

## Roanoke Valley Area of Narcotics Anonymous

### Area Service Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: February 13, 2022

Meeting held in person at Rebos

The ASC meeting opened at 2:30 p.m. with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer; The 12 Traditions & 12 Concepts were read.

**Voting GSRs Present: 5**

**Acceptance of Last Month's Minutes: Approved**

**Vote: 5 for/0 abstain/0 against**

### Administrative and Subcommittee Roll Call

<b>Position</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Report</b>
Chair	Kaitlyn H.	Present	Attached
Vice-Chair	Philip W.	Absent	--
Treasurer	Jacob M.	Present	Attached
Vice Treasurer	Bailey H.	Present	--
Secretary	Brittney D.	Present	--
Vice Secretary	Vacant	--	--
RCM	Debra	Absent	--
Alt. RCM	Vacant	--	--
Policy	Amanda E.	Present	--
VRCC Director	Vacant	--	--
Alt. VRCC Director	Vacant	--	--
Literature	Keith C	Present	Attached
Activities	Christy W.	Absent	--
H&I Chair	Patrick B.	Present	Attached
PR Chair	Kelly N.	Present	--

### Home Groups Roll Call

<b>Homegroup</b>	<b>Attendance</b>
1,2,3... 24/7	Absent
A.I.R.	A
Against all Odds	Robert Z
Another Step to Freedom	A
Breath of Life	A
Clean and Serene	A
Do or Die	David D
Foundations of Recovery	A
Gainsboro Group	A
Grateful Heads	A

Higher Power Hour	A
Hope in HERstory	Sarah M
Just For Today	A
Night Owls	A
The Pain Stops Here	A
Principles Before Personalities	A
Sicker Than Most	Delores H.
Start from the Beginning	Kevin R.
Time for Change	A
Wecovery	A
Weekends In Recovery	A

## **Administration and Subcommittee Reports**

**Chair** – Hello Family,

I'm glad to be back, I missed seeing you all the past two months.

Today, Debra M. sent me a text that she was going to resign from her position as RCM. She thinks that someone younger, with better tech skills, will fit better in this position than she does. If you are interested in this position, please say so in new business.

In love & service,

Kaitlyn H

**Vice-Chair** – *absent*

**Treasurer** – *attached*

**Vice Treasurer** – **no report**

**Secretary** – Please email me your reports whenever possible and thank you to those who already do. ILS, Brittny

**Vice-Secretary** – *vacant*

**RCM** – *Resigned. Now vacant.*

**Alt RCM** - *vacant*

**Policy** – **no report**

**VRCC** – *vacant*

**Alt VRCC** – *vacant*

**Literature** – Finally got order. Literature is about 2 months behind now from where Free State sent our literature to another area. Please begin bringing bags for your lit orders. A new literature order form will be available online next month reflecting new prices.

## **Activities - no report**

**H&I** - The RVANA H&I Subcommittee met Sunday February 6, 2022 at 2:30pm at Roanoke Avenue Baptist Church 2202 Roanoke Ave.

10 members were in attendance. The panels are continuing to carry a strong message of NA Recovery and still finding that patients are continuing to participate in Area meetings upon discharge. Reports were given and new business was discussed.

Our lead for "The 12" Saturday evening 7:00pm commitment has been voted back into the 12 as his affiliation has ended.

We voted Alex V. in as lead for the BRBH CSU for Thursday night. Currently the chairperson is leading Monday night.

Since the meeting, we have been informed that Bethany Hall no longer needs our services. The patients there do have access to outside meetings.

In loving service,  
Dashel & Patrick

## **PR - No report**

## **Homegroup Reports**

**Against All Odds** - The group is continuing to carry a clear NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS message. Against All Odds is consistent in following the 12 traditions of NA. Opening and closing on time! We continue to be a first line of exposure to NA for several local treatment and recovery programs. Our meeting attendance is between 25-50 addicts or more consistently. Homegroup members celebrating in the upcoming month are Shannon first miracle year Feb 18th....Kyle first miracle year Feb 20th.....Mikey first miracle year Feb 22nd Cynthia 18 months Feb 27th and skeet 2 years March 4th .....Donation to area is \$22. In loving service Robert Z

**Clean and Serene** - Hi Family,

Clean And Serene is opening and closing on time and carrying a strong message of recovery. We are enjoying our new meeting space at Belmont Christian Church. Our homegroup member Dawn M will be celebrating 17 years next week, February 19<sup>th</sup>. Also, we will have our annual Homegroup anniversary "Eating Meeting" the last Saturday in March, which is March 26<sup>th</sup>. We are averaging 25-35 addicts each week. Our donation to Area is 23.40.

In Loving Service,  
Amanda E.

**Do or Die** - Group is growing and still carrying a message of recovery. We hope to have our prudent reserve up to par so we can donate to area next month. We currently have meetings between 8-20 addicts.

**Hope in HERstory** -

The group continues to begin & end on time. We are continuing to see new women show up & see familiar faces both which continue to spread hope. We averaged about 15-20 women a meeting this past month. We continue to carry a strong message of recovery to women seeking it. We will be celebrating Brittney D on February 14th. She is picking up 5 yrs!!!! We do not have a donation for area at this time.

In loving service  
-Sarah M

**Sicker Than Most** – Our homegroup is opening and closing on time. This homegroup is carrying the message. Meeting attendance is around 25-55 weekly. There's no celebration in the coming months. Sicker Than Most are in need of Trusted servants.

We're donating \$47.00

In Loving Service,

Delores H.

**Start From the Beginning** – Hello family; Start From the Beginning has consistently been carrying the message of recovery, studying the first few chapters and traditions from our basic text and literature. We have a strong newcomer presence and consistent attendance from local treatment centers, consistently with 15-40 addicts in attendance. We are open every Thursday at 6:30pm at the above address. We are donating \$25 to Area this month. There are no celebrations at Start From the Beginning for the upcoming month.

In Loving Service,

Kevin R. GSR, Start From the Beginning

## **Open Forum**

- 2 addicts starting a new meeting Monday nights at 8. Do not need a literature packet due to donations
- Reminder that lit order forms are available on the website
- Permission granted from the body based on treasurer's reported finances to begin printing meeting lists again.

## **Old Business**

- Patrick T nominated for Vice Secretary. Went back to homegroups for a vote. Motion passed  
**Vote: 5/0/0**

## **New Business**

- Motion 2-1 made by David D., second by Jacob M.: New meeting Monday 8:00 pm at St. Elizabeth Church 2339 Grandin Rd, Roanoke VA 24015 beginning March 7. No Need for literature packet.

Intent: To start a meeting.

**Motion passed 5/0/0**

- Motion 2-2 made by Amanda E., second by Delores H.: To amend Section IB2 to say "A meeting will be listed on the area meeting schedule upon recognition by the ASC, provided the meeting follows NA traditions, meets at a specific place and time, and has trusted servants to regularly open/close the meeting. No vote is required.

Intent: to provide more clarity in our policy

**Motion passed 5/0/0**

- Vacant positions: RCM, Alt-RCM (2 yrs acclimated), VRCC Director (2 yrs; can also be a GSR), Alt-VRCC (2 yrs acclimated; can also be a GSR), PR (Kelly N is pro-temped)

**RVANA ASC was concluded with the Serenity Prayer and was adjourned at 3:17 p.m.**

*Minutes are respectively submitted by RVANA ASC Vice-Secretary, Brittany D.*