

ALMOST HEAVEN AREA

8 January 2022 ASC

Virtual Meeting

Meeting was opened at 1:30 pm with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. The 12 Traditions was read by Joseph H, The 12 Concepts was read by Kurtz. and The Purpose was read by Don V.

Roll Call

Addicts Welcome:	P	A
End of the Road:	P	P
Foundations Group:	A	P
Hope & Gratitude:	P	A
It's a Brand New Day:	P	P
Keep it Simple:	A	P
Miracles do Happen:	A	A
Never Alone Never Again:	A	A
New Hope:	P	P
New Image:	P	P
Not High at Noon:	P	P
Start to Live:	P	P
Surrender to Win:	P	P
To Tell the Truth:	A	A
We Believe in Miracles:	A	A

Trusted Servants

Chair:	P	O
Vice-Chair:	P	P
Secretary:	P	P
Treasurer:	P	P
RCM:	O	O
RCM-Alt:	O	O
VRCC:	O	O
Convention:	O	O
Literature:	P	P
Policy:	O	O

Quorum was met with 9 GSR's present

Secretaries Report

Minutes were approved as read.

ILS,

Secretary Area

Vice Chairs Report

[New Business]

**ALMOST HEAVEN AREA
MOTION FORM**

Date: 1/3/2022

Motion Maker: Traci G. Second:

MOTION: Establish payment for Zoom channel within the "rent" line item.

INTENT: We are self-supporting. The Area has not been meeting in person. This money is available. The Area and the subcommittees have been meeting on Zoom. Therefore, it makes sense to pay for the Zoom channel out of the Area budget.

[New Business] I would be interested to learn if there are any assisted living (for the elderly or disabled) facilities (anything from a rehab where people stay a couple weeks to end of life care) Many of these places have computers with internet access. Addicts in these facilities are unable to make it to face-to face meetings and many suffer from loneliness. It would be beneficial if PR could do a presentation to the facilities manager to inform them about NA and Zoom access to meetings.

[New Business] I am also interested in any social media in which you participate as individual NA members or as a homegroup. Do you use social media to announce home group events like anniversaries? Do you use an app to contact suffering addicts? Have you had success contacting newcomers through apps?

H&I facilities are reopening. The LSU needs an H&I Chair and committee members.

I have not had any expenditures or income. I will review the Area's yearly budget, current monthly expenditures, income, year-to-date expenditures, and current monthly balance and report in January.

Reminders:

1. During all sub-committee/LSU meetings minutes are recorded [of discussions and decisions of that sub-committee/LSU meeting]
2. The minutes are (e)mailed to the sub-committee & ASC vice-chair fifteen (15) days prior to the next scheduled meeting.
3. The next scheduled PR Task Group meets January 17 @ 6:30 p.m. (Would those interested please add this to your personal calendar)

4. The next scheduled Local Service Unit meets January 24 @ 6:00 p.m. (please actively announce this in your homegroups)
5. All sub-committees/LSU will submit an itemized annual budget proposal

Home Group Reports

Home Group: **Addicts Welcome**

GSR Representative: Dan D.

Date and Time of Meeting: Mondays @ 7:30 pm

Average Number of attendees: 8

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 4-5

Total number of Newcomers: 0

Does your home group have any needs or concerns or problems at this time? No

Upcoming Home Group Events: No

Are there any home group positions vacant? No

Group Donation: \$51

Home Group: **End of the Road**

GSR Representative: Cedric W.

Date and Time of Meeting: Tuesdays 7pm to 815pm, Sundays 3pm to 430pm

Average Number of attendees: 15-20

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 3-5

Total number of Newcomers: 0

Does your home group have any needs or concerns or problems at this time? Yes. We need support.

Upcoming Home Group Events: None.

Are there any home group positions vacant? GSR Alt

Group Donation: \$0

Home Group: **Foundations**

No report sent.

Home Group: **It's a Brand New Day**

GSR Representative: Sherry R.

Date and Time of Meeting: Wednesday @ 7:30pm-8:30pm

Average Number of attendees: 8

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 6

Total number of Newcomers: 4

Does your home group have any needs or concerns or problems at this time? No

Upcoming Home Group Events: None

Are there any home group positions vacant? No

Group Donation: \$0

Home Group: **New hope**

No report sent.

Home Group: **New Image**

GSR Representative: Jocelyn H.

Date and Time of Meeting: Saturdays @ 7pm- 8:15pm literature meeting

Average Number of attendees: 22

Number of Home Group members in attendance:6

Total number of Newcomers: 8

Does your home group have any needs or concerns or problems at this time? No.

Upcoming Home Group Events: None

Are there any home group positions vacant? No

Group Donation: \$0

Home group: **Not High at Noon**

No report sent.

Home group: **Start to Live**

GSR Representative: Kurtz

Date and Time of Meeting: Fridays 8:15-9:15 (Currently a hybrid)

Average Number of attendees: 6-7

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 6

Total number of Newcomers: 0

Does your home group have any needs or concerns or problems at this time? No.

Upcoming Home Group Events: None

Are there any home group positions vacant? No

Group Donation: \$0

Home Group: **Surrender to Win**

No report sent.

Meetings Not In Attendance for Previous 2 Months:

Miracles Do Happen (still meeting), Never Alone Never Again (is actively looking for a meeting place), To

Tell the Truth (still meeting) and We Believe in Miracles (still meeting)

Literature Report

For October 2nd, 2021:

Beginning Balance \$ 615.13

Literature Deposit \$ 169.71

Balance	\$ 784.84
Literature Ordered	\$ 0
Current Balance	\$ 784.84

In Loving Service
Ronnie W.

LSU Report

Vice chair didn't send a report, PR Task Group sent this report directly to me:

**Agenda/Report from December 27, 2021
PR Task group & Special Events
January 2022 ASC**

Update of Tasks:

We are happy to announce we had a our in person meeting on the 3rd Monday of this month and will continue to meet in person on the 3rd Monday of each month at 6:00 pm. Please visit our website @ <https://almostheavenareana.org>: there are many resources there and a link to the PR Task Group zoom. Please also send meeting updates to ahana-pr@outlook.com.

Weno community actives in the month of November. We were able to get the new meeting list to most of the Homegroup, with the rest we attempted to reached out to some of the GSR but have not heard back from them yet.

We were able to get the literature packets to the Nurse at City Hospital and have followed up with her to see if there was a need for more handouts for potential members they see in the ER. Unfortunately she has resigned from the Hospital but is willing to give us a new contact person.

We had member willing to take meeting list to places that offer services to potential member.

Please reach out to us if you know of events, health fairs or other events that we may be able to attend. Maybe your place of employment host events and we could reach out to them through Public Relations. Potential members can't find us if they don't know we exist or where we are.

Our next meeting will be January 17, 2022 @ 6:00 pm
549 West Queen Street, Back of Church, 2nd Parking lot in the basement
Please help carry our message into the community so that no addict seeking recovery need die!

ILS
Almost Heaven Area
Public Relations Task Group
Narcotics Anonymous

Special Event
Report for December 27, 2021 LSU

Special events met on December 14 to finalize the Almost Heaven New Years Eve Dance and First meeting of the New Year. As of December 26 we have spent the following

Facility Fee	\$100.00.	Budgeted.	\$100
Food Sam's	\$62.94		
Party City	\$47.39		\$200
Fliers and Tickets	\$30.00		\$30
Janitor	\$50.00		\$50
Decorations	\$41.29		\$50
DJ	\$300		\$300
Raffle Item	\$25		\$25
Misc			(\$85)
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Spent 12/27/21	\$656.62		\$840 under by \$183.38 as of

Policy Report

Policy Report for December 4 – January 8

The policy subcommittee did not meet last month because there were no tasks to complete. We will meet next month if something is presented at Area.

ILS - Kurtz

Old Business

Area:

Sherry V. suggested checking in with groups on possibly having the ASC meeting face to face.

Ron S. brought up the fact that Admin should have a vote on ASC meeting face to face since it will be involving them as well. **GSRs agreed 8-0**

Motion by Jenn D. to approve the budget for 2022. Seconded by Sherry V.

Intent- to be able to pay upcoming bills for the area. Taken back to homegroups for a vote

Motion by Don V. to extend 2021's budget. Seconded by Sherry R..

Intent- In order to get bills paid for the month of January. **PASSED 8-1-0**

Trusted Servant Elections and Nominations

Area:

Chair: Open (Thaddeus M. nominated)

Don V. made a motion to close all nominations for Chair. Seconded by Sherry V.

Passed 8-0-0

RCM: Open

RCM Alt: Open

Policy Chair: Open (Kurtz reporting)

VRCC: Open

Convention Chair: Open

Region:

Treasurer: Open (Brain C. Pro-Tem)

Vice Treasurer: Open (open since 173rd)

Speaker Jam: Open

Announcements

- ★ 1/8: Jocelyn H. celebrates 5 years @ New Image
- ★ 1/9: H&I orientation will be held at Foundations @ 2pm
1020 Winchester Ave Martinsburg, WV
- ★ 1/14: Joy F. celebrates 33 years @ Hope & Gratitude
- ★ 1/15: 39th AVCNA Host Committee meets @ 4pm (hybrid)
Zoom ID: 836 7058 2891 Pw: 194789 or
Braddock Street United Methodist Church in Winchester, VA
- ★ 1/17: AHA Public Relations Task Group meets @ 6:30 pm (in person)
Otterbein Methodist Church, back of the Church, 2nd parking lot in the basement
- ★ 1/19: Lorenzo J. celebrates 3 years @ Keep it Simple
- ★ 1/21-1/23: 39th AVCNA Regional Convention meets in Harrisonburg, VA
- ★ 1/24: AHA LSU Subcommittee meets @ 6pm
Zoom ID: 849 2497 8455
- ★ 1/28: Meghan C. celebrates 7 years @ Hope & Gratitude
- ★ 1/31: Shawn C. celebrates 19 years @ Addicts Welcome
- ★ 2/6: Nate M. celebrates 3 years @ Foundations
- ★ 2/14: Jenn D. celebrates 34 years @ Addicts Welcome
- ★ 2/26: Barbara C. celebrates 32 years @ Not High at Noon

Treasury Report

Included in email

Plans for Next ASC

Next Area Service will be held on February 5th, 2022 @ 1:30pm on zoom id: 87442021367

Attendance

Sherron C. sherron11chat@aol.com GSR- Surrender to Win
Jenn D. jniferd43@gmail.com Treasurer Area
Traci G. tmguynup@hotmail.com Vice Chair Area
Jocelyn H. jradams243@gmail.com GSR Alt- New Image
Joseph H. joseph448ph@gmail.com GSR- Not High at Noon
Justin H.
Thaddeus M. thaddeusm15@gmail.com GSR Alt- Foundations
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