

## **UNITY AREA OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**

09/15/24

Minutes by Chari Martinez

Called the meeting to order with a moment of silence, reading of the Service Prayer, read 12 Traditions of NA, 12 Concepts of NA Service, and Definition & Purpose of Area Service Committee.

**QUORUM CALL** : Arnold, Courtney, Saeed, Jessica, Doug

### **ROLL CALL**

#### **ADMIN COMMITTEE**

Chair- Ashley D.- Present

Vice Chair- Mel - present

Treasurer- Chad M. -Present

Vice Treasurer- Scott R. -absent

Secretary- Chari M.- present

#### **SUBCOMMITTEES**

Hospitals & Institutions- Greg- present

Public Relations- Michelle K – absent

Literature- Christine. -present

Activities and Fundraisers- Jessica A.-present

Area Service Rep- Robbie-present

#### **GSRs AND ALTERNATES**

Conscious Contact- vacant

First Step Group- Saeed- present

Flying High- Doug-present

Hardcore- Courtney -present

High Noon- Irene-absent

Keep Your Chair & Share- vacant

SNRP- Johnny -absent

Survivor's Group- Sean A. -present

It Works- Arnold - present

Awaken Spiritually- absent

Just for Today- Ashley B - present

Living Clean- absent

Out of Dark, Into Light- Sabrina A. -absent

Stairway to Life- vacant

Freedom Friday- Emily-absent

Honest Sharing- Kevin-absent

Any Addict- Austin-absent

Bayou Blue Serenity Group - vacant

**SECRETARY'S REPORT** - minutes on table, motion was made to waive reading of minutes.

**OPENING TREASURER REPORT-** Opening balance of \$7,304.50

**GSR REPORTS**

**First Step Group-** Saeed - See attached report

**Hardcore-** Courtney- see attached report

**Flying High-**Doug- see attached report

**It Works -** Arnold - see attached report

**Just for Today -** Jessica - see attached report

**ASR REPORT-** Robbie G. The only thing that changed was the dates of the next meeting. It will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Weekend in October. The next Regions is in Shreveport. The Saturday is the Subcommittee reports and would like the subcommittee chairs to join on zoom to allow him to drive up on Saturday.

**SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Hospitals & Institutions-** Greg- present- see attached report- H&I subcommittee meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 7pm at 6017 Camphor St. Metairie.

**Public Relations-** Michelle K. absent (Robbie G) Trying to get people involved in the PR so that the signs can be distributed. There aren't enough call line people to be able to put out the sign. I will talk to Michelle K about helping with it.

**Literature-** Christine/ Vice - Emily– absent Christine resigning her position, seeking new Literature Chair Vice Chair Mel stepping up to help. Christine turned the keys over the Ashley D

**A&F-** Jess A- See attached report. Amy from Region made an apology for the mishap of the Halloween party being on the same day as the Gumbo Cook-off. Make sure your groups know about this.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Motion was made by Chari M to record the area meeting to transcribe then delete. 6 yes, 0 no Motion passed

Greg made a motion to use the extra \$40 from the pizza to purchase extra literature. 5 yes, 1 abstain. Motion passed

GSRs need to talk to their groups about participating in the Pre-Christmas Night of Fun  
Baton Rouge will host the next Louisiana Regional Convention in 2025.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Literature chair resigned so we need the GSRs to bring it back to the Home Groups that we need a new Chair asap

We have a lot of activities coming up and we need some people to help if they are willing and

able to serve. We are looking for a building to hold the Pre-Christmas night of fun. Asking Alvin about the Pre-Christmas night of fun. Talked about the place needing a functional kitchen.

**NEXT AREA MEETING WILL BE ON OCTOBER 20, 2024**

**TREASURER'S CLOSING REPORT** See report. Closing balance is \$6,814.88

Saeed lent us 16 meeting lists because the meeting lists are still with Chad. They will be picked up this week and returned to Saeed.

**MOTION TO CLOSE**

Courtney made a motion to close, 2nd by Jessica

Closed with a moment of silence and the Serenity Prayer.

**Next AREA meeting will be on OCTOBER 20TH, 2024**

**Please bring to your groups the need for a Literature Chair and also for volunteers to help with the Pre-Christmas Night of Fun.**