

**Williamsport Area Narcotics Anonymous  
Service Committee Meeting  
April 5 2009**



Opened with Just For Today: Fred  
12 Traditions: Sheila  
12 Concepts: Wes

**Executive Committee Roll Call**

Chairperson: present  
Secretary: present  
Treasurer: present  
RCM: present  
Finance: not present

Vice Chairperson: present  
Alt Secretary: present  
Alt Treasurer: present  
Alt RCM: position not filled

10 minutes taken to review the minutes.  
Corrections to the minutes: none  
Motion made to accept the minutes.  
Groups in need: Never Again Never Alone

**Opening Treasurer's Report:**

\$238.28

Checkpoint/post office payment made.

**Executive Committee Reports:**

**Chair Report:**

Good Afternoon,

I would like to thank everyone for the opportunity to serve. I have decided to continue with the previous agenda, as it seems to work well and I don't want to change anything for the sake of changing it.

Yours in service, Jeff

**Vice Chair Report:** no report given.

### **RCM Report:**

Hello Family,

I attended region last month. There were twelve areas present. In the long RD report that was given, they mentioned there are 53,000 NA meetings in the world in 130 countries, and in 44 languages. We discussed again about insurance for areas from the Philadelphia insurance company. There are presently 419 home groups in the Mid Atlantic Region. The quote they got from the insurance company would come out to costing \$11 for each home group per year. This insurance would cover all accidental instances of our meetings and our functions. MARLCNA was a success, but there were \$140 in fake bills received.

They were turned over to the bank. The profit after all bills was \$2,076. There is a regional workshop in the Beehive Area on April 26 at 1 pm at St. Stan's gym in Nanticoke. Contact number is Joshua: 570-332-0403.

Yours in Service, Tommy D.

### **Finance Report:**

No report given.

### **Subcommittee Roll Call**

Activities: present

Policy: present

Outreach: not present

Additional Needs: present

Literature Sales: present

Convention: present

Public Relations: present

Hospitals and Institutions: present

Website: present

Literature Review: present

### **Subcommittee Reports**

#### **Activities**

Meeting going well. Last meeting discussion was on the last event and future Learning Day event. Added to my report is the treasurer's report. While setting up for the event the flagpole fell and the eagle wing was broken. (Please see attached treasurer's report and letter to church).

#### **Additional Needs**

We are still up and running. We have had no requests for white book meetings. We meet every 4<sup>th</sup> Sat at 770 W Fourth St. apt 112 at 3 pm.

Yours in Service,

Anna D.

#### **Convention**

We are up and running. We have a vice chair for the convention, as well as a registration

chair. We have open commitments: program, hospitality, security, graphics and convention.

### **Hospitals and Institutions**

We still meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month at 1400 Market Street at 5:00 pm.

We have had a regular attendance of about 10-15 people. There are currently 7 panel leaders and at least 5 substitutes filling 8 of 9 available commitments.

The following commitments are open:

Monday night Clinton County Prison(Men and Women)

All in all....there are no new problems and it's going very well. Thanks for allowing me to be of service.

H&I Chair, Ryan M.

### **Outreach**

No report given.

### **Policy**

Please see attached report.

### **Public Relations**

Public Relations meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month at Divine Hospital in the auditorium at 12 noon.

The PR subcommittee did not meet this month for two reasons. The first was that no one attended except the crotchety old man. The second was that the SHS Security Supervisor for Divine locked us out of the room. I am investigating the details now, and there should be a full report on this at the next ASC meeting by the PR chair. I just found out that we need 3 months rent instead of one.

Respectfully yours,

John B.

### **Literature Review**

We held our second meeting today. This committee meets the first Sunday of each month at the center from 1-2 pm before Area Service. We could use your support. Made flyers for gsr's to take back to their home groups. Also attended region this past month. Was there to represent the Williamsport Area. Got the literature that is being reviewed: "In Times of Illness". The literature that is up for review has a 90 day fellowship review and input period. The committee is planning to make a motion to send to region/world to request more time to review literature.

Thanks for allowing me to be of service,

Leon

### **Website**

There has been an average of 6 visitors to the site per day. Website meets the first Sunday of each month at 1 pm at the center. Anyone who has any information to be posted to the

site, please contact me. I went to Staples to inquire about the cost of a rubber stamp that would be used along with the WANA stamp for literature to include the WANA web address. The cost is \$17, and I am hoping the area body votes to approve the website stamp today.

Yours in service,  
Tracy P.

### **Group Reports**

**Bitter Ends/New Attitudes** (9:00 – 10:00 am St. Paul's United Methodist Church 1427 Memorial Ave.) 15 in attendance. We now have a doorbell. Attendance is growing. 4 home group members total! Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Fred M.

**Canyon County Quitters** (8:00 – 9:00 pm First Baptist Church) No report given. Problems: unknown. GSR/Alt:

**Friday Night Daily Reprieve** (7:00 – 8:00 pm Great Island Presbyterian Church) Attendance is 15-20. Attendance is good, rent is paid. We are carrying the message. Buying literature, medallions, lots of anniversaries! Yea!! Donating to area. Commitments are filled. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Jody F.

**Double Trouble** (6:30 – 8:00 pm St. Paul's United Methodist Church 1427 Memorial Ave.) No report given. Problems: unknown. GSR/Alt: Jeff

**Freedom From Bondage** (7:00 – 8:30 pm St. Paul's United Methodist Church 1427 Memorial Ave.) No report given. Problems: unknown GSR/Alt:

**Friday Night Candlelight** (7:30 – 9:00 pm Center & High Street) 20-25 in attendance. Still carrying the message of recovery. Rent is paid. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Rob N.

**Friday Night Divine**(7:00-8:30 am Divine Providence Hospital) No report given. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Tim N.

**Get a Day with NA** (Tuesday & Friday 1:00 – 2:00 pm) 25-30 in attendance. Rent is current. Our rent is \$90 monthly. We donated \$24 to area and purchased \$55 in literature. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Joan L.

**Just for Today (Tuesday Morning)** (9:00 – 10:00 am West End Community Center 901 W. Diamond Street) No report given. Problems: unknown. GSR/Alt:

**Just for Today (Sunday)** (12:15pm –2:00pm West End Community Center 901 W. Diamond Street) Everything going well. Bought \$33 in literature and donated \$27.24. Problems: none GSR/Alt: Tim M.

**Keep Coming Back** (9:00 – 10:30 am Trinity Episcopal Church 800 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Street) 12 – 20 in attendance. Message is still being carried. We will be purchasing literature. Problems: none GSR/Alt: Jeany

**Living the Program** (7:00 – 8:30 pm Scott and Beeber Street) 45 – 50 in attendance. Home group is carrying the message of recovery. Rent is paid. Home group is doing fine. Buying literature. Making a donation to area. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Mark F./Rob

**Miracles Do Happen** (10:00 – 11:30 pm The Center 600 Campbell Street) 20 – 25 in attendance. Message carried. Rent paid. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Leon H.

**Monday Night Unity** (7:00 – 8:30 pm Grace & Campbell Street) 25 in attendance. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Roland C.

**More Than Clean** (8:30 – 9:30 am The Center 600 Campbell Street) 25 in attendance. Continued progress. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Mirtelle H.

**Never Again, Never Alone** (6:30 – 8:00 pm Christ Episcopal Church 4<sup>th</sup> & Mulberry Street) The attendance for home group is very poor. Only have 4 or 5 people show up. Need support. Problems: We will not meet the week of April 5-April 11<sup>th</sup> due to Holy Week. Thank you for understanding! GSR/Alt: Darris

**New Life Group** (7:30 – 8:30 pm Muncy Valley Hospital) 25-45 in attendance. No problems at this time. GSR/Alt: John P./Al M.

**Out of Isolation**(7:30-8:30 pm New Covenant Church of Christ 202 East 3<sup>rd</sup> Street) No report given. Problems: unknown. GSR/Alt: Jay G.

**O & A (Questions & Answers)** (6:00 – 7:30 pm 600 Bethune Douglas 600 Campbell Street) 10-20 in attendance. Group doing fine as always could use more support. Rent is paid. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Mr. John

**Recovery Works** (Thursday 7:30 – 9:00 and Sunday 7:00 – 8:00 United Lutheran Church 104 W. Church St. in Lock Haven) No report given. Problems: unknown. GSR/Alt: Jaman A.

**Road to Recovery**(7:00-8:30 pm Monday Jersey Shore Trinity UME) 18 in attendance. Meeting is going well. We are working with the Tues night Welcome Home group on our annual picnic and should have a flyer out by the May area. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Mark U.

**Sunday Lyon's Den** (7:00 – 8:30 pm Center & High Street) 20-25 in attendance. The message is being carried and making donation to area on a monthly basis. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Sheila A.

**Spiritual Growth** (7:00 – 8:30 pm Saturday, Great Island Presbyterian Church, Lock

Haven) 8 in attendance. Meetings going well. Doors open, message of recovery is being carried. We are currently talking with Road to Recovery group who meets in the same building about combining home groups. No area donation. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Lou F./Chris A.

**We Choose to Live** (7:00 – 8:30pm Weds, Sat./ 7:00-8:00pm Sundays Bethany Lutheran Church 369 Broad Street) 20 in attendance. All is well. Good attendance. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Mike B./Maelea

**We Do Recover** (7:30 – 8:30 pm Newberry Church of Christ 822 Diamond Street) No report given. Problems: unknown. GSR/Alt:

**We Surrender Group** (9:00 – 11:00 am Trinity Episcopal Church 880 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Street) No report given. Problems: unknown. GSR/Alt:

**Welcome Home Group** (8:00 – 9:00 pm Big Woods Church in Castanea) 20-25 in attendance. Doors are open, Rent is paid and we are still carrying the message. Buying literature and making a donation. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Wes S.

**Willing to Change** (7:30 – 8:30 Corner of Grampian Blvd & Market Street behind the Church) 25-30 in attendance. Doors remain open, message of recovery continues to be carried. Problems: none at this time. GSR/Alt: Todd F.

**Women's Vigilance** (6:30 – 7:30 pm 807 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Street) 15-20 in attendance. Moving along nicely. Problems: none. GSR/Alt: Rebecca A./Meredith A.

### **Commitments and Elections**

#### **100% notification information:**

**Vice-Treasurer – position needs to be filled. Went back to the groups.**

**Alternate RCM – position needs to be filled. Went back to the groups.**

**Outreach – position needs to be filled. Went back to the groups.**

Jeff has called Finance Chair about the ad hoc committee formed to perform an audit of the area finances. No information has been returned from Mark on the matter. Finance chair is not present to elaborate.

### **New Business**

Jeff has brought the calendar of events to the area's attention: looking for feedback on the possibility of changing some dates. Due to lack of participation at area in the past on holidays, Jeff is looking to change July 5<sup>th</sup> ASC to July 12<sup>th</sup>, and Sept 6<sup>th</sup> ASC to the 13<sup>th</sup>. After no objections, Jeff states he will make those changes and submit a new calendar.

**Area Literature Sales Report:**

Sales for this month: \$411. There were 6 home groups I wasn't able to fill orders for. Talked to World; they offered a line of credit so we can get the inventory we need. We can pay it back monthly. Jeff asked if there will be interest and how much credit Gilbert is asking for from World. Asking for \$1200 from World, and \$500 from Area. Making a motion to borrow \$700 from World. A suggestion was made that the area should perform the audit before any debts are incurred.

2 cons, 2 pros > back to the groups.

Total inventory from last month leftover and on hand: \$865. Now asking for \$500 from area. To view Gilbert's motion please see attached sheet.

**Closing Treasurer's Report:**

Taken in: \$411 from Lit. Sales  
H&I \$75.60  
PR \$46  
Gave Lit. Sales \$0  
Paid rent, Checkpoint, Secretary.  
**Balance:** 904.96

Meeting closed with Moment of Silence & Serenity Prayer.

**Next Area Service meeting June 7, 2009**