



North East Freedom ASC Meeting Minutes  
from July 23, 2014

**Home Group / GSR Attendance:**

5-to-1 Group	X	High on Life	X	Power of Women
Alive It's Saturday Night		Hope Without Dope	X	Recovering Men
At All Cost	X	Hugs Not Drugs	X	Recovery First
X AWANA	X	I.O.U. NA	X	Saturday Morning Hope
X Break the Cycle	X	Joy of Recovery	X	Serenity At Six
Canton Noon	X	Just a Desire	X	Serenity
Circle of Hope	X	Just Do It	X	Step Into the Light
X Come Get Some		Just For Saturday	X	Steps to Freedom
Firm Foundation	X	Just For Sunday	X	Stronger Ties
For What It's Worth		Keep Coming Back		Suffer No More
X Freedom From the Edge	X	Live and Let Live		Surrender to Survive
X Freedom Group	X	Live the Literature	X	Therapeutic Value
X FTW		Merritt Point (Friday)		There Is a Need
German Hill Group	X	Message is Hope	X	Through Death to Life
X Grow Up or Die		Miracles in Motion	X	Thurs Nite at the Gardens
X Hamilton Noon		Noon in Canton		T.R.U.S.T Group
Hampden Day Group	X	North Point	X	Will to Survive
Hampden Group	X	One Promise	X	Who's in Charge?
Healing Women	X	Parkville Group	X	You Get What You Need

Meeting called to order at 7:01 PM, 12 Concepts read by Thomas.

**GROUP INFORMATION AND BUSINESS:**

Will to Survive on August 5<sup>th</sup> is moving to Towson United Methodist at Beltway exit 27B at 501 Hampton Lane.

**SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Phone Line (Chair - Paul O.: 443-564-8086)

Report distribute? Yes **No**

Meets @ 6:30 PM on 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs of month @ Dundalk Church of Brethren, 2660 Yorkway Dundalk, MD 21222

Last meeting was held on April 24<sup>th</sup>. Next meeting will be August 16<sup>th</sup>. We are in need of 12 Step Members. Did not attend regional meeting.

**Special Event (Vice Chair – Stacey H.: 410-409-4837)**

**Report distributed? Yes No**

Meets @ 6:30 PM on 2<sup>nd</sup> Weds of month @ Recovery for Life Club, 3717 E Baltimore St. 21224

The picnic was a success and brought in \$1,200. Tubing will be on August 16<sup>th</sup> meet at Thrones Monkton Bike Shop. Prom will be held in September and research is underway. There will be a Halloween Dance in October.

**Public Relations (Chair – Elizabeth C.: 443-509-8600)**

**Report distributed? Yes No**

Meets @ 5:45 PM on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wed of month @ 6714 Youngstown Dundalk

Jason gave report. We will be involved in Essex Day on September 21st. The current meeting list is accurate. All locations are full and up to date.

**Policy (Chair - Thomas: 443-869-0371)**

**Report distributed? Yes No**

Meets @ 6:00 PM on the 4th Wed of month before area service

Nothing to report.

**H & I (Chair - Floodsy: 410-446-0557)**

**Report distributed? Yes No**

Meets @ 7 PM on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wed of the month @ Jerusalem Church, Belair Rd & Moravia Rd

Chair Secretary needed for H&I. Chair must have 2 years clean time. Vice chair requires 1 year clean time. Panel ledar in 90 days.

**Website (Chair - Leland M.: 443-797-3195)**

**Report distributed? Yes No**

See report. From January 9, 2009 through June 22, 2014 there have been 208,402 total visits to the site.

**Treasurer (Chair - Scotty M.: 443-621-7457)**

**Report distributed? Yes No**

\$1,529.80 in total donations from home groups. \$270.21 in cash after prudent reserve, as of July 12<sup>th</sup>.

**NEFA Convention (Chair - Mike: 443-996-4960)**

**Report distributed? Yes No**

All convention committees meet @ 7 PM on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month @ FTW Woodward Avenue Church

Contract is being finalized. Will require \$1,000 deposit within months (October). Registration will be \$30 or \$35 at the door. There will be a kickoff meeting on February 7, 2015 at Masons Hall in Dundalk. We have sold \$1,800 with a net gain of \$1,216 and have spent \$814.

Literature (Chair - Erin B.: 443-762-3870)

Report distributed? Yes No

Meets @ 6 PM on 4<sup>th</sup> Wed of the month @ Faith Comm. Church, Harford Rd & Gibbons Ave (before ASC)

Literature money is off by \$30 and Erin is putting in her money in.

RCM (Chair - John P.: 410-598- 3425)

Report distributed? Yes No

No show

Free State Region Convention (Becky B. / Barkley T. 443-677-4085)

Report distributed? Yes No

Raffle tickets have had their 3<sup>rd</sup> drawing. A theme has been picked.

**LAST MONTH'S MINUTES:**      **Approved**

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Motion:            Disband Ad-Hoc Committee for Misappropriation of Funds.

Created by:        You Get What You Need

2<sup>nd</sup> by:             Serenity

Intent:            Move forward in love and not prosecute

3 Pro's             Forgive; She will feel she cannot come back to NA, 5/29/13 Sprint bill

3 Con's             Stop enabling, Hold accountable, Area was at fault too.

<u>For</u>	<u>Against</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	
14	14	2	Tied to Chair – passed motion

**NEW BUSINESS / ELECTIONS / MOTIONS AND PROPOSALS:**

**New Business:**

			<u>For</u>	<u>Against</u>	<u>Abstain</u>
Nominations:	Chair:	Stan D.	Accept 23	0	3
	Vice Chair:	Niomi	Accept 23	1	1
	Secretary:	Renee O.	Accept 22	0	1
	Treasurer:	Debbie	Accept 23	0	1
	Vice Treasurer:	Jason	Accept 18	4	0
	Literature:	Erin	Accept 24	0	0
	Phone Line:	Tracy L.	Accept 22	0	0
	Special Events:	Michael	Accept 21	2	1
	Public Relations:	Open	2 years		
	Policy:	Open??	1 year 19	1	0
	Website:	Leland	Accept 20	0	0
	RCM:	Helene	Accept 20	0	0
	RCM 2:	Becky B.	Accept 10	2	5
	RCM 2:	Lisa N.	Accept 10	4	2

Sargent at Arms: Frank Accept 19 0 0

Motion: To have another trusted servant (other than Treasurer or Alt. Treasurer) receive bank statements, review them, & then forward to Treasurer for balancing.

Submitted By: Step into the Light  
2<sup>nd</sup> by: Freedom from the Edge

Intent: As per suggestion by World Services to ensure that funds are overseen by more than one person. This could help offset any discrepancies early on that could arise. This is not to distrust any of our trusted servants but to give a second look at our balance sheets.

**For:**            **Against:**            **Abstain:**

Tabled

Motion: Policy change take back to Home Groups

Motion to be tabled