs help with choosing trusted servants
4. We might want to look at having the meeting in different locations
5. Area meeting used to be on rotation between CTC & the Freedom Groups
6. If we put ASC on rotation, many will not come because they will forget where the meeting is going to be held, this could really effect quorum for CBDM

7. We need to keep the meeting centrally located by possibly getting a motel conference room, would also solve parking issues
8. If someone is not fulfilling their trusted servant position, there needs to be good communication with this person by the group
9. All trusted servants need to be trained by the outgoing person or another trusted servant, don't just throw them to the wind
10. Second Chance group voted to keep a trusted servant in their position after they relapsed
11. This violates the 2nd Tradition and the 4th Concept

SECRETARY REPORT: Betsy U. read an overview of last month's minutes. No questions or comments.

TREASURER REPORT: Lori B. - I wasn't here last month so I have the ending balance as \$105.31

RCM REPORT: Dale G. (See attached)

ASC - Feb. 2013

Hello Family!

Region met in Decatur this quarter. Miriam S was voted in as Surrender Draower, Kelly S was voted in as AD. We need to fill several positions at Region: vice chair, webmaster, secretary, treasurer. GAOON W. owes Region \$36.80 a letter will be sent requesting payment. The regional website needs to be scrapped and rebuilt. Regional webmaster is badly needed. At WA.org they are requesting input on the New Traditions book. There are new groups in Dorca, Mobile and Pensacola and Hartselle. We have established ~~an~~ an Ad-Hoc committee for the website. Another AD-HOC committee established for changing quarterly meetings of RSC to 3 times a year. Elections - George J. for FITS treasurer, John R for FITS chair in 2014. Next RSC in Tuscaloosa on March 23 & 24 Thanks in loving service Dale G

PI REPORT: Emily L. (See attached)

Public Information Subcommittee Report

February 10, 2013

Dear PI Subcommittee/ASC,

Great things are happening for our subcommittee and the message of NA. The phone line is paid up to date and is active. We received 2 calls this month. We are always seeking new ways to get it circulating in our community. Any creative ideas are welcome! I would like to ask if it would be at all possible for the payment for the phone line to come directly out of the area bank account. I don't mean to be complicated but this may be a simpler way of doing things in the long run. We can set it up to automatically be withdrawn on the 21st of every month and instead of writing a check the money would be in the account. Maybe we can leave at least that much in there every month.

We now have our phone line and website listed with the 211 service. Anyone in Alabama calling the 211 number looking for help with drugs will receive our information. Yay! We are still working on figuring out how to get PSAs up and running.

Something exciting happened with PI this month. We received emails from school systems requesting presentations. One email was from Gadsden City Schools requesting a presentation to the students. I emailed them back but they haven't replied yet. Another was from the Superintendent of the Cherokee County Schools requesting a presentation to the principal's and supervisors on February 7, 2013 at 10:45am. Mike E., Nick W., Christy C., Blake, and myself were able to provide that service! We did a brief presentation about the nature and purpose of NA and how we could be of further service to them. They were very receptive and asked questions like "Is sixth grade too young for a presentation?" and "Can we have literature?" The Superintendent said he would be in contact with me to let me know how many IPs they would like and what other services they might want from us! We were able to leave them with some meeting schedules.

I have also emailed the Superintendents for Dekalb, Etowah, Marshall, and Calhoun Counties. Knowing now that we will be called on to do more presentations in the near future it is necessary that we have IPs on hand to take with us when we go so we are better prepared. We will be requesting several IPs to keep in stock for the PI Subcommittee! Woohoo! Yay growth! That is all the fun stuff I have to report today! Love and Thanks!

• Gadsden city schools emailed and asked for us to give dates for a "training" for school counselors and a presentation for students. I said any Tuesday and Thursday in March is great!

In Heart Service,
Emily L.
February 10, 2013

My Birthday!

and

have email address for radio station for PSAs
293.1

and fax # for WQSB.

• have goals for PI: letters to court systems, Police stations, jails, health dept. hospitals, DHR, contact city schools.

• Meeting Schedules printed free, will provide room for. And reimburse share.

WEBMASTER REPORT: Christy C. - Read by Emily L. (See attached)

I'm Christy and I'm an addict

I am not able to attend this month's area service meeting due to a prior commitment to work. I do have a few questions I'd like to run by you guys for the website.

I need to know if everyone will be okay with putting bulletins from the na.org website on our site as well as a downloads page that will have approved and unapproved NA literature on it.

I'm not sure if it can be discussed and decided on by all you guys there today or if it needs to be taken back to the group level and decided.

Also, if your group has an event coming up and you have flyers today please give an extra one to Greggy-poo and I will add it to our calendar of events. I will also need an updated meeting schedule to keep the website updated.

Thank you for allowing me to serve,

Christy C.

Bulletins

Bulletin 13: Some thoughts regarding our relationship to Alcoholics Anonymous

Bulletin 15: Open and closed NA Meetings

Bulletin 17: What is Addiction?

Bulletin 18: Special interest meetings

Bulletin 19: Gender-specific language and the use of the word "God" in NA literature

Bulletin 20: Freedom from Prejudice, Part I and II

Bulletin 25: Public relations and the traditions

Bulletin 29: Regarding Methadone and Other Drug Replacement Programs

Downloads (are all in pdf format)

Grey Review Form Intro plus Chapters 1 thru 10

Paths of Recovery (Non-Fellowship Approved)

Basic Text Sixth Edition pdf Format

It Works How & Why

Guide to Local Service

There will need to be a disclaimer on the site that we cannot sell any of these files.

H&I REPORT: Greg M. (See attached)

FEB. H+I REPORT

H+I is going great. all the facilities we are presently carrying H+I into are going good. Panel leaders are coming to area and participation & willingness seem to be increasing. P.T. will be carrying presentations into Marshall & Collier County jails. We are currently revising & writing new N.E.A.A.N.A. H+I guidelines & policy. We will continue this at 11:30 on the day of the next Area. Jason K. was elected H+I vice chair. We also got our lit. order in ~~to all panel leaders we are~~ to carry into facilities. Still waiting on Et. C. jail to announce Homeland Sec. Class.

In Loving Service

Greg M

LITERATURE REPORT: Matt P. - The literature order for last month has been filled (See invoice attached). I was given \$120.60 and order cost \$142.28; so I need to be reimbursed for \$21.68. I wish I could've been here last month but I was meeting with a sponsee who I rarely get a chance to see. I would be happy to do anything the ASC would need.

Florida Regional Service Office, Inc.
2222 South Combee Rd Suite #6
Lakeland, FL 33801

Invoice

Date	Invoice #
2/5/2013	26221

Bill To
North East Alabama Area Matthew Patrick 257 Boyd St Scottsboro, AL 35769 US

Ship To
North East Alabama Area Matthew Patrick 257 Boyd St Scottsboro, AL 35769 256-975-7117

Terms	Due Date	Filled By	Ship Date	Ship Via
Due on receipt	2/5/2013		2/5/2013	UPS

Item	Shelf	Qty	Description	Rate	Amount
EN-1500	C3	30	White Booklet (EN-1500)	0.67	20.10
EN-2101	C2	5	H&l Handbook (with Audio CD) (EN-2101)	8.75	43.75
EN-3101	A4	30	IP 1 - Who, What, How &#38; Why (EN-3101)	0.22	6.60
EN-3105	A4	10	IP 5 - Another Look (EN-3105)	0.22	2.20
EN-3106	A3	20	IP 6 - Recovery, Rclapse (EN-3106)	0.22	4.40
EN-3107	A3	40	IP 7 - Am I an Addict? (EN-3107)	0.22	8.80
EN-3108	A3	30	IP 8 - Just For Today (EN-3108)	0.22	6.60
EN-3109	A2	40	IP 9 - Living the Program (EN-3109)	0.22	8.80
EN-3112	A2	10	IP 12 - Triangle of Self-Obsession (EN-3112)	0.22	2.20
EN-3116	A1	30	IP 16 - For the Newcomer (EN-3116)	0.22	6.60
EN-3117	B4	30	For Those in Treatment (EN-3117)	0.28	8.40
EN-3119	B4	20	IP 19 - Self Acceptance (EN-3119)	0.22	4.40
Shipping Charg...			UPS - UPS Ground	19.43	19.43

Subtotal		\$142.28
Sales Tax (0.0%)		\$0.00
Total		\$142.28
Payments/Credits		\$0.00
Balance Due		\$142.28

Phone #	Fax #	E-mail	Web Site
863-683-8224	863-683-8184	flarso@floridarso.org	www.floridarso.org

OUTREACH REPORT: Andy Mc. (See attached)

Hello Family,

I'm an addict named Andy. Thank you for the opportunity to put my ~~12th~~ 12th step into action and serve as the Outreach chair of the Northeast Area.

There was a lot of confusion among the outreach committee with the outreach carpool to Breaking Free last month

on Jan 17th 2013 so we will be doing a carpool to them on ^{Tues.} Feb 12th meet at Breaking Free at 6:30pm.

There were 2 carpools (8 people) that ~~went~~ went on the carpool to Life in NA on the 25th of January. I heard it was a lot of fun and went very well.

At the HIP group on January 26th Outreach facilitated a chairperson workshop. It was awesome and a lot of fun.

There were 20 plus people there from 4 different homegroups.

~~There was a lot of participation~~ There was a lot of participation.

I learned a lot. ~~The~~ The 2nd carpool will be to a ~~meeting~~ to the Gift of Desperation Group of NA

on Feb 2nd at 7pm. If you are in the Northern part of the area meet at Active Change at 5:30 to carpool

together. We discussed keeping 10-15 copies of the outreach ^{notes} ~~packet~~ on hand and as soon as HIP guidelines are

approved we will update the GSR packets for the Area.

Does anyone have request for Outreach?

GSR orientation did not happen last ^{and this} month due to ~~being~~ ^{being} behind on time.

In loving service

Andy M^c

CTC Group of Anniston requested a flyer day on April 20th, 27th or May 4th

Tuscaloosa Area has requested an Area Inventory

R.I.P. Group of Childersburg requested carpool, will be on schedule next month

MEETING SCHEDULE REPORT: Shane T. - No charges for printing schedules this month. Both area and regional schedules were printed this month.

BREAK: Jim reopened the meeting with "WE" version of Serenity Prayer

GROUP REPORTS:

GSR Report for Active Change Feb 2013

Hello I'm Nick an addict,

Active Change is still doing well and we are grateful to be a part of this area and to do our part in carrying this message. We are still growing in attendance and are being able to pay our bills and keep literature stacked. We officially have all our service positions filled, as we elected an alternate lit. We began with ~~an~~ a beginning balance of \$0.00 brought in a total of \$111.85. Paid our rent which left us with \$71.85. We then bought \$41.85 of lit which leaves us with \$30.00 for an area donation.

We had some ppl from our facility show up at one of our mtgs, in who were not addicts, and we explained what a closed mtg was and they left. We discussed as much as we could in our business mtg if we handled it well, and decided that we should call the man we rent from to make sure everything was okay. And everything turned out to be fine.

We talked about adding another mtg a week, after we had prayed ab it for a month, we decided since all our home

group members were not present, and one group member asked for ^{one more} a month to pray abt it. So more to be revealed.

Christy W. is the hugger for this month and Mike E will be celebrating 6 years on the 24th and Ron M from CTC will be speaking.

Thats all for us, Thank You.

In lovely Service,
Nick W.



GSR REPORT <u>Anonymi</u> GROUP <u>609 Washington St.</u> <u>Prasden, AL 35901</u>

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting Feb. 10, 2013.

<u>TRUSTED SERVANTS:</u>	
GSR	<u>Chris M.</u>
ALT GSR	<u>Vacant</u>
SEC	<u>Paige B.</u>
ALT SEC	<u>Branche B.</u>
TREAS	<u>Jesse S.</u>
ALT TREAS	<u>Jodd S.</u>

<u>TREASURER'S REPORT:</u>	
Beginning Balance	<u>\$340.92</u>
Credits	<u>60.00</u>
TOTAL	<u>400.92</u>
Debits	<u>Power/H₂O 272.04</u> <u>Lat/Sev. Cr.</u>
Ending Balance	<u>128.88</u>
Cash on hand	<u>63.20</u>
Ending Balance	<u>192.08</u>

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

No schedule changes. Third Thursday of month is "Eating Meeting" @ 6pm. Games will be celebrating "One Year." Have copies of "Grey Form of B.T." for sale for 10.00 a copy.

We will donate \$ 0 to NEAANA this month. (Still owe members money.)

Average Attendance was approximately 6-10 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been "Recovery + Relapse" + other Recovery related topics

Old Business: ① Have gas turned on for heat. ② Knocked down a wall to make meeting room larger.

③ Assented on Kelly H. for AD for Region.

New Business: Having 1st Anniversary on May 18th
ASR MWBR.

BREAKIN FREE

FEB. GSR REPORT

Hello family, I'm an addict my name is Greg. We had our bus. meet. the first thurs. of the month, Feb. 7 after the regular meet. The GSR + Greas. were present, sec. was not but Patte U. filled in. We started the month with \$58.49 + ended with 408.94 after all deg. were made. We spent 270 on lit, 75 rent + 30 for area donation. Our balance now is 33.94.

Our Treas. said we have a \$40 check for area that hasn't cleared. Ch. # is 1111. Chairpeople this month is Jim L on Tues. + Nicole on Thurs. Our meetings are going great. Attendance is growing, home group membership is growing + we are carrying a clear message of recovery. Thank You Narcotics Anonymous for allowing me to be part of that.

In Loving Service
Greg M.

Centre of Hope - Tony G. - GSR (See attached report)
GSK Tony G 256-996-3971
Bones_ Omega@Netzero.com



GSR REPORT

Centre of Hope GROUP
205 JACKSON ST Centre

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 2/10/13.

TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR	<u>Tony G</u>
ALT GSR	<u>VAC</u>
SEC	<u>VAC</u>
ALT SEC	<u>VAC</u>
TREAS	<u>Cheryl B</u>
ALT TREAS	<u>Robert D</u>

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance	<u>203.46</u>
Credits	<u>109.55</u>
TOTAL	<u>313.00</u>
Debits	<u>60.00</u>
Ending Balance	<u>253.00</u>

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

Our Thursday Night Meeting will be starting
at 7:00 which I believe is the way it is on our Area
schedule. Our group thinks an Area stack pile of lit
would be great as long as it doesn't become a burden

We will donate \$ 10 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 16 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been Recovery Related discussion
And Basic Text And How & why Study

Old Business: Becoming A Group of Recovery Addicts

New Business: We have discussed a flyer^{day} but no discussion
have been made yet



GSR REPORT
COURAGE TO CHANGE **GROUP**
ANNISTON AL

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 2-10-2013.

TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR	<u>FRANKIE H.</u>
ALT GSR	<u>ROBIN B.</u>
SEC	<u>JEFF H.</u>
ALT SEC	<u>GLORIA S.</u>
TREAS	<u>AMANDA P.</u>
ALT TREAS	<u>KARIN H.</u>

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance	<u>20.00</u>
Credits	<u>688.44</u>
TOTAL	<u>708.44</u>
Debits	<u>688.44</u>
Ending Balance	<u>20.00</u>

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

ELECTIONS GLORIA S (Alt Sec) TRACY A. (Lit) TOMMY M (Supply) LEIGH B (Alt Supply)
VALENTINE'S DAY PARTY SAT. FEB 16TH 8 PM UNTIL POTLUCK
50/50 RAFFLE, DANCE, DONATION BASKET to help our Area with Lit.
Combined with our Food, Fun, & Fellowship.

We will donate \$ 21.81 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 10-15 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been RECOVERY RELATED

Old Business: Big Discussion on how to help our area with Literature.
Decided to help w/out using the Prudent Reserve. Finalize
Valentine's Day function, Eggstravaganza LAST SAT IN MARCH

New Business: Schedule Change SUNDAY 3pm is now at 2pm
ASK AREA to ASK Region for help so our Area can help our
groups to fulfill our primary purpose. ASK AREA for a
Flyer Day & info. Our 3 DATES ARE April 20, 27, & May 4



GSR REPORT

Freedom

GROUP

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting Feb. 10, 2013.

<u>TRUSTED SERVANTS:</u>	
GSR	<u>Present</u>
ALT GSR	<u>Present</u>
SEC	<u>Present</u>
ALT SEC	<u>Present</u>
TREAS	<u>Present</u>
ALT TREAS	<u>Absent</u>

<u>TREASURER'S REPORT:</u>	
Beginning Balance	<u>0</u>
Credits	<u>\$496.66</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$612.26</u>
Debits	<u>\$612.26</u>
Ending Balance	<u>-129.78</u>
	<u>0</u>

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

We have not had enough support for our Sat. 10pm candlelight meetings so we have decided to discontinue it we have however decided to change our Sat 7pm open meeting to a open candlelight meeting

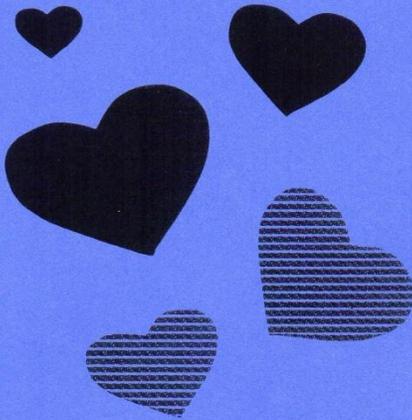
We will donate \$22.21 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 20 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been Recovery Related

Old Business: None to mention

New Business: ~~None~~ We have scheduled our pig roast & have fliers, also the chili cook off turned out well our after valentines dance fliers are also being passed around.



Freedom Group's 
"After" Valentine's Ball

Real Freedom Is Now Possible

WHERE: Union Hall. Downtown by
Hammers

112 E. Main St. Albertville, AL 35950

WHEN: February 23, 2013

Fellowship begins at 4 PM

POT LUCK

50/50

BINGO

7PM Speaker: Doug A. / Air Group

Contact: Barbara S. ~256-960-4204, Ricky
D. ~256-477-5933, Brandy L. ~256-506-0875



“The 12 Steps”

Freedom Group of Narcotics Anonymous

15th Annual Pig Roast

April 6th, 2013

Noccalula Falls

Begins at 11 AM

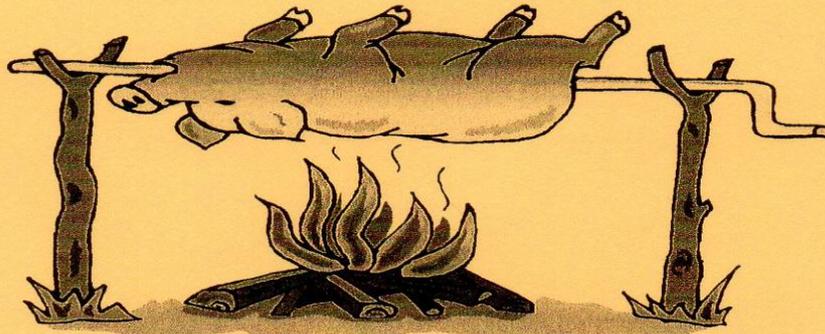
1PM Workshop TBA

3PM Food

5PM Speaker / Vernon K.-Birmingham

6PM Auction

50 / 50 Raffle



Contacts: Barbara S. 256-960-4204

Ricky D. 256-477-5933

Brandy L. 256-506-0875



GSR REPORT
Help in Progress **GROUP**

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 2/10/13.

TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR	<u>Chris G</u>
ALT GSR	<u>Tara M</u>
SEC	<u>Lashay</u>
ALT SEC	<u>OPEN</u>
TREAS	<u>TONMA J</u>
ALT TREAS	<u>OPEN</u>

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance	_____
Credits	_____
TOTAL	_____
Debits	_____
Ending Balance	_____

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

CHATELAIN WORKSHOP WAS AWESOME !!
THANKS OUTREACH

We will donate \$ 10 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 1015 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been recovery related

Old Business: _____

New Business: we got a new ~~SUBJECT~~ SUBJECT

Just For Today - Don K. - GSR (See attached report)



G.S.R. REPORT

JFT GROUP
TALWADEGA 2-10-2013

Northeast Alabama Area Service Committee Meeting Feb

TRUSTED SERVANTS:

G.S.R. _____
ALT. G.S.R. DON
SECRETARY _____
ALT. SEC. _____
TREASURER DON K
ALT. TRE. _____

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Ending Balance for Previous Month: _____
Collections for this Month: _____
*TOTAL: _____
Debits for this Month: (_____) _____
Ending Balance this Month: \$ _____

Meeting Schedule Changes and
Special Notes to Area:

We will donate \$ _____ to Northeast Alabama Area this month.

Average Attendance is approximately 5 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been BOOK STUDY {Interrupted}
By Outside Issues}

Old Business: none

New Business: New Meeting Beginning March 2nd
SATURDAY @ 2PM

Will have a Motion in New Business



GSR REPORT	GROUP
<u>LIFE</u>	
<u>Sylacauga, AL</u>	

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 2/10/13.

<u>TRUSTED SERVANTS:</u>	
GSR	<u>David J</u>
ALT GSR	<u>Vacant</u>
SEC	<u>Dehanna S.</u>
ALT SEC	<u>Vacant</u>
TREAS	<u>Betsy H.</u>
ALT TREAS	<u>Vacant</u>

<u>TREASURER'S REPORT:</u>	
Beginning Balance	<u>159.55</u>
Credits	<u>63.00</u>
TOTAL	<u>222.55</u>
Debits	<u>66.85</u>
Ending Balance	<u>155.70</u>

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

Thanks to Outreach for supporting our meeting

We will donate \$ 40 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 6 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been Recovery related

Old Business: None

New Business: hit order

Second Chance - Steve S. - GSR (See attached report)

~~Steve~~ dadd10759@yahoo.com
256-927-7693



GSR REPORT
Second Chance GROUP
Main St. Centre, AL. 35960

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 2-10-13 SOS.

<u>TRUSTED SERVANTS:</u>	
GSR	<u>Steve S.</u>
ALT GSR	<u>Open</u>
SEC	<u>Pam W.</u>
ALT SEC	<u>Candy A.</u>
TREAS	<u>Bonita B.</u>
ALT TREAS	<u>Grace S.</u>

<u>TREASURER'S REPORT:</u>	
Beginning Balance	<u>47.00</u>
Credits	<u>83.69</u>
TOTAL	<u>130.69</u>
Debits	<u>58.63</u>
Ending Balance	<u>72.06</u>

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

No Changes

We will donate \$ 5.00 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 33-40 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been Clean living, Step Studies
Chairing the Group, Why some are stronger than others.

Old Business: No meeting in Dec. (Voted out Alt. Sec,
Not Trusted By Group.) IN NOV.

New Business: Voted Candy from Alt. GSR to
Alt. Sec. (Group) Voted to Keep Bonita B. as
Treasurer. (as she must start over on New Time)
Need to order Key Chains.



Note: Group was absent in Jan, but turned in a GSR report on 2/10/13 (30)

GSR REPORT
Second Chance GROUP
Centre, AL

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 1-13-13

TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR Steve S.
ALT GSR Candy A.
SEC Pam W.
ALT SEC VACANT
TREAS Bonita B.
ALT TREAS Grace S.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance 32.92
~~32.92~~
Credits 77.12 ~~32.92~~
TOTAL 110.04
Debits 63.15
Ending Balance 46.89

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

Meeting Grew, Due to Scheduled meetings in area Perm. cancelled a weekly meeting.

We will donate \$ 0.00 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 23 ^{FOR NOV.} per meeting. But has been much more since Dec. (30+)

Topics for the month have been Handling Hardship without using Fining Clean, Sponsorship, anonymity, and open forum

Old Business: ~~None~~ Voted out Asst Sec. Due to ~~several~~ special circumstances (not trusted by Group)

New Business: None

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GSR REPORT

S.O.S. Shred of Serenity GROUP
525 W. Grand Ave. Rainbow City, AL.
35906.

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting Feb. 10th 2013.
Davidweaver2011@hotmail.com.

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TRUSTED SERVANTS:	
GSR	<u>David W.</u>
ALT GSR	<u>Kelli V.</u>
SEC	<u>Clint U.</u>
ALT SEC	<u>Zana A.</u>
TREAS	<u>Elijah B.</u>
ALT TREAS	<u>Tom M.</u>

TREASURER'S REPORT:	
Beginning Balance	<u>\$ 96.90</u>
Credits	<u>\$ 466.00</u> <u>\$ 534.19</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$ 631.09</u>
Debits	<u>\$ 4.00</u>
Ending Balance	<u>\$ 165.00</u>

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

16 open Discussion meetings. Sun-7, Tue. 7pm, Thursday 12-7 PM, Friday 7.
4 Closed Discussion meetings Monday 7pm Tue. 12, Wednesday 7, Fri. 9:00pm
New Phone list made and trusted servants. Both posted.

We will donate \$ 0 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 5-20 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been BOOK Study twice a week, New Comers meeting

Old Business: SOS Celebrates 23rd Anniversary (Date & time TBA)
12th Tradition learning day - ? (To get up with Freedom's GSR Ricky D.)
Both are made to pass out to all groups.

New Business: Added A speaker on 2nd Saturday per month. 2nd fundraiser
yard sale. Feb 16 starts at 9AM till 3pm. 3/ SDS Anniversary Fundraiser
Party - March 30th 11:00 A.M till close.

FUND RAISER DAY

YARD SALE

Cake Walk and Bake Sale

At Shot of Serenity

525 Grand Ave., Rainbow City, AL

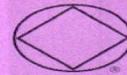
February 16

From 9am to 3pm

All proceeds will be donated to SO.S.

If interested please get with a Trusted Servant.

WHAT TOOLS DO YOU USE TO FEED



YOUR MIND, BODY, AND SOUL

Shot of Serenity

23rd Anniversary Fund Raiser

March 30, 2013 11:00am

525 Grand Avenue

Rainbow City, AL

Pot Luck Luncheon

Poetry Reading

Cake Walk

Bake Sale

Tye Dyed T-Shirts

NA Merchandise

Pot Luck Luncheon

Raffle

Speaker ~~To Be Announced~~ *Chr's m.*

Everyone Come and Help SOS Celebrate it's 23rd Anniversary

To help reach out to the addict that still suffers

If interested please get in touch with a Trusted Servant

AREA OPEN POSITIONS, NOMINATIONS & ELECTIONS:

Open positions are as follows:

Alt Treasurer - minimum requirement 2 years clean time

Alt Secretary - minimum requirement 1 year clean time

Alt RCM - minimum requirement 2 years clean time

Note: Dale's term as RCM ends in September of this year, so we really need to start recruiting for an Alt RCM so they can go with her to RSC and become familiar with the Regional Service Structure.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Proposal #1 made by Just For Today (see attached) - Area establish a stockpile of NA literature accessible to all groups each month at ASC - Discussion by members: 1) No guarantees that literature will be purchased and it ties up too much money, 2) Orders can be placed with Florida SO and received in 3-4 days so why would groups want to wait 30 days to receive their literature, 3) If a group is struggling, they can print some literature from the NA.org website to have in an emergency, 4) Ordering literature for an area can be a nightmare because it is hard to sell, it has to be inventoried on a regular basis and it's heavy to tote around for the person in charge of it. A Literature Committee would also have to be formed, 5) To save money on shipping costs, GSRs of multiple groups can get together and order literature together, 6) Groups can hold fundraisers to raise money for buying literature but they need to be careful that they are not spending more on putting on the fundraiser than they are raising, 7) Groups need to look at why they are struggling to buy literature. They may want to have a group inventory done to locate the problem and pinpoint their priorities, 8) Some groups do not have enough participation or donations, 9) The area should concentrate more on providing new groups with a starter kit, 10) Just For Today withdrew proposal

PROPOSAL FORM

Proposal #: 1

Date: 2-10-2013

Made By: JFT

Proposal:

AREA ~~GROUP~~: ESTABLISH a "STOCKPILE"
OF WA LITERATURE
ACCESSIBLE TO ALL GROUPS
EACH MONTH @ ASC

Intent:

UNITY + Each Group Responsibly
SAVE MONEY ON SHIPPING COST
Per ORDER

Discussion

Final Proposal

Consensus Failure Refer to Groups Refer for Clarification Other

Other Note: _____

2. Proposal #2 made by Courage To Change (see attached) - To have Region help our Area support groups in our area that don't have and can't buy literature - Discussion by members: 1) Groups may be mismanaging their money and Region will probably say no to this proposal, 2) This should be taken back to groups and discussed, 3) Groups should start road trips to the other groups that are struggling and put money in their baskets; also raise price of literature to cover shipping, 4) RCM doesn't have a problem with taking this proposal back to Region, 5) This proposal shouldn't go to Region based on the 8th Concept - Our service structure depends on the integrity and effectiveness of our communications. Groups can donate literature to Area to pass along to other groups that are struggling, 6) We should not be wasting our time on B.S., 7) Our main concern is to save money on literature, 8) Some groups print the first 10 chapters of the Basic Text and make copies of IP's to give to new members; also, we have to have faith that our Higher Power will provide the things we need to run our meetings, 9) Area is not struggling for literature; some of the groups of our area are struggling for literature, 10) Not enough support for this proposal to go forward to groups.

PROPOSAL FORM

Proposal #: 2

Date: 2/10/13

Made By: COURAGE TO CHANGE

Proposal: TO HAVE REGION help our AREA support groups in our AREA that don't have AND CAN'T buy LITERATURE.

Intent: to help our AREA help the groups fulfill their primary purpose of carrying the message of AA.

Discussion

Final Proposal

Consensus Failure Refer to Groups Refer for Clarification Other

"Other" Note: _____

- 3. Proposal #3 made by Chris (see attached) - To donate S.O.S. \$5.00 per month for ASC building. To be deducted automatically from ASC bank account. Tabled due to time constraints.

PROPOSAL FORM

Proposal #: 3

Date: 2/10/13

Made By: Chris

Proposal:

To donate S.O.S. 5⁰⁰ per month for ASC building to be deducted automatically from ASC bank account.

Intent:

To be fully supporting + eliminate bank monthly charge of 12.80

Discussion

Final Proposal

Consensus Failure Refer to Groups Refer for Clarification Other

Other Note:

Tabled due to time constraints

RECURRING MONTHLY EXPENSES:

1. \$28.48 for phone line (receipt attached) - Check written Budget proposal #2 was made by PI Chair (see attached) - To have phone line payment to be automatically withdrawn from Area bank account, Consensus - Have ASC Treasurer set up automatic payment.

Previous balance

\$28.26

Payments

01/22/2013 Electronic check payment received: 9813

Total: **\$28.26CR**
\$28.26CR

Adjustments

No adjustments have been made this period.

Total: **\$0.00**

Charges

No charges have been made this period.

Total: **\$0.00**

Amount due

Total: **\$0.00**

BUDGET PROPOSAL FORM

Proposal #: 2

Date: 2/10/13

Made By: Emily L.
PF Chair

Proposal:

To have phone line payment to be automatically
drawn from AIA bank account.

Intent:

To simplify the payment process.

Discussion

Final Proposal

Consensus Failure Refer to Groups Refer for Clarification Other

"Other" Note: Have Lori (Treasurer) set up auto pay

2. \$50.00 Payable to Christy C. for Webmaster services - Check written

BUDGET PROPOSALS:

1. Proposal #1 made by Gift of Desperation Group (see attached) We would like to get a starter kit for our new group. Tabled - List should be brought next month detailing what they need.

BUDGET PROPOSAL FORM

Proposal #: 1

Date: 2/10/13

Made By: Gift of Desperation

<p>Proposal: <u>Gift of Desperation Group is requesting a starter Kit</u></p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>Intent: <u>To help a New get started.</u></p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>Discussion</p> <hr/> <hr/> <p><u>Bring list next month</u></p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>Final Proposal</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

- Consensus Failure Refer to Groups Refer for Clarification Other

“Other” Note: _____

2. Proposal #3 made by PI Chair (see attached) - \$35.50 for IPs, Consensus - \$36 given to Literature Chair to place order.

BUDGET PROPOSAL FORM

Proposal #: 3

Date: 2/10/13

Made By: Emily L. PIC

Proposal: <u>order literature for PE service</u>
<u>\$35.50 for IPs: 20 each of 11 IPs</u> <u>50 NA-A Resource</u>
Intent: <u>To provide info for the public and be prepared</u> <u>for future presentations</u>
Discussion
Final Proposal

- Consensus Failure Refer to Groups Refer for Clarification Other

"Other" Note: \$36 given to Literature chair to place order

Emily L. made a \$10 donation to ASC.

Ending Balance is \$168.33

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. 2/12/13 - Outreach carpool to Breakin' Free Group in Boaz
2. 2/22/13 - Outreach carpool to Gift of Desperation Group in Gadsden
3. 5/18/13 - Anonymi having their 1st anniversary (more will be revealed)
4. 2/16/13 - CTC in Anniston is having a Valentine's Day party at 8pm, pot luck, 50/50 raffle, dance
5. 3/30/13 - CTC in Anniston is having an Eggstravaganza (more will be revealed)
6. 2/23/13 - Freedom Group in Albertville is hosting an after Valentine's Ball at 4pm, (see flyer above)
7. 4/6/13 - Freedom Group in Albertville's annual PIG ROAST, starts at 11am at Noccalula Falls (see flyer above)
8. 3/2/13 - Just For Today in Talladega starting a Saturday meeting, starts at 2pm
9. 2/16/13 - S.O.S. Group in Rainbow City is having a Fundraiser Yard sale starting at 9am (see flyer above)
10. 3/30/13 - S.O.S. Group in Rainbow City is hosting their 23rd Anniversary Fundraiser, starts at 11am (see flyer above)

Next Area Service Committee (ASC) meeting will be on March 10, 2013

Times for sub-committee meetings are as follows:

12:00pm	Outreach
12:30pm	Public Information (PI)
01:30pm	H&I committee
02:00pm	Group Service Representatives (GSR) Orientation
03:00pm	NEAANA Area Service Committee (ASC)