



MEETING REPORT for OCTOBER 09, 2022

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MOTIONS/ NEW BUSINESS: BLANK MOTION FORMS are found at <https://goldcoastna.org/resources> and MUST be submitted to the ASC Secretary PRIOR to the start of new business. You may also email the motion to secretary@goldcoastna.org.

It is suggested that all motions relating to Area Policy be presented at this meeting or to the Policy Subcommittee prior to submission for ASC consideration. The POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE meets at 11:00 AM prior to the ASC meeting.

ASC ADMIN & NEW GSR ORIENTATION: ALL SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS meet with the ASC Vice Chair at 12 Noon prior to the Area Service Committee meeting.

If you are a NEW GSR or ALT GSR, you should meet with the Policy Subcommittee Chair at 12:30 PM prior to the Area Service Committee meeting.

USE ONLINE FORM FOR LITERATURE ORDERS: The direct link is <https://form.jotform.com/212648033288054> and orders are due by ASC. **NEXT LITERATURE PICKUP (SATURDAY AFTER ASC): SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (Serenity By the Sea)**

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS:

- **ONLINE:** Visit <https://goldcoastna.square.site/>
- **CASH DROP OFF:** Only during literature order pickup on the Saturday THE WEEK AFTER Area between 9:30 am and 11:00 am.

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REFERRED TO GROUPS FOR CONSIDERATION:

1 OPEN AREA TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR NOMINATIONS.

(Call for Nominations at June ASC. Nominations made at July ASC. Elections made at August ASC.)

3 OPEN GCCNA 30 (ASC-ELECTED) POSITIONS FOR NOMINATION.

(Call for Nominations at April ASC. Nominations made at May ASC. Elections made at June ASC.)

0 OPEN REGION TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR NOMINATION.

0 ASC TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.

0 GCCNA 30 (ASC-ELECTED) POSITIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.

0 REGION TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.

0 AREA MOTIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.

0 REGION MOTIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.

1 ASC AD HOC COMMITTEE OPEN (Area History) for members with White Key Tag.

GOLD COAST AREA SERVICE RULES OF ORDER

<u>MOTION</u>	<u>2nd REQ?</u>	<u>DEBATABLE?</u>	<u>AMENDABLE?</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
Main Motion	YES	2 PRO/2 CON	YES	MAJORITY
Amendment	YES	2 PRO/2 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Refer to Committee	YES	1 PRO/1 CON [2]	YES	MAJORITY
Refer to Groups	YES	1 PRO/1 CON [1]	YES	MAJORITY
Call the Vote	YES	1 PRO/1 CON [1]	NO	2/3
Table	YES	1 PRO/1 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Recess (Break)	YES	NO	NO	MAJORITY
Adjourn (Close)	YES	2 PRO/2 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Point of Order	NO	NO	NO	NONE
Appeal Chair's Decision	YES	1 PRO/1 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Suspend the Rules	YES	NO	YES	2/3
Point of Information	NO	NO	NO	NONE
Reconsider	YES	2 PRO/2 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Take From the Table	YES	1 PRO/1 CON	NO	MAJORITY

NOTES:

[1] IF PASSED, 2 PROS AND 2 CONS FOR INFORMATION ONLY ON THE MAIN MOTION.

[2] DEBATABLE ONLY IF MOTION TO BE AMENDED IS DEBATABLE.

[CLICK THIS LINK to go to GoldCoastNA.org Resources section FOR FURTHER DESCRIPTIONS.](#)

(Review Gold Coast Policy Manual "TABLE ASC-03: DESCRIPTION OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURES".)

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Gold Coast ASC Entity Acknowledgement

The BROWARD GOLD COAST SERVICE OF NA INC is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on February 17, 2020, effective February 10, 2012. The document number of this corporation is N20000001948. This entity was formed with the purpose of conducting the business of the Gold Coast Area, in supporting its members as designated by the Twelve Concepts for NA Service, and has no affiliation with Narcotics Anonymous. Narcotics Anonymous is not affiliated with any other organization or outside entity, including any venues, meeting facilities or event locations listed in this report. Any included names are listed for the purpose to provide a description or direction to location.



1. OPEN MEETING

- The ASC Chair opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer at 1:00 PM.

2. ASC READINGS

- THE TWELVE TRADITIONS of NA were read by Miguel
- THE TWELVE CONCEPTS of NA were read by Kiko P.
- THE DEFINITION of an ASC was read by Corey
- THE QUALIFICATIONS and RESPONSIBILITIES of a GSR and GSR ALTERNATE were read by Corey

3. OPEN FORUM

- *Public Relations- Please advise PR if your meeting has changed day, time, format, etc.*

4. ROLL CALL & GROUP REPORTS - TO DO

ASC TRUSTED SERVANTS	1ST	2ND	PHONE #
ASC Chair – Crister M.	x	x	770-545-2598
ASC Vice Chair – Rachel L.	x	x	754-308-8648
ASC Secretary – Bri J.	x	x	215-292-5750
ASC Asst. Secretary –	o	o	
ASC Treasurer – Taylor D.	x	x	918-813-9641
ASC Asst. Treasurer – Christina J	x	x	973-634-1159
RCM – Paul I.	x	x	954-913-8638
Alt. RCM – Pam C	a	a	954-907-6157
Activities – Kristy C.	x	x	954-881-1805
Activities Treasurer - Sammy L..	x	x	
Convention (GCCNA) – Susan H	a	a	954-867-6107

H&I – Tanya D.	x	x	754-551-0274
Literature Dist. – Phil N.	x	x	443-690-9681
Asst. Literature Dist. – Lisa M.	x	x	954-952-7131
Policy – Corey S.	x	x	301-923-5760
Public Relations – Kiko P.	x	x	754-245-6611

NOTE: A = Absent; 2 = Second Consecutive Absence; x = Present; and o = n/a or Open

##	AREA GROUPS	1ST	2ND	REPORT/NOTES
1	5:30 Group	X	X	
2	6 O' Clock Solutions	X	X	
3	Best Meeting Ever	X	X	
4	Came to Believe	X	X	
5	East Side Story	A	A	
6	Entirely Ready	A	A	
7	Freedom Ain't Free	X	X	
8	Freethinkers South	X	X	
9	Giving it Away @ 7	A	A	
10	G.O.D	A	A	
11	Journey for Discovery	X	X	
12	Ladies Brunch	X	X	
13	Las Olas Sunday Night	X	X	
14	Lost Dreams Awaken	X	X	
15	Monday Night Live	X	X	
16	More Will be Revealed	X	X	
17	New Path	X	A	

18	No Matter What	X	X
19	Noontime Recovery	A	A
20	Plantation Recovery	X	X
21	PM Recovery	A	A
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23	Rainbow Group	X	X
24	Room 4 Change	X	X
25	S.O.S.	X	X
26	STAR	X	X
27	Stayin Alive	A	A
28	Sunland Park	X	X
29	Sunday Serenity	X	X
30	Sunday Solutions	X	X
31	The Therapeutic Value	X	X
32	Together We Grow	2	2
33	Trust Us	X	X
34	The Wich Group	X	X
35	Women Do Recover	X	X
36	Women of Substance	A	X

NOTE: A = Absent; 2 = Second Consecutive Absence; C = Meeting Closed; and X = Present

ACTIVE ROSTER

- If a group did not attend two (2) consecutive ASC's, the group is removed from the Roll Call roster, per Policy.
- (3) GROUPS REMOVED FROM ACTIVE ROSTER AFTER SEPTEMBER ASC; Keep it Real; New Found Hope; Serenity at 7
- (2) GROUPS ADDED TO ACTIVE ROSTER AFTER SEPTEMBER ASC; Came to Believe; More will be Revealed

5. ESTABLISH QUORUM

- 26 of 37 groups were present for the 1st Roll Call. A simple majority of 19 groups present from the active roster was required to conduct business; as such, quorum was met.
- For total groups present, a majority vote requires 14 to pass and a 2/3 vote requires 17 to pass.

6. ACCEPT LAST MONTH'S MINUTES

- ASC CHAIR called for any corrections to the minutes -
 - NO CORRECTIONS SUBMITTED

MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>Public Relations</i>	<i>6 o'clock Solutions</i>
MOTION:	To Accept the Minutes		
ACTION:	MOTION PASSED		

7. OLD BUSINESS

RSC MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>SFRCNA BOD</i>	<i>South Broward</i>
POLICY CHANGE?	POLICY PAGE(S):	ADD/AMEND/DELETE:	LINE NUMBER(S):
YES			
MOTION (NUMBER):	08.22.01		

MOTION:

VI. B.O.D. RESPONSIBILITIES-CONTINUED

17. Will hire a bookkeeper in addition to the existing CFO and Host Committee Treasurer. The bookkeeper responsibilities and salary are listed as follows: on a quarterly basis using Quick Books the bookkeeper will:

- a. Enter and categorize checks, deposits and maintenance fees.
 - b. **CFO:** Reconcile both the BOD and Host Committee Accounts.
 - c. **CFO:** Prints quarterly reports to include profit and loss, balance sheets, and check register details.
 - d. **CFO:** Ensures that annual expenses are made on time for the PO Boxes, storage, business forms, etc.
 - e. **CFO:** Ensure that State and Federal taxes are prepared, declared and/or paid on time.
 - f. Additional duties to be added as necessary.
 - g. **The bookkeeper will be paid hourly. (3) Bids will be solicited based on duties to be performed. {? CHANGE TO CFO TAXES TO BE DONE BY OUTSIDE PERSON**
18. All members of the BOD and Host Committee shall have the available current Regional Policy and current SFRCNA host guidelines host guidelines at every meeting. All members of the BOD Admin shall have available Hotel/Venue contracts, Vendor Contracts, and current budget at every meeting.

VII. LIAISONS

- 1. The convention Board shall create the following liaison positions in order to set up direct lines of communication between the Host Committee and the Convention Board: Arts & Graphics, Auction, Convention Information, Entertainment, Hospitality, Hotel (**SFRC President-Remove**), Marathon, Merchandising, Programming, Registration and Serenity Keepers.
- 2. These liaison positions will be selected by the President. **REMOVE: of the Board from Board. members who should have had some experience on that respective committee.** These liaisons are responsible for lending their experience to the Host Subcommittee. The liaison does not have to attend meetings of the Host Subcommittee but rather uses frequent telephone contact to determine if there are any problems, situations, etc., that will need to be dealt with by the Board or by the Host Committee as a whole. These positions are intended to create direct links between the Board and the Host Committee

so that no one individual is responsible for handling all of the situations that always occur in the course of planning a convention.

~~3. REMOVE The liaison each month will prepare a report to the Board Vice President as to the status of the work being done by their particular Host Subcommittee.~~

VIII. BUDGETING AND FINANCIAL GUIDELINES POLICY

1. Preliminary budgets are prepared by the CFO of the SFRC Board and are submitted to the Host Committee for input. The Host Committee and the CFO will then work together so that the CFO can submit a budget to the BOD for final approval. This final budget will include Host Committee income and expenses as well as BOD expenses. The final budget will be voted on by the Board at its December meeting.
2. After the Board has approved the final budget, it will then be submitted to the RSC in December, for final approval no later than the February RSC. Once the budgets have been approved by the RSC, any requests for funds by the Host Committee that fall within the approved budget will automatically be paid by either the CFO or the Host Committee Treasurer, assuming funds are available. Any requests for funds that include the signing of any contracts must be submitted to the BOD in ample time for the Board to review the contract for any legal issues. Any requests by the Host Committee to go above any line item in the budget, or for any items which are not in the budget, must be approved by the BOD as a whole based upon the recommendation of the CFO.
3. Within three months after the convention, SFRC Inc. will turn over to the RSC all profits from the prior year's convention. The BOD will keep ~~\$20,000~~ **Motion to increase to \$30,000** seed money for the following convention.
4. The BOD will replenish the host committee bank account to a balance of \$1000 monthly or as needed per check request from the host treasurer. **Should be done by President and CFO notified.**

IX. RSC/BOD/HOST COMMITTEE COORDINATION

The following describes the decision-making process as it relates to all decisions regarding the annual convention:

1. All decisions of the Host Committee are subject to be overturned by the SFRC BOD and/or the RSC. All decisions of the SFRC BOD are subject to be overturned by the RSC. Therefore, the SFRC BOD must abide by all decisions of the RSC, and the Host Committee must abide by all decisions of the SFRC BOD and/or the RSC.
2. Care should be taken by the RSC and the SFRC BOD in exercising this capacity to overturn decisions. Unless the SFRC BOD and/or the RSC want to be stuck doing the day-to-day activities of putting on a convention, these bodies should try as best they can to leave the decision making to those who are specified in the rest of these guidelines. For example, the Entertainment Committee is responsible for selecting any bands to be used for dances at the convention. The Host Committee then approves this decision. Care should be taken by the SFRC BOD and/or the RSC in overturning this decision because they might not like the type of music that will be played, even though the SFRC BOD and/or the RSC have the right to do so.

3. Experience has shown that cooperation and mutual respect between the Host Committee, the SFRC BOD and the RSC helps to promote unity of purpose, and this unity helps to promote successful conventions.

X. SITE SELECTION

1. The site selection committee is comprised of three (3) to four (4) **Board-remove** members including the Board President, the Host Committee Vice Chair and **add Hotel Liaison**. The Board President presides over this committee.

2. This subcommittee should contact perspective hotels and collect information for comparison that leads to the selection of the convention site. Usually there is one hotel which stands out from the rest in terms of being easy to work with, offering good room rates, sufficient conference halls for large meetings, workshops and banquet rates.

3. Spending the time asking questions repeatedly during the negotiations keeps the convention from being overcharged. When negotiating the contract, have it put in writing that individuals are responsible for their sleeping rooms, that the committee is only responsible for the common Areas of the hotel such as the halls, pool Areas, lobby and meeting rooms. Also, that the Hotel will supply all in-house equipment at no cost, such as easels, pads, risers, podiums, microphones, etc. If you need anything that the hotel has to rent, the committee will pay for that.

4. Buffet meals are easier for the hotel staff to move people in and out quicker than normal restaurant food. Explain to the hotel that we eat a lot. Negotiate reasonable prices for those buffets, as that will determine how successful it will be. One suggestion is to have the buffet schedule integrated into the mealtime slots in the program. Try to let the room set-up to remain the same throughout the convention as much as possible. This way all the hotel will need to do is refresh the rooms during breaks.

6. REMOVE The option to hold a banquet will be voted on by the Board of Directors on a yearly basis

6. No rooms shall be accepted by any BOD member from the hotel (wording corrected) **on the master account or meals shall be accepted by any board member or host committee member with the exception of those members needing to be at the convention one day prior to or following the convention, to be determined by REMOVE the convention board in conjunction with the Host Committee.**

For: 8 Against: 0 Abstentions: 2

MOTION : To Go to Areas for a vote after policy wave is completed

OUTCOME: To AREAS

OUTCOME: ABSTAIN

8. ELECTIONS & NOMINATIONS

Nominations are brought back to the ASC in July. Elections are held in August. (GCCNA nominations are brought back to the ASC in May and elections are held in June.) Nominations for vacancies may be made during any month. All ASC elected officer nominees should be asked the following questions:

1. Have you read the policy for your position and committee, if applicable?
2. Are you aware of all responsibilities for the position per policy?

Additionally, all nominees for an area money handling position will be asked the following questions by the Policy Chair:

3. Are you currently employed?
4. Do you currently hold a bank account in your own name?
5. Have you ever misappropriated any funds since you got clean?

All nominees, even with only one nomination, must go back to the groups for a vote and brought back to the ASC for election. *Answers to questions will be submitted in the area minutes when nominees are referred to Groups. All nominees are required to attend the ASC for elections in August. If a nominee is not present for elections, his/her nomination will be withdrawn. Voting is done by a show of hands: positions with only one (1) nomination require 2/3 majority; positions with two (2) require only a majority; refer to policy for procedures for handling three (3) or more nominees for the same position.*

1 ASC POSITION OPEN FOR NOMINATION:

Email qualifications to secretary@goldcoastna.org

AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE - ASSISTANT SECRETARY	Money Handling?: No
<p><i>Nominated and elected by the ASC and serves as BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBER. Not a money handling position. Not a co-signer on the ASC bank account. 1) One (1) year clean time. 2) Works closely with the ASC Secretary. 3) General office or secretarial skills. 4) Has all the same responsibilities as the ASC Secretary. 5) Six months' prior involvement (any consecutive time period during their recovery) as a secretary to a group or an ASC Subcommittee. DUTIES: Assist the secretary. Two (2) year commitment for this position. The first is year spent becoming familiar with the job, as well as attending all ASC meetings. Shares all the responsibilities of the ASC Secretary in his/her absence. Will become the ASC Secretary in the second year by receiving a priority vote of confidence of a 2/3 majority of quorum. If not received, the Assistant Secretary can become a nominee for the position of ASC Secretary. Familiar with the Gold Coast Area Policy. Responsible for all duties and obligations outlined in the Bylaws and Articles of Incorporation for BROWARD GOLD COAST SERVICE OF NA INC.</i></p> <p>REF TO ASC POLICY MANUAL: https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/00%20GOLD%20COAST%20AREA%20POLICY%20MANUAL%2020200809.pdf</p>	

GCCNA 31 TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS OPEN FOR NOMINATION:

Email qualifications to secretary@goldcoastna.org

GOLD COAST CONVENTION ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE	Money Handling?: variable
<p><i>A. PURPOSE The Administrative Committee holds separate, periodic and special committee meetings and carries out the will of the Convention Committee. Its function is to ensure that the various Subcommittees work together and to assist those Subcommittees, however it is not necessary for the Administrative Committee to involve itself directly in the specific workings of each Subcommittee. The members of the Administrative Committee discuss the performance of the Subcommittees as well as the overall budget and other matters which affect the convention. The results of these discussions are included in reports at Convention Committee meetings. The Administrative Committee drafts a schedule of meeting dates for the Convention Committee as soon as possible. This schedule is then approved by the Convention Committee and distributed to all members. It is advisable to choose a night on which meetings will be held and schedule all meetings on that night throughout the duration of the planning period. The Administrative Committee also makes regular reports to the ASC. Comments and suggestions from the ASC are included in the Chairperson's report.</i></p> <p>REF TO GCCNA POLICY MANUAL: https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/02%20CONVENTION%20%28GCCNA%29%20Subcommittee%20Policy%2020190812.pdf</p>	

GOLD COAST CONVENTION ENTERTAINMENT and FUNDRAISING SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON	Money Handling?: variable
<p><i>Nominated and elected by the ASC. • Five (5) years clean time. • Ability to exercise patience and tolerance. • Work closely with the rest of the Convention Committee to ensure that the subcommittee fulfills its purpose.</i></p> <p>REF TO GCCNA POLICY MANUAL: https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/02%20CONVENTION%20%28GCCNA%29%20Subcommittee%20Policy%2020190812.pdf</p>	

GOLD COAST CONVENTION ENTERTAINMENT and FUNDRAISING SUBCOMMITTEE TREASURER	Money Handling?: YES
<p><i>Nominated and elected by the ASC. • Five (5) years clean time. • One (1) year prior involvement with the Gold Coast Area Convention Committee. • Must attend all subcommittee and Convention Committee meetings and Convention Fundraisers. • Keep accurate records and receipts of all monies and running inventory of all goods. • Assist the fundraising chairperson in budgeting and funds. • Turn all funds to the Administrative Committee Treasurer within 24 hours.</i></p> <p>REF TO GCCNA POLICY MANUAL: https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/02%20CONVENTION%20%28GCCNA%29%20Subcommittee%20Policy%2020190812.pdf</p>	

Nominated and elected by the ASC. • Three (3) years clean time.

REF TO GCCNA POLICY MANUAL:

<https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/02%20CONVENTION%20%28GCCNA%29%20Subcommittee%20Policy%2020190812.pdf>

0 - RSC (REGION) TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS OPEN FOR NOMINATION

9. RCM REPORT - SUBMITTED BY Paul I.

RCM report: Oct 09-22

This past month (September) was an off cycle month (RSC meets every 2 months) so there is nothing new to report

I want to remind everyone that the CAR reports will be released soon.

SPAD is available for purchase

The Iran Region has agreed to meet with Representatives from NAWS to see if they can find a solution for our common welfare

As I mentioned in my oral report last month, the motion we (SFR/ Gold Coast second) made about reviewing NAWS expenditures (rent etc post COVID post zoom era) has been “tabled” pending a visit from NAWS to SFR - RSC (date not yet determined) to answer questions and provide us with results of any reviews they have done (if motion failed it couldn't be resubmitted for 2 or cycles i forget how many) so it can be resubmitted

Topics that will come up in CAR will be related to a possible 3 year cycle, revision of IP (the loner) , the fipt , “back to basics” step pamphlet

New Virtual Meetings Basics released; board approved. Can be found here: www.na.org/virtual

Surveys are still available for the in “The Loner” and MAT/DRT IP can be found here <https://www.na.org/?ID=projects&ID=projects>

ILS,
Paul I RCM Gold Coast

10. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

- **ACTIVITIES SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Kristy.**

Greetings from the Gold Coast Area Activities Subcommittee,

We meet the first and third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM in the little room of the Serenity by the Sea clubhouse. The subcommittee's last meeting was on October 4th. We meet again on October 18th.

Our next event is our annual Thanksgiving dinner which will be Thursday, November 24th at 1:00 at St. Sebastian Catholic Church in Fort Lauderdale. The flyer is attached in my report.

In loving service,
Kristy

- **ACTIVITIES SUBCOMMITTEE TREASURER REPORT SUBMITTED BY Sammy L.**

Good afternoon,

This month we didn't hold any activities, therefore have no money to donate to area.
I sent in a check request for \$75 made out to St Sebastian Catholic Church for the Thanksgiving venue for the \$24 room.

Thank you,
Sammy L.

- **CONVENTION (GCCNA) SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Susan H.**

Greetings from GCCNA XXXI

We have our first fundraiser next Sunday at BlackBox in Boca. Tickets are still available in person and online but are going fast! The doors open at 6:30pm, meeting is at 7pm and the show starts at 8pm. Look forward to seeing everyone there! Speaking of online- you can pre register on line for \$20.00. You can also reserve your room now. They will not charge your card until you check in for the convention.

We are still looking for a chair, vice chair and treasurer for Entertainment and Fundraising committee. This is an exciting committee to help the convention raise funds throughout the year and helps set events and activities during the convention. You need at least a year serving on a committee for any convention! Please announce at your homegroups.

Majority of committees are now up and running. They are looking for members to join and serve. We need your help with the convention- so we can carry the message of hope and freedom to the newcomer and oldtimer. Give back what was so freely given!

We meet this coming Tuesday night at 7pm at Sanctuary Church in Ft Lauderdale. Look forward to seeing some new faces!

Thank you for allowing me to serve your convention and this area.

ILS
Susan H

- **HOSPITALS & INSTITUTIONS SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Tanya D.**

Greetings from the Gold Coast Hospitals and Institutions subcommittee.

We meet the first Monday of the month at the Serenity by the Sea Clubhouse.

Our last meeting was Monday October 3rd with 25 voting members in attendance. 13 new members attended orientation.

The subcommittee currently brings meetings into 14 facilities. We currently have a waitlist with three facilities requesting more meetings and one facility that wants us to bring meetings back.

The jails are currently open and we have six open meeting slots for the women's facility at Paul Rein. I emailed all the women with master jail clearance and invited them to our next subcommittee meeting, so hopefully next month we will be able to fill those open meetings. BSO is holding once monthly orientation at the Ron Cochran public safety complex on Broward Boulevard in Fort Lauderdale. Anyone interested in attending orientation can contact me for the email address to RSVP.

GSRs please share with your home groups that we are in need of members to carry the message of Narcotics Anonymous into facilities where addicts can't get to a meeting. Our next subcommittee meeting is Monday, November 7th at the Serenity by the Sea clubhouse in Pompano Beach. Orientation is at 6 p.m. in the small room and the subcommittee meets at 7 p.m.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

ILS,
Tanya

- **INMATE STEP WRITING GUIDE AD HOC COMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Denise O.**

Greetings from the GOLD COAST Inmate Step Writing Guide Subcommittee,

We meet the second Monday of every month on Zoom

6:30-7:00pm is Orientation

7:00-8:00pm is our Subcommittee meeting

Meeting ID: 986 0753 7980

Password: ISWG

Requirements to become a Guide

Must go through orientation.

Must have at least 2 years of clean time.

Must be active in recovery.

Must have worked up to the 5th step in Narcotics Anonymous.

Must be willing to guide an incarcerated addict work the 12 steps through the mail.

We had 2 new members attend orientation in September. Welcome Bridgette and Adrienne!

We continue to be in need of Trusted Servants to Guide inmates through the 12 steps of NA.

We are currently corresponding with 25 inmates. We have 23 inmates that have been assigned a sponsor and are working steps. We have 2 inmates that have been sent – Welcome letter.

We are also in NEED of Trusted Servants to serve on the Subcommittee

OPEN POSITIONS : Co Chair, Orientation Chair

Attached find our updated flyer.

Questions?

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ILS,

Denise O

Secretary ISWG Subcommittee

Gold Coast Area of Narcotics Anonymous

- **LITERATURE DISTRIBUTION SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Phil N.**

FL Region Literature Order: \$7,414.86

Meeting lists Print Order: \$279.72

QR code cards: \$304.95

Flyers: \$4.55

Total spent: \$8,004.08

H&I (budgeted) Sold: \$725
Group Literature Sold: \$2,767
Individual Literature Sold: \$5
Total Literature sold: \$2,772

of Groups ordered: 33
of Individuals ordered: 2
Total Orders Filled: 35

Total Group Contributions: \$826
of Groups Contributions: 19

Card collected: \$924
Cash collected: \$2,070
Square fees: -\$25.01
Total Deposited: \$2,968.99

In loving service,
Phil N. & Lisa M.

- **POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Corey S.**

Greetings from PSC,

We met today at 11am. We had 5 members in attendance. We discussed IT separating from PR. More will be revealed with that. Other than that all is well at policy. We will meet next month, same bat time same bat channel. We will meet at 11am on Nov. 13 here on Zoom.

ILS,
Policy subcommittee

- **PUBLIC RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Kiko P.**

Greetings from the Public Relations subcommittee.

My name is Kiko, I'm an addict in recovery. I am grateful to serve this area as the public relations chair. We had six (06) voting members and one (01) non voting member in attendance at our last subcommittee meeting. Our last committee met on 09, 2022 at 7:30pm on the zoom conference platform. We had no new members joining the committee. If anybody would like to join our PR committee we would love to have you. We are still meeting via the zoom conference application. We are doing our best to continue conducting as much business as possible.

Ongoing Business:

- PR has a regularly scheduled zoom meeting and we meet once a month on the last Monday of each month at 7:30p.m.

Meeting ID: 828 1216 2900

Password: 474652

- That Together We Grow group of narcotics anonymous who some members are also of public relations in that are bringing back to life the PM pancakes event. A member of the group ask I will be going to the region to see if I could gather support from other

surrounding area's public relations subcommittees.

- We had a member drop QR code cards to drug court/ probation office in Lauderdale lakes
- An idea surfaced last committee to possibly add to the website links to the surrounding areas. intent: Is so that addicts that visit our website have an easier time of searching other surrounding areas websites for meetings that suit them.
- Two of our public relations subcommittee members met with the captain of the SIU special investigation unit at the Fort Lauderdale Police department and it was decided that the QR code cards would it be a better way of getting the message out via the police officers because of the sides of the card and the ease in which to give them out to potential addicts.
- We are still trying to see if we can get a narcotics anonymous IP (information pamphlet) rack into the lobby area somewhere at the police department somewhere

Meeting count:

- On our website <https://goldcoastna.org/> we currently have 112 active meetings, hosted by a total of 55 groups.

Helpline poster:

The Gold Coast Area helpline poster please download it and share

Closing:

- The Public Relations subcommittee is always looking for more PR and Helpline Volunteers. If you have some ideas and want to participate in the sub-committee we encourage you to come and check it out. All of our helpline shifts are currently covered but volunteers are always welcome! Any groups wanting to update their meeting info on the website and meeting list as well as post new events or flyers should contact webinfo@goldcoastna.org or pr@goldcoastna.org

Our next meeting is Monday November 28, 2022 at 7:30PM virtually on the zoom.us conference platform. We look forward to seeing you there! Thank you for allowing us to be of service

I will continue to do my best to serve the sub-committee and this area to the best of my abilities.

In loving service,
Kiko P.

11. RE-ESTABLISH QUORUM (2nd ROLL CALL):

- **27 of 37** groups were present for the 2nd Roll Call. The assembly met the previously established quorum of **19** groups present from the active roster prior to New Business and the order of business continued. New simple majority of **14** and $\frac{2}{3}$ majority of **18** were set based on the 2nd roll call.

12. NEW BUSINESS_

No new business

13. TREASURER'S REPORT

(See last page of meeting report)

October 09, 2022,

As of today, the bank balance is \$22,132.17. That is \$2,132.17 above prudent reserve. We do have one check pending for reimbursement of the storage unit in the amount of \$123.31. Expenses paid: Activities, Region, and Area in the total amount of \$18,491.86. I currently have check requests for Activities, and Area that will be written this month as well as an invoice with Florida Region for literature

that will be reflected on next months report.

For any other check requests, please email Treasurer@goldcoastna.org, or you can reach out to me directly by phone 918-813-9641.

Group donations can be made at literature distribution next Saturday, September 15th from 9:30-11am at Serenity by the Sea or through the link on the Gold Coast NA website via Square (located under the Service tab, 7 th Tradition)

In loving service,
Taylor D.

MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>Public Relations</i>	<i>Policy</i>
MOTION:	To Accept the Treasurer's Report		
ACTION:	MOTION PASSED		

14. ASC SECRETARY REVIEW OF DAY'S BUSINESS

[\(See page 3 of meeting report\)](#)

15. ESTABLISH NEXT MEETING TIME & PLACE

- 1:00 PM on Sunday, November 13, 2022

MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>SOS</i>	<i>Policy</i>
MOTION:	To Close the ASC Meeting		
ACTION:	MOTION PASSED		

16. MEETING CLOSED

- Laura L. closed the meeting with the Third Step Prayer at 2:14 PM.

SUPPORT YOUR AREA !!! GET INVOLVED !!!

Gold Coast ASC Entity Acknowledgement

The BROWARD GOLD COAST SERVICE OF NA INC is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on February 17, 2020, effective February 10, 2012. The document number of this corporation is N20000001948. This entity was formed with the purpose of conducting the business of the Gold Coast Area, in supporting its members as designated by the Twelve Concepts for NA Service, and has no affiliation with Narcotics Anonymous. Narcotics Anonymous is not affiliated with any other organization or outside entity, including any venues, meeting facilities or event locations listed in this report. Any included names are listed for the purpose to provide a description or direction to location.

ASC - Treasurer's Report
Date: October 09, 2022

Group Donations	Column1	Column1	Column2	Column3	Column4	Column5
5:30 Group	\$23.00					
A Brand New Midnight						
Afternoon Addicts			Receipt #			
Another Choice			Receipt #			
Architects of Adversity						
BME						
Beachside Serenity			Total:			
Breakfast Club						
By NA Means Necessary		Other Income		Committee		
Colours			Cash Deposited- Group lit and Donations:	\$3,986		
Early Morning Recovery	\$100.00		Square deposits:	\$899		
Eastside Story			Other deposit:	50		
Entirely Ready			Total:	\$4,935		
For Addicts Only						
Freethinkers South	\$10.00					
Freedom Ain't Free			Total Income:	\$4,935		
G.O.D.	\$50.00					
Hispanos Unidos						
Journey For Discovery		Expenses			Budget	
Ladies Brunch						
Las Olas Sunday Night		Check #	Payee	Committee	Line Item	Total
Lost Dreams Awaken		1148	Kristy C.	Activities		\$102.29
Mainliners		1149	Dale C.	Activities		\$40.55
Monday Night Live		1150	Tanya D.	Activities		\$359.68
More Will Be Revealed		1151	Taylor D.	Area		\$123.31
My Brother's Keeper		1152	Christopher M.	Area		\$11.52
My Sponsor's Asleep		1153	Christohper M.	Area		\$304.95
New Path		1154	Christopher M.	Area		\$49.00
No Matter What		1155	Christopher M.	Literature		\$950.04
Noontime Recovery	\$150.00	1156	Florida Region	Donation		\$10,000.00
Old School Recovery		1157	Florida Region	Literature		\$2,534.42
Plantation Recovery		1158	Florida Region	Literature		\$3,722.79
PM Recovery		1159	Extra Space Storage	Area		\$103.31
Progressive Recovery		5015	Serenity By The Sea	Area		\$190.00
Rainbow Group	\$154.00					
Recovery at Noon						\$18,491.86
Recovery in Progress						
Road Back Home						
Room for Change		Recap				
Road to Recovery			Previous balance from last month	\$35,679.03		
Saturday Night Live			Plus Income	\$4,935.00		
Serenity at 7			(Less Expenses)	\$18,491.86		
Seventh Heaven			Current Balance	\$22,132.17		
Six O'clock Solutions						
SOS						
Stayin Alive						
S.T.A.R.	\$45.00		Deduct Prudent Reserve	\$20,000.00		
Steps to Freedom						
Steps to Serenity			(Amount below prudent reserve)			
Sunday Solutions			or			
Sunday Serenity			Amount in excess of reserve	\$2,132.17		
Sunland Park						
The Feminine Principle						
The Message Meeting						
The Therapeutic Value						
The 9						
Together We Grow						
Trust Us						
Tuesday Night Steps						
Women of Substance						
Women Rockin' Recovery (V)						
Group Donations Total:	\$582.00					