

Almost Heaven Area

2022 June 4

Meeting was opened with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer. The 12 Traditions were read by Larue N. The 12 Concepts were read by Sherry R. and the Purpose was read by Misty M.

Roll Call:

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

Trusted Servants:

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

Quorum was met with 10 GSR'S present.

Review of groups not in attendance for previous 2 months:

Foundations – still meeting
Never Alone Never Again – still meeting
New Image – still meeting
Surrender to Win – still meeting
We Believe in Miracles – decision to remove from quorum and all area meeting lists

Secretary's Report:

Old Business: There was no old business to discuss.
New Business: There are 2 motions to vote on.
Washington Cty Detention Center is now open for H&I.

Motion to approve minutes as read was It's a Brand New Day - Sherry R. and seconded by End of the Road - Cedric W.
- Passes unanimously

Chair's Report: Sherry V. – New Hope

Everything is great! Hope we have a good day!

Vice Chair's Report: No report.

Home Group Reports:

Addicts Welcome:

GSR Rep: Shawn C.
Date & Time of Meeting: Monday from 7:30-8:30pm
Average Number of Attendees: 8-10
Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 5
Total Number of Newcomers: 1
Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns at this time? No
Upcoming Homegroup Events: None
Are there any homegroup positions vacant? No
Group Donation = \$34

End of the Road:

GSR Rep: Cedric W.

Date & Time of Meeting: Tuesday from 7-8:15pm & Sunday from 3-4:30pm

Average Number of Attendees: 15-20

Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 4

Total Number of Newcomers: 5

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? Yes, need support

Upcoming Homegroup Events: Gordan R celebrates 22 yrs on 6/5; Rachel G. celebrates 19 yrs on 6/12; there is a speaker jam and dance on 6/11 from 12pm-11pm at Parkside Community Center, 416 Sumans Ave, Hagerstown. MD

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? Yes, Alt. GSR

Group Donation = \$0

Hope & Gratitude:

GSR Rep: John C.

Date & Time of Meeting: Monday & Friday from 7-8:15pm

Average Number of Attendees: 45

Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 6

Total Number of Newcomers: 9

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? No

Upcoming Homegroup Events: None

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? No

Group Donation = \$125.74

It's A Brand New Day:

GSR Rep: Sherry R.

Date & Time of meeting: Wednesday from 7:30-8:30pm

Average Number of Attendees: 16

Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 7

Total Number of Newcomers: 5

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? No

Upcoming Homegroup Events: Donna W. celebrates 3 yrs. on 6/8; Sherry R. celebrates 22 yrs. on 8/10

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? No

Group Donation = \$62

Keep It Simple

GSR Rep: Larue N.

Date & Time of Meeting: Wednesday from 7:30-8:30pm

Average Number of Attendees: 35

Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 7

Total Number of Newcomers: 11

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? No

Upcoming Homegroup Events: Vernon S. celebrates 23 yrs on 6/8; Jerome T. celebrates 14 yrs on 6/15

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? No

Group Donation = \$15

Miracles Do Happen:

GSR Rep: Bob S. – Alt. GSR

Date & Time of Meeting: Sunday from 6-7pm (F2F); Wednesday from 6-7pm (literature meeting/virtual only)

Average Number of Attendees: 12-17

Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 12

Total Number of Newcomers: 12

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? Yes, need support.

Upcoming Homegroup Events: Meagan S. celebrates 4 yrs. on 7/3; Josh L. celebrates 24 yrs on 6/26

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? No

Group Donation = \$0

New Hope:

GSR Rep: Dora R.

Date & Time of Meeting: Tuesday from 7-8pm (hybrid)

Average Number of Attendees: 8-11

Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 5

Total Number of Newcomers: 2

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? No

Upcoming Homegroup Events: Michelle celebrates 1 yr on 6/14

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? No

Group Donation = \$10 via paypal

Not High At Noon:

GSR Rep: Joseph H.

Date & Time of Meeting: Monday & Wednesday-Saturday from 12-1:15pm

Average Number of Attendees: 7

Number of Homegroup Member in Attendance: 3

Total Number of Newcomers: 4

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? Yes, need support.

Upcoming Homegroup Events: Gordon ? celebrates 22 years on 7/5

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? Yes

Group Donation = \$0

Start To Live:

GSR Rep: Erick C./Kurtz W.

Date & Time of Meeting: Friday from 8:15-9:15 (hybrid)

Average Number of Attendees: 15

Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 5

Total Number of Newcomers: 2

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? No

Upcoming Homegroup Events: Erick C. celebrates 5 yrs on 6/24; Priscilla C. celebrates 7 yrs on 7/29

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? No

Group Donation = \$20

To Tell the Truth:

GSR Rep: Jason S. – pro-tem

Date & Time of Meeting: Saturday from 10-11am

Average Number of Attendees: 12-16

Number of Homegroup Members in Attendance: 9

Total Number of Newcomers: 3

Does your homegroup have any needs or concerns? No

Upcoming Homegroup Events: None

Are there any homegroup positions vacant? GSR

Group Donation = \$20

RCM Report: No report. Sherron C., pro-tem, absent.

RCM Alt. Report: No report.

VRCC Rep. Report: No report. Position open.

Service Reports:

Convention Report: No report.

Literature Report:

June 4, 2022

Beginning Balance.	\$808.70
Literature Deposit.	\$178.13
Balance	\$986.83
Literature Ordered.	\$0
Expenses.	\$0
Current Balance	\$986.83

In loving service: Ronnie W.

Policy Report: May 7 – June 4

The policy subcommittee met on Thursday, May 12, at 7:30 pm online. There were four members in attendance. We discussed the motion that went back to homegroups. We will meet Thursday, June 9 at 7:30 pm online. All are welcome to attend.

ILS – Kurtz

PR Task Group: David W. – representative

Any information about any sub-committees not meeting in regular attendance needs to send an email to AHA PR email.

H&I: Sherry V. – representative

LSU:

Area:

Old Business:

1. Motion 5-22-1: Increase ASC rent in budget from \$144.00 to \$180.00 per year.
Vote: Abstention: 5
Yes: 5
No: 0
Open for discussion due to policy guidelines on voting. Will be sent back to homegroups for vote.
2. Motion 5-22-2: Update policy wording from “donation” to “7th Tradition Contribution(s)”.
Vote: Abstentions: 5
Open for discussion. Will be sent back to homegroups for vote.

Break

Serenity Prayer

2nd Roll Call: Quorum was met.

Trusted Servants Nominations and Elections:

Area:

Chair: Sherry V. – New Hope - unanimous yes

Vice Chair: no nominations

Policy Chair: Cedric W. – End of the Road - unanimous yes

Treasurer Pro Tem: Jenn D. – Addicts Welcome

Nominations closed: Don V, Start to Live, motions; Erick C, Start to Live,
2nd

Secretary: Misty M.-New Hope - nominated by New Hope GSR, Dora R.

Appointed as pro tem.

Qualifications:

My clean date is March 24, 2021. I have a NA sponsor who has a sponsor. I am actively working the 12 steps and have knowledge of the 12 Traditions and a little knowledge of the 12 Concepts. I am an active member of my homegroup and have served as GSR Alternate. I am willing to take on this service position and will complete my commitment to ASC. – ILS – Misty M.

RCM Pro Tem: Sherron R. – Surrender to Win

RCM Alt: Dora R., New Hope, nominated by New Hope GSR, Dora R. Erick C,
Start To Live, 2nd

No other nominations.

Appointed as pro tem.

Qualifications:

My clean date is December 30, 2009. I have a NA sponsor who has a sponsor. I am actively working the steps and have knowledge of the 12 Traditions and some knowledge of the 12 Concepts. I am an active member of my homegroup, have served as GSR, GSR Alt, having served the area in the secretary position and special needs of the AVCNA providing ASL interpretation. I briefly held the Vice-Chair position of the area but was unable to complete my commitment term.

I do have the time and resources to serve as RCM-Alt and am willing to make the necessary time commitment to this position.

ILS,

Dora R.

Region:

- 1- Vice treasurer: Open (open since 173rd) {June 20,2015}
- 2- Treasurer: Open. Brian C (Pro-tem) {open since 201st RSC} {Dec 21, 2019}
- 3- Speaker Jam: Open {open since 203rd RSC} {June 20, 2020}
- 4- Vice Chair: Open {open since 209th RSC} {June 19, 2021}
- 5- H&I Chair: Open {open since 213th RSC} {Feb. 18,2022}
- 6- Policy Chair: Open {Open since 214th RSC} {April 17, 2022}

Treasurer Report and Budget Approval: Jenn D.

Consensus based decision to send money above prudent reserve region.

New Business:

Area:

No new business.

Region:

No new business. Will meet in June

Announcements:

- 6/11 – End of the Road Speaker Jam at Parkside Community Center, 416 Sumans Ave, Hagerstown, MD
- 6/12 – Rachel G. celebrates 19 yrs at End of the Road
- 6/18 – Jerome T. celebrates 14 yrs at Keep It Simple
- 6/24 – Erick C. celebrates 5 yrs at Start to Live
- 7/29 – Priscilla C. celebrates 7 yrs at Start to Live
- 7/3 – Meagan S celebrates 4 yrs at Miracles Do Happen
- 7/8 – April J celebrates 6 yrs at Hope & Gratitude
- 7/15 – Rob D. celebrates 5 yrs at Hope & Gratitude
- 6/20 – PR meets at Otterbein MC at 6pm
- 8/10 – Sherry R. celebrates 22 yrs at It's a Brand New Day
- 6/26 – Josh R. celebrates 24 yrs at Miracles Do Happen
- 6/14 – Entertainment Committee meets at 6pm via Zoom ID# 249-210-2185; Password – Blessed

Plans for Next ASC Meeting:

Next area service will be held on July 9th at 1:30pm at Immanuel's House, 713 Buxton St., Martinsburg, WV

Motion to Close Meeting: Hope & Gratitude; NHAN – 2nd

Serenity Prayer