



Southside Area Service  
Danville, VA  
Sunday, August 2, 2015



Meeting Open with Serenity Prayer at 2pm  
12 Traditions read by Gary  
12 Concepts read by Alex  
Purpose read by Helen

#### Open forum:

Addendum #4 has been rewritten to reflect the new meeting location for Area.

The meeting list needs to be updated to remove the Saturday morning South Boston meeting. Lawson will get in touch with Thomas to have this updated. Some home groups are out of meeting lists.

The Area phone was lost. We need to either take the number down or replace the phone. Discussion about how to get a new phone and keep the same number and transfer the minutes. If it is in PR's budget we can go ahead and take care of it. We will discuss further in new business.

#### Roll Call:

Trusted Servant	Name	Present/Not Present	Report / verbal / written
Chair	Dana	Not Present /Andrew filled in	
Vice Chair	vacant		
Treasurer	Donna	Present	Written
Co-Treasurer	Vacant		
Secretary	Amy	Present	
RCM	Andrew	Present	
Alt RCM	Vacant		
H&I Chair	Helen	Present	Written
PR Chair	Thomas	Not Present	
Literature	Dave	Present	
Policy	Paul	Present	
Activities	Ivan	Not Present	

#### Home Groups Roll Call:

Name	Representative
1. A New Beginning	Gail
2. A New Hope	Gary
3. Living Clean The Journey Continues	Dave
4. Never Alone, Never Again	
5. New Attitudes	Randolph
6. New Beginnings	
7. New Vision	Amy
8. Recovering Renegades	

9. Recovering Vigilantes	Helen
10. Rude Awakenings	Alex
11. Solutions W/ Serenity	Kenny
12. Spiritual Principles	
13. Steps to Freedom	
14. Stick & Stay	Paul
15. Survivors	Lawson
16. Steps to Recovery	

**July Area Minutes accepted 10-0-0**

**Elections (Available Positions):** Vice Chair, Co-Treasurer, Alt RCM

**Treasurer's Report:**

**SOUTHSIDE AREA TREASURER'S REPORT**

June, 2015

**BEGINNING BALANCE**      1,516.55

A NEW BEGINNING	
A NEW HOPE	
LIVING CLEAN THE JOURNEY CONTINUES	14.36
NEVER ALONE	
NEW ATTITUDES	
NEW BEGINNINGS	
NEW VISION	
RECOVERING RENEGADES	
RECOVERING VIGILANTES	
RUDE AWAKENINGS	10.00
SOLUTIONS WITH SERENITY	
SPIRITUAL PRINCIPLES	
STEPS TO RECOVERY	
STICK AND STAY	81.00
SURVIVORS	
<b>TOTAL GROUP DONATIONS</b>	<b>105.36</b>
<b><u>OTHER INCOME</u></b>	
LITERATURE CHAIR	147.74
<b>TOTAL OTHER INCOME</b>	<b>147.74</b>

**TOTAL INCOME**      253.10  
**TOTAL AVAILABLE**      1,769.65

**EXPENSES**

<u>CHK#</u>	<u>PAYEE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
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2178	Free State Service Center (Literature)	184.12
2179	Central Atlantic Region (Donation)	202.90
2176	Sentara Hospital (Rent)	5.00
2177	Dave M (supply reimbursement)	7.70

<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>399.72</b>
<b>ENDING BALANCE</b>	<b>1,369.93</b>

**LITERATURE**

GROUPS	
H&I	
PR	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.00</b>

**REGIONAL DONATION**

<b>ENDING BALANCE</b>	<b>1,369.93</b>	
<b>MINUS PRUDENT RESERVE</b>	<b>800.00</b>	
	<b>569.93</b>	
<b>MINUS TOTAL LITERATURE</b>	<b>0.00</b>	
	<b>569.93</b>	
<b>MULTIPLY x 0.3 (30%)</b>		
<b>TOTAL REGIONAL DONATION</b>	<b>170.98</b>	<b>\$165.93</b>

**\*\*\* I wrote the donation check for \$165.93. Should have been \$170.98. \*\*\***

*My count is off from the error on the donation check the month before. My bad!*

**H&I Report:**

## H&amp;I Report

Good Afternoon Family,

I am still working to plan the H & I workshop with our Regional Chair, the date has been changed and currently the only day he has available is October 3<sup>rd</sup>. I have contacted the facility several times only to get a fax ringing, so I have reached out to another member to leave the Secretary a note to give me a call. More to be revealed. I am going to request that the Activities Chair help in planning a Unity day event, at the event I would like to have sign-up sheets for those interested in getting orientated for both facilities, I will create informational sheets regarding times and locations for those interested in serving. After the event I will reach out to both Bob Lowther at SVMHI and Reverend Abernathy to get those interested orientated. We have lost several H & I members over the last couple months, if any one has any willingness to go in more frequently please let me know.

We are in need of support for our area's H&I meetings.

If you are currently orientated please contact Helen M (chair) should you have willingness to serve.

Men or women Monday from 6:30-7:30. We meet at SVMHI (call for address).

Women only Tuesday's 6-7pm must have ID card (approved H&I orientation card). Call for address.

On a positive note, our meeting are well attended at both facilities.

ILS,

Helen M

**RCM Report: Region will meet August 15 in Charlottesville.**

**GSR Reports:**

Name	Representative	Donation	Report – Written or Verbal
1. A New Beginning	Gail	\$	
2. A New Hope	Gary	\$25	
3. Living Clean The Journey Continues	Dave	\$	
4. Never Alone, Never Again		\$0	
5. New Attitudes	Randolph	\$10	
6. New Beginnings		\$0	
7. New Vision	Amy	\$20	
8. Recovering Renegades		\$0	
9. Recovering Vigilantes	Helen	\$40	
10. Rude Awakenings	Alex	\$	
11. Solutions W/ Serenity	Kenny	\$71.76	
12. Spiritual Principles			
13. Steps to Freedom		\$0	
14. Stick & Stay	Paul	\$20	
15. Survivors	Lawson	\$10	
16. Steps to Recovery			

**Home Group reports**

**A New Beginning:**

Hello Family,

We are struggling with only 4 active member in our homegroup. The Thursday noon and 6pm meetings are well attended.

I have flyers for our Homegroup Anniversary Picnic. It will be at the Hyco Ruritan Club in South Boston, VA. The address is on the flyer. We will start with a meeting from 11am-12pm and eat at 12:30pm. It will be a potluck so bring your favorite dish. We will have a speaker meeting at three with the topic being "the importance of service work." Please encourage your sponsees to attend and get involved.

We have no donation today.

ILS,

Gail F.

**Recovering Vigilantes:**

Good Afternoon Family,

As some of you many know we had a couple home group member that lost family members, so it has been a very hard however we united and supported each other through it, with the help of the program and God. Other than life showing up, I would like to report that all is well with our home group, and our meeting are well attended. We have a couple new home-group members, as well as a couple members celebrating in the next couple months. On August 20<sup>th</sup> Nancy S will be celebrating 4 miracle years, this is a speaker meeting; on September 29 I will be clean 6 miracle years and will be celebrating on October 1<sup>st</sup>, it too will be a speaker meeting; and on October 15<sup>th</sup> Teresa H. will be celebrating 7 miracle years, please do come out and support all of these addicts anniversaries.

ILS, Helen M.

**New Vision:**

Hello Family,

We had our Unity Day last weekend and that was very successful. We have a home group member, Darryl A, celebrating 20 years of recovery today. Food, fun, and fellowship starts at 3pm. There will be a speaker meeting at 7pm. The celebration will be held at Passages, 817 Starling Ave, Martinsville, VA .

On Saturday, August 22, we have two home group members celebrating multiple years of clean time. Andrew D will celebrate 5 years and Amy S will celebrate 3 years. This will be a speaker meeting held at 8pm at Holy Trinity Church in Martinsville.

We welcome you to join us in these recovery celebrations this month. We also have a \$20 donation today.

ILS,  
Amy S.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

None

**NEW BUSINESS:**

PR Phone:

Question was asked How much is in PR budget? Answer: \$50 per month. There is enough money in PR budget to purchase a new phone.

Concern that it has been two months since it was lost and nobody was contacted to let the Area know. Suggested that We need to address the PR chair as this is his responsibility as the subcommittee chair and have him go ahead and purchase a new phone and hold it until we can find someone responsible.

Question to the body: Do we need to have a phone since region has a phone? We may not be able to set up rides in the area if we only use the region number. Most felt like we need to keep a phone in the area, but it was said that nobody is really taking any action to make it successful so we need to look at what needs to be done.

How we hold accountable the person who lost the phone or do we hold accountable? What do we do to get a new phone?

Policy was restated about phone carrier requirements. This policy is not being upheld. GSRs will take this discussion back to home groups to see if any other action needs to be taken.

Activities Budget: \$200 quarterly

Subcommittee Chair policy: Attendance is required at every ASC. If you miss 3 meetings without contacting another member within term of service, you are involuntarily removed. Per policy, Activities chair is removed effective today and the Chair will fill in until that position is filled.

Racks have not been tended to so PR will be submitting a literature order to fill those racks.

**Meeting for next month: Danville, VA on September 6, 2015**

Motion to close given by Gary seconded by Amy

In Loving Service,

Amy S.

Email: [asimpkins1976@gmail.com](mailto:asimpkins1976@gmail.com) if you have any reports that can be emailed. I will happily add them to the minutes. All GSR's please take detailed notes so that you may have discussions within your home group.

If you need your minutes mailed to you via USPS, please give me an envelope with your address on it. You can also print the minutes from the SANA web site (<http://soutsidena.org>).

Thanks!!