

The Greater Providence Area (GPA) Service Committee of NA –July 26, 2015

The next meeting will be held on August 23 , 2015

Area Meeting Times:

- Administration: 12:30 to 2:00pm
- Literature Sales: 1:45 to 2:45pm
- H&I Panel Leaders: 1:30 to 2:00pm
- Subcommittees: 2:00 to 3:00pm
- New GSR Orientation: 3:15 to 3:30pm
- Area Service Meeting: 3:30 to 5:30pm

Area Service Meeting Agenda:

- Meeting called to order / Moment of silence / Service prayer
- Reading of the Twelve Concepts
- Introduction / Roll Call / GSR Report
- Officer reports including: Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary, Treasurer
- Regional Committee Member Report
- Board of Directors Report
- Subcommittee Reports including: Activities, Convention, Finance, Hospitals and Institutions, Literature, Phone Line, Policy, Public Information
- Old Business
- New Business
- Motions (submitted at beginning of ASC meeting)
- Open Forum

Roll Call and GSR Reports:

Groups in Attendance: 10 groups attended this meeting.

Total Area Meetings: 51

12 Steps in the Old Chapel	Open Minds
Basic Step Study	Opt 4 Life
Basic Text	Positive Steps
Better Life	Ray of Hope
Better Way	Recovery and Beyond
Breakfast Club X	Recovery in the Chapel X
Change or Die	Recovery in the Country
Choose Life	Recovery in the Lake

Clean & Crazy		Recovery is More than Abstinence
Dig Deep		Resurrection
Faith in Recovery	X	Road to Recovery
Gimme Shelter		Set-em Free
Hardcore Recovery		Sisters in Recovery
HOPE		Smith Hill NA
IP Time		Start your Nite Right
K.I.S.S.	X	Starting Over
Late Nite		Step Sisters
Lie is Dead	X	Straight Forward
Living Clean		Straight Today
Living Free	X	Stepping Out Wednesday
Love Line	X	Sunday Serenity/Insanity
Meeting Street Meeting		Surrender or Die
NA in the Day	X	Who is an Addict
Never Alone Again		Why R We Here X
New Associations	X	
New Way of Life		

Announcements:

- None

Groups in Need of Support:

- Is not clear what groups need support since there was a very low number of GSR's at this meeting.

Administrative Report (BOD):

- Nothing to report this month. Rob

Activities Report:

- No Report Available - rep not in attendance.
- Activities Sub-Committee: To have a Halloween Party and a Winter Ball, more details will be provided as soon as they become available.

Convention Report: Roz -

- No report available - Rep not in attendance.

H&I Report: John F.

- Please read below:

Meeting date 07/19/2015

Currently we have 7 facilities where NA commitments are being held.

Adcare Saturday M/F	Weekly	3	Wednesday- Friday
Bridgemark M/F	Weekly	1	Tuesday
Ottma House F	1 – 2 Monthly	1	Wednesday
Phoenix House M/F	Weekly	2	Friday – Saturday
Roger Williams Hospital M/F	Weekly	4	Thursday – Saturday
Zambarano F	1 – Monthly	1	Sunday
DOC Men Wednesday M	Weekly	3	Monday-Tuesday-
DOC Women F	Weekly	2	Monday- Wednesday

Open positions.

GPA H&I vice Chair

Adcare Saturday Night 7-8 pm

DOC Men's Minimum held on Monday night 6:30-7:30 pm

Attendance at the meeting was ok. We are still working on improving specific areas of the committee such as H&I new panel leader orientation.

There is an H&I learning day being planned for this year. Doug F is the ADHOC person coordinating this event. The meeting is open to all that would like to get involved. Day Wednesday @ 6PM – location 424 Broadway Providence.

Don B from the FSA with the help of H&I members are looking into putting together an H&I outreach ADHOC committee to possibly visit groups in both the GPA/FSA Areas to hopefully gain more support for H&I in our state. More will be revealed on this one.

The DOC has notified us of a mandatory quiz that must be taken by all persons entering any DOC facility. This is a Federal mandate. It is all focused around Sexual Abuse/Assault/Misconduct within the DOC. It is a small Power point presentation (10 slides with all the answers to the 10 questions. If the quiz is not taken by currently cleared person by the 29th than their clearance will be suspended until the quiz is taken. We currently have about 22 NA members that are cleared according to the DOC and only 1 member has taken the quiz at this time. I will make an effort to contact the members on the list that was provided by the DOC to get this taken care of.

In loving service GPA H&I Chair John F.

Finance Report: Lily

- No Report Available - rep not in attendance.

Literature Report: Jeremy W.

- Jeremy W. - Literature Subcommittee Report:

June literature sales - \$1,185.88

Literature restocking fee - \$1,206.25

Meeting list restocking fee - \$72.00

rent for ASC meeting - \$12.39

Literature sales went smoothly. there was above average turnout for literature sales volunteers this month. their service is greatly appreciated. Inventory levels were increased to accommodate groups heads after running short on certain items last month.

I will be looking into attaining keytags for multiple decades clean. they are not listed on the website, so i intend on placing a call to find out more information about them.

In loving service,

Jeremy W.

Phone Lines Report: Acting - Johnny Wheels

Public Information (PI) Report: Joel

Policy Report:

Treasures Report: John D.

- As of GPANA meeting on 07/26/2015 the following was reported:

Donations: \$409.76

Expenses: \$25.00

Phone Ln: \$93.02

Totaling: \$118.02

In the red: \$291.74

Bellow is June 2015 Report

	Description	Jun-15 Income	Expenses	Balance	Check #
Beginning Operating Balance		(Less Prudent Reserves)		\$8,190.77	
Income	Group Donations Activites Reinbursement BOD for Convention Misc	\$584.71			
	Total Income			\$584.71	
Non-Discretionary Expenses	Rent Expense		\$25.00		2558
	Admin		\$10.00		2562
	H & I		\$646.68		2559
	Regional Phoneline Secretary Activites Exspences RCM Expenses Literature Expense Tres. Expense Web Page Total Fixed Expenses		\$0.00 \$0.00 \$656.68		
Discretionary Expenses	H&I Subcommittee		\$0.00		
	H & I Corrections PI Subcommittee Activities Subcommittee Literature Subcommittee Policy Subcommittee		\$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00		

	Profession Expences	\$0.00	
	Regional Donation	\$1,000.00	2563
	WSO Donation Convention	\$1,000.00	2564
	Committee Lit Order	\$0.00	
	Total Discretionary Expenses	\$2,000.00	
	Total Expenses		\$2,656.68
Operating Balance			\$6,118.80
	Plus Prudent Reserves		
	Area Prudent Reserve	\$1,700.00	
	Insurance Reserve Balance	\$1,284.00	
	Total Prudent Reserve		\$2,984.00
Ending Account Balance			\$9,102.80

***Literatur Stock
e Value**

Beginning Balance			\$	478.07	
Sales	June	\$1,185.88			
Restock	World Service Meeting Lists		\$507.78		2561
			\$70.50		2560
Ending Balance				\$2,085.67	

**Group
Donations
June-2015**

Why R We Here	Sunday Serenity/Insanity	Breakfast Club
Clean and Crazy Surrender or Die Change or Die Loveline	Sisters in Recovery The Lie is Dead Straight Today Smth Hill NA	Step Sisters Better Life
Meeting Street	Recovery at the Chapel	Recovery at the Lake Never Alone Again ANON

WebSite Report: Mike H.

- Working on getting website updated.
- Bill came in it was paid out of pocket.
- New Bill is due in the next 90 days.
- We need to update meetin list.

Note: There is a meeting list change link within the website.

Chair: James M./401.516.3863

Vice Chair: Jay C./401.451.8726/jayc5101@gmail.com
No report.

Secretary: Nina L./978.879.3733/janina.levasseur@outlook.com

Treasurer: John D./401.640.1456/john.delicio03@gmail.com

Board of Directors: Robert

Regional Committee Member (RCM):

Alternate RCM: Jim D./401.261.5473/jimd12102008@aol.com

Activities: Nicole R.

Convention: Rosalind M. (Chair)/401.524.3283/rosalindwallace1995@gmail.com

Vice Chair: Dave A./401.865.6536/portmoto@aol.com

Finance: Lily

Hospitals and Institutions: Johnny Wheels (Vice Chair) Johnny
Wheels/401.714.9765/john.fallon1@verizon.net

Literature: Jeremy W.

Phone Line: (Acting) Johnny Wheels/401.714.9765/john.fallon1@verizon.net

Policy:

Public Information: Joel B. b (401) 952-4464

Treasurer: John D.

Old Business:

Open Positions - to go back to the groups and the minutes:

Policy Chair

Phone Line Chair

Convention Alt. Secretary

Convention Alt. Treasurer

RCM
RCM Alternate
Convention Information

Please announce this at your meetings.

New Business:

- Next area will be Sunday August 23, 2015. Please let your groups and other NA members know that ASC needs support.
- All subcommittee chairs need to attend the Executive Committee meetings held prior to ASC from 12:30 – 2:00 PM.

New Motions:

PASSED

072615-01--

Maker: Ines G. Seconded by: Jeremy W.

Motion: Requesting \$40.00 for supplies in order to send out hard copy minutes to members attending area who wish them printed instead of e-mailed.

Intent: To cover cost of materials such as paper, envelopes and postage.

Motion Amended:

PASSED

072615-02

Maker: Joel B. Seconded by: John F.

Motion: To make a \$25.00 contribution to RI Cares for the Rally for Recovery "Booth"

Intent: To ensure that NA has the use of a full booth at the Rally for Recovery (Johnny Wheels mentioned that last year a shared booth use was a disaster), this is the remedy.

Motion Amended:

Open Forum:

Old Business