

ALMOST HEAVEN AREA

5 February 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 Sherry R. and The Purpose was read.

Roll Call

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

Trusted Servants

Chair:	O	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 8 GSR's present

Secretaries Report

Motion to approve the minutes as amended was made by Dora R. and seconded by Kurtz. **Pass 8-0-0**

ILS,

Secretary Area

Vice Chairs Report

The report that was sent to me by the vice chair was not the report that was given at ASC. Therefore according to policy it will not be redacted in the minutes.

Home Group Reports

Home Group: **Addicts Welcome**

GSR Representative: Shawn C.

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

Average Number of attendees: 10

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 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: Jenn D. celebrates 34 years on 2/14/22

Are there any home group positions vacant? No

Group Donation: \$22.60

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: 15-18

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 5

Total number of Newcomers: 6

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

Upcoming Home Group Events: Cedric W. celebrates 16 years on 2/13/22.

Are there any home group positions vacant? GSR Alt

Group Donation: \$80

Home Group: **Hope & Gratitude**

GSR Representative: David W.

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

Average Number of attendees: 25

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 8

Total number of Newcomers: 5

Does your home group have any needs or concerns or problems at this time? In response to the Vice Chairs questions based on the minutes from January Area. This is an anonymous program, what individual people do outside of the meeting is their choice as long as it does not break traditions. We believe that as a homegroup in this Areas, H&I and PR has done a good job of reaching out to addicts. We suggest that the Vice Chair

look at tradition 4 and if you have any questions, please come to our next group conscious the Friday before any Area meet.

Upcoming Home Group Events: None

Are there any home group positions vacant? GSR Alt

Group Donation: \$44.35

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: 13

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 9

Total number of Newcomers: 3

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

Upcoming Home Group Events: Corbin L. celebrates 1 year on 3/16/22

Are there any home group positions vacant? No

Group Donation: \$30

Home Group: **Keep it Simple**

GSR Representative: Anthony K.

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

Average Number of attendees: 27

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 6

Total number of Newcomers: 11

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

Upcoming Home Group Events: Monique W. celebrates 3 years on 3/30/22

Are there any home group positions vacant? No

Group Donation: \$0

Home Group: **New hope**

GSR Representative: Dora R.

Date and Time of Meeting: Tuesdays @ 7pm (hybrid meeting)

Average Number of attendees: 4-6 (virtually) 4 (face to face)

Number of Home Group members in attendance: 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: None

Are there any home group positions vacant? No

Group Donation: \$10

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

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: \$10

Meetings Not In Attendance for Previous 2 Months:

Miracles Do Happen (still meeting), Never Alone Never Again (still meeting), To Tell the Truth (still meeting) and We Believe in Miracles (still meeting)

VRCC Report

The 39th AVCNA regional convention was a success with over 400 attendees. Passed the baton on to the 40th.

ILS,

Vice Chair of Host committee

Literature Report

For February 5th, 2022:

Beginning Balance	\$ 784.84
Literature Deposit	\$ 85.79
Balance	\$ 870.63
Literature Ordered	\$ 0
Current Balance	\$ 870.63

In Loving Service

Ronnie W.

LSU Report

Almost Heaven Area Local Service Unit was held on 1/17/22:

Traci G., Dave W., Sherry V. present

Dave W. gave PR & Special Events reports.

H&I Mountaineer was meeting but has now cancelled people coming from the outside.

I have created 3 fillable forms to post on the website, when I am granted access.

Motionform.pdf
GSR_ReportDRAFT.PDF
Subcommitteereportdraft.pdf

**Agenda/Report from January 17, 2022
PR Task group & Special Events
February 2022 ASC
Revised**

Update of Tasks:

We met on January 17, 2022 and will continue to meet on the 3rd Monday of the 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.

We had no events to attend in the community this past month, December.

We are working with a student from Western Governors University that is looking at how the pandemic impacted recovery resources. We see this as an opportunity to collaborate with a University to allow potential members to know where meetings are and how to access them during the pandemic and in the future.

We are hoping that as the number of covid cases go down there will be more opportunities to do outreach. If you know of events, health fairs or other events that we may be able to attend, please let us know. Potential members can't find us if they don't know we exist or where we are.

Our next meeting will be February 21, 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

ILS,
Traci G.
Vice-Chair
Almost Heaven Area

Policy Report

Policy Report for January 8 – February 5

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. **PASSED 8-1-0**

New Business

Area:

1. Motion Maker: New Hope Group Seconded by: Kurtz

Motion: Clarify Existing Policy

Motion: That the Chair or Vice Chair acting as chair cannot make motions.

Intent: To clarify existing policy for Vice Chair under

QUALIFICATIONS, DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR SERVICE POSITIONS

d. Is fair and impartial.

e. Refrains from discussing or expressing a personal opinion of a motion when presiding.

2. Motion Maker: Traci G. Seconded by: Cedric W.

Motion: Cancel Almost Heaven Area Inmotion account.

Intent: The area is currently paying \$299.76 for duplicate services. Both Inmotion and Godaddy offer the same services. It is redundant to pay for both accounts. The Inmotion account may have been necessary when the area initially created the website, but all we need is hosting now. I would recommend we cancel Inmotion and request a refund.

*(There was quorum when the motion was seconded. However during the discussion we lost the quorum so it could not be voted on.)

Trusted Servant Elections and Nominations

Area:

Chair: Open (Thaddeus M. removed his name from the nomination)

Secretary: Open for nominations

RCM: Open

RCM Alt: Open

Policy Chair: Open (Kurtz reporting)

VRCC: Open

Convention Chair: Open (Thaddeus M. nominated)

Qualifications for Thaddeus M.:

-Chair of Area

Vice Chair

-Chair of Several sub committees

-Area Convention Chair & Vice Chair

- Several sub- committee Chairs

-Regional Convention Vice Chair

-Several sub - committee Chairs

-Vice Treasurer

Region:

Treasurer: Open (Brain C. Pro-Tem)

Vice Treasurer: Open (open since 173rd)

Speaker Jam: Open

Announcements

- ★ 2/13: Cedric W. celebrates 16 years @ End of the Road
- ★ 2/14: Jenn D. celebrates 34 years @ Addicts Welcome
- ★ 2:20: CAT & CAR Workshop 2022 @ 2pm-4pm on zoom
Zoom ID: 825 4538 1039
- ★ 2/21: AHA Public Relations Task Group meets @ 6:00 pm (in person)
Otterbein Methodist Church, back of the Church, 2nd parking lot in the basement
- ★ 2/26: Barbara C. celebrates 32 years @ Not High at Noon
- ★ 2/28: AHA LSU Subcommittee meets @ 6pm
Zoom ID: 849 2497 8455
- ★ 3/6: Nate M. celebrates 3 years @ Foundations
- ★ 3/16: Corbin L. celebrates 1 year @ It's A Brand New Day

★ 3/30: Monique W. celebrates 3 years @ Keep it Simple

Treasury Report

Included in email

Plans for Next ASC

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

Attendance

Shawn C. shaw NYC1969@yahoo.com	GSR- Addicts Welcome
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Jenn D. jnifer d43@gmail.com	Treasurer Area
Traci G. tmguynup@hotmail.com	Vice Chair Area
Joseph H. joseph448ph@gmail.com	GSR- Not High at Noon
Anthony K. asandking2@gmail.com	GSR- Keep it Simple
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David W. dWASHINGTON365@hotmail.com	GSR- Hope & Gratitude
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Secretary AHA