

The following are the minutes from the Greater Pensacola Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous that met on April 21, 2008 at 7:30 pm.

Lou F. opened the meeting with the "We" version of the Serenity Prayer. Stephanie F. read the 12 Concepts. Joe H. read the 12 Traditions. Brian read the Service Prayer.

#### ROLLCALL

Chair	Lou F.	P	A New Beginning	P
Vice Chair	Chad R.	P	Back to Life	A
Policy	Reagan H.	P	Come As You Are	P
Treasurer	Chuck V.	P	Gratitute	P
Secretary	Jan R.	P	Hug Not Drugs	P
			Live Your Dreams	P
RCM	Lydia B.	P	New Attitude	P
RCMA	Curtis W.	P	Northside Connection	P
Activities	Justin T.	A	Out Of The Darkness	P
PI	Mark B.	P	Progress Not Perfection	P
H&I	Mike B.	P	Progressive Recovery	A
Howl	Wendy M.	P	Soundside	P
			3 <sup>rd</sup> Tradition	P

#### REPORTS

Chair	No report
Vice Chair	No report
Policy	No report
Treasurer	Report for Mar/Apr given – see attached
Secretary	March minutes reviewed
RCM	No reprt
RCMA	No report
Activities	No report
PI	Report given – see attached
H&I	Report given – see attached
Howl	Report given- see attached

#### GSR REPORTS

See attached

#### OPEN FORUM

Chuck V.- need willingness for Treasurer and Secretary  
Curtis W. - read about PR online at NA.org

#### OLD BUSINESS

**NEED YOUR VOTE FOR REGION(PLEASE READ YOUR MARCH MINUTES – REGIONAL MINUTES) OR GO TO PENSACOLANA.ORG AND LOOK FOR THE COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
Motion 1: Made by ECA 2<sup>nd</sup> by WANA – Raise the expense reimbursement for administrative sub-committee

from \$150.00 to \$200.00

Intent: In accordance with high gas prices.

**Referred to home groups.**

**Tabled**

For:5

Abstain:6

Against:0

Motion 2: Made by SJSJ 2<sup>nd</sup> by CAA – To eliminate 2<sup>nd</sup> AD position and make RD/AD positions a 4 year commitment each.

Intent: Have current policy reflect intent of original policy that AD attend 2 World Conferences

**Referred to home groups**

**Back to home groups**

For:0

Against:1

Abstain:10

Motion 4 Made by SJSJ 2<sup>nd</sup> by CAA – To change Regional Chair and Vice-Chair to 2 year positions

Intent: To make positions the same as committee positions

**Referred to home groups**

**Back to home groups**

For:2

Against:2

Abstain:7

#### NEW BUSINESS

Motion 1: Made by RCMA 2<sup>nd</sup> by Soundside – To waive clean time for Brandon V. to become RCMA.

Intent: To fill the position

For:9

Against:0

Abstain:2

Passed

Motion 2: Made by Gratitude Group 2<sup>nd</sup> by New Attitude – To take the proceeds of the Howl to pay the bills of Area for one year, such as, storage unit, phone lines, phone listings, RCM(for Region), rent for NCADD, P.O.Box, and website, before sending donations to Region and World.

Intent: Keep Area self-supporting and over our prudent reserve

For:11

Against:0

Abstain:0

Passed

Motion 3: Made by Northside Connection 2<sup>nd</sup> by 3<sup>rd</sup> Tradition – To change PI to PR(Public Relations) in Area.

Intent: Less confusion

Tabled

For:10

Abstain:1

Against:0

#### NOMINATIONS & ELECTIONS

Nominations – Brandon V. for RCMA- letter of willingness

Elections:

Chad R. - Chair – For:11  
Shelly – H&I – For:11  
Reagan H. – Policy – For:11  
Curtis W. - RCM – For:11  
Brandon V. - RCMA – For:11

Positions Open For Area

Vice Chair – 2yrs clean  
Treasurer – 3 yrs clean  
P.I. - 18 months clean  
Secretary – 18 months  
Activities – 18 months

Positions Open for Region

Alternate Secretary  
Web Servant  
PI Chair  
AD  
2<sup>nd</sup> AD

Nominations for Region:

Vote for all positions for nomination  
For:10  
Abstain:1  
Against:0

OPEN FORUM

Curtis W. - Fun in the Sun merchandise  
Wendy M. - Speaker tapes needed to listen to and/or suggestions for the Howl.  
**GSR – please vote on region motions 1, 2 &4!!!**

The meeting adjourned at 9:10pm. with the “We” version of the Serenity Prayer.

The next ASC meeting will be May 19,2008.

**Treasurer's Report**  
**March 18, 2008- April 21, 2008**

<b>Beginning Balance</b>	<b>\$ 1029.58</b>
<b>Deposits</b>	
Gratitude	128.95
Hugs Not Drugs	64.00
New Attitude	40.00
Out of the Darkness	50.00
Progress Not Perfection	50.00
Progressive Recovery	50.00
Anonymous	1000.00
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<b>Total Deposit</b>	<b>\$1382.95</b>
<b>Balance</b>	<b>\$2412.23</b>
<b>Expenses:</b>	
Ck 1891 Mike B (H&I)	100.00
Ck1892 Mark B. (PI)	200.00
Ck 1893 Justin T. (Activities)	100.00
Ck 1894 CERA (Website)	120.00
Ck 1895 Curtis W. (Reimbursement)	45.00
Ck 1896 Reagan H. (Reimbursement)	18.06
Via Internet Cingular (Phones)	70.95
Via Internet Bellsouth (Phone Listings)	21.89
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<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$675.90</b>
<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$1736.63</b>
<b>Prudent Reserve</b>	<b>\$1800.00</b>

# 14Public Information (PI) Monthly Subcommittee Report to the Greater Pensacola Area of Narcotics Anonymous Area Service Committee (ASC)

This subcommittee last met on Monday, April 21, 2008 at 6 pm.

Members present: Mark B. – Chair; Will W., Benny W., and Shelly L..

1. **PI SOLICITING FOR NEW SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIR:** We are continuing to look for a new PI Subcommittee Chairperson. *I must vacate this position at the end of my term next month.* I originally announced my intention this past January. I will do whatever it takes to train the incoming PI Chair so that our Area is not left hanging. The GPANA PI Subcommittee Chair has the following duties and responsibilities:

- Coordinates the production and distribution of the paper meeting schedule and ensuring that our Area, Region and World Websites reflect the most recent changes and updates.
- Coordinates the Helpline Volunteers, their training and the proper functioning of the phones within our Area.
- Coordinates the procurement and distribution of PI literature within our Area.
- Coordinates the response to any and all requests for information about NA from the public.
- Submits a written, monthly report that gives a breakdown of all moneys spent and received during the month.

PI Subcommittee Chair requirements: (or any GPANA Subcommittee chair)

- a. Willingness, time and resources to serve.
- b. One year commitment
- c. Minimum eighteen months clean time
- d. To submit a written, monthly report that gives a breakdown of all moneys spent and received during the month
- e. To attend all ASC meetings or send an acceptable substitute
- f. Minimum of one year NA Service
- g. An understanding of the Twelve Traditions and Twelve concepts of NA, and an understanding of the GPANA policies.

If you meet the above qualifications, are willing to serve as the PI Subcommittee Chair then show up at the May 2008 ASC with your letter of willingness. If you have any questions call me at (850) 496-1715.

2. **HELPLINE PHONES:** Concern was brought up about the length of time each volunteer should carry out their obligation to answer the Helpline phones. Currently we have two volunteers who are doing a very capable job and indicate that they are comfortable with their responsibilities. Until new volunteers speak up there are not immediate intentions to change out volunteers. Concern was brought up about a member's anonymity being broken by one of our volunteers. As a result, refresher training will be held. Further, the text messaging ability will be removed from each of the phones. We are always looking to train Helpline volunteers. Clean time requirement is 1 year plus you'll need to be good with giving directions to meetings in your local calling area. Call Mark B. if you are interested.

3. **MEETING SCHEDULES BETWEEN ASC'S:** If you need meeting schedules or literature between Area meetings contact:

Pensacola – Jan R. 850-293-3146

Ft. Walton Beach/Crestview – Mark B. 850-496-1715.

## Ongoing Business

<u>PI Financial Accountability.</u>	Amount	Balance
4/21/08 Balance carried forward.....		+\$363.71
4/21/08 Made 1,000 copies @ .10 cents each.....	-\$ 100.00	+\$263.71
4/21/08 Add back in AT&T Upgrade fee \$18.00 x 2.....	+\$ 36.00	+\$299.71
4/21/08 Received April allotment from Area.....	+\$200.00	+\$499.71
Ending Balance ....		+\$499.71*

## Next Meeting.

PI's next scheduled meeting is on Monday, May 19, 2008 at 6:00 pm at the NCADD Office in Navarre right before Area! We hope to see you there.

As always it is a joy to serve ..... Mark B., e-mail: [mwb4531@cox.net](mailto:mwb4531@cox.net) (850) 496-1715

\*Intent for this balance is \$399.71 for a literature order and \$100.00 in reserve for May's meeting schedules.

## H & I Subcommittee Report

April 21, 2008

Dear N.A. Family,

H & I's N.A. meetings are still being held at the same locations as listed in previous H & I reports. Big Mike is the panel leader at Detox/DAART on Tuesday and Thursday nights. Escambia County men's jail meeting has restarted as of Thursday, March 13, 2008. Mike B, James B., and Elliott are presently facilitating the meeting. At this present time we need more willingness to help facilitate this meeting. Men's PFC is held every Friday at 6:00 P.M. at the Fairfield Work Release. Paul, Big Mike, and Hayes are the facilitators of this meeting. Keaton meetings need male and female help. Elliott, Kirsten and Mike B are the panel members. Ft. Walton Beach Drug Court is held on Friday nights with Wanda, Tony, and Michael F. as facilitators. The Detox meetings in Fort Walton are facilitated by Roof, Wanda, Debbie and Ray. The Gulf Shores Jail meeting is facilitated by David. We have a meeting being held at Twelve Oaks and Justin is the panel leader. *Lit. Donate by Mike B - H&I*

*Lit. to Century Prison.*

FYI- Many male and female members from the Pensacola area have contacted Mike B. to get involved in H & I. We still need females to help with H & I. *H&I meetings ARE CLOSED only to H&I members.*

There wasn't a subcommittee meeting held in March. Our next meeting will be April 29<sup>th</sup>, @ 8:00 P.M. at the Navarre location.

*250.58*

FYI - There is ~~\$150.58~~ in escrow for future literature orders. Mike B. will be placing an H & I literature order with the remaining funds. Literature will be forwarded to the new H & I chair. Thank you allowing me to serve this area and N.A. for the past four years as your H & I chair. It's been fun and it's been a journey!

*I will continue AS panel Coordinator - P-cola Area.*

Loving Service, Mike B

Subj: **H&I FWB**  
Date: 4/21/2008 3:46:39 P.M. Central Daylight Time  
From: langshaw2@cox.net  
To: MBA122457@aol.com

**Mike,**  
**For tonights ASC:**  
Ft. Walton Beach

Drug Court is held on Friday nights (6:45-7:45p) with Debbie, Jeanette, Rich, Harry, Lisa attending regularly.

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Peace,  
Shelly

Honesty  
Openmindedness  
Willingness  
Love



Dear NA family,

Howl subcommittee met on April 20, 2008 @ 5pm @ Gratitude in Gulf Breeze. 12 members were in attendance. All positions are filled except for Treasurer.

Vice chair was absent so he was unable to sign bank papers. His signature is all that is needed to have Bank account transferred after it is notarized.

Diana G. has stepped up to Hospitality Chair. She will form a committee to meet at her home as planning gets closer. Suzanne R. is the new secretary.

Reshelle C. is programming chair. Will W. is programming. Thank you Benny W. for your help with the flyers!

Amanda T. is merchandizing chair and is unable to attend all mtgs due to work and needs help. Chad R. was present to offer his experience strength and hope.

Many newcomers are becoming involved and will organize children's activities at the Howl.

The deadline for artwork for the Howl is May 18th Sunday @ 5pm @ Howl Spcommittee mtg. @ the Chapel @ Gratitude in Gulf Breeze.

Fundraisers will be announced. we are planning for possible Bake sales @ home groups for those that are willing.

- ① A volleyball tournament @ Navarre Beach in June.
- ② 4th of July Cookout
- ③ coffee <sup>shop</sup> talent show in late August @ either Back to Life or Gratitude

More will be revealed

Thanks for allowing me to be of service

Wendy M.

Dear SPANA

This letter is to inform you of my willingness to serve as PCMA. My clean date is July 21 2006.

My Service Record is as follows  
 GSRA for 3<sup>rd</sup> tradition 7 months  
 GSR for 3<sup>rd</sup> tradition 4 months  
 H&I Lakeview detox 5 months  
 Open & chaired meetings

I have a working knowledge of the 12 steps & traditions and plan to learn about the concepts. Have a NA sponsor who has a NA sponsor <sup>etc.</sup> ~~who has~~ I

I'm excited to serve in this area in this <sup>com</sup> capacity. Thank you for your consideration.

Brandon V.

Group	Location	GSR	GSRA	Secretary	Treasurer	Attendant's per meeting/average newcomer	birthdays	New Meetings/changes/announcements	ASC donation
A New Beginning	Sunday - Friary 7:30 Wednesday -Life Styles Group 1942 Highway 87 South & Friary Navarre, FL	Joyce W.	Joyce	Joyce	Joyce W.	30*2			\$100.00
Back to Life	East Hill Baptist Church corner of summit and Spanish Trail Pensacola,FL	Burton R.	Paula K.		Jill M.			No Report	\$0.00
Come As You Are	Milton - St. Rose of Lima Church - Mon, Thr, Sat 8pm	Benny	Will W.	Glenda L.	Angela H.	14*1			\$0.00
Gratitude	Gulf Breeze United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall and Chapel	Stephanie F.	Brandon W.	Chad R.	Jan R.	Sun.&Tues. 15*1 Fri. 99*10	5/9 Mike B. 15 yrs		\$201.85
Hugs not Drugs	First United Methodist - Fort Walton	Joe H.		Joel	Reagan	22*3	Seymore 22yrs Linda 5 yr		\$150.00
Live Your Dreams	1 <sup>st</sup> Presbyterian Church & Holy Trinity Church	Wanda B		Debbie	Ben T	60*20	Claude T. 25yrs		\$500.00
New Attitude	Alano Club- Comer U and Cervantes	Phil F.	Kyle M.	Mary S.	Kyle M.	14*1	Mary S. 3 yrs		\$0.00
Northside Connection	Unitarian Universalist Church of Pensacola	Ron P	Dan H.	Reshelle C	Wayne O.	25*2	Wayne O 15 yrs Robin W 23yrs 5/11		\$0.00
Out Of the Darkness	1st Baptist Church & 1st United Methodist Church	Lee H.		Mark B	Mark E.	6*1			\$20.00
Progress Not Perfection	1 <sup>st</sup> United Methodist Niceville	Tommy	Pete		Tommy	16*1			\$100.00
Progressive Recovery	Santa Rosa Beach	Harry B	Jon D.	Lisa B	Deb			No Report	\$0.00
Soundside	St. Andrews Destin, NCADD Winrock Plaza Racetrack, Methodist Church Mary Easter	Rhonda B	Melissa	Judy	Bev	20*1	Ray 5 yrs 5/29		\$0.00
3rd Tradition	10 E. Chase	Brandon V	John K	Diana	Harry W	60*6	Robert B. 22yrs		\$139.16
							Total Donations		\$1,211.01

# MAY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 Robert B. 22yrs 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tradition
4	5	6	7	8 Mary S. 3 yrs New Attitude	9 Mike B. 15 yrs Gratitude Group	10
11 Wayne O. 15 yrs and Robin W. 23 yrs Northside Connection	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 Ray 5yrs Soundside	30	31
Claude T. 25 yrs Live Your Dreams- more will be revealed	Seymore 22 yrs and Linda 5 yrs Hugs Not Drugs- more will be revealed					

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