

**GOLD COAST AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE** 

# **MEETING REPORT for DECEMBER 11, 2022**

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**<u>OPEN FORUM</u>**: Any member may address the Area Service Committee. You must email <u>secretary@goldcoastna.org</u> if you would like to have it included in the Meeting Report.

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

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 <u>https://form.jotform.com/212648033288054</u> and orders are due by ASC. NEXT LITERATURE PICKUP (SATURDAY AFTER ASC): SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2022 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (Serenity By the Sea)

## GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS:

- ONLINE: Visit <u>https://goldcoastna.square.site/</u>
- 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:**

 OPEN AREA TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR NOMINATIONS. (Call for Nominations at June ASC. Nominations made at July ASC. Elections made at August ASC.)
 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.
- **1** GCCNA 30 (ASC-ELECTED) POSITIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.
- 0 REGION TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.
- **1** AREA MOTIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.
- **1** REGION MOTIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.
- **1** ASC AD HOC COMMITTEE OPEN (Area History) for members with White Key Tag.

MOTION	2nd REQ?	DEBATABLE?	AMENDABLE?	<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.

<u>CLICK THIS LINK to go to GoldCoastNA.org Resources section FOR FURTHER DESCRIPTIONS.</u> (Review Gold Coast Policy Manual "TABLE ASC-03: DESCRIPTION OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURES".)

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## 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.



## 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 Pam
- THE TWELVE CONCEPTS of NA were read by Debbie
- 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

New GSR's please email your name, group name, and telephone number to secretary@goldcoastna.org

## 4. ROLL CALL & GROUP REPORTS - TO DO

ASC TRUSTED SERVANTS	1ST	2ND	PHONE #
ASC Chair – Crister M.	х	х	770-545-2598
ASC Vice Chair – Rachel L.	х	х	754-308-8648
ASC Secretary – Bri J.	х	х	215-292-5750
ASC Asst. Secretary –	0	0	
ASC Treasurer – Taylor D.	х	х	918-813-9641
ASC Asst. Treasurer – Christina J	x	х	973-634-1159
RCM – Paul I.	х	х	954-913-8638
Alt. RCM – Pam C	x	х	954-907-6157
Activities – Kristy C.	x	х	954-881-1805
Activities Treasurer - Sammy L	x	х	
Convention (GCCNA) – Susan H	x	х	954-867-6107
H&I – Tanya D.	х	х	754-551-0274
Literature Dist. – Phil N.	x	х	443-690-9681
Asst. Literature Dist. – Lisa M.	x	х	954-952-7131
Policy – Corey S.	х	х	301-923-5760

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754-245-6611

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

##	AREA GROUPS	1ST	2ND	REPORT/NOTE
1	5:30 Group	х	х	
2	5:30 Virtual	Х	Α	
3	6 O' Clock Solutions	Х	Х	
4	Best Meeting Ever	Α	х	
5	Came to Believe	X	х	
6	East Side Story	Α	Α	
7	Entirely Ready	Х	х	
8	Freedom Ain't Free	Х	Α	
9	Freethinkers South	X	х	
10	Giving it Away @ 7	Х	х	
11	G.O.D	Х	х	
12	Journey for Discovery	X	Α	
13	Ladies Brunch	Х	Α	
14	Las Olas Sunday Night	Х	х	
15	Lost Dreams Awaken	Х	х	
16	Monday Night Live	Α	Α	
17	More Will be Revealed	Α	Α	
18	New Found Hope	Α	Α	
19	New Path	Х	Х	
20	No Matter What	Α	х	
21	Noontime Recovery	Х	х	

22	Plantation Recovery	Х	X
23	PM Recovery	Х	X
24	Progressive Recovery	Х	X
25	Rainbow Group	х	x
26	Room 4 Change	Α	Α
27	S.O.S.	х	x
28	STAR	Х	x
29	Sunland Park	Х	x
30	Sunday Serenity	Х	X
31	Sunday Solutions	х	x
32	The Therapeutic Value	х	x
33	Together We Grow	Х	Α
34	Trust Us	х	x
35	The Wich Group	х	x
36	Women Do Recover	Α	Α
37	Women of Substance	х	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.
- (1) GROUPS REMOVED FROM ACTIVE ROSTER AFTER SEPTEMBER ASC; Stayin Alive
- (1) GROUPS ADDED TO ACTIVE ROSTER AFTER SEPTEMBER ASC; 5;30 Virtual

## 5. ESTABLISH QUORUM

- **29 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 **15** to pass and a 2/3 vote requires **19** 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:
		The Therapeutic Value	6 o'clock Solutions
MOTION:	To Accept the Minutes		
ACTION:	MOTION PASSED		

## 7. OLD BUSINESS

ASC MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
		Room for Change	Las Olas Sunday Night
POLICY CHANGE?	POLICY PAGE(S):	ADD/AMEND/DELETE:	LINE NUMBER(S):
NO			
MOTION (NUMBER):	01.2022.11.13		
MOTION:	To have ASC meet in person with hyb	rid option	
INTENT:	Better visibility for all that would like to attend.		
ACTION:	REFERRED TO AD HOC to determine financial impact and site availability		
FINANCIAL IMPACT:	<ul> <li>Setup and equipment purchase cost \$400</li> <li>ASC Meeting Rent would be \$150 monthly (net increase of \$1,800 to annual budget)</li> <li>Zoom account \$15 monthly (no change to annual budget)</li> </ul>		
DISCUSSION:	The area has money to cover the cost but groups must decide if they want money to be spent on this. Running a hybrid group will take some adjustment going between a live room and the zoom room Opportunity for people to show up and see each other in person or on screen Literature pick up is not changing. Remains Sat following area so cash deposit can be completed.		
ACTION:	SENT BACK TO GROUPS		
FINAL RESULT:			

ASC MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:	
		ASC Secretary	Rainbow Group	
POLICY CHANGE?	POLICY PAGE(S):	ADD/AMEND/DELETE:	LINE NUMBER(S):	
YES	6	AMEND		
MOTION (NUMBER):	03.2022.11.13			
MOTION:	After serving your term as an Area elected GCCNA Chairperson you will be unable to serve or run for GCCNA Chairperson for a period of fiVe (5) years			
INTENT:	Spirit of rotation			
ACTION:	SENT BACK TO GROUPS			
FINAL RESULT:	PASSED			

ASC MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:	
		ASC Secretary	RCM	
POLICY CHANGE?	POLICY PAGE(S):	ADD/AMEND/DELETE:	LINE NUMBER(S):	
YES	CU-10	AMEND	G- Hotel Liason	
MOTION (NUMBER):	04.2022.11.13			
MOTION:	Original Duties: Obtain quotes from as many convention venues as possible within the Gold Coast Area for presentation to the convention committee.			
	Updated Duties: Obtain quotes from as many convection venues as possible for presentation to the convention committee.			
INTENT:	To find better cost efficient venues in surrounding areas.			
ACTION:	SENT BACK TO GROUPS			
FINAL RESULT:	PASSED			

ASC MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:	
		ASC Secretary	sos	
POLICY CHANGE?	POLICY PAGE(S):	ADD/AMEND/DELETE:	LINE NUMBER(S):	
YES	CN #26	AMEND	Speaker Guidelines bullet point #6	
MOTION (NUMBER):	05.2022.11.13			

MOTION:Original: No main speaker or workshop speaker may be a member of the convention committee. workshop speaker may be the sponsor or sponsored by any member of the program subcommittee Updated: No main speaker or workshop speaker may be a member of the convention committee may be the sponsor of or sponsored by any member of the program subcommittee.	
INTENT:	To have more variety of speakers.
ACTION:	SENT BACK TO GROUPS
FINAL RESULT:	PASSED

ASC MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:		
		ASC Secretary	rcm		
POLICY CHANGE?	POLICY PAGE(S):	ADD/AMEND/DELETE:	LINE NUMBER(S):		
MOTION (NUMBER):	06.2022.11.13				
MOTION:	Raise prudent reserve from \$20,000.00 to \$25,000.00				
INTENT:	To keep up with rising costs to do business				
ACTION:	SENT BACK TO GROUPS				
FINAL RESULT:	PASSED				

RSC MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:	
		RSC Treasurer	Gulf Coast Area	
POLICY CHANGE?	POLICY PAGE(S):	ADD/AMEND/DELETE:	LINE NUMBER(S):	
NO				
MOTION (NUMBER):	2022-10-16-06			
MOTION:	To accept the proposed admin budget, listed below:			

		2021 Budget	2021 Actual .	2022 Budget	2022 YTD	2023 Proposed	
	ADM01 RSC Travel	7500	0	7500	100	7500	
	ADM02 Print/Mail	250	0	250	0	250	
		7500	0	7500	0	7500	
	ADM03 RSC Venue	4500	-	4500			
	ADM04 Insurance ADM05 ASC Travel	4500	5500	4500	4500	5000 800	
					0		
	ADM06 Bahamas	3000	360	3000		3000	
	ADM07 Out of Region	1500	1500	0	1500	1500	
	ADM08 P.O. Box	145	0	145	182	200	
	ADM09 Bank Charges	36	36	100	24	200	
	ADM10 unused	-		-	-		
	ADM11 F.S.S.	3000	0	3000	0	3000	
	ADM12 RCM Travel to R		. 0	2000	0	2000	
	ADM13 SEZF	180	180	3000	0	2000	
	ADM14 Member Travel	100	0	0	0	1000	
	ADM15 Zonal & WSC Tr	avel 0	0	0	1829	6300	
	ADM16 CAR Copies	100	0	100	0	700	
	ADM17 CAR Workshops	1000	0	1000	0	600	
	NAWS Donation	0	10594	0	24800	0	
	SEZF Donation	0	7221	0	3500	0	
	Totals	31511	24676	34395	34935	41550	
	Increases in ADM15,16, Increases in ADM 8, 9. Other changes may rep 2021 and 2022 are not r	per Treasure resent less usag	ge, but increase			ntative due to inflation.	
	Any questions/suggestic	ons, please em	ail me at treasur	er@sfrna.net.			
	**can also find this mo	tion on goldo	cast.org under	attachments to	o minutes.		
FINAL RESULT:	PASSED						
TINAL RESOLT.	FASSED						

## 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.

MOTION FOR ELECTION		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:	
		Sunland Park	RCM	
NOMINATION:	To select Rocky M. as Public Relations Chairperson			
QUALIFICATIONS:	To Whom It May Concern,			
	My qualifications for Gold Coast Area of Narcotics Anonymous Public Relations Chairperson are as follows:			
	5+ Years Clean 4+ Years experience in Public Relations of Gold Coast Area of NA			

	Working knowledge and experience practicing all 12 steps and 12 traditions I have a homegroup and a service commitment there 5+ years of experience working in numerous service structures within Gold Coast area NA I have a sponsor and I sponsor other men Understanding and Knowledge of Gold Coast area NA Public Relations policy I attend NA meetings regularly
ACTION:	SENT TO GROUPS
FINAL RESULT:	PASSED

MOTION FOR ELE	ECTION	NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		ASC Secretary	RCM
NOMINATION:	To select Molly. as the GCCNA Merchandising Sub-committee Vice Chairperson		
QUALIFICATIONS:	Hello, My name is Molly H. and I am volunteering to be vice chair for Merchandise committee for the upcoming GCCNA. I have served on this committee 2 years prior, both as a vice chair and then as a chair. I have been clean for 25 years, have a sponsor and a working knowledge of the 12 steps. I have sponsored numerous women and am an active member of my home group. I am excited to be involved once again with this committee if allowed the opportunity serve. Thank you, Molly H		chair. I have been clean for 25 years, nerous women and am an active
ACTION:	SENT TO GROUPS		
FINAL RESULT:	PASSED		

MOTION FOR EL	ECTION	NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:	
		GCCNA	Policy	
NOMINATION:	To select Sheri. as the GCCNA Assistant Treasurer			
QUALIFICATIONS:	I'm an addict and my name is Sheri. I have been clean since 11-24-2016. I attend meetings regularly, I have a home group, and I have working knowledge of the 12 Steps of NA which I actively work with my sponsor. I have served on GCCNA's Registration subcommittee and I was secretary and alternate GSR of my previous home group. I have never mishandled funds or failed to fulfill a service commitment. The love I have for Narcotics Anonymous and the Gold Coast Area is immeasurable and all that love comes together at GCCNA. I understand that there are many moving pieces and hours of hard work and dedication that go into a successful convention. I would be honored to serve as GCCNA's Assistant Treasurer and help give back what has so freely been given to me. Best wishes,		rk with my sponsor. I have served on ny previous home group. I have never Jarcotics Anonymous and the Gold rstand that there are many moving ion. I would be honored to serve as	
ACTION:	SENT TO GROUPS			
FINAL RESULT:				

#### **1 ASC POSITION OPEN FOR NOMINATION:**

#### Email qualifications to secretary@goldcoastna.org

#### **AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE - ASSISTANT SECRETARY**

Money Handling?: No

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.

#### REF TO ASC POLICY MANUAL:

https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/00%20GOLD%20COAST%20AREA%20POLICY%20MANUAL%2020200809.pdf

#### GCCNA 31 TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS OPEN FOR NOMINATION:

#### Email qualifications to secretary@goldcoastna.org

#### **GOLD COAST CONVENTION ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE**

Money Handling?: variable

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.

REF TO GCCNA POLICY MANUAL:

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

GOLD COAST CONVENTION ENTERTAINMENT and FUNDRAISING SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON	Money Handling?: <u>variable</u>
Nominated and elected by the ASC. • Five (5) years clean time. • Ability to exercise patience and tolerance. Committee to ensure that the subcommittee fulfills its purpose.	• Work closely with the rest of the Convention
REF TO GCCNA POLICY MANUAL: https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/02%20CONVENTION%20%28GCCNA%29%20Subcommittee%	620Policy%2020190812.pdf

GOLD	COAST	CONVENTION	ENTERTAINMENT	and	FUNDRAISING	SUBCOMMITTEE	Money Handling?:	VES
TREASU	JRER						woney handling:	<u>115</u>

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.

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.

Good afternoon,

Last month (November), was an "off cycle month", so there was no RSC

The CAR report for the wsc 2023 was sent out and various links and information will be coming in. You also will be receiving attachments and links through the secretary so please keep an eye () open for them.

ILS, Paul I, RCM- Gold Coast

## 10. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

## • ACTIVITIES SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Kristy C.

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 December 6th. We meet again on December 20th. We are always looking for trusted servants. All you need is white key tag to join.

Our last event was our annual Thanksgiving dinner which was held on November 24th at St. Sebastian Catholic Church. It was a great turn out and our treasurer has the breakdown of expenses in her report.

Our next event is the 24 hour rooms which will be from 4pm on the December 24th to 5pm on the 25th, and again on December 31st and January 1st, same times, at Serenity by the Sea club house. I have attached a flyer to my report so GSRs can make their home groups aware of this event.

In loving service, Kristy C.

#### ACTIVITIES SUBCOMMITTEE TREASURER REPORT SUBMITTED BY Sammy L.

Good afternoon

On Thanksgiving we had our annual dinner for the Gold Coast area. This event didn't generate any funds for the area. Check requests are being sent for the items purchased for the dinner.

Thank you for letting me be of service.

#### • CONVENTION (GCCNA) SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Susan H.

Greetings from GCCNA 31,

We are happy to announce GCCNA 31's next fundraiser. It is Spaghetti Bingo Dinner. Save the date January 14th. It will be held at a new venue for GCCNA. Urban League of Broward County at 560 NW 27th Ave., Ft Lauderdale, FL 33311. Wristbands are \$20 which includes dinner and 8 bingo tickets. There will be 8 games. You can purchase additional cards for \$2, and 3 for \$5. Beverages can be purchased at the venue. We have prizes for each game. One of the 'big' prizes is 2 banquet tickets for GCCNA 31!

There are raffle tickets for sale to win a stay at the host hotel for GCCNA weekend. Raffle tickets are \$10 apiece. The winner will be drawn at the fundraiser and you do not need to be present.

You can purchase tickets online for the fundraiser.

I am also looking for volunteers that would like to help with set up/serving and clean up for the event. You can reach out to me afterward. My number is 954-867-6107.

All committees are up and running and looking for people to join! Flyers will be out. Programming is looking for people to join the committee! You would help pick speakers/workshop topics. It is an exciting committee to join!

There are plenty of different ways to get involved. We need help and lots of people to get involved. Thank you for allowing me to serve.

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, December 5th with 22 voting members in attendance. 11 new members attended orientation.

The subcommittee currently brings presentations into 14 facilities. There is a wait-list with three facilities requesting more presentations. Since Legacy Healing closed their facility, we were able to add Fort Lauderdale Behavioral Health back to the roster and will begin taking presentations back in on Mondays and Fridays starting December 19th. The subcommittee has a total of 6 open presentation slots, all of which are at Paul Rein Women's facility.

The jails are currently open. Next weekend I will be requesting help from region with filling these open slots at Paul Rein. Hopefully with their assistance, we will be able to fill those openings.

BSO will be starting jail orientation in the new year. The schedule is as follows:

2 PM to 4 PM 01/19/2023 03/16/2023 06/15/2023 08/17/2023 10/19/2023

6 PM to 8PM 01/19/2023 06/15/2023 10/19/2023

The new location for orientation and clearance is Broward Sheriff's Office DOCP Drug Court Treatment Division 2926 N. State Road 7 Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33313

Anyone interested in attending upcoming 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, January 2nd 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 continue to be in need of Trusted Servants to Guide inmates through the 12 steps of NA. We are currently corresponding with 31 inmates. Out of those 31 inmates - 8 inmates are new and have completed their first assignments and have recently been assigned sponsors.

We are also in NEED of Trusted Servants to serve on the Subcommittee OPEN POSITIONS : Co Chair,

--ILS, Denise O Secretary ISWG Subcommittee Gold Coast Area of Narcotics Anonymous

## • LITERATURE DISTRIBUTION SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Phil N.

FL Region Literature Order: \$4,319.45
Meeting lists Print Order: \$115.24
QR code cards: \$0
Flyers: \$0
Total spent: \$4,434.69

H&I (budgeted) Sold: \$0

Group Literature Sold: \$3,208.35

Individual Literature Sold: \$0 Total Literature sold: \$3,239.35

# of Groups ordered: 23 # of Individuals ordered: 3 Total Orders Filled: 26

## Total Group Contributions: \$492

# of Groups Contributions: 7

Card collected: \$1,615.35 Cash collected: \$2,311 Square fees: -\$44.41 Total Deposited: \$3,881.94

In loving service, Phil N. & Lisa M.

## POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Corey S.

Greetings from Policy Subcommittee,

We met today at 11am right here on Zoom. 2 members in attendance. No new business to report. We do need members to join so we can have a standing committee. Other than that all in well. We'll meet next month, same time same bat channel, Jan.8th, 11am right here on Zoom.

ILS, Policy Subcommittee

## PUBLIC RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Rocky

November 2022 Public Relations Report

Hello everyone from the Gold Coast Area Public Relations Subcommittee, I am an addict named Rocky. The PR Subcommittee met on 11/28 at 7:30 PM via Zoom online conference platform. We had seven (7) voting members in attendance with four (1) new member(s) joining the subcommittee this month. We are always seeking new members, and anyone is always welcome to come sit in and be a part of our amazing group of trusted servants. You do not have to hold a position to join us to see how the public relations committee functions, all are welcome to log on. Dates and online links are always listed at the end of our monthly report as well as the Gold Coast Area website. Hope to see you all there.

What's new at PR?

• A mistake was made on my part about the day of the week we have poster day. I was

told by the group that our policy is to always have poster day on a Saturday. We have updated the flyer on the Gold Coast Website and I ask each GSR to update their group when making this announcement please. The new date is 12/17 at 11am Cole E. Hammock Park parking lot.

• Thomas W. was proposed as the new outreach/event coordinator after a motion to create the position was approved. The duties will be to contact outside organizations using an email template developed by the group in order to share information about NA and build new relationships with the general public. Through this process we hope to increase the number of opportunities for PR, which will make NA meetings that much easier to find for addicts seeking recovery.

• The Sheriff's office invited us to their Thanksgiving community outreach event on 11/19/2022. Three members of PR showed up and set up a booth with NA literature, was a really great turnout. Not only were we able to inform the public about NA, but we were also able to establish a few new relationships. Through building those new relationships we were able to generate more opportunities for PR in the coming year.

• Two additional presentations for the police department were scheduled by the PR committee on 12/14/2022. On that day, two different pairs of PR members will attend the 6 a.m. and the 9 p.m. briefings.

• We still have an open position for vice chairperson, the following are the requirements: One (1) year clean time

Three (3) months prior involvement in the Public Relations Subcommittee Familiar with PR Policy.

An understanding of the service structure of Narcotics Anonymous.

Willingness to serve.

An example of living recovery through application of the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions of Narcotics Anonymous.

• Activities subcommittee invited us to all of their future activities events, we will be able to set up a PR booth depending on the type of the event. They offered us slots for the upcoming 24 hour rooms for Christmas and New Years.

The next Public Relations subcommittee will meet 12/26/2022 at 7:30 PM eastern time (US and Canada) and the last Monday of each month after that. We encourage any and all members to join in on the meeting, we have service positions available and would love to have you be a part of this committee.

Zoom Meeting Info: Meeting ID: 828 1216 2900 Passcode: 474652 For any groups wanting to update their meeting info such as openings/closings due to natural disaster, holidays, etc please contact Gary F. (P) 828-337-6485 (E) webinfo@goldcoastna.org. If you have any other questions you can also contact: Rocky M. (P) 954-551-0080

(E) public-relations@goldcoastna.org

## • AD HOC SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY Winston B.

## Hi family,

I am an addict named Winston and the Vice Chair to the Ad Hoc committee for finding a space for the area meeting to be held in person. The chair of the committed is absent today due to work.

Here are the 3 bids:

1) Carroll, The director of Sanctuary Church. We can rent the Fellowship hall which can accommodate over 50 people on the Second Sunday of the month from 12 pm – 4pm for \$150 month. She wants to double-check with her event coordinator and we are still waiting for a call back for confirmation. This is not confirmed and the Fellowship Hall has unreliable Wi-Fi.

2) Calvin, The director of Serenity by the Sea is willing to rent to us on the Second Sunday of the month from 11am – 4pm. for \$150.00 per month, holds 80 people. Has a store for food and coffee. Has the storage locker for literature and a place to distribute literature on that same day and an area for a treasurer to collect funds.

3) Mathis, The director of Our place II is willing to have us on the Second Sunday of the month from 11:30 am – 5:30 pm for a total \$150.00. Holds 80 people. Coffee and food is available.

Current costs for ASC is \$15 per month for zoom. In-person ASC meeting will cost \$150 per month A one time cost of \$400 would be the cost for equipment to make the hybrid option possible.

\*\*The motion referred to this AD HOC committee has been updated to include financial impact.\*\* ILS

Winston B.

Vice Chair of Ad Hoc for the Chair.

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

• 26 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 <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> majority of 17 were set based on the 2nd roll call.

## 12. NEW BUSINESS

ASC MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:	
		The Therapeutic Value	ВМЕ	
POLICY CHANGE?	POLICY PAGE(S):	ADD/AMEND/DELETE:	LINE NUMBER(S):	
NO				
MOTION (NUMBER):	01.2022.12.11			
MOTION:	To change the eleventh tradition of Narcotics Anonymous to:			
	"Our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than promotion. Hence, we need to always maintain personal anonymity in all media."			
INTENT:	The way in which media has evolved presently would have been inconceivable for our forsevents to imagine. This motion would make the tradition's intent inclusive, eliminate gray areas and obcelencen for whatever future of media communication may hold.			
ACTION:	SENT BACK TO GROUPS			
FINAL RESULT:				

## 13. TREASURER'S REPORT

(See last page of meeting report)

December 11, 2022,
As of today, the bank balance is \$25,383.60. That is \$5,383.60 above prudent reserve. We do have one check pending in the amount of \$21.40 Expenses paid: Extra Space Storage in the amount of \$103.31. We currently have four check requests for activities and area reimbursements for the amount of \$356.61.We also have region to pay for literature order in the amount of \$4,319.45 that will be paid this week and reflected on next months report.We did receive the discrepancy reimbursement to the area account in the amount of \$877.83 which is reflected on the report. For any other check requests, please email Treasure@goldcoastna.org, or you can reach out to me directly by phone at 918-813-9641. Group donations can be made at literature distribution next Saturday, December 17 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:
		ASC Chairperson	sos
MOTION:	To donate \$500.00 to Region		
ACTION:	MOTION PASSED		

MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
		The Therapeutic Value	RCM
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, January 8, 2023

MOTION		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:	
		Policy	Lost Dreams Awaken	
MOTION:	To Close the ASC Meeting			
ACTION:	MOTION PASSED			

#### 16. MEETING CLOSED

• Miguel closed the meeting with the Third Step Prayer at 3:08PM.

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: December 11, 2022			
Group Donations	Column1	Column1	Column2	Column3	Column4	Column5
5:30 Group	\$97.00			1	1	1
A Brand New Midnight		C1	Dec. (-+ # 122000202	¢102.21		
Afternoon Addicts Another Choice		Storage	Receipt # 133809382 Receipt #	\$103.31		1
Architects of Adversity			Keceipt #			
BME						
Beachside Serenity			Total:	\$103.31		1
Breakfast Club						
By NA Means Necessary		Other Incom	e	Committee		
		other meon	Cash Deposited- Group lit and			
Colours			Donations:	\$2,311		
Early Morning Recovery						
Eastside Story			Square deposits:	\$1,571		-
Entirely Ready			Other deposit:	\$977.83	_	_
For Addicts Only		_	Total:	\$3,982		
Freethinkers South	¢7.00			<u> </u>	_	
Freedom Ain't Free	\$7.00	-	Total Income:	\$4,860	_	-
G.O.D. Hispanos Unidos						
Journey For Discovery		Expenses	1		Budget	
Ladies Brunch					Budget	
Las Olas Sunday Night		Check #	Payee	Committee	Line Item	Total
Lost Dreams Awaken			erenity by the Sea	Activities		\$250.00
Mainliners						
ivian infilers		1161	St. Sebastian Catholic Church	Activities		\$75.00
Monday Night Live		1162	Serenity by the Sea	Area		\$190.00
More Will Be Revealed			Dale Clinton	Activities		\$103.12
My Brother's Keeper		1164	Fast Signs	Activities	-	\$216.63
My Sponsor's Asleep						
wy sponsor's Asleep		1165	Tanya DaSilva	Activities		\$361.89
New Path		1166	Zachary McGee	Activities		\$70.92
No Matter What			Christopher Moynahan	Area		\$107.70
		-	The second secon	Area		
Noontime Recovery		1169	Christopher Moynahan	Area		\$49.00
Old School Recovery						
Plantation Recovery	\$100.00					
PM Recovery	\$164.00					
Progressive Recovery	\$104.00	-			-	-
Rainbow Group	\$26.00				-	
Recovery at Noon	+20100				28	
Recovery in Progress			Total Expenses:			\$1,424.26
Road Back Home			Total Expenses.			\$1,424.20
Room for Change	\$33.00	Recap				-
Road to Recovery	\$33.00	netup	Previous balance from last month	\$21,829.36		
Saturday Night Live			Plus Income			
			2. 200 weeks 1000	\$4,860.00	-	
Serenity at 7			(Less Expenses)	\$1,424.26		
Seventh Heaven Six O'clock Solutions			Current Balance	\$25,265.10	-	
SOS		-				-
Stayin Alive						
S.T.A.R.			Deduct Prudent Reserve	\$20,000.00		
Steps to Freedom						
Steps to Serenity			(Amount below prudent reserve)		_	
Sunday Solutions	\$100.00		or			
Sunday Solutions	\$100.00					
Sunday Serenity			Amount in excess of reserve	\$5,265.00		
Sunland Park	\$65.00					
The Feminine Principle	205.00					
	-					
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Together We Grow Trust Us						
Tuesday Night Steps		-		1		-
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Women Rockin' Recovery (V)		-				
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