



North East Freedom ASC Meeting Minutes from September 22, 2010

Home Group / GSR Attendance:

√ 5-to-1 Group	√ HOW/Walk the Walk	Recovery at the Fort
11 th Step Meditation Group	√ Hope Without Dope	√ Recovery First
Alive in Canton	Hugs Not Drugs	Saturday Night Serenity
AWANA	√ I.O.U. NA	Saturday Serene Group
Arm Steps	It Works How and Why	Self-Will Run Riot
Break the Cycle	√ Joy of Recovery	√ Serenity at Six
By Any Means Necessary	√ Just a Desire	√ Serenity Group
By the Grace of NA	√ Just Do It	Serenity on Sunday
√ Canton Noon	√ Just for Saturday	Solid Ground
√ Circle of Hope	√ Just for Sunday	Stairway to Recovery
Come Get Some	Just Make it Better	√ Step Into the Light
Cromwood Group	√ Keep Coming Back	Step it Up
Faith in the Valley	Life After Death	√ Steps to Freedom
Firm Foundation	√ Lighthouse Group	Stone Free
For Men Only	Live and Let Live	Stronger Foundation
√ For What it's Worth	Live the Steps or Die	√ Stronger Ties
√ Freedom From the Edge	Merritt Point (Friday)	√ Surrender to Survive
√ Freedom Group	Message is Hope	√ Therapeutic Value
Freedom on Fridays	Miracles in Motion	√ The Way Group
√ FTW	NA Today	√ There is a Need
√ German Hill Group	New Hope Group	Through Death to Life
Give to Live	√ North Point Group	√ Thurs Night at the Gardens
Good Orderly Direction	√ One Promise	√ Wednesday Night 12-Step
Grow Up or Die	Over 30 and Alive	Who's in Charge?
√ Hamilton Noon	√ Parkville Group	√ Will to Survive
Healing Women	Part of the Solution	Work the Steps to Live
High on Life	Recovering Men	You Get What You Need

The meeting was called to order at 7:02pm with the Serenity Prayer by Barkley T., followed by the reading of the

12 Concepts by Frank.

GROUP INFORMATION AND BUSINESS:

-Various GSRs, Alternate GSRs, etc introduced themselves

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:

Phone Line (Chair is Linda S.: 443-572-6669)

Report

distributed? No

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

(Linda out of town, no report)

Special Events (Chair is Marty L.: 410-365-3006)

Report

distributed? Yes

Meets @ 7pm on the 2nd Wed of month @ Faith Community Church, Harford Rd & Gibbons Ave (in choir room).

Met Wed, Sept 8. Upcoming events: Karaoke Pizza Party will be Sept. 25 @ St. Luke's Church in Dundalk;

Halloween Dance will be Oct. 23 @ St. Luke's Church in Dundalk and Rock & Bowl will be Nov. 20 @ Pinland

Bowling Lanes in Dundalk. (Proposal submitted for this event.) Next mtg: Wed, Oct. 13 @ 7pm

Public Information (Chair is Jenn B.: 443-857-3337)

Report

distributed? Yes

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

Met Wed. Aug 25. Currently exploring more high/middle schools throughout NEFA. Essex Day was Sept 19; gave out info and answered questions. Should get into more fairs in future. Need volunteers for fairs and also members for our committee. Next mtg: Wed, Oct 27 @ 6pm

Policy (Chair is Barry B.: 410-663-5711)

Report

distributed? Yes

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

Met Wed, Sept 15. We have Policies organized into groups to make them easier to find. (See handout). Please contact Barry with any questions regarding groupings. Have handbook up-to-date; shooting for new release, Jan 2011. Small committee, need support. Next mtg: Wed, Oct 20 @ 6:30pm

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

Report

distributed? Yes

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

Met Wed, Sept 1. Currently has 10 openings, various positions (Panel Leader, Panel Coordinator). Need speakers, especially for jails and especially males. Next mtg: Wed, Oct 6 @ 7pm

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

Report

distributed? Yes

Met Wed, Sept 9. New open archive files posted on Sept 9. Open positions: web-secretary, alternate and/or consulting webmaster. Number of visits to site (Jan 2009 – Sept 2010) is 15,203. 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 the website. Next mtg: Tues, Oct 12

Outreach (Chair is Cass D.: 443-506-1923)

Report

distributed? No

Meets @ 6pm on the 4th Wed of month @ Faith Community Church, Harford Rd & Gibbons Ave (before ASC). (Frank gave verbal report.) Met earlier tonight. Homegroups should all double-check new Free State Regional schedules to make sure that they are listed. In addition, all homegroups should be registered with World Service – check for yours on www.wso.org If any homegroups need support, please let us know. Just Do It (Sat, 7pm) needs support. Our committee is in desperate need of members! Next mtg: Wed, Oct 27 @ 6pm

Treasurer

(Mary

Claire)

Report distributed? Yes

(Scott gave report as Mary Claire is out of town.) See report.

NEFA Convention (Chair is Lisa N.: 443-829-8382)

Report

distributed? No

All convention committees meet @ 7pm on the 2nd Mon of month @ Watersedge Baptist Church, 3483 Liberty Pkwy Dundalk, MD 21222.

(Lisa sick, Sandy R. gave verbal report.) Met Mon, Sept 13. Need: Merchandise Chair and Vice-Chair. Please call Lisa if interested. No clean time required to be a member of a committee; 1 yr clean time for positions involving money. Convention will be March 4, 2011 – March 6, 2011. Next mtg: Mon, Oct 11 @ 7pm

Literature

(Chair

is

Brad

C.)

Report distributed? Yes

Literature sold, Aug 2010: \$1,099.00. Literature purchased: \$967.77. New lit available: New IP #24 (replaces old IP #24 and IP #25) and IP #28. *In Times of Illness* has been expanded. Our committee is always in need of trusted servants; most positions have no clean time requirement.

RCM

(Helene:

410-917-0628)

Report distributed? Yes

Detailed report submitted by Helene, including all information and event flyers that were distributed at off-month Regional Service Meeting, Sept 11. Please read her report and check out those flyers as we will not take the time to go through everything, page by page, here in this meeting.

Regional Convention (Bucky B. / Barkley T.)

Report

distributed? No

Registration is now available online.

LAST MONTH'S MINUTES: – Approved

OLD BUSINESS: (none)

NEW BUSINESS / ELECTIONS / MOTIONS AND PROPOSALS:

Motion #1

Submitted by: Special Events Committee

Motion: To have a Rock-and-Bowl event on Nov 20th (even though that date is less than 90 days away)

Vote: 27 for, 1 against, 1 abstain (Motion passed by > 2/3)

These Minutes were submitted to North East Freedom ASC for Approval on Wed, Nov 24, 2010.

NEFA Secretary