

November 12, 2017

The meeting started at 2:00 and ended at 4:00

*Opening Prayer: "WE" version of Serenity Prayer Twelve*

Traditions read by Marge

Twelve Concepts read by Kate

**OPEN FORUM:**

Rich L.- Mass shootings are on the rise. Some concerns about the safety in this room with the emergency exits being blocked. Please use the Traditions and Spiritual Principles in welcoming all people into our fellowship.

William-Friday night meeting has become an In house meeting-times were changed and the person from outside that started it is unable to attend it now. Should it be changed to private meeting? Michael explained that they are asking for outside support to help them as they have no experience running an NA meeting.

Richard-A woman called the NA Hotline and no addict could be reached to help her. Signup sheet sent around for anyone who doesn't mind being contacted to help support Hot Line.

**Trusted servant positions currently open with no nominations are Alternate Secretary and Alternate Treasurer. Please ask anyone in your Home Groups if they would like the opportunity to serve in either one of these positions. Thank you.**

**ADMINISTRATIVE:**

**Roll Call**

ADMINISTRATIVE	REPRESENTATIVE	June 17	July 17	Aug 17	Oct 17	Nov 17
Area Chair	Rich L		open	P	P	P
Area Vice Chair	Rick B	open	open	P	P	P
Secretary	Dee H	P	P	P	A	P
Alt. Secretary	Open		open	open	open	open
Treasurer	Tim D.		P	P	P	P
Alt. Treasurer	open		open	open	open	open
RCM	Mary Ann D.	P	A	P	P	P
RCM 2	Kate W.	P	P	P	A	P

<b>SUBCOMMITTEE</b>		<b>JULY 17</b>	<b>AUG 17</b>	<b>SEPT 17</b>	<b>OCT 17</b>	<b>NOV 17</b>
Activities	Courtney J	open	open	P	P	P
Convention Chair	Loretta S.	P	A	P	P	P
H&I Chair	Guy	P	P	P	A	P
Lit. Chair	Shana T	open	P	P	P	P
PR Chair	Richard M	open	P	P	P	P
Website	William W	open	P	P	P	P
<b>HOMEGROUPS</b>	<b>REPRESENTATIVE</b>	<b>JUNE 17</b>	<b>JULY 17</b>	<b>AUG 17</b>	<b>OCT 17</b>	<b>NOV 17</b>
1. A New Level of Insight	Jenn J.	P	P	P	P	P
2. Active Change	Amy G	P	P	P	P	P
3. Freedom of Choice	Jim	P	P	P	P	P
4. Gainesville Clean	Michael D.	P	P	P	P	P
5. Give Yourself A Break	Phira	A	A	A	P	A
6. I P on Drugs	Kris W.	P	P	A	P	A
7. Life on Life's Terms	Karen M.	P	P	P	P	P
8. Life Savers		A	A	A	A	P
9. Living Clean JFT	Marge A.	P	P	P	P	P
10. Message of Recovery	Jeff	P	P	P	P	P
11. Miracle on 8 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	Harvey L.	P	P	A	P	P
12. More will be Revealed	James	A	A	P	A	A
13. Morning Serenity	Wendy S.	P	P	P	A	A
14. New Beginnings	Greg	P	P	P	P	P
15. No Name Group	Alicia	P	A	P	P	P
16. Open Hearts and Open Minds	Kerri P	P	A	A	A	P
17. Serenity Seeking Sisters	Leslie	P	A	A	P	A

18. Simplicity is the Key	Mike	P	P	P	P	P
19. Survivors Behind the Wires	Amy G				P	P
20. Ties That Bind	Frank	P	P	P	P	P
21. Turn Around Group	Snow	A	P	P	P	P
22. We Do Recover	C.J.	P	P	P	A	P
<del>Welcome Home</del>		A	A	A	A	A
<del>Women with a Message</del>		A	A	A	A	A
<b>Total Home Groups</b>		27	18	19	21	22
<b>Present at Roll Call</b>		17	14	14	14	16
<b>Needed for Quorum</b>		15	10	10	11	12

## **HOME GROUP REPORTS**

**A New Level of Insight:** Jenn J Report: ASC Contributions=\$86.00 All is well. Lit- \$69.86, rent- \$45, 10 home group members Monday & Wednesday 6:30-7:30 Lit study Monday "living clean" & Wednesday "basic text". Jenn J celebrated 2 years

**Active Change:** Amy G Report: ASC Contributions=\$50.00 Wednesdays 1<sup>st</sup> week literature study-open topic-6 Homegroup members-Attendance 12-20-Rick B celebrates 30 years.

**Freedom of Choice:** Jim O Report: ASC Contributions=\$0, Thursday night at 7 pm at Highlands Presbyterian church. 6-8 home group members, average attendance 10. All bills are paid, no ASC contribution

**Gainesville Clean:** Michael D Report: ASC Contributions=\$69.85 Average attendance running at 25-40 with lots of newcomers including people in treatment. Treasurer reports \$224.85 collected, \$100.00 in rent paid, \$54.70 Literature order, and \$69.85 Area donation. Our home group has decided to donate funds to purchase NA Basic Texts for use and distribution to Phoenix House residents. Phoenix House does not have a budget for purchasing recovery related materials. We invite other home groups to support this effort with cash or book donations. Recent anniversaries include Renee O. 17 years, Jay W. 22 years, and Marina 7 years.

**Give Yourself a Break:** Phira C. Report: ASC Contributions=\$0 No report.

**Just For Today:** David P Report: ASC Contributions=\$0 WE ARE A NEW GROUP THAT HAS HAD 2 MEETINGS SO FAR. THERE 4 HOME GROUP MEMBERS. THERE ARE NO ANNIVERSARIES THIS MONTH. DUE TO TRANSPORTATION PROBLEMS I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ATTEND THIS MONTH. I AM THE CURRENT GSR.

**IP on Drugs:** Courtney G. Report: No report

**Life on Life's Terms:** Michelle, ALT GSR Report: ASC Contributions=\$20.00 We need support for our meeting. Our attendance remains very low. Anyone looking for a small intimate Monday evening meeting please come spend an hour with family.

**LifeSavers:** C.J. W. Report: ASC Contributions=\$0 No problems rent paid

**Living Clean Just for Today:** Marge A. Report: ASC Contributions=\$ 65.29

**Message of Recovery:** Jeff G Report: ASC Contributions=\$300.00 Meets Thursday and Saturday at Westminster at 8pm. Thursday attendance 10-35 Saturday attendance 30-75 no issues or concerns. No birthdays. \$300 area donation \$149.20 literature order. No anniversaries.

**Miracle on 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue:** Harvey L. Report: ASC Contributions=\$0 Literature order \$76.50, Convention \$9.71, rent is paid, prudent reserve of \$100 is intact, home group members 11, attendance 20-25, no situations, Birthdays : Tom 5 years.

**More Will Be Revealed:** James S No report

**Morning Serenity:** Wendy S. No report

**New Beginnings:** Greg M Report: ASC Contributions=\$0 We meet at Branford United Methodist Church from 7:30-8:30 pm Monday and Thursday. We collected \$34.20 and \$10.00 for literature. Rent=\$17.10, supplies=\$13.09, literature=\$13.20, \$0.91 to prudent reserve. We will be celebrating our groups 13 year anniversary on November 30<sup>th</sup>.

**No Name Group:** Rob C. Report: ASC Contributions=\$58.00 We meet Monday's at 8pm at Westminster, and Friday's at 8:30pm at First Presbyterian. Our attendance is between 30-40. We paid our \$70 rent and payed \$66 for literature. We have an ASC contribution of \$58 this month. Jim H. Celebrated 5 years on the 11th of last month, and Cynthia is celebrating a year at the end of this month.

**Open Hearts, Open Minds:** Kerri P ASC Contributions=\$0 We meet at Westminster church @6:30pm on Thursday nights. The average attendance is 8-12 people. We have 2-3 home group members. We have paid our \$40.00 rent. The donations barely meet rent, but we do get covered it. We do not have any area donations at this time, as well as Literature. No issues or problems.

**Serenity Seeking Sisters:** Leslie (new GSR) Report: No report

**Simplicity is the Key:** Mike K Report: ASC Contributions=\$87.00. Life is good. We continue to meet regularly on Sunday mornings at 10am at the Triangle Club. We have approximately 10 active homegroup members and are meetings are typically attended by 25-30 recovery seeking addicts. We are planning to participate in the upcoming Fall Festival. We would like a straw-poll regarding interest in changing our ASC meeting schedule from once a month to once every other month.

**Survivors Behind the Wires:** Amy G.: Report: ASC Contributions=\$0 Main Annex at Lowell for Women.2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 7-8:30. Steady now 30 average attendance.

**Ties that Bind:** Eric D Report: ASC Contributions=\$17.42 Literature=\$74.60 Eric D celebrated 18 months in October.

**Turn Around Group:** Snow Report: ASC Contributions=\$10.00 Treasury \$69.00 after expenses

**We Do Recover:** CJ Report: ASC Contributions=\$0 All is well

**Welcome Home Group:** No GSR

**Women with A Message:** No GSR Loretta S Report: ASC Contributions=\$22.53 The group is doing great. We donated 22.53 to Area.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:**

### **CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT:**

No report

### **VICE-CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT:**

No report

### **SECRETARY'S REPORT:**

Hello. everyone: Just a reminder that you can fill out your GSR report online or at AREA and I can type it in manually. The report sheets will be with me. Thank you for all you do!!

Dee

### **ALTERNATE SECRETARY'S REPORT:**

Open

## **REGIONAL COMMITTEE MEMBER-RCM1**

November ASC 11/12/17

No Report-No Regional since July

I will be asking the Region to pay for our hotel room for one night, for one us to pay for one.

### **World Convention WCNA-37**

The Magic is still Real=\*Register=\*Volunteer

\*Online @ [www.na.org](http://www.na.org)

## **REGIONAL COMMITTEE MEMBER-RCM 2**

No Report

**TREASURER REPORT:**

ASC Treasurers Report For  
Sunday, November 12,2017

Checking account balance as of October 31,2017			\$2424.53
Plus deposits in transit activities			
Plus outstanding Literature orders groups			74.40
Subtotal			<hr/>
			\$2499.93
Regional Service September Literature order			\$2147.06
Remaining balance			
			\$1142.79
Prior months balance	last area	09/30/17	
			Disbursed
Deposits			
October Literature	\$425.00		Phone 1 @ 63.87= \$ 63.87
Repayment in Full Convention	\$ 500.00		Gator Comm 1 @ 73.25= 73.25
October groups	<u>\$713.43</u>		Westminster & Triangle 1@40= 40.00
			PO Box Renewal 90.00
			Renaissance 44.73
			Fl Regional Lit order <u>248.00</u>
			Disbursed \$559.85
Received	\$1638.43	(248.00)	

\* Paper service fee of \$3.00 charged and refunded  
by bank 10/16/17 & 10/23/17

Respectfully Submitted  
Timmy D  
Area Treasurer

# UNCOAST AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

## **SUBCOMMITTEES REPORTS:**

**ACTIVITIES REPORT:** The activities sub committee meets on the 4th Sunday of every month at 3 o'clock at the Triangle Club.

October 28th we had the Screaming Serenity dance, we collected a total of \$351 in donations, our expenses for the event totaled \$200 leaving \$151 in profit. Thank you to everyone who helped make this event a success and for everyone who showed up and enjoyed the evening!

November 18th we will have the Fall Festival, it will begin at 2pm at Westminster Presbyterian Church. We are asking that homegroups let the subcommittee know if you will be participating so we can ensure we have enough tables set up and any other accommodations we may be able to provide. You can let us know by emailing [activities@uncoast.org](mailto:activities@uncoast.org), tell us in person or add your homegroup to the google doc below :)

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1HIjfDcNeKGjy\\_CJxxvUEuOWyFoWFxYZeZpYX8AeWf9s/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1HIjfDcNeKGjy_CJxxvUEuOWyFoWFxYZeZpYX8AeWf9s/edit?usp=sharing)

We will be holding the 12 hour Room on November 23rd beginning at 8am, Colin and I will be there bright and early making omelets! Colin will also be bringing awesome video games for our enjoyments, but if anyone has board games they would like to lend us for the day that would be great as well! There will be a couple different sign up sheets circulating around the meeting, if you plan on bringing something please sign up so we can make sure to have everything we need to have a wonderful family dinner! We are also inviting members of the various homegroups to volunteer to chair a meeting. The meetings will be held every other hour and the time blocks will be on the sign up sheet! Below are links to the food sign up as well as the meeting sign up:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1gRK7OG1tqEDZDUn8hb2GWMjAbxxWISIGCwwYP0Uo8I/edit?usp=sharing>

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/17fkftk0m85Nunpmfzx2wS-GbGydETAKrKLhSTJgcS0A/edit?usp=sharing>

We have also secured the room at Westminster for our annual 25 hour, which will be held on December 24th from 7pm to December 25th at 8pm.

In loving service,  
Courtney J

Hello my friends!! Below are links to the various signup sheets for upcoming events, all of the links are editable, so you can add any information you may have and it will be updated immediately! You are welcome to email me back instead if you have any issues with the links and I can add it for you.

[Fall Festival Booth Sign up](#)

[12 Hour room Donation sign up](#)

[12 Hour Room Meeting Chair Sign up](#)

With Love,  
Courtney J

## **CONVENTION COMMITTEE REPORT:**

Our committee has paid back the loan from Area prudent reserve last month, October, rather than this coming April as promised. We are planning fundraisers for the near future.

The Convention Committee meets on Subcommittee Sunday at 1pm. We have a small group of dedicated servants. :) We are still in need of a Hotel Liason.

Loretta S.

# UNCOAST AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

## **H&I SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT**

Good afternoon Uncoast,

Hospitals and Institutions is running a smooth as always. We have every position but one filled and supported. One position at Meridian detox has recently become available. We are also in the middle of updating our policy. We began last month and will be finishing up this month. We also spent 77\$ on literature this month, replenishing our literature. All in all everything is running great within H&I subcommittee. Thank you so much for allowing me to serve.

Guy K.  
Hospitals and Institutions

## **LITERATURE COMMITTEE REPORT:**

<u>ASC Literature Report For</u>		<u>Sunday, October 08, 2017</u>	
		<u>Insert numbers</u>	<u>Totals formulated</u>
			<u>Do not enter #s</u>
<u>A/P Expense</u>			
Literature Purchase for (FRSO Invoice Amount)		\$ 248.00	
Reaissance Printing Purchase ( Invoice Amount)		\$ 44.73	
<u>Total \$ Amount of Expenses</u>			\$ 292.73
<u>Disbursements</u>			
Group Literature Amount Distributed		\$ 229.65	
H&I Literature Amount Distributed		\$ -	
PR Literature Amount Distributed		\$ 51.75	
Returns / Credits / Misc.		\$	
<u>Total \$ Amount Disbursed</u>			\$ 281.40
<u>Income</u>			
Money Received at Area		\$ 231.65	
Money to be paid by Treasurer		\$ 96.48	
Outstanding amount due ASC		\$ 39.00	
<u>Total \$ Income</u>			\$ 367.13
<u>Balance due ASC</u>			\$ 74.40
<b>Balance of Literature Amount on Hand</b>		\$250.85	
<b>Problems or Discrepancies:</b>			



# UNCOAST AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

Dear Family..

There is (1) group with an outstanding order of \$39.00, We Do Recover, from last month. All other orders have been paid and picked up from the hurricane. Please have your orders in by 9pm the first Sunday of the month. Thank you for the opportunity to serve NA.

**Please, Please, Please, try to make payments with either check and Money Order for Literature Orders over \$50.00 ...**

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Shanna T [386-292-9444](tel:386-292-9444)

## **PR COMMITTEE REPORT:**

**Uncoast PR Report 11/12/2017**

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The PR Department delivers literature to 27 locations.

No monthly subcommittee meeting last month. I was out of town and the meeting space and time was used by the Area Treasurer.

I received some mail at the last area meeting addressed to the PR Chair. The mail had been opened and partially filled out with names of people who represent NA to a state organization known as Elder Options. I owned an elder care business from 2007 to 2010 and had an understanding of their actual needs and so I contacted Donna Harley at Elder Options to inform her that it is more in line with our tradition of anonymity to have persons looking for meetings to visit our web site and/or call our help line. On the rare occasion that they would want some kind of presentation to some kind of group, they could contact the correct PR person by sending an email to [PR@uncoastna.org](mailto:PR@uncoastna.org). Ms Harley was very understanding of this position since that is how other 12 step groups operate.

I spoke to Lieutenant May, an officer from Columbia County who it turned out wanted information about having NA meetings at the jail there. I then forwarded Lt. May's information to H&I to let them handle that.

One member informed me that the Triangle Club was completely out of NA literature. Upon investigation, I found they were out of meeting lists but still had 3 of every pamphlet on their list instead of the 5 they originally got earlier. I point this out as an example of how perception can be different from reality. It occurred to me that The Triangle Club is a business that charges quite a bit for meetings to be held there and that we are providing a lot of free literature to them. In conversations with others I found that some others think that's appropriate, once again going to how perceptions work.

Thank you for letting me be of service.

Richard

# UNCOAST AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

## **WEB SITE COMMITTEE REPORT:**

### **November Website Report**

#### **Web Servant:**

- Started accessibility updates under Section 508 compliance. Looking at building local literature form, save money. Lit order form costs \$84/yr. Our whole website costs only \$15/yr more. However, it is far more difficult to do because of the computation features built into the online form.
- Following up on missing policy updates (Activities, H&I, Convention). We can't update without the final approved Word/PDF copy.

#### **Archives:**

Created a blank September ASC minutes stating that the meeting was cancelled because of Hurricane Irma. Future servants will not fear that the minutes are missing but know the meeting was cancelled.

#### **Meeting List:**

Up to date. Still working on the new trifold 8.5 x 11 redesign. Region is moving the meetings lists to a new secure server in order to stop the frequent crashes.

#### **Calendar:**

Up to date for what we have been given. Ideas for getting better info for group and area. We will begin circulating a calendar update sheet at ASC like we do for the email servant.

#### **Email Servant:**

All relays are current.

#### **Analytics:**

Users—620

Mobile—73%

Meeting List—897

JFT—308

Your servants,

The Website Subcommittee

# UNCOAST AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**MOTION ONE:**

<b>UNCOAST AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE</b> Motion Form		
Date: November 12, 2017		
Motion: To approve the balanced budget for calendar year 2018 for smooth continued operation of the Uncoast Area.		
Intent: To be fiscally responsible and operate in accordance with our Area policies and our concepts.		
See attached summary of Administrative Committee Budget as proposed October 22,2017		
Maker: Timmy D-Area Treasurer		
Second:		
Carried:	Died: Failed	Tabled:

	FY 2017	FY 2018	% change
<b>INCOME</b>			
Group Donations	\$6,600	\$6,300	-5%
Lit Sales	\$317	\$300	-6%
Activities	\$370	\$495	25%
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$7,287</b>	<b>\$7,095</b>	
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
Area Service Committee			
ASC Meeting Rent	\$300	\$300	0%
Subcommittee Rent	\$180	\$180	0%
PO Box 12151	\$86	\$90	5%
Archives Storage	\$60	\$60	0%
Hospitals & Institutions			
H&I Lit	\$960	\$960	0%
Public Relations			
PR Helplines	\$632	\$766	21%
PR Lit	\$2,280	\$1,920	-16%
PR Gator Communications	\$879	\$879	0%

# UNCOAST AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

Florida Regional Service Committee			
RCM Travel	\$1,500	\$1,800	20%
Website			
Website	\$380	\$84	-78%
Total Expenses	\$7,257	\$7,039	
Monthly Expenses	\$609	\$587	-4%
Prudent Reserve	\$1,218	\$1,174	-4%

Motion to be taken back to Home Groups and voted on.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

World Convention in Orlando in 2018-Volunteer service positions available.

**The meeting was closed at 4:00 with the Serenity Prayer**

We are happy to announce that our new NA meeting group called Just For Today had our first meeting Tuesday 10/31/2017.

We are located at, St. Luke's Episcopal Church  
 1391 S.W. 11th Street  
 Live Oak FL. 32064

The meeting is held every Tuesday from 7:30 pm-8:30 pm  
 in a class room behind the main Church Bldg.  
 Parking is located in the rear.

Contact phone #s  
 David P. [\(386\) 365-2108](tel:3863652108)  
 Antonio R, [\(407\)595-5475](tel:4075955475)

ILS David P.