

406 Northwest Area Service Committee Meeting

Date: 3-6-24

CALL TO ORDER AT: 7:31

12 TRADITIONS READ BY: Crystal

12 CONCEPTS READ BY: Doug

ROLL CALL – GSR's: Jeff K

MINUTES ACCEPTED BY: megan patsy

SECONDED BY:

NEW GROUPS:

○ **ASC REPORTS:**

- **CHAIR REPORT: No Report**
- **VICE-CHAIR REPORT: No Report**
- **POLICY CHAIR REPORT: Vacant**
- **SECRETARY REPORT: No Report**
- **RCM REPORT:**
 - On month 9-10 areas present
 - Internal and external factors that affect NA
 - Report attached
- **RCM ALTERNATE REPORT: Vacant**
- **WEBMASTER REPORT:**
 - 191 visits 176 new
 - Report Attached
- **VICE WEBMASTER REPORT:**
- No report

○ **SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:**

- **HOSPITALS & INSTITUTIONS REPORT: Emailed Report** 2nd wed Mountain manner vacancy, right turn 2nd tues 8 pm
- **PUBLIC RELATIONS REPORT: Vacant**
- **SPECIAL EVENTS REPORT: annual spiritual breakfast. \$2747.24 balance**
- **HOTLINE REPORT: no report**
- **LITERATURE REPORT: Emailed.**
- **BEYOND THE WALLS STEP WRITING REPORT: no new report**
- **AD HOC REPORT (if applicable): na**
- **OLD BUSINESS:**
 - No old or tabled business
- **NEW BUSINESS:**
 - Motion Peggy Megan Change Webhosting from Wix to word press. 13-0-3 pass
- **GROUP CONCERNS / ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

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- **OPEN POSITIONS (ELECTIONS):**
 - **Open positions at the start of Area:**
 - PR, Alt RCM, Policy Chair
 - **Open positions at the end of Area:**
 - Alt RCM, Policy Chair, Lit Helpers PR,

Treasurer Report	Changes from Prev Month	\$
	Beginning Balance	\$3157.35
	Income	\$ 1525
	Lit Sale	\$
	Donations	\$
	Expenses	\$1236.03
	Prudent Reserve	\$
	Ending Balance	\$3448.03
	Regional Donation	\$0

- **READING OF THE ANNIVERSARIES SHEET:** Read and attached.
- **MEETING ADJOURNED:** 8:

Treasurers Worksheet

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INCOME			
Group	Literature Sales	Donations	Totals
A High You Cannot Buy			\$0.00
Attitude of Gratitude	\$138.33	\$0.67	\$139.00
Be the Change			\$0.00
Behind Enemy Lines	\$58.50	\$1.50	\$60.00
Change is a Process			\$0.00
Don't Die Westminster			\$0.00
Friday Night Reach Out			\$0.00
Get 2 Steppin			\$0.00
Give Yourself a Break	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Honest About Drugs			\$0.00
Hope In Hampstead	\$55.00	\$60.00	\$115.00
In Quiet Moments	\$36.50	\$5.50	\$42.00
Keeping It Clean	\$295.22	\$204.78	\$500.00
Keeping the Miracle Alive	\$8.00	\$0.00	\$8.00
Message is Hope			\$0.00
Miracles Happen			\$0.00
Never Alone	\$48.84	\$1.16	\$50.00
New Beginings	\$164.60	\$0.40	\$165.00
New Way of Life	\$23.00	\$2.00	\$25.00
NOW Group			\$0.00
Promise is Freedom			\$0.00
Risky Business			\$0.00
Saturday Noon			\$0.00
Serenity on Sunday	\$39.36	\$0.64	\$40.00
Surrender Together			\$0.00
The Ties That Bind Us			\$0.00
Together We Can			\$0.00
Topics of Recovery			\$0.00
Westminster Men's Rap	\$280.68	\$0.32	\$281.00
Who We Are			\$0.00
Misc. Income			\$0.00
			\$0.00
Public Information			\$0.00
H&I			\$0.00
Totals	\$1,148.03	\$376.97	\$1,525.00

EXPENSES			
Check #	Payable To	Reason	Amount
1186	Mt. Zion	Rent	\$90.00
1187	FSRSC	Lit Order	\$957.03
1188	Precision Solutions	Lit Order Forms	\$189.00
	Public Information	Subcommittee (from income)	\$0.00
	H&I	Subcommittee (from income)	\$0.00
Totals			\$1,236.03

Treasurers Report

Date: 3/6/2024

Balance From Prior Month		\$3,157.35
Corrections From prior Month:		\$0.00
Beginning Balance:		\$3,157.35
Total Income:	+	\$1,525.00

TOTAL INCOME		\$1,525.00
SUBCOMITTEE PURCHASE	-	\$0.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	=	<u>\$1,525.00</u>

Total Expenses:		- \$1,236.03
Subtotal:	=	\$3,446.32

REGIONAL DONATION CALCULATION

SUBTOTAL		\$3,446.32
PRUD RES	-	\$2,232.00
LIT BUDGET (Sales + \$100)	-	\$1,248.03
DONATION	=	<u>\$0.00</u>

***CHECK ####**

Ending Balance:		= \$3,446.32
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Current Prudent Reserve Expenses	Per Month	3 Months	Reserve Amount
Area Rent + cleaning fee	50.00	\$150.00	\$150.00
Subcommittee Rent	40.00	\$120.00	\$120.00
Trusted Servant Reimbursement	20.00	\$60.00	\$60.00
Area Lit. (for newly printed lit.)	100.00	\$300.00	\$300.00
PI Literature	50.00	\$150.00	\$150.00
H&l Literature	100.00	\$300.00	\$300.00
Secretary Supplies	10.00	\$30.00	\$30.00
	Annual	1 Year	Reserve Amount
Bank Checks - As Needed	Annual	\$54.00	\$54.00
PO Box - June	Annual	\$156.00	\$156.00
General Liability Insurance - Oct	Annual	\$470.00	\$470.00
Website hosting - Nov	Annual	\$192.00	\$192.00
Website Address - Nov	Annual	\$250.00	\$250.00
Total Prudent Reserve			2,232.00



Account Activity

Friday, March 15, 2024

Area XXXXXX7474 Available Balance: \$3,446.32

Account Summary

Available Balance:	\$3,446.32	Interest Paid to Date:	\$0.00
Ledger Balance:	\$3,446.32	Interest Paid Last Year:	\$0.00
Pending Withdrawals:	\$0.00	Last Deposit Amount:	\$1,525.00 03/07/2024
Pending Deposits:	\$0.00	Last Statement Balance:	\$3,157.35 02/16/2024

Account Details

Nickname:	Area
Type:	Non-Profit Checking
Text Banking Nickname:	7474
Address:	PO BOX 304 FINKSBURG, MD 21048 - 0304

Pending Transactions

These transactions have been submitted to us since the last business day and are not yet posted to your account. When they have posted, they will be reflected in your Posted Transactions. Pending items may affect your Available Balance and are not a statement of your account.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Withdrawals</i>	<i>Deposits</i>
You have no pending transactions			

Posted Transactions

<i>Date</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Withdrawals</i>	<i>Deposits</i>	<i>Balance</i>
03/11/2024	CHECK 1188 085180517	\$189.00		\$3,446.32
03/11/2024	CHECK 1186 009505181	\$90.00		\$3,635.32
03/11/2024	CHECK 1187 009327342	\$957.03		\$3,725.32
03/07/2024	DEPOSIT XXXXX2681		\$1,525.00	\$4,682.35
02/13/2024	CHECK 1184 015915347	\$90.00		\$3,157.35
02/12/2024	CHECK 1185 014611338	\$558.91		\$3,247.35
02/08/2024	DEPOSIT XXXXX4166		\$1,397.39	\$3,806.26
01/16/2024	CHECK 1183 009035577	\$783.08		\$2,408.87
01/08/2024	CHECK 1182 015964545	\$90.00		\$3,191.95
01/05/2024	RECURRING DEBIT CARD XXXXX2005 WIXCOM XXXXX2433 WWWWIXCOM CA	\$50.75		\$3,281.95
01/04/2024	DEPOSIT XXXXX6523		\$733.37	\$3,332.70

Northwest Area H&I Subcommittee Report

March 2024

We currently have 4 facilities.

Right Turn – Open positions: 2nd Tuesday 8pm, 4th Thursday 8pm.

MARC – All positions are filled.

Mountain Manor – Open positions: 2nd Wednesday 8pm

Gaudenzia – All positions are filled.

The next Northwest H&I subcommittee meeting will be held on Sunday, March 17, at 5:30pm at the Mount Zion United Methodist Church in Finksburg, MD.

In loving service,

Howard S.
H&I Chair

Literature Report

3/6/24

I ordered \$957.03 in literature from the service center and \$189.00 for a pack of 250 new order forms for a total of \$1146.03 spent for March ASC. I was allowed to spend \$1193.00.

The Together We Can newsletter meets the 3rd Saturday @ noon of every month at Time Printer which is next to the service center on Warwick Ave in Baltimore. The online attendance option for the newsletter meeting is Zoom ID is 825 4327 0736 and the password is freestate. A copy of the newsletter can be obtained at **freestatena.org** website and the Zoom information is also located on the newsletter. The newsletter is looking for any art, poems, short stories, articles, ideas, comments or gratitude lists by recovering addicts.

I have openings on the Literature committee for anyone willing to help set the literature before the meeting and to help fill the orders during the meeting. A willingness to be of service is the only requirement.

In loving service,

Wendi S.

Literature Chair

410-440-2822

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Ad Hoc Chair -			
Ad Hoc Chair -			

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"Together We can" Newsletter

Anniversary and Group News Submission Form

Anniversaries to be printed in the upcoming newsletter should fall 15 days before or 15 days after the month of issue. I.e.: October 16 through December 15 anniversaries can be printed in the November newsletter.

April 24



	Number of Years	Clean Date	Date Celebrating	Name	Home Group
3 Months	5	3/20/2019	4/1/24	PATRICK R	Get 2 STEPPIN
	12	4/21/2012	4/22/24	DESIREE M	Get 2 STEPPIN
	12	4/20/20	4/4/24	MICHELLE H.	FN QUAT MOMENTS
	16	4/16/2008	4/13/24	Peggy C	Give yourself a Break
	1	4/26/2023	4/27/24	Kathryn E	Attitude of gratitude
6 Months	18		4/23/24	DANIEL M.	WILL TO SURVIVE
	36	4/30/88	5/13/24	Bill D.	Friday Reach out Group
	26	3/20/24	3/29/24	Sharon H.	Friday Reach out Group
	29	4-10-1995	4-12-24	DOUG L	Never alone
	19	4-11-25-04	3-7-24	JACK H.	TIPS OF RECOVERY
	7	4-8-17	4-14-24	Ben Z.	Serenity on Sunday
9 Months	15	4/18/08	4/19/24	Shannon B	Friday Reach Out Group

Group News:

Motion # 1

NORTHWEST AREA MOTION FORM

Date: 3-6-24

Motion Made By: Reggy C.

Position or Home Group: Give yourself a Break

Second By: Meghan P Home Group: New way of life

Motion Reads:

Intent of Motion: CHANGE WEB HOSTING WEBSITE FROM WIX TO WORD PRESS.

To make more user friendly. It will allow help from other areas and Region's. Allow option to print schedules, updates, passwords, etc.

Financial Impact on Area: cheaper-word Press \$110.00, wix 192.00

Motion Status ****For Secretary's use only*****	
1	Motion Withdrawn: _____
2	Motion to Table: Made by _____ Second by _____
3	Tabled Until: _____
3	Policy Motion: Yes <u>/</u> No _____
	For: <u>13</u> Against: <u>0</u> Abstentions: <u>3</u>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PASSED <input type="checkbox"/> FAILED

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Web Team Report March 2024

Information from Feb 8, 2024 – March 5, 2024

Last month we had 191 visitors of which 176 were new users, or new ips addresses
Of the 329 Sessions, 101 came from an organic search, 141 went to the web address, 83 from referral (another site link/social media) and 4 organic social.

Break down of 937 Page views

446 went to the main find a meeting	413 went to main page (front page)
21 Events Page	8 Documents
15 Help Wanted	15 Spaghetti Speaker
19 Just for Today	0 SPAD

Minutes and anniversaries were added. Blog about FSRCA was added

Don't forget we have both FB with over 1000 followers and IG with 7! Feel free to share and repost any of the event posts, meeting information, etc

Checking in with other areas in the FSR and only 2 don't use wordpress. Baltimore and US. Baltimore doesn't even have a meeting page, rather they have a link that sends you to the FSR for the entire region meeting list

Wordpress vs wix, we are just trying to make it easier for the next person as all but 1 other area uses wordpress so there is more than enough help within the fellowship AND our region.

By switching our hosting we would also have more control over our emails and we can easily create one, if needed, for any adhoc or special groups or even homegroups if needed, up to 100 email addresses.

The purpose is to make our site easier to navigate the back end and allow more of our tools that are available, like a clean time calculator, emended maps for meetings and any future created plug ins.

Please visit our site, click links and read the JFT and SPAD

For any other updates or flyer submission please email print ready work to: nwareawebsite@gmail.com

If any groups have suggestions or notice errors on the site please let us know asap. Keep in mind we will update any positions once the minutes are sent out. For meeting updates there is a link right on the meeting list page that will take you to the FSR site to fill out a form. This form will then be send to us and the FSR. This allows us to update the meeting list and have a back up if the position was ever vacant. There was a charge to add a form to our site which is why much of our site links to the FSR

Again, our email address is nwareawebsite@gmail.com

Happy to serve,

NorthWest Area Web Team