



**North East Freedom ASC Meeting Minutes  
from January 25, 2011**

**Home Group / GSR Attendance:**

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| √ 5-to-1 Group                         | √ High on Life         | √ Recovery First             |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> Step Meditation Group | HOW/Walk the Walk      | √ Saturday Morning Hope      |
| Alive in Canton                        | √ Hope Without Dope    | Saturday Night Serenity      |
| √ AWANA                                | √ Hugs Not Drugs       | Self-Will Run Riot           |
| √ Arm Steps                            | √ I.O.U. NA            | √ Serenity at Six            |
| √ Break the Cycle                      | √ Joy of Recovery      | √ Serenity Group             |
| By the Grace of NA                     | Just a Desire          | Solid Ground                 |
| √ Canton Noon                          | Just Do It             | Stairway to Recovery         |
| √ Circle of Hope                       | Just for Saturday      | √ Step Into the Light        |
| Come Get Some                          | √ Just for Sunday      | √ Steps to Freedom           |
| Faith in the Valley                    | Keep Coming Back       | √ Stronger Ties              |
| Firm Foundation                        | Life After Death       | √ Surrender to Survive       |
| For What it's Worth                    | Lighthouse Group       | √ Therapeutic Value          |
| √ Freedom From the Edge                | Live and Let Live      | The Way Group                |
| √ Freedom Group                        | Merritt Point (Friday) | √ There is a Need            |
| √ FTW                                  | √ Message is Hope      | √ Through Death to Life      |
| GBMC                                   | Miracles in Motion     | √ Thurs Night at the Gardens |
| √ German Hill Group                    | NA Today               | √ T.R.U.S.T.                 |
| Give to Live                           | North Point Group      | √ Who's in Charge?           |
| √ Good Orderly Direction               | √ One Promise          | √ Will to Survive            |
| √ Grow Up or Die                       | √ Parkville Group      | Work the Steps to Live       |
| √ Hamilton Noon                        | √ Power of Women       | √ You Get What You Need      |
| Healing Women                          | √ Recovering Men       |                              |

Meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by Barkley T. with Serenity Prayer, reading of 12 Concepts by Naomi T.

**GROUP INFORMATION AND BUSINESS:**

- Chris, Lindsay, Bob, Mike, Kevin (Serenity Group) and Barry (Hamilton Noon) introduced themselves
- FTW Homegroup Anniv this Monday (Jan 30)

-There is a Need: Homegroup Anniv – Feb 29 (see flyer on table)

-HOW/Walk the Walk homegroup needs support!!!

## **SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:**

### **Phone Line (Chair is Diana A.: 410-402-4078)**

Report

distributed? No

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

All phonline shifts are covered and 12-step volunteer list is complete.

### **Special Events (Chair is Jeff B.: 443-413-5197)**

Report

distributed? Yes

Meets @ 7pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs of month @ Dundalk Assembly Church of God (7400 German Hill Rd, 21222).

Met: Jan 12. Recent event(s): New Year's Eve (\$5406 income - \$5044 expenses = \$361.95 profit!). Valentine's Day Workshops (<-CANCELLED). Upcoming event(s): CAR Learning Day (date TBD). Proposed events (to be submitted this evening): St. Pat's Dance (3/17) and Rock&Bowl (4/21). See report for financials. Next mtg: Feb 9

### **Public Relations\* (Chair is Jenn B.: 443-857-3337)**

Report

distributed? Yes

\*(Public Relations = Public Info + Outreach committees, merged/combined)

Meets @ 5:30pm on 4<sup>th</sup> Wed of month @ Faith Community Church, Harford Rd & Gibbons Ave (before ASC).

Met: Dec 28. We need support! No clean time requirement. We have placed several free ads on internet (Craigslist, USNetADs, Baltimore Guide)' considering City Paper and trying to get into Dundalk Eagle and Essex Times. Probation racks & treatment centers are full. See report for financials. Next mtg: Feb 22

### **Policy (Chair is Mike C.: 443-996-4960)**

Report

distributed? Yes

Meets @ 6:30pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed of month @ Christian Community Church, 155 Orville Rd. Essex, MD 21221.

2012 version of NEFA Handbook for GSRs is avail on the back table. See report for financials.

### **H & I (Chair is Sandy R.: 410-977-8783)**

Report

distributed? Yes

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

Met: Jan 4. Positions open (see report). Especially need speakers for jails, males in particular. Next mtg: Feb 1

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

Report

distributed? Yes

Met: Tues, Jan 10. Visits to site (Jan 2009 – Jan 2012) is 37,398. All homegroups needing support, please see

Leland. Asking all subcommittees to send us documents in timely manner. We also request input from all NA members regarding website. See full report for more info regarding committee's work. Next mtg: Tues, Feb 14

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

Report

distributed? Yes

See Treasurer's Report.

**NEFACNA V Convention (Chair is Diana S.: 410-444-8442)**

Report

distributed? No

Convention will be Spring, 2012. (Theme: Hope + Change + Growth = Freedom). All convention committees meet @ 7pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon of month @ Watersedge Baptist Church, 3483 Liberty Pkwy Dundalk, MD 21222.

Verbal report. Convention is coming up soon!!! Registrations being sold; forms being distributed at mtgs and online. Please register!!! Early registration is until 2/20, then price goes up to \$35. (Reminder: Do not reserve room online; rate cheaper if call hotel directly, instead.) Pre-registration t-shirts on sale.

**Literature (Chair is Ryan W.: 443-559-9460)**

Report

distributed? Yes

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

Literature sold, Dec 2011: \$1096.00. Literature purchased: \$1072.03. Our committee in need of trusted servants; most positions have no clean time requirement.

**RCM**

**(Helene**

**Q.:**

**410-917-0628)**

Report distributed? Yes

Detailed report submitted, including all information and event flyers that were distributed at Jan 14 Off-Month Regional Service Meeting. (For more info, read report & check out flyers; we will not go through everything, page by page, right now.) **Main issue right now is CAR report; deadline for input is April 24<sup>th</sup>, see RCM report for more info.** The Regional Mtg will be next month on Feb 4.

**Free State Regional Convention (Bucky B. / Barkley T./Crystal L.)**

Report distributed?

No

Convention was 11/25-11/27 in Hunt Valley, went well. Signed contract for the next 2 years with no increase in prices. Financial report will be ready at a later date.

**LAST MONTH'S MINUTES:** – Approved

**OLD BUSINESS:**

(NO OLD BUSINESS)

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

NEFA Convention 2013 Elections:

Chair (4 yrs clean-time requirement): Rob P. (28 for / 0 against / 0 abstain)

Vice-Chair (4 yrs): Crystal L.

Treasurer (4 yrs): Rob J.

Vice-Treasurer (3 yrs): Lori A. (Lori A. got 24 votes, Gary C. got 3 votes)

Secretary (3 yrs): Jen B.

Programming (3 yrs): Sandy R.

Hospitality (3 yrs): Chris W.

Entertainment (3 yrs): Mike C.

Registration (3 yrs): Diana A. (Diana A. got 23 votes, Glenn C. got 4 votes)

Merchandise (3 yrs): Rick S.

**These Minutes were submitted to North East Freedom ASC for Approval on Wed, Feb 22, 2012.**

**NorthEast Freedom Area Secretary**