

**Southside Area Service
Danville, VA Sunday,
Date: 05/07/2023**

Meeting Opened with Serenity Prayer at: 2:02 p.m.

12 Traditions read by: Callie

12 Concepts read by: Vance

Purpose read by: Mike

Open forum:

- Donna did get the area debit card issued to her and has it in her possession.
- Area will keep a “rolling kitty/envelope” for the area refreshments every month.
- Charlotte says there are several service positions available at the regional level.
- Charlotte has a motion from region. (please see her report)

Trusted servants roll call:

Position	Name	Present / Not Present	Report / Verbal / Written
Chair	Thomas	Present	Verbal
Vice Chair	Donna	Present	No Report
Treasurer	Donna	Present	Written
Co-Treasurer	Charlotte	Present	No Report
Secretary	Dewey	Present	Written
RCM	Charlotte	Present	Written
Alt RCM	Mike	Present	No Report
H&I Chair	Deborah	Present	Written
PR Chair	Cameron	Present	Written
Literature	Callie	Present	Written
Policy	Lawson	Present	No Report
Activities	Krista	Present	Written
Phone Carrier	Thomas	Present	Written

Homegroup Roll Call:

Homegroup Name	Representative
1) Gretna NA	
2) Living Clean: The Journey Continues	Callie
3) New Attitudes	
4) New Visions	Mike
5) Quarantined in Recovery	
6) Recovering Vigilantes	Deborah
7) Solutions With Serenity	Charlotte
8) Steps to Freedom	Vance

9) Survivor	Lawson
10) The Steps Are the Solution	Donna
11) Never Alone, Never Again	Stephanie

Motion made by Charlotte to bypass reading last months (April) minutes.

Seconded by Krista

Vote: 7-0-1

(Please see attached motion form #1)

Chairperson Report:

We now have a post office box, the smallest box available. Thomas and Deborah have a key. The post office pox number is 12073 Danville, VA 24543.

Vice Chair Report:

Donna did get the refreshments that were requested last month.

RCM Report:

The 220th Regional Service Conference began April 16, 2023 @ 10 a.m. The RSC was preceded by a GSR Assembly on April 15. Both of these events were on the Zoom App. The RSC started with an open forum where; 1. Greg H., RCM of the Roanoke Valley Area asked for clarity regarding a meeting that may be meeting in a park without paying a reservation fee. 2. The chair voiced concerns about open positions at the region. 3. The delegate team asked for a vote of confidence to address CAR motion amendments.

All trusted servants holding positions were present except the treasurer, who sent a report. Open positions are V. Chair, Secretary was open but it got filled that day. V. Treasurer, H&I Chair, Policy Chair, and Speaker Jam. Eleven of seventeen RCMs were present at the RSC including 2 alternate RCMs.

Reports

Chair - welcomed new people to the RSC

Treasurer - RSC also have had issues with the mail box but were able to get this resolved. The mail was checked. However, we still need to get old names off the P.O Box card and new ones on. This will happen when the chair writes a letter requesting the change. A new Zelle account has been added to the RCM bank account and is another way for donations to b sent in. The current balance at region is \$22,868.45.

Regional Delegate Reports - RD, RD Alternate, RD Alternate 2

VRCC - met in March; there was no bid for the 2024 AVCNA. A motion was presented to the VRCC to allow the Area to use its 501C-3 status, and to sign a hotel contract, the motion failed.

**A motion was presented to centralize the AVCNA to 3 Areas; Richmond, VA Beach, and Roanoke. The motion was tabled after much discussion to get Areas input.

The next VRCC will be in Charlottesville and on Zoom Saturday May 20 9-5. Full report on car-na.org.

PR Comprehensive Report and RCM Reports

No New Business

Old Business

Discussion of debit card motion

Motion to go back to Areas: To amend policy to allow the Treasurer to order and distribute debit cards to the RD Team only and transfer approved budgeted item requests. Intent: To change policy to allow the Treasurer to order debit cards for the RD Team's budgeted item requests.

Pro: Would make service work in a regional position a more inclusive endeavor.

Pro Since travel expenses can run several hundred dollars for a weekend of NA service trusted servants can have the financial backing of the region to cover pre-approved travel costs.

Pro: would be extremely helpful for members who cannot truly afford it.

Pro: Would be like a prepaid card, where the only amt. on the card can be used.

Con: Policy needs to be changed.

Lastly, Roland C., Tidewater Area discussed open positions and an Ad Hoc Committee was formed and appointed by Regional Chair, Antoinette B.

Intent: CARNA Service Ad Hoc Committee was chartered to recruit, draft, suggest and or direct future trusted servants who qualify to serve both upcoming and unexpired terms by acclamation and for all members to member relationships to search the ranks and help get the message out.

Roland C. was appointed by the RSC Chair as the Chair of the Service Ad Hoc Committee which met immediately after region. Nine RSCs joined that committee.

Next RSC: June 17th and 18th, 2023 on Zoom

Mtg. closed At 1:30 with the Serenity Prayer.

H&I Report:

Greetings,

The women's annex has closed its doors and the women are housed at the city jail. We have no idea where our literature is so I will need to order more literature to put into the chapel room at the new facility.

We have started going into the city jail this month from 6-7pm at 212 Lynn street Danville, Va. We will be having a new volunteer orientation on June 3rd at 10am at Rivermont Baptist Church at 122 Sunset Place Danville, VA. I will need a headcount before May 31st. Grab your sponsee's and reach out to me at 828-850-2407 via text and let me know if you are interested in doing H&I service work. Requirements for Jail commitment are 6 months to serve 1 year to chair. The H&I subcommittee met on May 7th at 1pm with 11 members in attendance. Southern Virginia has requested that all volunteers have background checks to come in their facility. Lawson W brought this to the committee and it was stated that as far as NA is concerned we are not required to have a background check as long as we observe the guidelines concerning that our volunteers must be out of those facilities for one year. It was discussed that we might schedule an orientation inside the facility to find out what they expect from us while in their facility. Lawson will bring us a report on his findings from the facility to determine what our next steps will be. I submitted a literature order for readings and a JFT mediation book for 15.90 so we can have readings for the women's commitment.

In loving service,

Deborah C
H&I Chair
SSANA

Literature Report:

Hi family! Barb is not here today so I will be filling in temporally. Steps to freedom have a literature for \$104. H & I has a literature order for \$15.60 totaling \$119.60. There for Area will be paying for \$62.26. (which includes \$15.60 for H & I, \$20.33 for shipping and handling, and \$6.00 for fuel sub charge) making the total \$145.93

In loving service,

Callie E.

Activities Report:

Activities Report
May 7, 2023

Hello Family,

The Spring fling Speaker Jam was a success. Big Thanks to everyone for all the help, the food was amazing. Callie and Heidi did a great job on the burgers and hot dogs. The event brought in \$200, this is after the \$50 donation to the church for the use of the facility.

Door	\$110
50/50	\$80
Donation form raffle winner	\$60
Total	\$250
 Donation to Church	 \$50

Today we have sent a funds request form to secure the shelter at Edmunds Park for Unity Day. The check will be made out to Halifax Recreation Department, Callie will take the check to secure the shelter. We are in search of corn hole boards for our June 24th Ice Cream Social and game day/ Fundraiser. I am so excited for the day of fun and games. Also, we are in search of corn hole boards for June 24th. I can wait for some more food fun and fellowship. Please let everyone know that covered dishes are welcome suggesting “Game Day food and Snacks”.

In loving Service
Krista H.

Policy Chair Report:

No Report.

PR Chair Report:

Phone line: 2 calls both addicts seeking meetings. They were able to use car-na to be in that area. Milothia, Amhurst. 4-19, 4-2.

ILS,
Thomas

Webmaster: All is well with the website. Everything has transferred over to the new hosting service.

ILS,
Dewey

GSR Reports:

Homegroup Name	Representative	Donation	Report – Written or Verbal
1) Gretna NA		\$	
2) Living Clean	Callie	\$	Written
3) New Attitudes		\$	
4) New Vision	Mike	\$	Verbal

5) Quarantined in Recovery		\$	
6) Recovering Vigilantes	Deborah	\$	Written
7) Solutions With Serenity	Charlotte	\$50	Verbal
8) Steps to Freedom	Vance	\$25	No Report
9) Survivors	Cameron	\$10	No Report
10) The Steps Are the Solution	Donna	\$20	Verbal
11) Never Alone, Never Again	Stephanie	\$	No Report

Homegroup Reports:

Recovering Vigilantes

Greetings,

We have been informed that our meeting spot is in jeopardy of closing its doors on May 26th. We will be looking for a new facility and also talking to our current facility about maybe a rent increase to help us keep our doors open. We have a 20.00 donation. We have Tony G celebrating 18 years and Vince M celebrating 15 years on May 10th at 8pm. It will be a speaker meeting. We are in need of current meeting schedules.

In loving Service,

Deborah C
GSR recovering Vigilantes

Living Clean The Journey Continues

Hello family! All is well with living clean the journey continues. There is no donation at this time.

In loving service,

Callie E

The Steps Are The Solution

We have a \$20 donation this month and we need support.

ILS,
Donna

Solutions With Serenity

No report, \$50.00 donation.
Charlotte

Old Business:

- Post office box was obtained.
- Debit card was obtained.

New Business:

- Motion made to change policy to not read last month’s minutes at each ASC. All GSR’s bring back homegroups votes. (See attached motion form #2)
- Our RCM will make the decision about regional debit cards.
- Check will be made to Webmastery for reimbursement on domain service.
- Our area did not agree with the motion to centralize the AVCNA. (VRCC)

Treasurer’s Report:

SOUTHSIDE AREA MONTHLY TREASURER’S REPORT		
Date: May 2023		
BEGINNING BALANCE		\$1,580.08
GROUP DONATIONS		
Gretna NA		
Living Clean The Journey Continues		
NeverAlone - NeverAgain		
New Attitudes		
New Vision		
Not The Day for Relapse		
Quarantined In Recovery		\$5.00
Recovering Vigilantes		\$20.00
Rude Awakenings		
Solutions With Serenity		\$50.00
STEPS TO FREEDOM		\$25.00
SURVIVORS		\$10.00
The Steps are the Solution		\$20.00
TOTAL GROUP DONATIONS		\$130.00
OTHER INCOME		
LITERATURE		\$104.00
Activities		\$200.00
TOTAL INCOME		\$434.00
LESS EXPENSES		
Check #	Payee	Amount
2429	CARNA	\$40.00
2425	Trinity	\$5.00
2426	FreeState	\$145.93
CASH	Post Office Box	\$10.00
		Thomas/cash
2427	Activities	\$65.00
		Krista
2428	Webmastery	\$15.00
		domain
Total Expenditures		\$280.93
ENDING BANK BALANCE		\$1,733.15
LESS PRUDENT RESERVE		(\$800.00)
TOTAL AVAILABLE		\$933.15
REGIONAL DONATION		\$40.00

Motion to accept report given by: Krista

Seconded by: Mike
Vote count: 8-0-0

Next months meeting date: 06/04/2023

Motion to close given by: Mike
Seconded by: Deborah

In loving service,

Dewey

Email: roofceo2021@icloud.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 homegroup. 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 Southside Area of Narcotics Anonymous web site at <http://southsidena.org>.

Motion 1

The Southside Area of Narcotics Anonymous

Motion Form

Date: 5-7-23

Motion By: Charollett H

Seconded By: Krista H

Motion: To accept minutes from April by passing reading then

Intent: To save time

Vote:
For: 7 Against: 0 Abstain: 1

Motion outcome:
Carried: Failed: Tabled to: Next month: Policy: Groups:

Motion 2

The Southside Area of Narcotics Anonymous

Motion Form

Date: 5-7-2023

Motion By: Krista H & Charlotte H

Seconded By: Deborah C

Motion: To not read minutes at
Area Service

This is a change of policy

Intent: To save time

Vote:
For: _____ Against: _____ Abstain: _____

Motion outcome:
Carried: ___ Failed: ___ Tabled to: Next month: Policy: ___ Groups: ___