

# **GOLD COAST AREA MINUTES**

**FROM JUNE 8<sup>TH</sup>, 2003**

**\*NOTE\* ANY NEW GSR SHOULD BE PRESENT AT ASC BY 1:00 PM FOR ORIENTATION, BY POLICY CHAIR. ALL SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS MUST MEET AT 1:30 PM!**

PLEASE PLACE YOUR ORDERS PRIOR TO ASC BY CALLING BARBARA AT 954-972-2533. PLEASE LEAVE NAME OF GROUP, YOUR NAME & PHONE NUMBER. IF NOT AT HOME, LEAVE ORDER ON THE ANSWERING MACHINE, OR E-MAIL TO [dragonb@bellsouth.net](mailto:dragonb@bellsouth.net)

**OLD BUSINESS FROM MAY (PAGE 7)**

**NO NEW BUSINESS**

**ELECTIONS GROUPS NEED TO VOTE ON (PAGE 8-9)**

## **GCCNA XIV NOMINATIONS NEEDED**

CHAIR	5 YEARS CLEAN
ASST. TREAS.	4 YEARS CLEAN
HOTEL LIAISON	4 YEARS CLEAN
ASST. HOTEL LIAISON	3 YEARS CLEAN

## **ASC NOMINATIONS NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING**

ASC TREASURER	4 YEARS CLEAN	ASC VICE CHAIR	3 YEARS CLEAN
ASC ASST. TREAS.	3 YEARS CLEAN	LIT.DIST.CHAIR	4 YEARS CLEAN
RCM ALTERNATE	3 YEARS CLEAN	LIT. DIST.VICE CHAIR	2 YEARS CLEAN
HELPLINE CHAIR	2 YEARS CLEAN	ACTIVITIES CHAIR	2 YEARS CLEAN
ACTIVITIES TREAS.	4 YEARS CLEAN	H & I CHAIR	2 YEARS CLEAN
ASST. SECRETARY	1 YEAR CLEAN	SECRETARY	2 YEARS CLEAN
NEWSLETTER CHAIR	2 YEARS CLEAN	POLICY CHAIR	3 YEARS CLEAN
PUBLIC INFO CHAIR	2 YEARS CLEAN	LITERATURE CHAIR	2 YEARS CLEAN

**IF ANYONE IN YOUR HOMEGROUP IS INTERESTED IN ANY OF THE ABOVE POSITIONS HAVE THEM SHOW UP AT AREA SERVICE ON JULY 13<sup>TH</sup> WITH THEIR QUALIFICATIONS!!!!**

**NEXT ASC WILL BE ON SUNDAY, JULY 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2003 at 2:00 PM,**

Pompano Recreation Center Bailey Rd just west of 441

**SUPPORT YOUR AREA!!!**  
**GET INVOLVED!!!**

ASC SERVICE MEETING – AGENDA

1. OPEN MEETING WITH THE SERENITY PRAYER
2. READ TRADITIONS, DEFINITION OF AN ASC, GSR AND ALTERNATE GSR'S QUALIFICATIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES (ASC V. CHAIR)
3. PASS BASKET
4. OPEN FORUM
5. ROLL CALL
6. ESTABLISH QUORUM
7. MOVE TO ACCEPT LAST MONTH'S MINUTES
8. OLD BUSINESS
9. A) ELECTION OF NEW OFFICERS (IF NECESSARY)  
B) NOMINATIONS
10. ASR REPORT
11. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS
  - \_\_\_ ACTIVITIES
  - \_\_\_ ARTS & GRAPHICS
  - \_\_\_ CONVENTION
  - \_\_\_ HELPLINE
  - \_\_\_ H & I
  - \_\_\_ LITERATURE
  - \_\_\_ LITERATURE DISTRIBUTION
  - \_\_\_ NEWSLETTER
  - \_\_\_ POLICY
  - \_\_\_ PUBLIC INFORMATION
- 12..RE-ESTABLISH QUORUM
13. TREASURERS REPORT:
14. NEW BUSINESS
15. REVIEW THE BUSINESS OF THE DAY
16. ESTABLISH NEXT MEETING TIME AND PLACE
17. FINAL ROLL CALL
18. MEETING CLOSES WITH THIRD STEP PRAYER

## **MEETING OPENED AT 200PM WITH THE SERENITY PRAYER**

Definition of an ASC was read by Alan , GSR and Alternate GSR's duties and responsibilities was read by [Erin](#), the 12 Traditions was read by [Fredly](#). The 12 concepts were read by [Carl](#). The basket was passed in accordance with our 7<sup>th</sup> tradition.

## **OPEN FORUM**

[VAN \(TRIANGLE OF SELF OBSESSION\) NEW MEETING. WE ARE REQUESTING A STARTER KIT.](#)

[LISA \(SUNDAY AFTERNOON SERENITY\) NEW MEETING. WE ARE REQUESTING A STARTER KIT.](#)

[PAUL \(MEET ME BY THE BEACH\) NEW MEETING. WE ARE REQUESTING A STARTER KIT.](#)

[STACEY \(POLICY MEMBER\) UNFORTUNATELY MINIUTES OF MEETINGS ARE BEING COLLECTED BY VARIOUS MEETINGS AND OR GROUPS. I WOULD LIKE CLARITY BECAUSE I AM NOT RECEIVING MY MINUTES VIA US MAIL](#)

## ROLLCALL

<u>ASC ROLL CALL:</u>	<u>PHONE #:</u>	<u>BEGINNING</u>	<u>END</u>
ASC Chair— Steve	467-1052	YES	YES
ASC V. Chair— Kirk	779-1183	YES	YES
ASC Secretary— Cori	426-3875	YES	YES
ASC Asst. Sec— OPEN		YES	YES
ASC Treasurer— Lynn	792-4385	YES	YES
ASC Asst. Treasurer—OPEN		NO	NO
RCM--- Will G.	328-2400	YES	YES
ASR Alt.— Dan	579-2808	YES	YES
Activities —Johnny	822-5356	YES	YES
Arts & Graphics -OPEN.		NO	NO
Convention—Karen-Jean	340-7996	YES	YES
Helpline —Patty	332-3535	YES	YES
H & I —Carl	943-7978	YES	YES
Literature— OPEN		NO	NO
Lit. Distribution —Barbara	972-2533	YES	YES
Newsletter—Lenny	917-2943	YES	YES
Policy —Mike	454-7923	YES	YES
Public Information--OPEN		NO	NO

## ASC GROUP ROLLCALL:

### Groups not present at ASC:

A CLEAN SLATE, BACK TO LIFE, COURAGE TO CHANGE, GIRL TALK, HAPPY ONES, HISPANOS UNIDOS, LAS OLAS SUNDAY NITE, LETTING GO GROUP MAINLINERS, NEW BEGINNINGS, NEW HORIZON, NOON TIME RECOVERY, OTHER SIDE OF TOWN, PLANTATION RECOVERY, ROOM FOR CHANGE, SANITY AT SIX SEVENTH HEAVEN, SUNDAY SERENITY, UNITY IN RECOVERY, WED NITE BEACH MTG, WEEKEND RECOVERY

### Groups not present for the last two ASC meetings.

A CLEAN SLATE, BACK TO LIFE, HISPANOS UNIDOS, LETTING GO GROUP, UNITY IN RECOVERY, WEDNESDAY NITE BCH MTG, WEEKEND RECOVERY

### Groups taken off Roll call for missing three ASC's in a row

A CLEAN SLATE, WEDNESDAY NITE BCH MTG, WEEKEND RECOVERY

## ESTABLISH QUORUM:

**Groups present: 29 OF 50 GROUPS.**

MOTION TO ACCEPT MINUTES //GIVE TIME TIME// SECOND// RAINBOW GROUP

# SUB COMMITTEE REPORTS

Activities: Johnny H. 954-822-5356

We had a meeting on [May 31, 2003](#). It was a good meeting. We are now working on our next event, our 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. We have tickets on sale. All members of activities have tickets. Tickets are \$15.00. We do have a flyer out. Remember the first 35 will get a special edition mug. P.S. I will have the 35 tickets for the special edition mugs so if you want a mug see me or call me.

In Loving Service, Johnny H.

Convention: Karen Jean 954-340-7996

Greeting from GCCNA. Thank you for allowing me to serve as GCCNA chair. The convention went well with a few bumps and bruises. We had a high attendance however, there was a low registration. In light of that, GCCNA plans on having next year's flyer out as soon as possible. There was some controversy over the comedy show. We are sorry and will be advised of the number of tickets for next year. It seems there was a mix up with the hotel and the number of seats. We are turning in \$3000 today and after the dust settles we will be turning in approximately \$500 to \$1000 at the next area. We do expect a refund from the literature we turned back in. That will be turned back over.

In Loving Service, Karen Jean

H & I: Carl C. 954-943-7978

Greetings from H&I. I'm an addict named Carl. Our sub committee last met on June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2003. We continue to carry 47 meetings, 7 days per week to 14 different facilities, BSO dept of detention and one state correctional facility. We still need lots of support and there are many meetings still open. I will be attending regional next month. With no new business to report, our next two meetings will be July 7<sup>th</sup> and August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2003.

In Loving Service, Carl C.

RCM: Will G. 954-328-2400

Addict Will. Greetings from region. We have no report this month. Dan will attend Regional Weekend next month.

In Loving Service, Will G.

Helpline: Patty 332-3535

There are no problems with the sub committee. All shifts are being covered, but we could always use support. Our next two meetings will be on June 19<sup>th</sup> and July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2003 in the back room at Our Place.

In Loving Service, Patty

Policy: Michael B. 954-454-7923

Greetings from Policy. Our sub committee met today at 12:30 with 6 members present. Our next sub committee meeting focus will be H & I. We encourage H & I admin committee members as well as any other H & I members to attend our next meeting on the Sunday of area at 12:30. FYI...voting ASC 11 A section 11 d- voting will be done by a show of hands, a roll call vote can be called for at any time by a voting participant. A roll call vote needs to be seconded by a voting participant.

In Loving Service, Michael B.

Newsletter: Lenny 954-917-2943 [Lentatt@aol.com](mailto:Lentatt@aol.com)

The bottom line is still looking for poets and article writers. The new email address for the bottom line is [Lentatt@aol.com](mailto:Lentatt@aol.com)

In Loving Service, Lenny T.

**Literature Distribution:** Barbara G. 954-972-2533 e-mail [dragonb@bellsouth.net](mailto:dragonb@bellsouth.net)

I thank all the responsible Gsr's who take their commitment seriously and call the order in early. I can than properly document the order and save it in the computer for history of each meetings costs and this info is needed for projections for future budget needs.If you choose to wait until area service to place your order, do not expect it to be filled first. The order will go to the bottom and the orders that were turned in before you will be filled first. No exceptions! Today we have a choice, to pay the consequences for our actions or reap the rewards for honorable behavior. If you have any questions about the order forms just ask. The name of the group, GSR and the phone # of the GSR's are required to fill the order.Those of you who have computer e-mail me and I will send you a copy of the order form and you can e mail your orders and have a total also. Store it in excel. Not in word.Remember that the people who are serving you are doing it out of loving service and need to be treated kindly. Check your orders and if it is a problem let us know and we will do our best to fix it. We still need a vice chair of lit dist someone who will take this commitment seriously and show up to do the job. Announce it to your home groups

In loving serviceBarbara gp.

### Monthly Cost Breakdown

**Literature disbursements through area**

**DATE: 06/08/03**

Asc Sales from groups	\$ 1368.00
Non Asc Sales (during month)	\$ 304.11
Asc administrative Committee	\$ _____
Includes all literature, policy manuals Etc.	
Activities Committee	\$ _____
Helpline	\$ _____
Hospitals & Institutions	\$ 598.49
Literature (review)	\$ _____
Literature Distribution	\$ 8.45
Newsletter	\$ _____
Policy	\$ 16.32
Other	\$ _____
Meeting lists discarded	
_____ lists @ _____cents each	\$ 110.50
<b>TOTAL LITERATURE DISTRIBUTED</b>	<b>\$ 2405.87</b>

## OLD BUSINESS

### motion # 1

MOTION CARRIED

Maker of Motion: ASC SECRETARY// SECOND POLICY

MOTION TO READ: TO REPLACE THE SPEAKER AND MICROPHONE AT A COST OF \$100 OR LESS.

INTENT: TO HAVE A SPEAKER AND MICROPHONE AT AREA SERVICE

### motion # 2

CREATE POLICY

MOTION CARRIED

Maker of Motion: POLICY// SECOND GIVE TIME TIME

MOTION TO READ: GCCNA ASST. TREASURER

4 YEARS CLEAN TIME: NOMINATED AND ELECTED BY THE ASC. MUST HAVE PRIOR NA CONVENTION EXPERIENCE AND BE AN ACTIVE PARTICIPANT IN NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS. AN EXAMPLE OF LIVING RECOVERY THROUGH THE APPLICATION OF THE TWELVE STEPS AND TWELVE TRADITIONS OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS.

ASSIST THE TREASURER. THERE IS A TWO (2) YEAR COMMITMENT FOR THIS POSITION. THE FIRST YEAR IS SPENT AS ASSISTANT TREASURER, BECOMING FAMILIAR WITH THE JOB, ATTENDING ALL GCCNA MEETINGS AND ASSISTING THE TREASURER AS NEEDED. IS ACCOUNTABLE ALONG WITH THE TREASURER, BY SIGNATURE, FOR ALL MONIES, CASH AND CHECKS RECEIVED. WILL BE PRESENT TO WITNESS SIGNATURE WHEN ALL MONIES ARE RECEIVED AND COUNTED BY THE TREASURER, VERIFYING SUB COMMITTEE DONATIONS AND BALANCES. WILL FILL IN FOR TREASURER ON A TEMPORARY BASIS IN HIS/HER ABSENCE. THE ASSIST TREASURER WILL BECOME TREASURER FOR THE SECOND YEAR OF THIS COMMITMENT IF HE/SHE IS VOTED IN BY THE ASC. THE ASSISTANT TREASURER IS NOT A SIGNER ON THE GCCNA BANK ACCOUNT.

### motion # 3

FORMALITY

Maker of Motion: ASC SECRETARY// SECOND CHOICES IN RECOVERY

MOTION TO READ: TO HAVE THE NEXT ASC ON SUNDAY JUNE 8<sup>TH</sup>, AT POMPANO PARK.

INTENT: TO KEEP THE AREA INFORMED

### motion # 4

RULED OUT OF ORDER

Maker of Motion: RAINBOW WEEKEND

MOTION TO READ: TO BE ALLOWED TO SELL RAINBOW WEEKEND VII PRE CONVENTIONS T SHIRTS AT THE GCCNA CLOSING MORNING

INTENT: TO PROMOTE UNITY

## NO NEW BUSINESS

# GCCNA NOMINATIONS PLEASE VOTE

## GCCNA VICE CHAIR

I have the willingness to serve the GCCNA committee and 8 years clean. My home group is Sunland Park. I have a NA sponsor who has a NA sponsor. I have the working knowledge of the 12 steps and 12 traditions of narcotics anonymous. Currently I am serving as treasurer of GCCNA 13 and last year served as assistant treasurer. Previous experience includes treasurer of North Dade Area for 3 years, assistant treasurer of Unity Weekend in 1999 and a member of the SFRCNA registration committee in 1996.  
Renee Y.

FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

Hello everybody. I'm an addict, my name is John. My clean date is July 27<sup>th</sup>, 1990. I have an NA sponsor who has an NA sponsor. I have a working knowledge of the 12 steps and 12 traditions. I have been involved in service since I started coming to narcotics anonymous. At the home group level I was a coffee maker, secretary, treasurer and a gsr. I served on helpline for 1 year and H & I for 2 years. I served on the convention information committee for GCCNA 1 and 2. I was the banquet chair for GCCNA 3, the vice chair of merchandise for GCCNA 4 the chair of merchandise for GCCNA 5 and the auction chair for SFRCNA in 1998. Most of all, I have the willingness to serve as your vice chair of GCCNA 14.  
In Loving Service, John W.

FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

Hi. I am Jonnie H. I have twelve years clean. I have worked and have the knowledge of the twelve and twelve. I have served on GCCNA for 9 years and have the willingness to serve on a higher level of service. My purpose is to stay involved and restore unity.  
Thanks, Jonnie H.

FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

## GCCNA REGISTRATION CHAIR

I'm an addict named Allan. I've been active in this area for 9 years in various different positions. I have the willingness to serve.  
In Loving Service, Allan

FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

## GCCNA TREASURER

Hi, Karen Jean here. I'm running for GCCNA treasurer. I have been the clean time and experience, a sponsor and a home group. I'm working the steps and living the principals to the best of my ability.

In Loving Service, KJ

FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

## GCCNA MERCHANDISING CHAIR

Addict, Jerry K. My clean date is March 5<sup>th</sup>, 1997. I have 6 years clean. I was merchandising chair 3 years ago. Auction chair 2 years ago. I was H & I chair last year. I have an NA sponsor who has an NA sponsor. I work steps and I love to serve my area and I have the willingness.

In Loving Service, Jerry K.

FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

## ASC NOMINATIONS PLEASE VOTE

### ASC CHAIR

I'm an addict named Kirk. I've been clean 18 years. I've served as Gold Coast Area chair and vice chair. I have the working knowledge of the 12 steps and 12 traditions through application. I have the willingness to serve as ASC chair.

In Loving Service, Kirk P.

FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

### RCM

I'm an addict, my name is Dan. My clean date is December 18<sup>th</sup> 1997. I was GSR for my home group. I am involved with H & I and my home group and I am currently the alternate RCM. I have an understanding of the 12 steps and 12 traditions. I have a sponsor who has a sponsor and have the willingness to serve.

In Loving Service, Dan

FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST \_\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN \_\_\_\_\_

AREA CLOSED AT 5: OOPM WITH THE 3<sup>RD</sup> STEP PRAYER

