

Announcements

The next Central Mass Area Service Committee will be May 3, 2010 6:30pm at the New England Dream Center – 5 Chestnut St, Worcester MA

ANNOUNCEMENTS TO GROUPS

GSR please read all announcements at your group business meeting.

- If your group does not have a GSR, any trusted servant or group member can attend the Area meeting in order to bring concerns, changes or announcements from the group for the area minutes and to bring information and area news back to the group.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank our trusted Servants that have fulfilled their commitments and are moving on for all their hard work and service. Thank you Paul B. Mike H. Kerri S. and James F. We love you guys.

Please let the groups know there are still a few service positions to be filled. Activities, Alt RCM, Assistant Secretary and Website are all open.

Sunday Night Sweet Surrender in Littleton MA is in need of support and home group members.

There is a new meeting, 'Dopeless Hope Fiends,' Friday night 7:00-8:30 pm, assorted format. 256 High St., Clinton, MA. This is a Just for Today Meeting. The first Friday of the month will be an Outside Commitment Meeting and Celebration of Recovery with the hall open until 11:00.

Tuesday Night Action Bridge to Recovery is changing their time from 7:00 – 8:30 pm with a break to 7:00 – 8:00 pm with no break.

Friday night 'Back to Basics' 7:00-8:30 pm, is in need of addict support. This a pamphlet meeting. We meet in Worcester, MA at CHL.

The Tuesday night Late Show in Webster meeting is in need of addict support.

Please join the RCM for a new GSR orientation one half hour (6pm) prior to the Area Service Committee meeting. In the RCM's absence, the Secretary will facilitate the meeting.

PLEASE READ THIS IF YOU ONLY RECEIVED THE 1ST PAGE OF THE MINUTES:

Per Policy Guidelines Article V, Section 3.C.2.d.2.c, which reads as follows: Representatives missing two or more consecutive Area Service Meetings will receive only the front page of the minutes for three months after which time distribution to say representative should be discontinued.

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Central Mass Area Service Committee Meeting April 1, 2010

Next Area Meeting: May 5, 2010

The meeting opened with a moment of silence, followed by the serenity prayer and a collaborative reading of the 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts.

ROLL CALL: Groups were represented (see attendance sheet)

Area Trusted Servant and Sub-committee Reports:

Chairperson: NA

Vice-Chair: NA

Secretary: Minutes accepted

Asst Secretary: NA

Treasurer: Treasures report accepted

Activities Committee:

Chairperson: Kerri

Report:

The last activity that took place was the H&I and PI's Learning Day event which took place on March 20th at the Unitarian Church in Leominster. The event itself appeared to be a success. However, the dance was not. Not many addicts showed up for support.

I had \$350 plus \$75 from H&I for the event.

I took care of the following:

\$250 for the DJ

\$45 – Polar Corp (Soda/Water) (approx)

\$95 – BJ's Wholesale (approx.)

I gave Andy the remaining money, approx. \$30-35 for Ice, etc. and any incidentals he may need.

I am also turning in \$750 which is the seed money for the future chair.

I just wanted to thank the Area for allowing me to be involved in Activities the past two years and allowing me to serve as Chair of the Committee over the past year. I enjoyed my time serving.

Campout Committee:

Chairperson: George E.

Campout- Meets 3rd Monday of every month 5:30 Adcare, could use addict support. Any help would be appreciated. There are plenty of opportunities to serve. The Sponsorship Breakfast was a great success.

For internal NA use only.

Thank you everyone for your support. George E.

Hospitals & Institutions:

Chairperson: Andy R

Total Presentations: 47 Totals Filled: 5

We are still looking for a facility coordinator at Worcester House of Correction, Concord Farm, and CHL.

We are still working on getting in contact inside the facility. I have not had an opportunity to contact the church about the deposit. I will make sure it is done before the next area meeting. The hours of the church do not correspond with my schedule.

We had the learning day on March the event went well.

We are working on a new policy. This policy will include that all panel leaders are required to show up at least one meeting every two months. We are having trouble with people showing up their commitments. Hopefully this will help with accountability.

The next H&I meeting will be held on April 25, 2010 at Ad-Car

To the area service committee:

In Loving Service

Andy R.

Literature:

Chairperson: James

Verbal

Meeting Lists:

Chairperson: Paul G.

Verbal

Narcathon:

Chairperson: Lia U.

The Narcathon Committee is grateful to continue serving Narcotics Anonymous. We meet every third Wednesday @ Panera Bread in White City Shrewsbury at 8:00 pm. There is no new business.

Policy:

Chairperson: Mike H.

Absent

Public Information:

Chairperson: Dave Y

No Report

RCM: Evelyn

No Report

Website:

Chairperson: Lisa

Updates this month include new flier postings. We welcome George W. to our subcommittee.

Group Concerns:

No group concerns this month.

Open Forum:

John S. – Asked the status of the CAR Report. He was directed to the New England Regional web site on the front page

New Business:

Non- Money Motions:

None

Money Motions:

Request to allow the Spanish Group 1 to be given a starter kit as part of their restructuring. - 32 in favor
1 abstained

Request to allow the Spanish Group 2 to be given a Starter Kit as part of their restructuring – 21 in
favor 3 abstained

Old Business:

No Old Business

Voting for positions is below:

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| Chair | Noel D | congratulations |
| Vice Chair | Mike C | congratulations |
| Secretary | Paula B. | congratulations |
| Asst Secretary | Lisa L. | Nominated |
| Treasurer | Joe V. | congratulations |
| Asst Treasurer | Jay P. | congratulations |
| RCM | Evelyn D | congratulations. |
| Alt RCM | Mike H. | Nominated |
| Activities | Ari | Nominated |
| H&I | Andy R. | congratulations |
| Literature | Edwin S. | congratulations |
| Meeting Lists | Paul G. | congratulations |
| Narcathon | Lia U. | congratulations |
| PI | Dave Y | congratulations |
| Policy | Dave P. | congratulations |

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Grateful to Serve

Paula B.