



**North East Freedom ASC Meeting Minutes  
from December 28, 2011**

**Home Group / GSR Attendance:**

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 7:00 pm by Barkley T. with Serenity Prayer, reading of 12 Concepts by Tiana B.

**GROUP INFORMATION AND BUSINESS:**

-Dalton (Hugs Not Drugs) introduced himself

-Power of Women homegroup will be celebrating 1-yr anniv 1/12 @ 6:30pm

## 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.

Met Dec 15, 4 ppl present. All phoneline shifts are covered and 12-step volunteer list is complete.

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

Report

distributed? No

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

Verbal report by Crystal L. This month's report is same as last month's. New Years Eve Gala (Dec 31) sold out!

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

Report

distributed? Yes

Meets @ 5:30pm on 4<sup>th</sup> Wed of month @ Faith Community Church, Harford Rd & Gibbons Ave (before ASC). Met Nov 30. We have placed several free ads on internet (Craigslist, USNetADs, Baltimore Guide), waiting to hear back from City Paper and PennySaver, trying to get into Dundalk Eagle and Essex Times. Probation racks & treatment centers are full. Will be placing literature order by end of the month. See report for financials. Don't forget: Public Relations committee is combined Public Info and Outreach committees – we need support!!!

### 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.

Met Dec 14. 2012 version of NEFA Handbook for GSRs will be avail at Jan ASC mtg. 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 Dec 7. Positions open (see report). Especially need speakers for jails, males in particular. Next mtg: Jan 4

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

Report

distributed? Yes

Met Tues, Dec 13. Visits to site (Jan 2009 – Dec 2011) is 35,510. 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, Jan 10

### Treasurer

(Scotty

M.)

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 67 days away, registrations now being sold; forms being distributed at mtgs and online. Please register!!! (Do not reserve room online, though – rate cheaper if call hotel instead.) Pre-registration t-shirts on sale. Elections will be next month for 2013 positions (nominations will be tonight).

**Literature (Chair is Ryan W.)**

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, Nov 2011: \$1117.00. Literature purchased: \$1073.87. Purchased 50 CAR reports, \$675.00 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 Dec 10 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 additional info. The off-month Regional mtg will be next month on Jan 14.

**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:** – were not distributed

**OLD BUSINESS:**

1) Motion #1 (had been tabled from Nov 30 ASC mtg) (Vote: 27 for / 1 against / 1 abstain... Motion passed by > 2/3)

Submitted by: Freedom Group                      Seconded by: Surrender to Survive

Motion: To give \$400.00 worth of assorted literature to the Canton Noon Homegroup.

Intent: To carry the message

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

NEFA 2013 Nominations (Elections will be next month at Jan ASC mtg):

Chair (4 yrs clean-time requirement): Rob P.

Vice-Chair (4 yrs): Crystal L.

Treasurer (4 yrs): Rob J.

Vice-Treasurer (3 yrs): Gary C. and Lori A. each nominated

Secretary (3 yrs): Jen B.

Programming (3 yrs): Sandy R.

Hospitality (3 yrs): Chris W.

Entertainment (3 yrs): Mike C.

Registration (3 yrs): Glenn C. and Diana A. each nominated

Merchandise (3 yrs): Rick S.

**These Minutes were submitted to North East Freedom ASC for Approval on Wed, Jan 25, 2012.**

**NorthEast Freedom Area Secretary**