



FIVE RIVERS AREA OF NA (FRASCNA)

February 26, 2023

Bellbrook United Methodist Church

A.) Call to Order - 2:01

Moment of Silence/Serenity Prayer - Raychel L

12 Traditions - Evan

12 Concepts - Preston W

Service Prayer - Judy

B.) Roll Call

New GSRs/Groups - Surrender from self-Daniel R Dreece79@gmail.com ,

Serenity Down South- Mary M marycatmick@gmail.com

Group Name	December	January	February
Blinking Light	P	P	A
Drug Busters and Wilmington	P	P	P
Entirely Ready	P	A	A
Fairborn Basic Text	P	P	P
Guiding Principles	P	P	P
Living the Dream	P	P	A
More is Being Revealed	P	A	A
Never Alone	P	P	P
New Alive	P	P	P
Point of Freedom	A	P	P
Recovering Users	A	P	A
Serenity Down South	A	A	P
Sunday Night Stepping Out	A	A	A
Surrender from Self	A	P	P
The War Is Over	P	A	A
True Blue	P	A	P
TNT	P	A	A
Ultimate Weapon	A	A	A
Win on Wednesday	A	A	A
Wednesday Women Warriors	A	P	A
	12P 8A	11P 9A	9P 11A

C.) Reports

Chairperson: Raychel L

Vice Chair: Vic

Secretary: Please submit reports or pictures of reports online. Also, if you are new, changed your email address, or you have not received a copy of the recent minutes, please let me know.

Vice Secretary: OPEN

Treasurer: Verbal Report,

Vice Treasurer: Verbal Report

RCM: OPEN

Local Services: Report Attached

Policy: Present, verbal report, No new updates to policy in several months.

Activities: Present- verbal report will also send report in and will attach to minutes.

Literature: ABSENT, emailed report attached to minutes.

Group Reports: Attached

D.) Open Forum

Regional Report Attached, 26 February 2023 Good morning, Family,

I'm an addict named Martha. I am serving as Vice-chair for OCNA39 (39th Ohio Convention of Narcotics Anonymous). Our convention will be May 27-29th on Memorial Day weekend at the Hilton Polaris in Columbus, Ohio.

Due to the pandemic, area fundraisers for the convention have been severely reduced. Unfortunately, we also lost our Fundraising and Entertainment Chair. We are currently seeking solutions to the issue to ensure we have a convention that promotes unity, fellowship and encourages the newcomer to stick and stay. If you, or an addict you know has the willingness to step up to support the convention, please

contact me, or attend the next committee meeting on March 12. We will be meeting in person but

Zoom will also be an option for attending.

The convention committee is challenging home groups to sponsor at least one registration for the newcomer. Several groups within the region are already participating in the challenge, and we appreciate their willingness to support the convention and addicts new to recovery.

In addition, I have been asked to set up a fundraiser for the geographical area around Dayton. This is not meant to be an Area function. Events being considered are chili cook-off, Bingo, Euchre and/or Spades tournament(s) and I appreciate any other suggestions for the fundraiser. I will need help finding a location for the function so if anyone has meeting space that might be available, please let me know. I am also seeking addicts willing to serve for this one-time event. This is a great opportunity for sponsees to feel a part of and get a start in service.

Merchandise and recording vendors and a under contract. Programming has already selected speakers from all over the US including Puerto Rico but we could still use bids for a DJ. There are still some open positions in addition to Fundraising and Entertainment. The committee will step up as needed, but we could use some help with a Secretary, Arts and Graphics and Special Needs Chairperson. As usual, there are plenty of opportunities to be of service during the convention and there is no clean time requirement for willingness!

Links for the convention can be found at the Ohio Region website <https://wordpress.naohio.org/ocna-39/>. Addicts can also register or make a donation at the convention website <https://wordpress.naohio.org/ocna-39/>.

Thank you for allowing me to share our committee information at the Five Rivers Service meeting. I have convention flyers available for home groups and will be around after the meeting to answer questions.

Love and gratitude,

Martha B.

OCNA39 Vice-chair motomemaw@gmail.com (937) 718-2847

E.) Old Business

Nominations:

F.) New Business

Nomination for Vice Treasure- Freddie M

Motion from Activities- Activities budget for the year is 1200 to put on a minimum of 4 events.

Open FRASCNA Positions -

Open LSC Positions: Chair, Vice Chair, Flyers, PR

G.) Motion to Close - 2:30 -

H.) Attached Reports

Treasurer: Verbal report

Policy: Date: February 26, 2023

Email: Stephanie.bingamon@gmail.com

Chair: Stephanie V

Meeting time: 2nd Thursday of the month 730-830 on zoom (email Stephanie.bingamon@gmail.com so I can add you to invite)

Report:

No changes. Still working with last few committees to make sure policy reflects true practices of committees and can be a guiding document as it is intended to be. We're almost there!! Thanks to everyone that helped!! Sorry I missed area!!

In loving service,

Stephanie

Activities: Verbal Report.

Literature Report: No report for february in secretaries email.

Local Services committee report: **FRASCNA Subcommittee / Group Service Report**

Date: 2/26/2023

Email Address for ASC Minutes: thomason937@hotmail.com

Name of Group/Subcommittee: LSC

Time and Day of Meeting(s): 2/19/23 at 4 pm

Meeting Location: Zoom

Report: (ie. attendance, events/anniversaries, format changes etc.)

Attendance: Sandi, Bob B , Britt B, Doug S, Nick B, Rob G

Service Prayer: Rob

Twelve Traditions: Britt

Twelve concepts: Doug

Roll Call:

Chair-open

Vice Chair-open

Secretary-Sandi

PR-Helen- absent

H&I-Bob-present

Outreach-Rob

Flyers-Open

Website-Britt-present

Phone lines-Nick-present

Open Positions:

Chair

Vice Chair

Flyers

PR (Helen staying in the interim)

No reported issues with last month's minutes

Group Reports:

Phone line- no calls this month

Website- updated activity information

Outreach-reports attached below

H&I – nothing new to report

PR- no report

Old Business- revisiting open positions, no one has expressed interest

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It was brought up that we need some more schedule printed.

Britt motion to close, Rob second 4: pm

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-Meetings fall into 3 categories, barely hanging on, in need of assistance and flourishing.

-The majority fall into the first two categories. They need help reaching 'the addict still suffering' along with recruiting and developing' trusted servants.

The two meetings in Wilmington

Study Buddies and Share the Hope provide two examples of the challenges meetings are currently facing.

The Friday night meeting was not opened the week it was visited. Although a trusted servant Mark F was there, he chose not to open the meeting because no one came. He stated this has been a common occurrence since attempting to reopen recently. He is committed to continuing to serve and stated they have discussed moving the meeting to Sunday in the hopes of attracting more attendees.

The Thursday night meeting is receiving slightly more support, as it receives individuals from a local residential treatment center that transports gentlemen in recovery to the meeting.

The night our committee member attended there were 8 attendees, 3 from the facility, the others from the local recovery community. There was only 1 home group member in attendance, he alone was carrying out all of the responsibilities.

In an effort to assist these and other struggling meetings, we are seeking input from others with experience in PR and Outreach for ideas that may assist in locating and encouraging other addicts to attend. Any/all ideas will be discussed prior to planning a course of action.

We are planning to begin holding a monthly Outreach Committee meeting via Zoom next month. It will be held on the last Sunday of the month at 7:30 pm.

The meeting login information will be added to the schedule and website once finalized.

Respectfully,
Outreach Servants

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Group Reports:

Outreach-committee formed with 6 new members. Able to visit 5 meetings that have not sent GSR reports recently. Awaiting to establish a monthly meeting.

Phone lines- 1 call from a frequent caller, was able to get them information needed

H&I-nothing new to report

PR-Helen reviewed email correspondence between Bob, Doug and Greene County Jail. PR presentation may be helpful. Hoping to do one in March. 200 new schedules printed, has not picked them up. Sandi can pick them up and get them to area. Emailed updated schedule to Rob so he can verify meeting information with groups he visits.

New Business-Doug making point on trying to establish one point of contact in Greene County Jail. Several “points of contact” at this time.

Rob-OCNA 39 convention Memorial Weekend. Speaker Jam March 11th, Tim H needing support and speakers.

Helen-brought up to AREA a few months ago that PR could do a share on service work

Doug-bring back area inventory? Sandi working on one prior to start of covid. Can get copy to Rob.

Sandi needs reimbursed for schedules and Zoom account. Receipts below. **Total \$102.02**

Sandi motion to close, Doug second 4:40 pm

Serenity Prayer

Blinking Light:

GSR – Dan G – djgreene@gmail.com

8:15- 9:30 on Fridays – Mosaic Church - 350 North Fairfield Rd. Beaver creek

Rotating format: Report: Our meeting is doing well, averaging 15 to 25 addicts per meeting. This month we had an Area donation of \$80 and a literature order of \$88.

Drug Busters and Wilmington:

Entirely Ready:

GSR – Brian B - burdinebrianbdmr@gmail.com

7:00 pm to 8:15 - Tuesdays - Church of Nazarene - 4701 Far Hills Ave, Kettering, OH

Chairperson’s choice literature study

Area donation: \$15, Entirely Ready meets every week on Tuesday nights, averaging 15-20 people. We have a \$15 donation to Area this month. We get a fairly good mix of newcomers and old timers. In loving service,
Minami K

***Fairborn Basic Text:**

GSR - Jake - sarberjake855@gmail.com

7:30pm - 8:30pm Wednesdays - 333 North Broad Street

Text Study - Living Clean

Verbal Report

Guiding Principles:

GSR - Robert G - mrmathman1@gmail.com

Wednesdays 7-8pm - Hill Side Chapel - 3515 Shakertown

Literature study - Living Clean

No Report

***Living the Dream:**

GSR - JP - jprecovers745@gmail.com

Monday 7:00-8:15 - 444 country club Dr

Chairperson choice rotating format

Verbal Report

More is Being Revealed:

GSR – Ashley C - ash.teneyck@gmail.com

Thursdays at 7:00-8:15pm - Fairmont Presbyterian Church in basement - 3705 Far Hills Ave

Rotating topic/literature from It Works: How and Why

No Report

Never Alone:

GSR – Theron - theron977@gmail.com

Saturday 7:30-9:00PM - 202 S Winter St, Yellow Springs, OH

Topic discussion

Meeting is going well topic discussion averaging 15-30 addicts most Saturdays.

New Alive:

GSR – Raychel L - Raychel.e87@gmail.com

Tues 7:45-9:00 - St Marks Church - 456 Woodman Dr

Rotating format

No Report

Point of Freedom:

GSR - Raymond E -

Thursday 7:30-8:30 - Alpha Community Church - 806 Alpha Rd

Format: weekly rotating candlelight meeting

Absent

***Recovering Users:**

GSR – Nick B - Nbutcher0335@gmail.com

Tuesday 8:00-9:00 - 100 N Broad St Fairborn, Oh

Topic discussion

Verbal Report

Serenity Down South:

GSR – Becky -

Monday 7:00-8:15 - 63 East Franklin St

Closed meeting, rotating format

Absent

Sunday Night Stepping Out:

GSR – Jason S - Snider_8@yahoo.com

Sunday 7-8pm - FRS 149 Chillicothe Ave

Basic text study

Absent

Surrender from Self

GSR- Freddie M - freddie.murry@gmail.com

Sundays 7:00 pm-8:00 pm - Seventh Day Adventist - 3939 Stonebridge Rd

Rotating format

Link to online meeting

<https://meetings.ringcentral.com/j/1488719778>

Absent

The War is Over:

GSR – Brian B - burdinebrianbdmr@gmail.com

Saturday 7pm - St George Episcopal - 5520 Far Hills Rd

Rotating format

No Report

TNT:

GSR - Tim H - timothy78harp@gmail.com

Tuesday 7:30-9:00 - The Hope Spot- 335 E. Market St. Xenia, OH 45385

No report

True Blue:

Email: Stephanie.bingamon@gmail.com

Date: February 26, 2023

Name of group: True Blue

Time and Day of Meetings: every Sunday 6-7:15

Meeting Location: Peace Lutheran Church Beavercreek, Ohio

Format: Literature study

Currently reading: Basic Text

GSR: Stephanie V

Secretary: Sandi T

Treasurer: Aleida R

Literature order: 0

Area donation: \$20 for January and 58 dollars for February

True Blue is meeting face to face and is averaging 15-20 people. We had a approximately 0 dollar literature order from last month Leaving us with 78 dollars total to donate for January and February. Masks are not required however need to be Worn in hallways.

In loving service,
Stephanie V

Ultimate Weapon:

Not Meeting

Wednesday Women Warriors

GSR – Helen N - hneale66@gmail.com

Wednesday 7:30pm-8:30pm with option to extend 15 minutes

Zoom Meeting - 77045099521, Password - 668509

Women's meeting, Just For Today reading

Absent

Win on Wednesday:

GSR - Rick R - Patrol489@aol.com

Wednesdays from 7pm-8:00pm - 2701 S Smithville Rd

Chair Choice

Absent

Thank you for allowing me to be your secretary, In loving service Theron O.