Mid-Hudson Area of Narcotics Anonymous, P.O. Box 1092 Kingston, NY 12401 AREA SERVICE MINUTES: November 30th, 2023

OFFICERS/ SUBCOMMITTEES	NAME	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Chairperson	Laura M.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Vice Chairperson	OPEN	Χ	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	X	Χ	Χ	
Treasurer	Vince	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	P	Р	Α	
Secretary	Jess 2.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	P	Р	Р	
RCM #1	Debbi R.	Р	Р	Р	А	Р	Р	Р	Р	P	Р	Р	
RCM #2	OPEN	Χ	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Χ	X	X	Χ	
Policy Chairperson	OPEN	Χ	Х	X	Х	Χ	Χ	Х	Χ	X	X	Χ	
H&I Chairperson	Peter K.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Helpline Chair	Reine A.	Р	Р	Р	А	Р	Р	А	Р	Α	Р	Р	
E&A Chairperson	OPEN	Χ	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	X	Χ	Χ	
Literature Chairperson	Michele O.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Literature Vice Chair	Denise M.	Р	Р	Α	Р	Р	Р	А	Р	Р	Α	Р	
Mail Accountability	Denise M.	А	Р	Α	Р	Р	Р	А	Р	Р	Α	Р	
Meeting List Chair	Christine S.	Р	Р	Р	А	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Outreach Chairperson	Kelly B.	Р	Р	Α	Р	Α	Р	Р	Α	A	Р	Р	
P.R. Chairperson	OPEN	Х	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Χ	X	Χ	Χ	
Literature Review Chair	OPEN	Χ	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	X	X	Χ	
Convention Chair	Steven J.	Р	А	Р	Р	Р	Α	Р	Р	Р	Α	Α	
Convention Treasurer	Keith R.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Α	Α	Р	Р	Р	
Coffeemaker	Anne D.	Р	Р	Α	Х	Χ	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Webmaster	Brian G.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	

<u> AREA MINUTES – NOVEMBER 2023</u>

Motion to accept last month's minutes

Accepted

ATTENDANCE

^{1st} Roll Call: 13 Committee Chairs and 14 GSR's – Quorum is 7 GSR's, Quorum Met. 2nd Roll Call: 13 GSR's present, Quorum Maintained.

NEW MEETINGS – WELCOME TO OUR AREA!

Keep Hope Alive- Zion Episcopal Church 12 Saterlee Place, Wappingers Falls

NEW GSRs – WELCOME, THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!

Gina/Cindy - Keep Hope Alive

GROUP NAME	GSR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
A New Way	Х	Α	А	Α	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	А	
Alive & Free	Anne D.	Р	Р	Α	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Back to Life	Ralph M.	Р	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	Р	Α	Α	Α	
Based on The Evidence 2	Kathy M.	Р	А	Р	Р	Р	Р	А	Α	Р	Р	Р	
Becoming Whole	Herman C.	X	Р	Р	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	
Cancer in Recovery (Zoom)	Vanessa M.	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	
Clean & Free	James L.	Р	А	Α	Α	Α	Р	Р	Р	Α	Α	Α	
Clean & Serene	Brian G.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Α	Р	
Come As You Are	Kelly B.	Р	Р	Α	Р	Α	Р	Р	Α	Α	Р	Р	
God Shaped Hole	Lynn B.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Hope in Hudson	Laura S.	Р	Р	А	Р	Α	Р	А	Р	Р	Р	Α	
Hope Of Courage	Gilbert S.	Р	Р	Р	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	А	Α	Α	
Journey to Recovery	Crystal R.	Р	А	Α	Р	Α	Α	А	Α	Р	Α	Α	
Just for Tonight	Andrew	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	А	Α	Α	
Kings Men's Recovery	Billy Joe	Χ	Х	Х	Р	Α	Α	А	Р	А	Р	Α	
Last Chance	Eric M.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	А	Р	Α	
Lifeline	Jennifer C.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Living Clean	Х	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	
Living Proof (Men's Meeting)	John B./Derricks T.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Α	Р	Α	Р	Α	Р	
Men Do Recover (Zoom)	Х	Р	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	А	Α	Α	
Midweek Miracles	Х	Р	Р	Р	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	А	Α	Α	
Miracles Happen	Х	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	А	Α	Α	
Miracle on Main Street	Ali G.	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	Α	
Mission To Recovery	Х	Χ	Х	Х	Р	Α	Α	А	Р	А	Α	Α	
Monday Night Miracles	Keith R.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
New Beginnings	Jermaine B.	Р	Р	Р	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	Р	Α	Р	
On A Woman's Journey	Kat C.	Р	Р	Α	Р	Α	Р	А	Р	А	Р	Α	
Pay It Forward	Х	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	А	Α	Α	
Peak of Serenity	Lavona	Р	А	Р	Р	Р	Α	Р	Α	Р	Р	Α	
Principles B4 Personalities	Bryan H	Α	А	А	Α	Α	Α	Р	Р	Р	Α	Р	
Recovery In Progress	Belén								Р	Р	Р	Р	
Recovery on the Mountain (seasonal)	Darrel/Don M.	Α	А	А	Α	Р	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	А	
The Message is Hope	Christine S.	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Unity In The Community	Brother Minister	Р	Р	Р	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	А	
Vision of Hope	Х	Α	А	А	Α	Α	Α	А	Α	Α	Α	А	
We Do Recover	Ian F.	Α	А	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Α	Р	

<u>CHAIRPERSONS REPORT</u> – Laura M. No Report

VICE CHAIRPERSONS REPORT – OPEN

SECRETARY REPORT – Jess 2.

No Report

<u>RCM #1</u> – Debbi R.

We met November 4th and every area but one had a representative!

At the beginning of the meeting the operating balance was \$6737.49 and the prudent reserve was

\$ 5726.00.

World Convention starts 8/29 in Washington D.C. registration is still not open as of today.

Helpline zoom meeting is the 2nd Thursday of every month at 6pm.

Zoom information is being updated and is forthcoming

NESSSNA the 2nd annual Northeastern States Service Symposium will be April 26th-April 28th At the Boston Marriot Peabody. The NESSSNA planning committee meets the 1st Sunday of every month at 9pm Zoom ID 891 5814 9192 NESSSNA gathers together members from across our fellowship: local, regional, nationally, & internationally. NESSSNA offers a unique opportunity for the exchange of experience, strength, and hope between all members of NA fostering the

magic of service: a posture of the heart.

The event provides a series of workshops, presentations & conversations related to all the facets of the fellowship.

Unfortunately, the same weekend of our convention is the 34th Burlington Vt Convention which is traditionally well attended. Let's figure out how to avoid this in the future!

The Zonal Meeting is the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 9m EST Zoom ID: 858 5086 2091 Password NEZF

In loving service, Debbi RCM

<u>RCM #2</u> – OPEN

POLICY CHAIRPERSON REPORT – OPEN

H&I CHAIRPERSON REPORT- Peter K.

Committee doing well. In need of panel leaders for various facilities including getting cleared to go into correctional facilities.

Our nomination for the next H&I Chair is Helen B.

HELPLINE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - Reine A

The Helpline is up and running. • I know a few people received a call. I had asked Cassie (Regional Helpline Chair) if she could find out how many calls are coming in and how many calls are going towards finding a meeting. I haven't gotten that info back. Cassie also reported in her Regional committee report that there was a request put in to the Fellowship Development team regarding our payment for our account, when the helpline

was switched to the new BMLT system. There was a credit of \$300.00 She stated that we are currently only About halfway through that, meaning we still have credit. she is unsure of the exact amount each call costs. The contact w/ Fellowship Development is going to look into that info. Cassie asked all The RCM's to talk to their areas and assist in trying to Bring more members. into fill open slots. During our Now meeting which I was unable to attend, Cassie had said That currently more areas are joining. We meet virtually on the second Thursday of the month at 6pm. The meeting ID is 848-0620-5225 Password 000000 Helpline #

315-847-3842.

In loving service Reine A.

E&A CHAIRPERSON REPORT - OPEN

<u>LITERATURE CHAIRPERSON REPORT</u> – Michele O.

Previous Month Sales: \$423.00 Previous Month End Inventory: \$4477.91 Area Purchase: \$351.02 Total NAWS Purchase: \$351.02 Starting Inventory: \$4828.93

LITERATURE VICE REPORT – Denise M.

No Report

MAIL ACCOUNTABILITY- Denise M.

No Report

MEETING LIST CHAIRPERSON REPORT – Christine S.

Good evening all,

I am submitting this report for November, 2023. The next meeting list is for January through February, 2024 and I will need all changes in writing by January 9th for accuracy and accountability.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve NA in this way. I am grateful for the opportunity to give back to this life saving program.

In loving service, Christine

OUTREACH CHAIRPERSON REPORT – Kelly B.

No Report

PUBLIC RELATIONS CHAIRPERSON REPORT - OPEN

LITERATURE REVIEW CHAIRPERSON REPORT – OPEN

<u>CONVENTION CHAIRPERSON REPORT</u> – Steven J.

CONVENTION TREASURER REPORT Keith R.

CONVENTION TREASURER'S REPORT									
REVENUE		EXPENSE	S						
FOOD	\$ 800.00	FOOD	\$279.58						
REGISTRATION	2801.00	DJ	500.00						
MERCHANDISE		TOTAL	\$779.58						
Ours \$1622 Merch 1 305 Merch 2 <u>156</u>	.00								
ALL MERCH	2083.50								
BASKET	220.00								
QUILT	162.00								
TOTAL REVENUE Expenses	\$6066.50 _ <u>(779.58)</u>								
Revenue 11-11	\$5286.92								
Pre Convention Balan Convention Deposit Square \$ 883.5 Cash 5535.0	2	\$1298.61							
Total Deposit 6418.5 Sub total Ck #232 Kelly food		<u>6418.52</u> \$7717.13 (279.58)							
Pre Convention Balance Convention Deposit Sub Total Check #232 Kelly Be		1298.61 6418.52 7717.13 (279.58)							
Post Convention Balar		\$7437.55							
In loving Service, Keith									

There was unfortunately \$325.00 that disappeared from Registration

<u>COFFEE MAKER REPORT</u> – Anne D. No Report

TREASURER'S REPORT - Vince

WEBMASTER REPORT-Brian G.

All bills are paid. Updates and flyers added to website

GSR REPORTS & OPEN SHARING FROM THE FLOOR

- Alive + Free- 5-6 small, steady
- Based on Evidence II- going well, average 36
- Clean And Serene- attendance small/consistent
- Come As You Are- Group doing well
- God Shaped Hole- Rotating format, rotation of service, 2 new members, Jan 4th AdHoc at meeting
- Keep Hope Alive- 6-8 people, open/ rotating format Mondays 7:30
- Last Chance- steady 8-12 attendance, 3 celebrants passed week
- Lifeline- Reine celebrated 36 Yrs, Jan 31st Debbi celebrates 20yrs
- Living Proof- 25-30 Men, Speaker Jam Dec 16th \$1@ door food for sale
- Monday Night Miracles- doing extremely well
- New Beginnings- Roof fell in at Salvation Army/ temp move to 161 mansion
- Principles B4 Personalities 3-4 moved from house to school/ looking for possible bigger location
- Recovery In Progress- going well, 2-3 regular attendees
- The Message Is Hope- alot of attendees from treatment/ building up supplies for beginners, looking for speaker on step 1/ rotated service structure
- We Do Recover- attendance is consistent, more group service

MOTIONS VOTED ON:

NONE

NEW MOTIONS:

Motion from Convention Committee

To wave policy one time that states that extra funds (after seed money) get donated to Area, instead, want to allow for that money to go to groups for key tags/literature

Intent: to help the groups in need of supplies/ to give back to the groups

Pro- want to give to groups who are suffering Pro- aligning with primary purpose Con- outside contribution could cause issue when groups are fully self supporting MOTION FAILED

NOMINATIONS & ELECTIONS:

Laura M. For Secretary Jess J. For Chair Michelle O. For Vice Chair Royal for Greeter Helen B for H&I Jennifer for RCM II Lashawn for Literature Chair

In need of Policy Chair Public Relations Chair E&A Chair Literature Review Chair

Nominees must be present for both Nominations & Elections. Note: RCM #1 & RCM #2, Meeting List, Mail Accountability, Helpline, Outreach, Coffee Maker, Convention Treasurer and Literature Review Chair may hold a GSR position.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

PR doing Well

MOTION TO CLOSE

Next Area Scheduled for <u>Thursday December 28th@ 7PM</u> @ Saint James Church, Pearl & Fair Streets, Kingston, NY. NOTE: WE MEET THE FOURTH THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH (NOT THE LAST THURSDAY!). THANK YOU! *** WILL BE MEETING AT CHURCH AT 6PM FOR END OF YEAR POT LUCK DINNER BEFORE AREA SERVICE DECEMBER***

Trusted Servant Position	Commitment	Clean Time (suggested* unless otherwise noted)	Service Experience (suggested* unless otherwise noted)	Current	Election Status
Area Chairperson	1 year	5 years (req'd)	3 years (req'd)	Laura M.	2 nd Year 2023
Area Vice Chairperson	1 year	3 years (req'd)	2 years (req'd)	****	Open
Area Treasurer	1 year	5 years (req'd)	3 years (req'd)	Vince (May23)	1 st Year 2023
Secretary	1 year	1 year	6 months	Jess 2	2 nd Year 2023
Regional Committee Member #1	2 years	2 years	1 year	Debbi R.	1 st Year 2023
Regional Committee Member #2	2 years	2 years	1 year	*****	Open
Policy Chair	1 year	4 years	2 years	****	Open
Meeting List Chair	1 year	2 years	1 year	Christine S.	1 st Year 2023
Mail Accountability	1 year	6 months	3 months	Denise M.	1 st Year 2023
Coffee Maker	1 year	3 months		*****	Open
Hospitals & Institutions Chair	2 years	2 years	1 year	Peter K.	2 nd Year 2023
Public Relations Chair	2 years	2 years	1 year	Anne D.	1 st Year 2023
Helpline Chair	1 year	2 years	1 year	Reine A.	1 st Year 2023
Outreach Chair	1 year	2 years	1 year	Kelly B.	1 st Year 2023
Literature Supply Chair	1 year	2 years	1 year	Michele O.	2 nd Year 2023
Literature Supply Vice Chair	2 years	1 year	6 months	Denise M.	2 nd Year 2023
Events & Activities Chair	1 year	2 years	1 year	*****	Open
Literature Review Chair	1 year	1 year	6 months	*****	Open
Convention Committee Chair	2 years	5 years	2 years	Steven J.	2 nd Year 2023
Convention Treasurer	2 years	5 years	1 year	Keith R.	1 st Year 2023

ADDENDUM: AREA SERVICE POSITIONS WITH REQUIREMENTS:

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