

# NORTHEAST ALABAMA AREA OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS (NEAANA)

Minutes from the Area Service Committee (ASC) meeting held on:  
October 13, 2013 in Rainbow City, AL.

Tonya M. opened the meeting with a moment of silence and the "We" version of the Serenity Prayer.

Nick W. read the Area Purpose

Jeri A. read the 12 Traditions of NA

Betsy U. read the 12 Concepts of NA

Andy M. read the Service Prayer

## Roll Call:

NEAANA POSITIONS	HELD BY:	PHONE NUMBER	Oct-13
Area Chair	Tonya M.	256-717-7549	Present
Vice Chair	Nick W.	256-996-6761	Present
Treasurer	Lori B.	256-454-1884	Present
Alt Treasurer	Vacant		Vacant
Secretary	Betsy U.	256-276-9716	Present
Alt Secretary	DeLanna S.	256-201-7898	Present
PI Chair	Mike E.	256-605-4732	Present
H&I Chair	Greg M.	256-293-7579	Present
Outreach Chair	Andy Mc.	205-369-6171	Present
Literature Chair	Tony G.	256-996-3971	Present
RCM	Kris L.	256-572-4568	Absent
RCM-A	Vacant		Vacant

## Groups:

NEAANA GROUPS	CITY	GSR	PHONE NUMBER	Oct-13
Acceptance	Henagar	Tony G.	256-996-3971	Present
Active Change	Rainsville	Nick W.	256-996-6761	Present
Anonymi	Gadsden	Chris M.	256-458-1998	Present

Breaking Free	Boaz	Jeri A.	256-960-6201	Present
Courage to Change (CTC)	Anniston	Robin B.	256-689-1017	Absent
Freedom	Albertville	Barbara S.	256-202-3241	Present
Gift of Desperation	Gadsden	Andy Mc.	205-369-6171	Present
Help In Progress (HIP)	Oxford	Frank F.	256-283-5339	Present
Just For Today	Talladega	Don K.	256-493-1569	Absent
Living In Freedom Everyday (L.I.F.E.)	Sylacauga	David J.	256-404-2949	Present
Second Chance	Centre	Steve S.	256-927-7693	Present
Section Serenity	Section	Steve M.	256-609-9374	Present
Shot Of Serenity (SOS)	Rainbow City	David W.	256-295-0060	Present

## **RECOGNITION OF NEW GROUPS:**

Stepping Up

Meeting location:

Daugette Hall 700 Pelham Road S. Jacksonville, AL 36265

Meets on Thursday @ 6pm starting on the 1st Thursday on November

Keith B. is GSR

## **OPEN FORUM:**

Tonya M. stated that this facility is not permanent & we need to find another meeting location.

Lori B. said they were having issues at her Home Group (H.I.P) with male predators.

Nick W. said to grab the new ladies and tell them to stay away from this individual.

Mike E. suggested that several other men should talk to this person about their behavior.

Lori B. said there were only 2 men in the group.

Greg M. stated that this was the responsibility of the Group as a whole.

Chris M. said to get literature on this matter and explain to this man that if the behavior continues, the group will have no other choice but to ask him to leave and not come back.

David J. stated that this degrades the NA meeting.

Andy M. asked, "How many people do I have to kill before I change?" and "Why am I here?" Tell them the truth; don't be afraid to run people off.

Nick W. has flyer for NAA camp out.

Chris M., filling in for RCM, stated that C.A.R. will be out soon. There is an Intro to NA meetings project being implemented and the Traditions Book projects needs

workshops. There are going to be online seminars for H&I and PR. Also, literature is going to increase by 10% in January 2014.

Jeri A. is having trouble finding NEAA Policy on the website.

**SECRETARY REPORT:**

Betsy U. read a preview on the minutes from previous meeting

**TREASURER REPORT:** Lori B. (See attached)

Treasurer

~~Sep 8~~ 10/13/13

1st  
ms

I will like to Thank you for letting me  
sever you. I did ~~not~~ meet with Tonya  
Vick, and got them on the back account.

beginning 841.18

we paid out 445.29

Ending with : 753.98

Nov-5 payables by bank

Thank you

Lai B.

256-454-1884

groups :

Treasurer  
10/13/13

1158.17  
11-26

Active change	48.85
Break Free	125.00
CTC	20.60
GOD	37.48
Section Serenity	50.00
<del>RA</del> change	10.00
Life	25.00
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	316.29

took in

Payout

RMC	144.14
LI	135.60
PJ	50.30
Rent	20.00
web	50.00
Tony	2.73
	<hr/>
	404.19 total

phon	28.10
fee	13.00
	<hr/>
	445.29

End with 753.98

**RCM REPORT:** Kris L. - Kris didn't go the RSC and will return advance for expenses.

**PI REPORT: Mike E. (See attached)**

*PI Report*

*10/13/13*

Hello Family,

I'm Mike and I'm an addict, first and foremost I want to thank everyone for allowing me the opportunity to serve this area as well as NA as a whole. I also want to thank the Sub-Committee members for the willingness to serve and help PI serve our purpose in this area. On September 10<sup>th</sup> PI did a presentation for Job Corps and it went great, Job Corps has expressed a strong interest in having H&I meetings at the facility and we are working with the H&I sub-committee on getting that started as soon as possible. At this time we have decided that H&I can go in every other Thursday, and hopefully we can get started this month. On September 16<sup>th</sup> I received a phone call through our phoneline, it was Kim Presley from DeKalb County Court Referral, she ask why a group was not on the meeting schedule, that she was told by that groups GSR that the GSR had called someone and was assured that they would be on the schedule, I explained that groups don't get put on the schedule by calling someone and explained once again that groups must attend ASC in order to be considered to be put on the schedule. I also explained that we are currently in the process of deciding exactly how our ASC will determine when a group will be added to the schedule. PI has some dates for a PI Presentation for the Bridge in Fort Payne, those dates are October 21, 23, 24, 28, 30, 31 and the times are 9am til 12noon and 4:30pm til 7:30pm. This Presentation will be for their clients and there are 2 different classes the morning class and the evening class so there will be 2 separte Presentations. I received a phoneline call from Marshall County DHR wanting information on meetings in the Marshall County area, I gave the information and also gave them our website info, I ask if they were interested in a Presentation and they are supposed to get back with me on that. On September 27<sup>th</sup> PI gave a Presentation Orientation at the G.O.D. group. The Flyer Day continuation for the 3 Gadsden Groups (Anonymi, G.O.D. and S.O.S) has been set for Saturday November 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 11am. The Phoneline has been very active this month taking in 37 calls with 104 minutes of talk time. Big thanks to our phoneline volunteers! PI needs a meeting schedule coordinator. Even though Shane T is not the coordinator he agreed to go ahead and print schedules this month, thanks Shane! Once again thanks everyone for the support in helping PI thrive, I love you all!

In loving service,

Mike E

*\* P.S. H&I for Job Corps will start on Thursday Oct 24<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 PM and will be every other Thursday.*

**WEBMASTER REPORT: Christy C. - no report**

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

Oct. Area H+I Report - Greg M. - Chair  
10-13-13

I'm an addict, my name is  
Greg. All H+I meetings being  
cancelled or are going well. There  
are no problems at any facilities.

We are starting back up the  
H+I meeting at Goodson Job Corp.  
It will be ~~on~~ every other Thurs.  
from ~~6 to 7~~ starting 10-24. Jason K. will  
be the temporary panel leader until  
Kyndi W gets more experience and she  
is comfortable. She will then be  
panel leader.

We are having an H+I workshop  
at the Freedom group on 11-3  
starting at 1:30

~~Chris M. told me~~ Region is trying  
to get H+I back together and  
top priority will be going into  
prisons. If you need any more  
information contact Chris M - our R.D.

In Loving Service  
Greg M.

LITERATURE REPORT: Tony G. (See attached)

LIT Report 10-13-13

I Placed The LIT order for  
H&I on 9-10-13 And Received IT  
A Couple days Later I was not  
Able To Get IT To H&I Char-  
This month so I brought IT with  
me today. I was given \$135<sup>00</sup>  
To purchase LIT And The Total was \$138.45  
A difference of \$3.45

I Am Greatfull To be Able To  
Serve The ASC

Sony A



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

# Invoice

Date	Invoice #
9/11/2013	28324

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EN-3101	A4	40	IP 1 - Who, What, How &#38; Why (EN-3101)	0.22	8.80
EN-3106	A3	40	IP 6 - Recovery, Relapse (EN-3106)	0.22	8.80
EN-3107	A3	40	IP 7 - Am I an Addict? (EN-3107)	0.22	8.80
EN-3108	A3	40	IP 8 - Just For Today (EN-3108)	0.22	8.80
EN-3109	A2	40	IP 9 - Living the Program (EN-3109)	0.22	8.80
EN-3116	A1	40	IP 16 - For the Newcomer (EN-3116)	0.22	8.80
EN-3117	B4	20	For Those in Treatment (EN-3117)	0.28	5.60
EN-3122	B3	40	IP 22 - Welcome to NA (EN-3122)	0.22	8.80
EN-3123	B3	40	IP 23 - Staying Clean on the Outside (EN-3123)	0.22	8.80
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			<b>Sales Tax (0.0%)</b>	\$0.00
			<b>Total</b>	\$138.45
			<b>Payments/Credits</b>	\$-138.45
			<b>Balance Due</b>	\$0.00

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**OUTREACH REPORT: Andy Mc. (See attached)**

Outreach 10/13/13

Hello Family I'm an addict named Andy. It is an honor and a privilege to serve as your <sup>Outreach</sup> Chair. Last month we facilitated 2 group Inventories one at Acceptance Group that went very well that was on 9/14/13 the the second one was at Breaking Free on 9/29/13 and I was told that went very well also. We have a carpool scheduled for Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> to the section Serenity Group that meet at 8pm. the HIP Group has requested a Group Booklet learning Day for Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> from 11am to 5pm. and just because the HIP Group requested this doesn't mean if your a member of another Group you can't come. ~~we encourage you to come~~ ~~if you can come out~~ and I am looking forward to this come out and learn with us. Are there any request for Outreach service's? Thank you for allowing us to serve

In loving Service  
Outreach

**UNITY DAY REPORT:** Barbara S. - All went well, but attendance was low. Kyndi said there were only 3 people that stayed to clean up the facility and that there was a toilet broken. Chris M. asked if Area needed to pay for any repairs. Kyndi said that the problem had been solved.

**BREAK:**

**GROUP REPORTS:**

Acceptance - Tony G. - GSR (See attached)



## GSR REPORT

Acceptance **GROUP**  
18014 Al Hwy 75 Henager AL

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 10/13/13.

### TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR Long A  
ALT GSR VAC  
SEC Cheryl B  
ALT SEC Lori K  
TREAS Angie O  
ALT TREAS VAC

### TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance 79.29  
Credits 433.00  
TOTAL 512.29  
Debits 364.00  
Ending Balance 149.00  
Available Balance 35.00

### Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

We Are NOT Having Any Noon meetings AT THIS  
Time AS A RESULT of our Inventory, we do NOT Have  
Support for These meetings We Are Having A wed Night  
meeting AT 6:30 and it is open.  
We Are Black's They Add To Policy for New or Inactive groups with  
We will donate \$ 0 to NEAANA this month. <sup>The 12 Concept</sup>  
<sup>And Third Tradition</sup>

Average Attendance was approximately 13 per meeting. <sup>The only Requirement is desire</sup>

Topics for the month have been step study I.P. study meditation study  
And Recovery Related discussion

Old Business: was The Group Inventory we are greatfull  
To out reach for providing The service, we Have made some  
changes & will continue To make changes To Better carry The message

New Business: we Have started Planning our 12th Anniversary  
AT Acceptance IT will Be NOV 16th STARTS AT 1:00  
more To Be Revealed

Active Change - Nick W. - GSR (See attached)

P.S. Oh and I have others for North Al area campout.  
Traditions wkbook.

## Active Change GSR ~~report~~ Oct 2013

Hello family I'm Nick, an addict,

We began our business mtp with the study of the 9th tradition in the basic text, then we went on to find that we have been consistently carrying the NA message and welcoming new comers and visitors for the month of september. Our format is good and our attendance is steady with an average of 16 addicts per meeting.

We had no problems this past month that needed attention. Our relations with the facility and the community are good.

We brought in \$106.00 total 7th tradition contributions, re-imbursed \$13.24 for lit, \$40.00 for rent, then bought \$30.00 for more lit which leaves us with \$23.56 cash donation for A.S.C.

We filled all of our positions, and Shane T will be our speaker on Oct 27th. We assent to a group being present for 3 months b/t being added to the schedule. We approve guidelines. We want policy to say that we will re-imburse for gas and lodging. Thank You for letting us serve, In loving service, Nick W.



## GSR REPORT

ANONYMI

GROUP

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 10/13/13

### TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR

ALT GSR

SEC

ALT SEC

TREAS

ALT TREAS

CHARISM

~~JIM M.~~

TIM M.

DOLLIE S.

~~ROBERTA~~

JAMES B.

(last month)

### TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance

Credits

TOTAL

Debits

Ending Balance

52.27

86.37

138.64

72.16

66.48

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

STILL NOT HAVING SATURDAY MEETING TILL FURTHER NOTICE.

We will donate \$ 0 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 8 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been BASIC TEXT STUDY, HOW AND WHY STUDY

Old Business: FALL FESTIVAL OCT. 25<sup>TH</sup> AT 6:00 PM. SPEAKER AT SEVEN.

New Business: BLOCKING NEW PROPOSAL (SEE TRADITION 1, 2, 3 + 5), How DOES THIS PROPOSAL FUFILL ITS INTENT TO ENSURE CONSISTENT INFORMATION TO THE PUBLIC.

Breakin' Free - Jeri A - GSR (See attached)



**GSR REPORT**Breaking Free**GROUP**NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 10/13/13**TRUSTED SERVANTS:**

GSR Jeri A  
ALT GSR open  
SEC Nicole E  
ALT SEC open  
TREAS Gim L  
ALT TREAS open

**TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Beginning Balance 416.23  
Credits 212.43  
TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_  
Debits 230.00  
Ending Balance 398.66

**Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:**NoneWe will donate \$ 150.00 to NEAANA this month.Average Attendance was approximately 15 per meeting.Topics for the month have been Just 70 today on Tuesday  
and using Living Clean Book on ThursdayOld Business: 3X before going on list - OK + RCMOur group inventory went well + helped usNew Business: to see where we can improve on  
carrying the message.ILS  
Jeri ABring up how often we print lists.

CTC - Robin B. - GSR - Absent

Freedom - Barbara S. - GSR (See attached)

THIS MONTH FREEDOM GROUP HAS 2 CELEBRATIONS SCHEDULED. BARBARA S. WILL BE CELEBRATING 3YRS. ON FRIDAY 10/18 AND MIKE E. WILL BE SPEAKING. ON FRIDAY 10/25 KENAC WILL BE CELEBRATING 8YRS AND TAMMY S. WILL BE CELEBRATING 16 YRS. THEY WILL BE HAVING AN ASK-IT-BASKET - PANEL WILL BE PATTI U., DON U., TIM S., RUSY B., AND ROSANN M. IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS CELEBRATION FREEDOM GROUP HAS SCHEDULED A HALLOWEEN BASH INCLUDING A CHILI COOK-OFF, COSTUME CONTEST, AND BINGO STARTING AT 5:00 PM. FREEDOM GROUP IS STILL LOOKING AT ADDITIONAL WAYS TO INCREASE DONATIONS AND REDUCE EXPENSES INCLUDING RELOCATING MEETING FACILITY.

IN LOVING SERVICE,  
BARBARA S.



## FREEDOM GROUP

### OCTOBER GSR REPORT

BARBARA SHARTZEL - 256-202-3241

BARBARA.SHARTZEL@YAHOO.COM

HELLO FAMILY! FREEDOM GROUP HELD THEIR BUSINESS MEETING WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2. ALL TRUSTED SERVANTS WERE PRESENT. THIS MONTH'S MEETINGS WERE SPEAKER MEETINGS, BOOK STUDIES, AND OTHER RECOVERY RELATED TOPICS. OUR AVERAGE MEETING ATTENDANCE HAD A SLIGHT INCREASE THIS MONTH TO 18. FREEDOM GROUP BEGINNING BANK BALANCE WAS A - \$146.34. DONATIONS AND LITERATURE SOLD TOTALLED \$309.56. ENDING BALANCE WAS A - \$912.05. FREEDOM GROUP WILL NOT BE ABLE TO MAKE A DONATION TO AREA THIS MONTH. FREEDOM GROUP WOULD LIKE TO HOST AN H&I WORKSHOP. DATE TO BE DETERMINED AT AREA H&I SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING. TO THE PROPOSAL REGARDING NEW GROUPS TO BE ADDED TO AREA MEETING SCHEDULE ATTENDING 3 CONSECUTIVE AREA'S - GROUP VOTED NO. TO THE PROPOSAL OF RCM TRAVEL EXPENSES - GROUP VOTED NO AS IT STANDS, BUT WOULD LIKE TO AMEND THIS PROPOSAL.

# Freedom Group Halloween Bash

**Friday, October 25**

Chili Cook off

Costume Contest

Ask-it-basket celebration

Bingo

Eating starts at 5:00

Meeting starts at 7:00

Tammy & Keith celebrating

Bingo & costume contest following meeting

Everybody dress up, bring a dish & drink &  
come celebrate with us!!!

# Gift of Desperation

Oct ASC

10-13-12

Hello Family I'm an addict named Andy. It is a good day to be clean & serve NA. The atmosphere of recovery is ~~is~~ alive and well at our meetings at G.O.D. Attendance is steady. We will not be making an area Donation this month because after we paid rent this month we had zero monies left over. We ascent on the outreach guidelines. We ascent on Proposal #1 on having ~~were~~/inactives groups attend 3 area before being put on the meeting schedule. ~~We~~ We have brought back a counter proposal of the Funding for the RCM. We still meet Friday Nights 7pm at Trinity Lutheran Church on 4/11. Thank you for allowing <sup>Me</sup> ~~us~~ to serve. We are ~~going~~ going to start studying a concept before each Bas Meeting in effort to learn together  
G.O.D.

Nick W will be speaking Oct. 25th ~~For~~ For our monthly speaker meeting

HIP - Frank F. - GSR (See attached)





## GSR REPORT

HT P GROUP GROUP  
2236 US-78  
OXFORD AL 36203

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 10/13/13.

### TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR

Frank F.

ALT GSR

TRACI P.

SEC

Lashay

ALT SEC

TREAS

Tony G

ALT TREAS

LORI

### TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance

445.65

Credits

319.50

TOTAL

765.15

Debits

548.70

Ending Balance

216.45

### Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

noon meeting on wed and Fri.

We will donate \$10.00 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 25 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been new comers surrender

unmanageably SPONSORSHIP steps Basement

How & why

Old Business: add Two meeting to schedule wed Mon X Fri

at noon

New Business:

Balance on Litt. first time  
In long time not owe for. Land LORD going  
do work on parking lot and Hang new Lights and  
paint ceiling. voted TRACI P for ALT GSR.  
OVER LORI B for ALT TREAS.

Hello Family, I would like to thank everyone for the opportunity to be of service. AREA and The group is doing quite well. We have a  $\phi$  balance on Literature, our Attendance is good, we've got all service positions filled except for Alternate Secretary. The only problems we have in our group are 1) the keeping of Anonymity, and 2) gossip and Alleged sexual harassment, And people from others groups gossiping about HIP Group and its members and false accusations about what is going on in our meetings. I would like to ask Area for input on how to handle this matter ~~as~~ from a GSR perspective. And I feel that anonymity is being broken. Thank You from Frank and HIP Group.

Just For Today - Don K. - GSR - Absent

LIFE - David J. - GSR (See attached)





## GSR REPORT

LIFE GROUP GROUP  
800 WEST PARK  
SYLACUAHUA AR. 35150

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 10/13/13

### TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR DAVID J  
ALT GSR \_\_\_\_\_  
SEC DELANA  
ALT SEC \_\_\_\_\_  
TREAS BETSY U.  
ALT TREAS \_\_\_\_\_

### TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance 113.69  
Credits \_\_\_\_\_  
TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_  
Debits \_\_\_\_\_  
Ending Balance 181.69

### Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

(NO CHANGES) TREASURER REPORT. CAN'T  
GIVE REPORT BECAUSE DID NOT RECEIVE

We will donate \$ -0-0 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 7-8 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been NAK-RELATED OPEN  
MEETING

Old Business: NAK BLOCK #1 PROPOSAL  
THAT A NEW GROUP SHOULD ATTEND 3 CONSECUTIVE  
ASC MEETING BEFORE BEING ADDED.

New Business: \_\_\_\_\_

## L.I.F.E. Group on Proposal #1

We would like to block proposal #1 "That a new or inactive group should attend 3 consecutive ASC meetings before they are added to the Area meeting schedule" on the grounds of Tradition 2 - For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority - a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants they do not govern; Tradition 3 - The only requirement for membership is the desire to stop using; and Concept 12 - In keeping with the spiritual nature of NA, our structure should always be one of service, never of government.

By adopting this stipulation for new and inactive groups to become members of NEAANA, we believe that we are taking on the role of government (NA police) and doing an injustice to the NA groups wishing to join our Area. This also portrays disunity in our Area. As stated earlier in Tradition 2, there is but one ultimate authority; and if a group is here for the wrong reason we believe that they will be weeded out by that ultimate authority.

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



## GSR REPORT

Second Chance GROUP  
of Centre

NEAANA Service Committee Meeting 10/13/13

### TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR Steve S  
ALT GSR —  
SEC Brandy P  
ALT SEC —  
TREAS —  
ALT TREAS —

### TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance 104.71  
Credits 49.80  
TOTAL 154.51  
Debits 101.77  
Ending Balance 52.74

### Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

Those 10 Block the Proposal of Requiring 3 meetings on  
12 TRADITIONS 2-5-9-12  
OK with other PROPOSALS on Guidelines + Funding

We will donate \$ 0 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 10 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been 12 steps, we do recover,  
12 TRADITIONS, OPEN DISCUSSIONS

Old Business: NONE

New Business: Low Attendance, and if we can pay Rent

Section Serenity - Steve M. - GSR (See attached)



## GSR REPORT

Section Serenity GROUP

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### TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR Steve m  
ALT GSR David P  
SEC SONJA K  
ALT SEC (VAC)  
TREAS David P (acting)  
ALT TREAS (VAC)

### TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance 300<sup>00</sup>  
Credits 300<sup>00</sup>  
TOTAL 600<sup>00</sup>  
Debits 315<sup>00</sup>  
Ending Balance 275<sup>00</sup>

### Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area: (How & why)

Monday Night is now STEP study & Tradition study steps 1,2,3 Tues 3+5  
Fri is candlelight meeting

Rosanne from Freedom will SPEAK Oct 26. EAT 4 SPEAK 5<sup>00</sup> PM

We will donate \$ 25<sup>00</sup> to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 16 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been Daily meditation

Old Business: Not sure if we have voice + 1 3 month  
Attendance completed

New Business: GSR has group confidence  
Opening checking acct Mon 14<sup>th</sup>

SOS - David W. - GSR (See attached)



## GSR REPORT

SOS

GROUP

October 2013

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### TRUSTED SERVANTS:

GSR David W.  
ALT GSR Zana A.  
SEC Clint G.  
ALT SEC Danny S.  
TREAS Elijah B.  
ALT TREAS Tom M.

### TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning Balance -\$118.65  
Credits \$476.44  
TOTAL \$476.44  
Debits \$435.00 + \$80.00  
Ending Balance \$-77.21 not paid

Meeting Schedule Changes & Special Notes to Area:

[Signature]

We will donate \$ 0 to NEAANA this month.

Average Attendance was approximately 5-10 per meeting.

Topics for the month have been baspetext, H+W, JFT discussion, general recovery discussion

Old Business: none

New Business: changed Steps. back to general H+W rather than Steps 1-4 only for newcomers

## AREA OPEN POSITIONS, NOMINATIONS & ELECTIONS:

Open positions are as follows:

Alt Treasurer - minimum requirement 2 years clean time - Tonya M. read responsibilities - Please announce at groups

Alt RCM - minimum requirement 2 years clean time



#1 Nomination- DeLanna S. for Secretary (See attached)

## **PROPOSED NOMINATION FORM**

Nomination #: 1

Date: 10/13/13

Made By: Secretary

Nomination of: ~~DeLanna S.~~ DeLanna S.  
For Position: Secretary

Qualifications (attach additional information if available):

3 1/2 yrs clean time  
Has a sponsor who has a sponsor  
Working 12 steps  
Hold Sec. position in Life Group

What is the nominee's clean date? 3-3-10  
What is the nominee's home group/area? Life Group  
Has the nominee been read the duties of the position? yes  
Does the nominee have an understanding of the duties of the position? yes

Additional Information/Questions:

☐ Consensus ☐ Failure ☒ Refer to Groups ☐ Refer for Clarification ☐ Other

"Other" Note: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**OLD BUSINESS:**

Moment of silence.

Outreach guidelines: Consensus with typo fixed



Proposal #1 from September ASC that new & inactive groups wishing to join Northeast Alabama Area should attend 3 meetings to be added to the Area meeting schedule was blocked.

Proposal #1 from October ASC concerning reimbursement for RCM & RCMA to attend RSC - Consensus (See attached)

# PROPOSAL FORM

Proposal #: #1

Date: 10/13/13

Made By: Gift & Debra

Proposal:

See sheet  
attached

Intent:

Discussion

no food - pg. 18 of Regional Policy

Final Proposal

☒ Consensus ☐ Failure ☐ Refer to Groups ☐ Refer for Clarification ☐ Other

Other" Note: \_\_\_\_\_

## COUNTER PROPOSAL

RCM and RCM Alternate shall be funded 50% of room rate for overnight lodging if travel exceeds 100 miles one way. RCM and RCM Alternate shall be funded 50% of room rate for 2 night lodging if travel exceeds 200 miles one way. The RCM and RCMA shall be given the sum (RCM and RCMA together) of 20 cents per mile travel expenses. Room receipt and/or mileage statement are required. No reimbursement for food expenses will be allowed for RSC attendance.

**Note:** The ASC will only reimburse the negotiated amount for lodging that was agreed on between the Hotel and hosting area.

In the situation that RCMA is vacant or the RCMA or RCM will not be attending region that month the RCM\RCMA will be funded 100% of room rate for overnight lodging if travel exceeds 100 miles one way and will be funded for 100% of room rate for 2 nights of lodging if travel exceeds 200 miles one way and will be given 20 cent per mile travel expenses. Room receipt and/or mileage statement are required. No reimbursement for food expenses will be allowed for RSC attendance.

**Note:** The ASC will only reimburse the negotiated amount for lodging that was agreed on between the Hotel and hosting area.

**Intent -** 2<sup>nd</sup> Concept - The final responsibility and authority for NA services rests with the NA groups, 5<sup>th</sup> Concept -For each responsibility assigned to the service structure, a single point of decision and accountability should be clearly defined. 11<sup>th</sup> Concept - NA funds are to be used to further our primary purpose, and must be managed responsibly. *fairness*

To clearly define the expenses the ASC for present and future RCM\RCMA's and to hold everyone accountable

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Purchase new group Stepping Up a starter kit for \$115

We need a new facility. Chris M. will head an Ad Hoc committee

Traditions Workbook workshop will be held at Breakin' Free group on 11/17/13 starting at 11am, Potluck

Jeri A. made announcements.

Next RSC is Jan 25 & 26, 2014 @ Fairfield Inn & Suites

Southeast Zonal meeting is Feb 15, 2014 in Atlanta, GA (MWBR)

**RECURRING MONTHLY EXPENSES:**

Phone

Webmaster

Meeting facility

Bank service fee

**BUDGET PROPOSALS:**

#1 - Lit chair for PI & Outreach - Consensus (see attached)

# BUDGET PROPOSAL FORM

Proposal #: 1

Date: 10-13

Made By: LIT chair

**Proposal:**

for 76.80 To order LIT for <sup>PI</sup> ~~and~~ And out Reach  
This Includes \$17.00 for processing and shipping

**Intent:**

To provide 30 #1 IPS, 30 #7 IPS, 30 #16 IPS, 30 #22 IPS  
for PI

To provide 5 #2 IPS, 5 of A Guide To Local Service

**Discussion**

**Final Proposal**

☒ Consensus ☐ Failure ☐ Refer to Groups ☐ Refer for Clarification ☐ Other

"Other" Note: \_\_\_\_\_  
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#2 - Lit chair for new group starter kit - Consensus (see attached)

# **BUDGET PROPOSAL FORM**

Proposal #: 2

Date: 10-13-13

Made By: Lit chair

Proposal:

for \$115.00 To Get A Starter KIT  
for The New Group STEP BY UP

Intent:

Discussion

Final Proposal

☒ Consensus ☐ Failure ☐ Refer to Groups ☐ Refer for Clarification ☐ Other

"Other" Note: \_\_\_\_\_

Reimburse Lit chair \$3.45 for last month's order

**OPEN FORUM:**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Next Area Service Committee (ASC) meeting will be November 10, 2013.**  
Times for sub-committee meetings are as follows:



12:00pm	Outreach
12:30pm	Public Information (PI)
01:30pm	Hospitals & Institutions (H&I)
02:00pm	Group Service Representatives (GSR) Orientation
<b>03:00pm</b>	<b>NEAANA Area Service Committee (ASC)</b>