

November 2008

The following are the minutes from the Greater Pensacola Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous that met on November 17, 2008. Chad opened the meeting with the "We" version of the Serenity Prayer. Kate read the 12 concepts. Mark B. read the 12 Traditions. Seven read the Service Prayer.

ROLL CALL-P-PRESENT/A-ABSENT/V-VACANT

POSITION	NAME	P-A-V	HOMEGROUP	P-A-V
CHAIR	CHAD R.	P	A New Beginning	P
VICE CHAIR	BEV M	P	Back to Life	P
POLICY	REAGAN H.	P	Come As You Are	A
TREASURER	SEAN A.	P	Complete Surrender	P
SECRETARY	MICKETTRIC M.	P	Gratitude	P
RCM	CURTIS W.	P	Hugs Not Drugs	P
RCMA	V	V	Live Your Dreams	P
ACTIVITIES	DAN H.	A	New Attitude	P
PR	V	V	Northside Connection	P
H&I	SHELLY L.	P	Out of the Darkness	P
HOWL	WENDY M.	P	Progress Not Perfection	P
			Progressive Recovery	P
			Soundside	P
			3 rd Tradition	P
			Last Chance	A

REPORTS

POSITION	NAME AND NUMBER			REPORT STATUS
CHAIR	Chad R	380-9892	PNS	No Report
VICE CHAIR	Bev M	243-3506	FWB	No Report
POLICY	Reagan H	380-2961	PNS	No Report
TREASURER	Sean A	549-3691	PNS	Report given- see attached
SECRETARY	Mickettric M	505-9977	PNS	October minutes reviewed
RCM	Curtis W	598-9969	Destin	No Report
RCMA	Vacant			No report
ACTIVITIES	Dan H			Absent
PR	Vacant			Vacant
H&I	Shelly L	368-7777	Mary Esther	Report given- see attached
HOWL	Wendy M	602-6601	PNS	Report given- see attached
GSR				Reports given- see attached

OPEN FORUM

Curtis stated that the Mobile Area ASC only do major business every 3rd meeting and they incorporate a learning day. Are the GSR's interested?

OLD BUSINESS

Motion to vote Dan H. into the Activities Chair position.

PASSED

Regional Motion to be voted on at the group level

Motion 6

Change Public Information to Public Relations and combine H&I under this committee and use the Public Relations handbook.

Intent: To streamline support and services to the suffering addict. To follow WSC practices.

NEW BUSINESS

Motion 1

To purchase receipt folders for all bodies of ASC that handle funds.

Intent: Accountability

For: 2

Against: 7

Abstain: 4

FAILED

Motion 2

To require members new to the area to be involved in service in the GPANA for 6 months before being eligible for a service position with financial responsibility.

Intent: To follow the 4th Concept by considering members leadership qualities before electing them to a service position.

For: 11

Against: 0

Abstain: 2

PASSED

Motion 3

To research insurance on an area level according to policy provided on the World NA web site (Blanket Policy).

Intent: Policy 11. To insure safety and liability of our groups against law suit or other damages. This insures us to carry the message with protection from outside influences.

For: 11

Against: 1

Abstain: 1

PASSED

Chad R. appointed Mickettric M. responsible for calling about insurance.

NOMINATION & ELECTIONS

Reminder: Please vote for the HOWL Chair nomination:

Diana M. to be the next HOWL Chair. This will be voted on at the December ASC.

OPEN FORUM

Shelly L. stated that she made contact with 2 individuals about taking over the Area website and was told two different answers regarding her ability to manage the site given her skills to do so.

A lengthy debate ensued about 'Who will manage the Area website?'

Chad R. Stated that he will contact Tim B, the current webmaster, about updating the local site and invite him to the next ASC to discuss his further willingness to manage the site.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15pm and closed with the Third Step Prayer.

The next ASC meeting will be held on **December 15, 2008.**