



BASCNA MEETING

Baltimore Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous
Free State Regional Service Center
217 N. Warwick Avenue
Baltimore, Md. 21223

Phone: 410-566-4022

Hotline: 1-800-317-3222

Stephanie G. – Chair

Randy S. – Vice Chair

Nicole H. - Secretary

Saturday, July 7, 2018



• OPENING

- We version of "The Serenity Prayer"
- The reading of "The 12 Concepts"
- Housekeeping Rules

• ROLL CALL

◦ BASC Chair	Stephanie G.	◦ Phone Line Chair	VACANT
▪ BASC Vice-Chair	Randi S.	◦ Hospitals & Institutions Chair	Absent
◦ Secretary	Nicole H.	◦ RCM	Greg B.
▪ Alternate Secretary	Excused	▪ Alternate RCM	VACANT
◦ Treasurer	Excused	◦ Public Relations Chair	Excused
▪ Alternate Treasurer	Milton W.	◦ BACNA Liaison	Thomas C.
◦ Literature Chair	Curtiss C.	▪ BACNA/Region	Absent
◦ Policy Chair	Yorell C.	◦ FSRNA and / or FSRNA	Jeff G.
◦ Special Events Chair	Larry T.		
◦ Web-Servant	Franklin G.	◦ Sargent at Arms #1	Jimmie B.
▪ Alternate Web-Servant	Shawn S.	◦ Sargent at Arms #2	Mario A.
			Darryl S. (sub)

• WELCOME of "New Groups and/or GSR/Alt GSR

Home Group Name	Address	Representative	Meeting Information
RECOVERY ON THE HEIGHTS	Caundenia 4450 Park Heights Avenue Baltimore, MD 21215	Brian (GSR) Nicole W. (Alt GSR)	• Mon – Fri 12 noon
LIVING LIFE A NEW WAY	Macedonia Baptist Church 719 W. Lafayette Street Baltimore, MD 21217	Janet D. (GSR) Sharor M. (Alt GSR)	• Mon 6pm OD • Thurs 6pm ST, T, JFT • Sat 6pm OD
ANSWERED PRAYERS	Evangelical Bible Church 2444 Washington Blvd Baltimore, MD 21230	Wesley S. (GSR) Brenda S. (Alt GSR)	• Sat 1pm I, OD
WINNING THE WAR WITHIN	Baltimore Service Center 2031 W. Pratt Street Baltimore, MD 21223	Ozzie L. (GSR) Brenda L. (Alt GSR)	• Wed 12 noon OD • Sat 12 noon OD
RECOVERY AT THE HARBOR	Christ Lutheran Church 701 S. Charles Street Baltimore, MD 21230	Vincent B. (Alt GSR)	• Fri 8pm ST, T, OD
A NEW BEGINNING	Dee's Place 1212 Wolfe Street Baltimore, MD 21213	Anthony M. (GSR)	• Sun – Sat 5:30pm
SISTERS IN RECOVERY	Park Heights Renaissance 4151 Park Heights Avenue Baltimore, MD 21215	Sheila (GSR)	• Sat 4pm OD



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•	OD – Open Discussion
•	JFT – Just For Today
•	ST – STEP
•	L – LITERATURE
•	T – TRADITION

> 1st GSR count 11:19 am 24 GSR's

- **REVIEW** of last month's minutes approved.
 - Open position(s)
 - Alternate RCM
 - Hotline Chair
- **TREASURER/VICE TREASURES Report** Group donation amount is not listed due to autonomy and past discrepancies. (See Report 27,0,0)
- **SPECIAL EVENTS Subcommittee Report** Friendly amendment made to the amount returned from event; \$1189.13 to \$1189.38. Event today is held at the Arena Playhouse; comedy show and dance to follow. Saturday, July 7th at St. Lukes we will have a marathon and dance, 12-8 Marathon and 8-12 is the dance. The community has complained about events that are held at Gwynn Oak UMC. Please be mindful of parking and trashing the community. The neighbors have voiced their concerns to the church and we DO NOT want to lose this venue. We are working to improve our reputation to prevent losing venues. (See Report 28,0,0)

> 2nd GSR count 12:05 pm 28 GSR's

- **CHAIR'S Report** accepted. (See Report)
- **VICE CHAIR'S Report** accepted. First bullet if not on parole/probation you will clear. (See Report)
- **RCM and/or Alternate RCM Report(s)** Disregard number 3. (See Report)
- **POLICY Subcommittee Report** accepted. (See Report.)
- **BACNA LIAISON / BACNA BOD / BACNA Subcommittee Report(s)** Registration online until June 22nd or at the convention. (See Report)
- **PHONE LINE Subcommittee Report** (See Report in Vice Chair's Packet)
- **LITERATURE Subcommittee Report** All submissions must be submitted by 5pm on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. Entries can include your name or you can submit anonymously. (See Report)
- **HOSPITALS and INSTITUTIONS Subcommittee Report** See report for explanation for of Panel Leader: (take the meeting into facility) vs. Panel Coordinator (contacts the facility). (See Report.)



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BASC AGENDA

Please place your reports in the order as follows. Thank you!

Order of Business

- ✓ 1. Serenity Prayer (*We version*), reading of 12 Concepts.
- ✓ 2. Sargent at Arms, Housekeeping rules, and GSR Training.
- ✓ 3. Roll Call
- ✓ 4. Welcome to all New Groups, New GSR's, Alternate GSR's and elected Executive Body.
- ✓ 5. Review and approval our last monthly minutes. (*Please review these reports before the start of the meeting.*)
- ✓ 6. Treasurer and/or Vice-Treasurer update/Report.
- ✓ 7. Special Events Subcommittees Report.
- ✓ 8. Old Business
 - a. *Qualifications, Nominations, and Elections for the 2018 Service Year*
 - b. *Executive Body positions that are now open/available.*
 - c. *Tabled Motion*
- ✓ 9. New Business/Motions/Nominations
10. Chairperson Report
11. Vice-Chairperson Report
12. Secretary and Alternate Secretary Report(s)
13. RCM/RCM Alternate Report
14. Policy Committee Report
15. Hospitals & Institutions (H&I) Committee Report and update
16. Public Relations/Information (PR/PI) Committee Report
17. BACNA Liaison Report
18. BACNA Update
19. Phone line/Hotline Committee Report
20. Web Servant Report/Alternate Web Servant Report(s)
21. Literature Committee Report
22. FSRNA and/or FSRCA Report
23. Open Discussions of issues, thoughts, and concerns in our BASC Area

Closing with the "We" version of Serenity Prayer.

Thank you for all GSR's stepping up to staying until the close of meeting.

This demonstrates how your Home Group presents itself to the Area, Region, and the World!



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Respectful Housekeeping Rules

Please all remember that our recovery process teaches us:

Cooperation, Open-mindedness, Compassion, Love,

Understanding, Tolerance, Honesty,

Caring, Giving, Helping one another, and Willingness.

***We the BASC Executive Body Respectfully
Requests your help and assistance by:***

****Please*** pick up and prepare your meeting packets before start of meeting.

****Please*** read over the agenda and put meeting reports in corresponding order.

****Please*** be seated **5 minutes** before the meeting with your phone on vibrate.

****Please*** respect and assist our Sergeants at Arms.

****Please*** keep personal conversations at a very minimum or take it outside.

****Please*** when you need any forms (*nominations or motions etc.*) ask for it from the Sergeants at Arms.

****Please*** no cross sharing or talking. (*Direct all comments to your BASC Executive Body*)

****Please*** for all GSR counts keep your hand up and stay in place until count is finished. Please speak loudly and clearly.

****Please*** stay focused on business currently on the floor to be discussed and possibly voted on.

****Please*** remember to keep principles before personalities. Group conscious is the spiritual means by which we invite a loving God to influence our decisions (6th Concept).

****Please*** remember that motions and nominations are conducted after reports and old business.

****Please*** clean up behind yourself and your neighbor.

Baltimore Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous

Jul-18

Balance from Statement 5/31/2018 **\$ 3,032.21**

Currency	\$	1,260.00	Special Event 6/2/2018	\$	1,700.00
Coin	\$	41.22		\$	3.90

Checks / Money Orders	1 \$	30.00
	2 \$	10.00
	3 \$	20.00
	4 \$	158.00

Area Basket \$ 32.98

Deposited 6/4/2018 \$ 1,549.60 \$ 1,731.90

Total Deposited **\$ 3,281.50**

Deposit + Balance **\$ 6,313.71**

Debits / Expenses			
Check #	4522	11 \$	106.73
Treasure (Refreshments for the GSR Meeting)			
Check #	4523	2 \$	1,500.00
Special Events Marathon (July)			
Check #	4524	3 \$	85.00
Wayne Maddox - Flyers & Tickets (Special Events)			
Check #	4525	4 \$	21.20
Time Printers (P.R.) Stampers			
Check #	4526	5 \$	131.63
F.S.R.S.C.N.A. (Copies for the Baltimore Area)			
Check #	4527	6 \$	90.00
F.S.R.S.C.N.A. (Rent for Sub-Committees)			
Check #	4528	7 \$	228.92
F.S.R.S.C.N.A. Literature for H&I			
Check #	4529	8 \$	65.00
Regional - Phone Line			
Check #	4530	9 \$	65.19
F.S.R.S.C.N.A. (150 Newsletters)			
Check #	4531	10 \$	31.11
F.S.R.S.C.N.A. (P.R.) Starter Kit			
Check #	4532	11 \$	90.00
F.S.R.S.C.N.A. (Rent for the Baltimore Area)			
Check #	4533	12 \$	100.00
Regional Donation			

Total Debits Minus **\$2,514.78**

Ending Balance **\$ 3,798.93**

Prudent Reserve \$ 1,000.00

Operating Expense Above \$ 2,600.00 \$ 2,798.93

Go To The Region \$ 198.93

\$100 minimum established by NASC Motion 408002

Anything above this operating expense

Please Make Checks or Money Orders out to Baltimore Area

Home Group Donations from June 2018

PROMISE IS FREEDOM	STRONG CONNECTION	LITERATURE IS THE PROGRAM
WOMAN'S RAP	TO LIVE OR DIE IN LA	RECOVERY AT THE CENTER
7 DAYS OF NA	1000 MILE WALK	KEEP STEPPING
LIVING LIFE A NEW WAY	IT'S ABOUT CHANGE	RECOVERY OR RELAPSE
TIME FOR RECOVERY	FREEDOM FROM BONDAGE	SISTERS AND RECOVERY
KEEPIN IT REAL	IN TIMES OF ILLNESS	BLAST OF RECOVERY
HANGIN TOUGH	GETTING CLEANED UP	HELP JUST ARRIVED
LITTLE ITALY	VISION OF HOPE	ADOLESCENT OF SISTERS
THE BEST THING GOING	MESSAGE OF RECOVERY	A DESIRE TO CHANGE
DOING IT AGAIN ON GREENMOUNT	STRIVING AND THRIVING WITH THE STEPS	COURAGE TO CHANGE
LIFE SUPPORT	POWER OF EXAMPLE	GIVE ME A BREAK



*Baltimore Area Special Events
July Report*



July, 2018

Good morning, Executive Body and GSRs,

*Pleased to be of service as the Special Events Chair for the
Baltimore Area this year.*

*Final balance turned in to the Treasurer for the June event is
\$1,730.95.*

*Today's event is at the St. Luke's Church, 2119 Gwynn Oak
Avenue from 12:00 pm to 12:00 midnight, "Freedom" Marathon
is from 12 - 8 pm, Dance from 8 pm - 12 midnight with \$5
admission for Dance.*

*Our August 4th the event is at Transfiguration Church, 775
W. Hamburg Street, 21230 from 1:00 pm to 12:00 midnight,
"Vision of Hope" Marathon is from 1 - 8 pm, Dance from 8 pm
- 12 midnight with \$5 admission for Dance.*

I am honored to be of service as your Special Events Chairperson.

*In Loving Service,
Larry T.
Chairperson*

SPECIAL EVENTS

OPERATING REPORT FOR MONTH: _____ JUNE 2 _____, 20_18_____

CHAIR _____ Larry T. _____ VICE CHAIR _____ Cassie _____

OPERATING BALANCE: _____ \$1,500.00 _____	EXPENSES/TOTALS
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RECEIPT FOR VENUE COST	\$1,000.00 EXPENSE
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HELD: ARENA PLAYERS

RECEIPT FOR COMEDIANS (LONNIE DAVIS)	\$500.00 EXPENSE
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OTHER ITEM(S) USED FOR EVENT	NONE
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RECEIPTS FOR SUPPLIES, FOOD, ETC.	NONE
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RETURNED CASH/NOT SPENT	NONE
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TOTAL FOR ALL OPERATING COST FOR THE EVENT	\$1,500.00
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(SHOULD EQUAL UP TO OPERATING BALANCE)

D.J. NAME: DARRYL JAMES	\$350.00 EXPENSE
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SODAS AND WATER	\$50.00 EXPENSE
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CATERER: BERT QUEEN CATERING (BID OUT CONTRACT)	\$400.00 INCOME
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RETURNED FROM EVENT

FOOD \$200.00 / MEETING ENVELOPES \$130.95 / DANCE-COMEDY SHOW \$1400.00	\$1730.95 INCOME
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***** "The Special Events Subcommittee plans and creates events and/or functions that provide a clean, safe environment for our members to enhance the enjoyment of their recovery; to fellowship together and to promote unity."



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- **WEBSERVANT / ALTERNATE WEB SERVANT Report** It was asked that current events be presented front and center on the website. (See Report.)
- **PUBLIC RELATIONS Subcommittee Report** (See Report)
- **OLD BUSINESS**
 - Tabled motion(s)
 - None
- **NEW BUSINESS**
 - Motion(s) None
 - Nomination(s) None
 - Discussion(s) None
 - Concern(s) None
- **SECRETARY Update** Friendly amendment made on page 2 to BASCNA Liaison report in the beginning. It should also state "The liaison personally feels". (See Report)
- **FSRCNA and / or FSRNA** Friendly amendment to closure date, it should state June versus July.
- **OPEN GROUP DISCUSSION** None
- **CLOSING**
 - The We version of the "Serenity Prayer"

Thank you for allowing me to serve!!!

Humbly submitted,

Nicole H.

BASC Secretary

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BASC CHAIRPERSON REPORT

Good Morning to all GSR's, GSR Alternates and Board Members.

Thank you for all you do GSR's, board members and other trusted servants. The message is hope and the promise is freedom. For every commitment we fill, we give hope to the still suffering addict. The BASC is still in need of trusted servants. However, I am pleased to announce that we have filled all but two positions, Alt RCM and Hotline Chair. Antonio C., our previous chair is still acting as interim until we fill the position. If you or someone you know is interested, we are still accepting nominations.

We held our monthly 3rd Thursday meeting. In addition, I attended some of our monthly sub committee meetings as well.

The BASC is still working toward building partnerships and unionizing with other surrounding areas. In our monthly board meeting we also discussed possible events and ideas to bridge the gap. We are seeking your support and ideas regarding this matter as well. Our BASC Secretary has created a suggestion box and slips for ideas in unionizing with other surrounding areas. Please take a moment to share your ideas with us as we work through this goal. We are looking forward to attending upcoming events and conferences to expand mutually rewarding relationships.

To reiterate, we the board would like to thank all of you for your continued support in creating an atmosphere conducive to recovery.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie G.

BASC Chairperson



BASC Vice Chair 2018

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Greetings and welcome to all. Thank you for your love and commitment in your efforts to serve the BASC & the fellowship of Narcotics Anonymous.

Seven Tradition (Abridged)

The practice of self-support is vital to our freedom. Over and over we describe addiction the same way. One is to many and a thousand never enough. That feeling of never enough can stay with us long into recovery.

The seventh tradition is our statement of abundance and sharing, fulfillment and support; our commitment to the addict who still suffers and to ourselves. Belief in self-support is a massive leap of faith. We commit to the ideal that we will be enough. Even when our resources don't always keep up with our aspirations, we can stay clean and carry the message.

As long as we have each other and Narcotics Anonymous, we have all that we need. Our commitment to self-support doesn't mean we go it alone--- it means we do it together.

ACTIVITIES

- **Thursday 6/21/18**-Attended Executive Body Meeting held @ FSRSC 3rd Thursday @ 217 N. Warwick Ave. 5:30 pm
 - ✓ Primary discussions were ideas for the Baltimore area to build the gap with surrounding areas i.e., Baltimore area subcommittee's chair to attend regional meetings and member's participation with special events, marathons, and meetings. Our only hope is that by giving our full attention and presences, in return we will be given the same courtesy.
 - ✓ Tabled for more discussion on public safety and forming policy for clearance in jails.
- **Friday 6/22/18**-Attended BACNA XIII Marriott Hurts Valley
 - ✓ Coddles to the Baltimore Area Convention of Narcotic Anonymous on a job well done! Hats off to the fellowship on our best behavior!
- **Saturday 6/23/18**-Attended H&I subcommittee meeting held @ FSRSC 217 N. Warwick Ave. 4th Saturday @ 12 noon.
 - ✓ Turk house has meetings for woman and men daily. Panel leaders have been selected to keep meetings flowing for each floor that facilitates men & woman. **Please see H&I report**

Your Trusted Servant, Randy Smith.

443-908-1647

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RCM REPORT

1. NE Freedom Area, NW Area, Ocean Gateway were absent.
2. Larry S. was voted in as Vice Chair of Region.
3. Thom S. is Region H & I Chair, (Westside) Till August.
4. Elections are in August, for All positions.
5. Ocean Gateway has join the phoneline, which help fill a lot of positions. They made a decision to suspend the conference call for the summer months.
6. PR----Westside, Bay Area, Del Marva were (present).
7. The region stressed Very Clearly the importance for All Sub Commitees Chairs to come to the Regional Meeting. To hear whats going on, for input, to maybe stop from bumping heads, and to support each other.
8. Motion to hold Donation until we hear from RCM'S.

THANKS FOR ALLOWING ME TO SERVE

GREG B.

BASC Policy Sub-Committee



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Yorell C. - Chair
Phone: 443-563-0343

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Greetings to all.....

Thank you for allowing me to service....

We are here to report the policy committee is in of trusted servants. Below is the restructuring of this committee and an open invitation to join. We meet the 4th Saturday of every month at 10:30 am. GSRs are encouraged to join and please announce at your home groups.

Old business

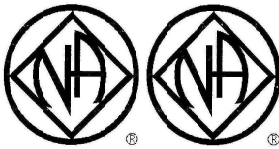
- Nomination forms are still being archived.
- Motions are still being categorized.

Policy Chair	Yorell C.
Policy Vice Chair	Patrice D.
Secretary	Vacant
BASC, Regional Committee Member (RCM), Web-Servant, BACNA Liaison, Public Relations Subcommittee	
Coordinators	
Hospitals and Institutions Subcommittee	Vacant
Hotline Subcommittee	Vacant
Literature Subcommittee	Vacant
Special Events Subcommittee	Vacant

Sincerely;

Yorell C.

Patrice D.



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7/7/2018

Chair - Zavia B.
Vice Chair – vacant
Secretary- Carolyn S.
Alt. Secretary- Charvette B.
Literature Coordinator – Dray

OPEN WITH THE SERENITY PRAYER Zavia
READING OF THE TWELVE TRADITIONS Charvette B.
READING OF THE TWELVE CONCEPTS Randy
READING OF THE DOs AND DON'TS Tyra/Tammie
COUNT OF COORDINATORS 3 Coordinators & 0 Alternative
Attendance:

EXPLANATION OF THE FIRST ROLL CALL: a description of each facility will be given, with a note as to whether or not any service opening(s) exist there. If you are here to take on a commitment, please pay attention to the day and time of meeting(s) and the proximity to you and how it will fit within your schedule, and so forth. Hold comments or questions, though, until second roll call, PLEASE. Follow through, as an interested PL, even if the Coordinator is not here today; call him/her later. Please take information back to fellow recovering addicts in the Baltimore Area and your home group. Grab extra agendas so you can discuss the facilities).

LITERATURE REPORT : Literature was given out and none was purchased this month.
SECOND ROLL CALL: interested Panel Leaders are voted in.

Facilities: <u>GAUDENZIA</u>	(TREATMENT LONG TERM FEMALE)
4615 Park Heights	
<u>GAUDENZIA</u>	(MALE/FEMALE (28 DAY Treatment-Facility)
4615 Park Heights	
<u>GAUDENZIA/Woodland</u>	(Male Long Term Treatment)
3643 Woodland Avenue	
<u>JOHNS HOPKINS BAYVIEW CAP PROGRAM</u>	(PREGNANT WOMEN Drug Maintenance Program)
4900 Eastern Avenue	
<u>JOHNS HOPKINS BAYVIEW DETOX:</u>	(MALE & FEMALE)
4900 Eastern Avenue	

TUERKE HOUSE
730 Ashburton Avenue

(MALE & FEMALE TREATMENT PROGRAM)

UNIVERSITY OF MD.
827 Linden Avenue

(MIDTOWN CAMPUS Psychiatric)

CHESAPEAKE DETENTION FACILITY *
401 EAST MADISON STREET

(Pre-trial Federal Detainees for Male)

CHESAPEAKE DETENTION FACILITY *
401 EAST MADISON STREET

(Pre-trial Federal Detainees for Females)

Old BUSINESS: Tuerke House meeting has gotten too big for just one meeting so now there are two floors male 3rd fl and m & f 1st fl. We are now in need of more panel leaders.
Our Detention facilities are still on hold.

VACANCIES must BE FILL for THE COMMITTEE TO OPERATE PROPERLY.

New BUSINESS: Public Relations Chair and myself are working on the detention facilities trying to come up with a solution. Me, Public Relations & the Vice Chair went to Chrislis House were a potential new meeting will take place on Mondays 7-8. Literature was given to Mrs. Tribble the contact person there. There is also a meeting at Northwest hospital that is on the radar. Gaudenzia/woodland needs a panel leader for fridays, U of M Midtown needs a panel leader and has Saturdays at 6 open and Tuerke House is in need of coordinator, alt coord. H & I still has the Vice Chair position open. Concerns & issues were tabled until this month.

Please consider serving on the Baltimore H&I subcommittee OR any other committee under Baltimore Area.

In Loving Service
Zavia B. Chair, H & I
301-675-5827

Next Monthly Business Meeting will be held on the fourth Saturday @ 12:30pm

* Clean time requirements: Panel Cord – 1 yr, Alt. Cord. – 6 Months
Panel Leader (PL) – 90 days

Make announcements in meetings, please, about H&I's next meeting here!



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Meeting Agenda

June 30, 2018

Greetings Narcotic Anonymous Family,

We did not have a public relations subcommittee meeting this month one person should who Alexander to fill in for me. Lawrence attended BANCA for Public Relations, New business we are considering is to have advertisement to display on MTA busses, subways and planning to meet with MS. Blackwell at the main street office at the Pennsylvania Avenue Market, about display hash tag flyers in the facility. Public Relation Chair Antonio S, H&I Chair Zavia and Vice Chair Randi are planning to meet to discuss who are interested in the position to carry the meeting in the Chesapeake detention center for men and woman. More will be revealed.

Public Relations Chair

Antonio S 443-630-4530

**Baltimore Area Narcotic Anonymous
BACNA Liaison Report – 07/07/18**

Greetings and salutations to the Baltimore Area GSR assembly

BACNA XIII is now history. For those who missed it, you missed a wonderful, successful convention that was given positive raves by most attendees. Let me expand and explain my assessment.

Venue: Although the Baltimore convention was in Baltimore County amid a lot of dissension from area members, it was done there because of various unavoidable situations. Because of a debt of Narcotic Anonymous with hotels in Baltimore City, the excessive costs of having a convention at a hotel in Baltimore City and the results of the membership behavior at prior conventions in Baltimore City has caused myriad problems to have the convention back in Baltimore City. But all is not lost, I have gotten an assurance from the BACNA Board that they will continue to investigate returning the convention to Baltimore City. Despite being in Baltimore County, The Delta of Marriott at Hunt Valley was more than adequate.

Programming: This is the “meat” of any convention. The selection of topics and the speakers to deliver the interpretation their experiences on those topics determine how successful a convention is. By many accounts, this convention had good topics and excellent speakers that were diversified, who brought a well-rounded set of experiences on the topics. Kudos to the Programming committee.

Activities: If programming is the “meat” then the entertainment activities are the “potatoes”. In addition to the dances on Friday and Saturday there was a headline activity of a musical play Luther. This was a musical depiction of Luther Vandross’ life through his lifelong musical accomplishments. The performance was augmented with a meal which preceded it. A secondary headline activity was a comedy show that was also on Saturday before the dance. The Fund Raising and Entertainment Committee did a fine job of adding this entertainment to the convention program.

Pot Pourri: This was a well administered convention considering the obstacles incurred and overcome by the BACNA committees. During the 2-year convention cycle these committees operated terribly understaffed and overwhelmed. After enduring a lack of true information, apathy, and just plain terrible rumor and despite all they still put on a very credible convention.

Conclusion: This is my final liaison report of the BACNA Committees. I have had a wonderful time being a part of the planning, budgeting, and eventually culmination of BACNA XIII. I had a budget of \$100.00 that I didn't spend. I have other service endeavors I would like to explore, but I will still be around to share my opinionated interests.

Dedicated to Service,

Thomas C.

Web Servant Report

JULY 7, 2008



Good afternoon NA family,

I hope all had a pleasant, relaxing, and safe fun filled July 4th. I would like to offer my condolences to our Chairwoman Stephanie for the transitioning of her Mother, those of us who have lost parents can certainly understand what you're going through. I offer my deepest empathy.

Things so far are going well with our website, each time I log in I learn something new. I stay in touch with Larry T. Special events chair to get his flyers on the website.

It has come to my attention that at times some home groups have events and don't get the flyers; this is where GSR's I need your help, if your home group is planning an event could you and would you make sure I get one flyer so it can be placed on our website, our site is visited by many people outside of the Maryland area it's important that we get the message out. Thank you for your help in this matter.

That's it for my report, just remember I'm always available..Thank you for allowing Shawn S. and I to serve.

You can't think your way into a new way of living...you have to live your way into a new way of thinking.

Web-servant

Franklin G.
412-802-8911

Alt web-servant

Shawn S.
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Literature Committee

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Literature Vice Chair Milton W.
Committee Members Kim H & James A

Greeting all,

On Saturday June 9th Milton and I attended the Free State regional meeting. We were joined by Trisha who was acting regional literature chair and Katie who is the regional vice. Katie will be stepping up as chair for the regional literature committee. The literature chair Caroline recently gave birth and will no longer be the chair. All literature will be increasing by 6% except the basic text it will increase by 5%. All positions for the region will be open in August. If you are interested in serving on the regional level you should attend the Regional meeting in August.

The Literature committee met on Tuesday 19th. We meet every 3rd Tuesday from 4:30-5:30 there were several meeting changes and closing since the last area meeting. Please continue to let us know of any meeting changes.

Keep in mind our goal is to make sure our meeting schedules are as accurate as possible. NA literature is for NA meetings, other organizations and facilities like to borrow our literature from time to time. Meeting that are not in our meeting schedules may be new and have not gotten into the schedule yet, have not filled out the meeting form and registered with the area or are simply renegade meetings.

Please try to encourage members to get involved with the Together we can newsletter. The question for the month is (Why is it important to have a home group?) We can use some new reader writes and answers to the questions of the months. If you have any poems or anything related to recovery and want to put it in the newsletter let Milton or me know, and make sure you sign a release form.

Thank you.
Submitted by
Curtiss C. Literature Chair

June 9, 2018

RDA Report

Good morning, On May 31st we received an email from the results of the FIPT inspection request. Craig will cover that.

The WCNA is coming up last. It is from Aug. 30th – Sept. 2nd, hopefully everyone has preregistered. If you haven't registered then you can still preregister at na.org. Anyone that preregisters by July 31st will be entered in a drawing for 2 full convention packages, including registration and all special event tickets. When booking a hotel, please choose from the hotel options listed as it helps fulfill the blocks held for the convention. The incentive for booking your hotel and registering is that you will be entered into a drawing for a free 3 night stay. Randomly selected, the winner will have the room and taxes paid for Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights at checkout. The hotel support number is 844-460-9824n (Mon – Fri 8:30am-9pm). There are several events planned and specific details may not be available as of yet, however the seating for events is based on when you register for the convention, not when you purchase the event tickets. Some of the events that are planned are:

- A pre-convention cruise Havana Cuba. Departing Tampa Aug. 25th returning Aug. 29th. For information go to: www.montrosetravel.com/wcnacruise
- A golf tournament on Aug. 31st at Shingle Creek Golf Club at 8:30am. This is hosted by the Tuesday night "Give yourself a break" meeting, not the WCNA.

All registration and information can be found at www.na.org

If you are going early or staying late for the convention there is a website of local attractions and things to do in Orlando that has been set up. You can find it at <http://na18.orlandomeetinginfo.com/>.

If you would like to be of service you can volunteer at WCNA 37 on line at www.na.org.

As was briefly mentioned last month, our zone is in the process of choosing a workgroup member for the future project. We have decided that the members that wish to volunteer should type up a service resume and email to all RDs and RDAs in the zone. It was decided to choose the candidate from within the present zonal participants and not expand out. All resumes should be in by the end of June and we will vote on the candidates during the next zonal meeting in July. The next zonal forum meeting is going to be hosted by the Eastern PA Region on July 28th at the Jenkintown United Methodist Church, 328 Summit Ave. Jenkintown PA 19046. The meeting is from 11am-5pm. We have created an ad hoc committee to create guidelines for the Autonomy Zone. The 5 of us have had 1 zoom meeting so far and have another one planned for Monday, June 11th.

In Service

Trisha C.