

ASC Minutes November 11, 2021



Area Service Committee Meeting Minutes

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The meeting came to order at 7:01 pm.

12 Traditions read by Rob N

12 Concepts read by Kevin C

GSR Responsibilities read by Joe C

There are 46 active groups in the area.

There are 22 voting members present

New GSR's: Rich D (Message of Hope); Julie M (Our Primary Purpose)

New Meeting: High Hopes group of NA

Saturday, 12 pm;

Voices of Hope, 1 Aberdeen Plaza, Aberdeen, MD 21001

Format: Steps 1,2,3/open discussion; open meeting

Visitors: n/a

Reports:

Chair: Jason reporting, nothing to report.

Vice Chair: Mike reporting, nothing to report.

Secretary: Mindy reporting. Nothing to report.

PR: Pete reporting. Some drops have been made, many have been missed. One of our committee members is in quarantined.

Dylan asked if Pete could use help; he advised that they can.

Please announce at home groups that PR needs assistance.

Dylan asked about outreach to groups not attending area.

Phone Line: Heather (left early, left written report).

Nothing to report. Wasn't sent any update. As soon as I receive it I will update it ASAP. I will also get in contact with Joe to put on the web. Love service, Heather D.

No stats or open shifts available at this time.

GSR's: Please let home groups know that phone line needs help. Subcommittee also looking for vice chair. Please contact Heather at: 667-319-9108 (text or call)

Literature - Mandy reporting.

Literature sold: \$1013.95

Donated literature: \$207.25

Restock literature: \$975.88

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Schedules: \$70.00

Order Forms: \$70.00

The service center is still out of hardback basic texts so all I got this month was softbacks. Please continue to announce that literature committee is in need of committee members. No clean time requirement needed. ILS, Mandy

GSR's: Please let home groups know that Literature still needs help. There is no clean time requirement. Great way for newcomer to get involved.

Special Events: Sam reporting.

Expense Report: Previous Balance: \$ 2324.76

Income: \$ 581.75

Subtotal: \$ 2906.51

Expenses: \$ 824.02

Total Balance: \$ 2082.49

Cash App for Special Events \$specialeventssusqna

Upcoming Events:

- November 20 Speaker Jam: Union Chapel UMC, 1012 Old Joppa Rd, Fallston
- Holiday Marathon: December 24, 6pm – December 25, 6 pm. St. John's Episcopal Church, 114 N Union Ave, Havre de Grace. Sam has sign-up sheets; please fill out and choose time for your homegroup.
- New Year's Eve Trivia: December 31, 8:30 pm, Union Chapel UMC in Joppa, 1012 Old Joppa Rd, Fallston; 8 teams, 4-6 people per team; sign up active; will save space for those who want to participate but do not have team
- Basket Bingo – Moved to January 29
- Planning the following:
 - Rock and Bowl (Feb)
 - Winter Ball (Feb 12)
 - Paintball (March)
 - Paint Night (April)

For info regarding Holiday Marathon and Trivia, please contact Sam S.

Jason asked to clarify procedure for holiday marathon, which was explained.

H & I: Annie reporting.

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Currently serve 3 facilities: Ashley, Harbor of Grace, and Pyramid Walden

Phoenix closed – we think re-opening under Chesapeake Recovery; working on contact

Openings:

- Ashley, 1st Wednesday, 7:30 pm, Emerging Adults
- Harbor of Grace, 3rd Monday, 7 pm

Pyramid Walden would like to add another meeting each week. Need interested people to show up to next area service, or contact Erik K – 810-835-6016

Website: Joe reporting. Invoice for web hosting/site maintenance attached to subcommittee report.

WEBSITE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES 10.26.2021

The Web Platform and Web Design workgroups met via Zoom

Opened the meeting at 7:32pm with the Serenity Prayer

In attendance were:

Joe C.; Website Committee Chair

Rob N.; Policy Chair

Tom G.; spearheading Web Platform workgroup

Bryan S.; spearheading Web Design workgroup

Melissa S.; member at large

1. Joe C. reports:

- Website is up and running smoothly.
- No phonline presence on the website, planning to get info from Heather to update the website to include Phonline
- Looking for ideas to attract members to the revamped website once it is launched. Suggestions offered: the Facebook page, announcements at meetings, and train ASC members to utilize the website as a tool. Direct new GSRs to access the Guide to Local Services and GSR Handbook from the website. This will also reduce the need for paper copies thus exercise prudent use of NA funds.
- Hoping to gain status as a non-profit organization to reap benefits we otherwise cannot. Tom G. assisting with this.

2. Tom G.; Web Platform workgroup:

- Explored Amazon web services but found it not to be a feasible option. Found the push notification feature to be useful for us.
- Google may be a viable option. More will be revealed.

3. Bryan S.; Web Design workgroup:

- See attached to reference suggestions for content. These ideas are for review and input. Workgroup members will review each of the referenced websites for other areas that Bryan provided and search for a few others to bring back for discussion at the November meeting.

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- Tom G. suggested having NA history on our website and has sent the group a website for reference. Members will visit the site and discuss further in November.
 - Bryan has created the Facebook page but the page is not yet public.
 - Suggested that we check out the web policies of the other Area websites as we navigate.
- Closed the meeting at 8:12 pm with the Serenity Prayer.

Treasurer Report:

Tom reporting.

Income: Literature: \$966.36
Donations: \$469.55

Expenses: Rent: \$30.00
Literature: \$ 975.88
Schedules: \$140.00
Website: \$207.19

Previous Balance: \$2919.01
Region Donation: \$
+/- Bank Adjustment: \$
Adjusted Balance: \$2919.01
Total Deposit: \$1435.91
Total Expenses: \$1353.07
Remaining Balance: \$3001.85
Prudent Reserve: \$3000.00
Ending Balance: \$1.85

Groups and Individual Donations: \$
Members: \$
Groups: \$469.55
Literature \$966.36

Please see attached for itemized listing of donations.

RCM: Dylan reporting. Nothing to report; no meeting this month.

RCM2: Bryan reporting. No report.

Policy: Rob reporting.

SASC Policy Report: November 11, 2021

Policy did not meet as a committee last month.

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However, we received a question regarding outside special events being held without SASC Special Events being involved/informed.

Specifically, "Unity is a Must" convention board was/is holding fundraising events in Cecil County MD, without informing the host area.

As policy chair I emailed NA.org regarding outside "home groups" fundraising within our area. I have included all the information I was given:

From: Robert Neuman <srjn@verizon.net>
Sent: Wednesday, October 20, 2021 7:16 AM
To: Fellowship Services Mail <FSTeam@na.org>
Subject: Question regarding outside enterprises holding Conventions in our Area:

Good morning,

My name is Robert N, and I currently sit as policy chair of the Susquehanna Area of NA in the Free State region.

It was brought to our attention that an organization calling itself : "Unity is a must Convention of NA" , has been fundraising in our area. They formed in 2020 and has yet to reach out to our area Special events committee, nor offer a presentation as host area (they are planning several events in our area). Here is the web address: <https://unityisamustconvention.com/>.

Could you provide some experience or clarity on conventions being held without NA input or support?

I am trying to gather information to provide at the next ASC Meeting in November.

Thank you in advance.

In loving service,

Rob N,

443-866-2201

NA's response:

-----Original Message-----

From: Steve Rusch <stever@na.org>
To: 'srjn@verizon.net' <srjn@verizon.net>
Sent: Wed, Oct 20, 2021 7:13 pm
Subject: FW: Question regarding outside enterprises holding Conventions in our Area:

Hello Rob – Thanks for writing to NA World Services and for your service efforts. In reviewing the event's website, it seems that a few NA groups are hosting it. While that is not an approach we would suggest for a successful event, especially one as large as a convention, nothing in our literature directly prevents this arrangement.

Thanks again for writing. Feel free to follow-up with any additional comments or questions.

Warm regards,

Steve Rusch
NA World Services
stever@na.org | www.na.org

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Additionally, I reached out to Derick D, "Unity is a Must" Convention Board member. I have included our conversation:

October 16th, 2021, 9:32 am: Via Facebook Messenger:

"Good morning Derek, I am the SASC Policy chair and I received an inquiry regarding promotion of events inside the Susquehanna Area of Narcotics Anonymous and the 7th Tradition. Are the proceeds of your functions being passed onto the World as a donation. I was hoping for some clarity, Thank you."

Derek's response:

"Good afternoon, is this in response to what we do with the money from the fundraiser we hold?"

My reply:

"Yes, we were approached as a subcommittee with concerns over speaker jams being held in the Susquehanna Area with any attempts to work with Special events in the Area?" "I did not know the answer, and why I reached out. Thank you, have a great day"

Derek D's response:

"So all the money we raise goes to put on our convention. You attended one of our events last year. Our first convention was this past September. We raised \$6000 to buy literature from World. Our area will be receiving close to 500 dollars in basic texts that we will be donating to H & I for them to get the books into facilities that do not have them."

Derek provided the link for unityisamustconvention.com

I thanked him for the link and followed up with this question:

"Has "Unity is a must" convention board been in contact with Free State Region Special Events when scheduling events in the Area?"

Derek's response:

"No worries, honestly, last year was our first convention and we started in the pandemic. The body is made up of members all across the country. We held fundraisers in several states. Our communication was not the best with everything we did but are working to improve on that this year. Our second convention will be held in San Diego this year. We will attend the next area meeting and give a presentation, if there can be some time for it."

I hope this information provides some clarity.

ILS.

Rob N

443-866-2201

Other/Ad Hoc: n/a

Motion to approve last month's minutes by Dylan L; seconded by Angela H.

Sharing Session:

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Lisa advised that lists going around for NYE Trivia and Holiday Marathon. Joe added that Special Events information is also on website.

Old Business:

New Business:

Mindy asked about updating "GSR Responsibilities" guide that is given to new GSR's, as it does not appear to be up to date. The formatting is confusing, difficult to read. Mindy would like to revise it into a cleaner, more concise guide for new GSR's. Per policy, Chair can task secretary with this job. Mindy advised that she will provide a rough draft and bring to Policy subcommittee for review prior to distribution.

Motion to close by: Tina K, Second: Dylan L

Meeting ended at 7:45

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Attendance:

P=Present A=Absent V=Voting R=Represented by Vac=Vacant I=Inactive

Executive Body Attendance:

Title	Name	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sep	Oct
Chair	Jason C. 410-207-4783 Jasonchrystal80@gmail.com	P	P	P	A	P	A	P	P	P	P	P	P
Vice Chair	Mike M. 412-808-5123	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	p	A	P	P	A
Secretary	Mindy C. 410-299-8077 Mindy.coyne@gmail.com	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Treasurer	Tom G. 667-444-1011 thomas@giambalvo.us	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Alt. Treasurer	Amanda 443-802-3620	P	A	P	P	P	P	A	P	P	P	P	P

Subcommittee Chair Attendance:

Subcommittee	Name	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sep	Oct
RCM	Dylan L. 410-487-1044, rcmsusquehanna@gmail.com	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
RCM II	Bryan S. bsutt52404@gmail.com	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Phone Line	Heather D. 667-319-9108 Hdsugar80@gmail.com	P	P	A	P	P	A	P	P	P	P	P	P
Literature	Mandy T. 443-752-2665 amanda.testerman1@gmail.com	P	P	P	P	A	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Special Events	Sam S. 443-564-0841 samantha.sagner@yahoo.com	P	A	P	A	A	Vac	P	P	P	P	P	P
H&I	Amy P. 410-459-2979 amypatton1@gmail.com	A	VA	P	P	P	A	P	P	P	P	P	P
Website	Joe C. 443-208-4206 josephcampsc@outlook.com	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	A	P	P	P	P
PR	Pete B. 410-688-5352	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Policy	Rob N. 443-866-2201 srjn@verizon.net	P	P	P	A	P	P	P	P	P	P	A	A
Mentor	VACANT	VAC			P		P	P	A	V			

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Monthly Group Attendance:

Group Name	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sep	Oct
A High We Cannot Buy	A	A	A	A	A	A	V	A	A	V	A	A
Against all Odds	V	V	A	V	V	A	A	A	V	V	R	R
Anonymous Group	A	A	A	V	V	A	A	A	R	A	R	R
Back to Basics	R	V	V	A	A	A	V	A	V	V	R	R
Back to Life	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Bridging the Gap	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	R	R
Brothers in Arms	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	V	V	V
Changing on Faith	A	V	V	A	V	V	A	V	V	V	V	V
Chapter 5	A	A	V	V	A	A	A	A	A	V	A	A
Clean and Serene	V	V	V	V	V	R	R	V	V	V	V	V
Cleaning Up	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	V	V	V	V	V
Complete Defeat	VAC	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	R	V	V	V
Day by Day	A	A	A	A	A	R	A	A	A	V	V	V
Free at Last	V	A	V	A	V	A	V	A	V	V	V	V
Freebirds	A	V	V	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Getting Clean	A	A	A	A	V	V	V	A	V	V	A	A
Good orderly Direction	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	V	A	A
Gratitude Group	V	V	V	A	A	R	R	R	A	V	V	V
High Hopes	NEW											
How it Works	V	V	V	V	V	A	V	R	V	V	V	V
The Journey Continues	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	R	A	A
Just for Today	A	A	A	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	A
Looking Up	V	A	A	V	A	A	A	I	A	I	I	A
Message of Hope	A	A	V	V	A	A	V	A	A	V	A	A
More Will Be Revealed	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
Nature of Recovery	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
NA Way we Can	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	V	V	A	A
Not Just an Hour	V	A	A	A	A	V	V	V	V	V	V	V

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Group Name	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sep	Oct
Nothing to Fear	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Oxford Clean and Serene	V	A	V	V	A	V	V	A	A	A	V	V
Our Primary Purpose	V	V	V	V	V	V	A	V	V	V	V	V
Out and Proud							NEW	A	A	A	I	
Phoenix Rising	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Restored to Sanity	V	V	R	A	V	V	V	A	V	V	V	V
Saturday Surrender	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Searching for Serenity	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Serenity at 7	I	I	I	I	A	I	I		I	I	V	V
Sisters of Serenity	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Spiritual Journey	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	R	R	R
Staying Clean	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	V	V
Strength in Sisters	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Surrender to Win	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
Surviving Saturday Night	A	A	A	A	V	A	A	V	V	V	V	V
Ties that Bind	V	V	R	V	V	A	V	V	V	A	A	A
Take a Chance	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
We See the Light	A	A	V	A	V	A	V	R	V	V	V	V
Why We Stay	A										R	R
Women on the Move	A	V	V	A	V	A	V	A	V	V	V	V
	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
Total Groups	46	44	45	44	43	43	43	45	45	44	45	44
Total Attendance	24	14	17	30	16	12	17	12	20	27	19	26
Voting GSRs	22	13	15	25	15	8	14	9	18	25	18	20
QUORUM	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	y	Y	Y	y	Y	Y

Yours in service,

Mindy



Submitted online

11/30/21 MDC

NA World Services



NEW GROUP REGISTRATION FORM

(If you are updating group information, please use the Group Update Form.)

"One of the most important things about our new way of life is being a part of a group of addicts seeking recovery. Our survival is directly related to the survival of the group and the Fellowship. To maintain unity within Narcotics Anonymous, it is imperative that the group remain stable, or the entire Fellowship perishes and the individual dies." Basic Text, page 59.

In the spirit of this quote, NA World Services thanks you for making this effort to forward your group's meeting information.

Please complete all information (Please print clearly)

Group Name "High Hopes" group of NA Today's Date 11-11-21
 This group was formed (month/year) 10/21 This group holds 1 meeting(s) per week
 Area Service Committee Name Susquehanna
 Regional Service Committee Name NORTH EAST

Group's Meeting Information

Meeting Days	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
Meeting Time							<u>12:00pm</u>
Language(s)							<u>ENG</u>
Format							<u>Steps 1, 2, 3</u> <u>OPEN Discussion</u>
Wheelchair Accessible							<u>YES</u>
Room Name							<u>VOH</u>
Open/Closed*							<u>open</u>

*Open NA meetings welcome addicts and interested observers; closed NA meetings welcome addicts only.

Meeting Location

Place / Building Name Voices of Hope
 Address 7 Aberdeen Plaza City Aberdeen
 Borough/Sub-City _____ State/Province Maryland
 Postal/Zip 21001 Country USA
 If this meeting is held in a correctional or treatment facility, are there special criteria for entry?
NA

Group Mailing Address

This is typically a mailing address of a stable group member who can forward any communication from NA World Services to the NA group. This may or may not be a current group trusted servant, and is not usually the group's meeting location address.

Group Contact Michael Moore
 Address 103 Center Place, APT. # 225
 City Dundalk State/Province Maryland
 Postal/Zip 21222 Country USA Phone (410) 908-7674
 Email Address moore0890@gmail.com

All registered NA groups receive a subscription to The NA Way Magazine. Please indicate your group's language preference:

(circle one): English - French - German - Portuguese - Spanish

We will send your NA Way Magazine to the above mailing address or email address, please indicate your group's preference:

(circle one): Email Address - Mailing Address


Please return this form to: NA World Services, PO Box 9999, Van Nuys, CA 91409, USA

All NAWS Group Registration and Update Forms, available in various languages, can be downloaded or completed online at

www.na.org/updateforms/newregfm.htm.

GSR Sign-In Date: 11-11-21

Please provide complete information and writer legibly

Group Name	GSR Name	Phone Number	Email Address
Acceptance & Independence			
A High You Cannot Buy	Kevin C.	443 613 6279	Celine Saw 23@gmail.com
Against all Odds			
Anonymous Group			
Back to Basics	Marshall	443 640 5252	Marshallhenson215@gmail.com
Back to Life			
Bridging the Gap		410 620 8818	515-31724@gmail.com
Brothers in Arms	Doug S	443 766 6077	Doug S 6294@gmail.com
Changing on Faith	Tina K	443-760-7921	T.kinnison007@comcast.net
Chapter 5			

GSR Sign-In

Date: _____

Please provide complete information and writer legibly

Clean and Serene				
Cleaning Up	Joe C	443-248-4246	josephcampheer@outlook.com	
Complete Defeat	Josh K	443-966-5035	JKBusi acct 13@gmail.com	
Day by Day				
Free at Last	Tia G	443-987-3233	tiaguthman@gmail.com	
Freebirds				
Getting Clean	William C	681-247-6225	willeham6339@gmail.com	
Good orderly Direction	Adam M			
Gratitude Group				
How it Works				
The Journey Continues				

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Just for Today	Inactive			
Looking Up	Inactive			
Message of Hope	Richard Durham			
More Will Be Revealed	Dylan L	410-487-1044		levidyl77@gmail.com
Nature of Recovery				
NA Way we Can	Billy T	303-275-2070		btuerke95@gmail.com
Not Just an Hour	Robert B	302 897-7822		rmburns60@gmail.com
Nothing to Fear				
Oxford Clean and Serene	Derek S	484-905-2587		dseese@me.com
Our Primary Purpose	Julie M.	410-776-9417		kennjw@2018@gmail.com
Out and Proud	Inactive			

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Phoenix Rising				
Restored to Sanity				
Searching for Serenity				
Saturday Surrender				
Serenity at 7	inactive Active	667-319-9108	hdsugar80@gmail.com	
Sisters of Serenity				
Spiritual Journey				
Staying Clean	Active	410-926-7677	ashleyrothedge.87@gmail.com	
Strength in Sisters				
Surrender to Win	Chris L	443-819-4211	enl08192019@gmail.com	
Surviving Saturday Night	Sofie S	610 470 3695	SS1RUSAS@gmail.com	

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Ties that Bind	Bob N	443-866-2029	srjn@verizon.net
Take a Chance			
We See the Light	Six	443-206-6324	monstainbaysix@gmail
Why We Stay			
Women on the Move	Jakeya E	443-528-5084	latayashore1985@gmail.com

SUSQUEHANNA AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS



AREA SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT FORM

Subcommittee: Public Relations Date: 11-11-21

Expense Report

Previous Balance: - 0 -
Income: - 0 -
Subtotal:
Expenses: \$149.80
Total Balance: - 0 -

Report:

Some of the drops have been
made, many have been missed.
One of our committee members is
in Quarantine

SUSQUEHANNA AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
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AREA SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT FORM

Subcommittee: Chair Phone Line Date: 11-11-21

Expense Report

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Report:

Nothing to Report. Wasn't sent
any update. As soon as I receive
it I will update it ASAP. I will
also get in contact with Joe, to put on the Web
Love Service
Heather D

SUSQUEHANNA AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
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AREA SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT FORM

Subcommittee: Literature Date: Nov. 2021

Expense Report

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Report:

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- * Trivia New Year's - Dec 31 starts at 8:30
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8 teams, 4-6 people per team, Sign up active
- * Basket Bingo - Moved to Jan 29.
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Winter Ball (Feb 12)
Paintball (March)
Paint Night (April)
- * For holiday Marathon
and trivia, contact
Sam, or email.

SUSQUEHANNA AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS



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Subcommittee: H 2I Date: 11/11/21

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Report:

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wed

Opening: Ashley - week 1 - 7:30 pm Emerging Adults
Harbor of Grace - week 3 Mon 7 pm

Pyramid Walden would like to add another
meeting each week. Need Interested people
to show up next area of contact
Erik K - 810-835-6016

WEB Site Report: 11/11 /2021

By: Joe C

1. The website subcommittee: attended by platform and web design workgroups met via zoom on October 26, 2021.
2. Committee Members:
 - a. Joe C: Web Committee Chair
 - b. Robert N: Policy Committee Chair
 - c. Tom G: Spearheading the Web Platform workgroup.
 - d. Bryan S: Spearheading the Web Design workgroup.
 - e. Melissa S: Member at large
 - f. Trusted Advisors:
3. Invoice received from Louis P for the period of October 6, 2020 to September 30, 2021 in the amount of \$207.19. Invoice forwarded to Tom P for action.
4. We are still diligently pursuing a phone line presence on the website.
5. We are looking forward to launching a Susquehanna area FB page which will augment information and services provided on the Susquehanna Area website. This Facebook page will ensure that all information presented/published is consistent with Narcotics Anonymous World, Region, and Area traditions and concepts.
6. We are entertaining suggestions from the Fellowship for ways that the Website and Facebook pages can be used to better carry the message of recovery to the addict who still suffers. If you have any ideas or suggestions please feel free to contact us through our website (susqna.org) contacts or you can reach Joe C directly at 443-208-4206. Be sure to leave a contact number and a detailed message so that we can reach you with any questions we might have about your suggestions.
7. The Platform workgroup continues to seek feasible platform options.
8. The Website Design workgroup continues to move forward with exploration of a new website design.
9. Please use the Anniversary update link (on the Web site) as well as the Anniversary Update sheet that is circulating around the room to list anniversaries.
10. If you find a links on the website that are not working you can use the "Contact Us" link under "Contact" on susqna.org or contact me directly at 443-208-4206. Please leave a detailed message and a call-back number or email address.
11. Open H&I commitments are updated monthly and can be found on the H&I Web page.
12. As always, we invite all Fellowship members, to participate on the website committee.

Updated: 11/11/2021 jlc

13. WEB Site Committee meets the 4th Tuesday monthly at 7:30 pm via zoom. (Meeting ID: 894-2913-4297
PW: 7101239

Updated: 11/11/2021 jlc

Invoice #000005

Susquehanna Area
SASC - Website
PO Box 845
Havre de Grace, MD 21078

Date: 10/29/2021

Due Date: 10/29/2021

Louis Passano III
415 Drake Court
Wilmington, North Carolina 28403
410-262-6241
louis@lpiii.com
lpiii.com
10/29/2021

Date	Description	Action	Quantity	Unit Price	Discount	Taxable	Total
10/06/2020	renew susqarea.org		1.00	\$15.00	0.00 %		\$15.00
03/30/2021	transfer susqarea.org		1.00	\$14.20	0.00 %		\$14.20
05/30/2021	purchase susqna.org		1.00	\$9.99	0.00 %		\$9.99
09/30/2021	Hosting at linode.com		24.00	\$5.00	\$0.00		\$120.00
09/30/2021	Backup at linode.com		24.00	\$2.00	0.00 %		\$48.00
Net Price							\$207.19
Tax							\$0.00
Total Price							\$207.19
Amount Due							\$207.19

This covers wordpress site for susqarea.org from October, 2019 to October, 2021.

Susqarea.org domain expires on Oct 12, 2022.

Susqna.org domain expires on May 30, 2022.

Included in Site Maintenance is:

ssl/tls certificate (letsencrypt renews quarterly),

linux operating system updates,

fixed IP V4 & V6 address,

one admin email box (aberdeen@susqna.org)

one literature email box (literature@susqna.org)

and access to tech support via email and phone (lp3825@gmail.com - 410-262-6241).

Thank you for your patronage!

Report Date: Nov 11, 2021

Completed By: Tom G.

Revision #: 0
(Original is Rev 0)

Income & Donations

Literature: \$	<u>966.36</u>
Donations: \$	<u>469.55</u>
Other: \$	<u> </u>
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* - field is automatically calculated

Expenses & Bills

Rent: \$	<u>30.00</u>	<u>1051</u>
(S30 monthly)		Check #
Area: \$	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
(minutes, postage, etc)		Check #
Literature: \$	<u>975.88</u>	<u>Bill Pay</u>
(FSRCNA, restocking cost)		Check #
Schedules: \$	<u>140.00</u>	<u>Bill Pay</u>
(Wayne Maddox)		Check #
Other: Website \$	<u>207.19</u>	<u>Bill Pay</u>
		Check #
Other: \$	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
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		Check #

Reconciliation

Previous Balance: \$	<u>2,919.01</u>	*Remaining Balance: \$	<u>3,001.85</u>
(The lessor of prior remaining balance or prudent reserve)			
+/- Bank Adjustment: \$	<u> </u>	*Region Donation: \$	<u> </u>
(errors, fees, etc)		(If the remaining balance is above prudent reserve, the region donation is for the amount of excess. If the remaining balance is less than prudent reserve, no donation is made. Donation to region may also be withheld if the GSRs vote to do so.).	Check #
Adjusted Balance: \$	<u>2,919.01</u>	Prudent Reserve: \$	<u>3,000.00</u>
		(Includes avg monthly expenses, fees for PO Box, Insurance, and special events)	
*Total Deposit: \$	<u>1,435.91</u>	*Ending Balance: \$	<u>1.85</u>
*Total Expenses: \$	<u>1,353.07</u>		

* - field is automatically calculated

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SASC Policy Report: November 11, 2021

Policy did not meet as a committee last month.

However, we received a question regarding outside special events being held without SASC Special Events being involved/informed.

Specifically, "Unity is a Must" convention board was/is holding fundraising events in Cecil County MD, without informing the host area.

As policy chair:

- I emailed NA.org regarding outside "home groups" fundraising within our area: I have included all the information I was given.

From: Robert Neuman <srjn@verizon.net>

Sent: Wednesday, October 20, 2021 7:16 AM

To: Fellowship Services Mail <FSTeam@na.org>

Subject: Question regarding outside enterprises holding Conventions in our Area:

Good morning,

My name is Robert N, and I currently sit as policy chair of the Susquehanna Area of NA in the Free State region.

It was brought to our attention that an organization calling itself : "Unity is a must Convention of NA" , has been fundraising in our area. They formed in 2020 and has yet to reach out to our area Special events committee, nor offer a presentation as host area (they are planning several events in our area). Here is the web address: <https://unityisamustconvention.com/>.

Could you provide some experience or clarity on conventions being held without NA input or support?

I am trying to gather information to provide at the next ASC Meeting in November.

Thank you in advance.

In loving service,

Rob N,

443-866-2201

NA's response:

Thank you Steve-

I will pass this information along to our ASC.

Best,

Rob N

-----Original Message-----

From: Steve Rusch <stever@na.org>

To: 'srjn@verizon.net' <srjn@verizon.net>

Sent: Wed, Oct 20, 2021 7:13 pm

Subject: FW: Question regarding outside enterprises holding Conventions in our Area:

Hello Rob – Thanks for writing to NA World Services and for your service efforts. In reviewing the event's website, it seems that a few NA groups are hosting it. While that is not an approach we would suggest for a successful event, especially one as large as a convention, nothing in our literature directly prevents this arrangement.

Thanks again for writing. Feel free to follow-up with any additional comments or questions.

Warm regards,

Steve Rusch

NA World Services

stever@na.org | www.na.org

Additionally

- I reached out to Derick D, "Unity is a Must Convention Board member. I have included our conversation.

October 16th, 2021, 9:32 am: Via Facebook Messenger

"Good morning Derek, I am the SASC Policy chair and I received an inquiry regarding promotion of events inside the Susquehanna Area of Narcotics Anonymous and the 7th Tradition. Are the proceeds of your functions being passed onto the World as a donation. I was hoping for some clarity, Thank you."

Derek's response:

"Good afternoon, is this in response to what we do with the money from the fundraiser we hold?"

My reply:

"Yes, we were approached as a subcommittee with concerns over speaker jams being held in the Susquehanna Area with any attempts to work with Special events in the Area?"

"I did not know the answer, and why I reached out. Thank you, have a great day"

Derek D's response:

"So all the money we raise goes to put on our convention. You attended one of our events last year. Our first convention was this past September. We raised \$6000 to buy literature from World. Our area will be receiving close to 500 dollars in basic texts that we will be donating to H & I for them to get the books into facilities that do not have them."

Derek provided the link for unityisamustconvention.com

I thanked him for the link and followed up with this question:

"Has "Unity is a must" convention board been in contact with Free State Region Special Events when scheduling events in the Area?"

Derek's response:

" No worries, honestly, last year was our first convention and we started in the pandemic. The body is made up of members all across the country. We held fundraisers in several states. Our communication was not the best with everything we did but are working to improve on that this year. Our second convention will be held in San Diego this year. We will attend the next area meeting and give a presentation, if there can be some time for it."

I hope this information provides some clarity.

ILS.

Rob N

443-866-2201