

MASCNA Meeting Minutes

September 24th, 2023

Next Meeting:

Sunday, October 29th, 2023 @ 2:00 PM

Ridgeview Institute - Day Hospital

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About

This document contains the minutes and notes for the Marietta Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous. This [About](#) section is to help you read and understand these minutes a little easier.

We use highlights to call out **important information**, voting results (**pass/elected**, **fail/oppose**), and items that need to go **back to home groups** for discussion and/or voting.

The [Opening Page](#) contains the date of this Area meeting, the date and time of the next Area meeting and a [Table of Contents](#) to help navigate this document.

The upcoming [Subcommittee Meeting Dates](#) are listed first. Admin and Subcommittee Reports are located under [Area Business](#). [Motions being voted on at this Area meeting](#) are typically located in [Old Business](#) (but some may be under New Business). **New motions that go back to home groups** are typically located under [New Business](#). Nominating and Electing trusted servants typically happens under [Nominations and Elections](#). Reports from the GSRs (Group Service Representatives) are summarized under [Group Reports](#) and you can find all upcoming [Birthdays](#) and [Celebrations](#) there as well.

The [Adjournment](#) section closes out the ASC meeting

The [Attachments](#) section lists all reports, motions, flyers, and other submissions to the secretary.

The [Summary for GSRs](#) section contains a helpful summary of the important information for GSRs to **bring back to their home groups**, such as election results, area and region motions, and important homegroup updates for the area

Lastly, there is a [References](#) section that contains direct links to forms, documents, policy, and various other helpful resources for members.

Thank you for your service!

Subcommittee Meeting Dates

- **Activities Subcommittee**
 - **When:** 10/29/2023 at 1:00 PM
 - **Where:** [Ridgeview Dayroom](#)
- **H&I Subcommittee**
 - **When:** 10/22/2023 at 4:00 PM
 - **Where:** Virtually on Zoom
 - **Zoom ID:** 224 495 4586
 - **Passcode:** 059327
 - **Link:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2244954586?pwd=YXBVakN3OTFqSzk4anlKSklEVmlkQT09>
- **Policy Subcommittee**
 - **When:** Every Wednesday at 6:00 PM
 - **Where:** Virtually on Zoom
 - **Zoom ID:** 436 755 6675
 - **Passcode:** *(no passcode)*
- **PR Subcommittee**
 - **When:** 10/29/2023 at 12:30 PM
 - **Where:** [Ridgeview Dayroom](#)
- **24-Hour Room Subcommittee**
 - **When:** 10/10/2023 and 11/14/2023 at 6:30 PM
 - **Where:** Virtually AND In-Person
 - Virtually on Zoom
 - **Zoom ID:** 822 1415 5626
 - **Passcode:** 24hoursNA
 - In Person: [Bethany United Methodist Church 760 Hurt Road, Smyrna, GA](#)

Call to Order

- Quorum Calculated to be 13 Groups - Quorum Met @ 2:10 PM
- The Purpose of the Area Read by: Amanda S. (Literature Chair)
- The 12 Traditions Read by: Daryl
- The 12 Concepts Read by: Kelly
- Motion to Accept Last Month's Minutes
 - Approved by Acclamation

Group Roll Call

Historical Area Attendance: [+ AreaAttendance](#)

Contacts: [+ Contacts](#)

Group	GSR	Attendance	Comments
Another Chance	Martin H.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Architects of Adversity	David H.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Breakfast Club	Leroy C.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Chosen Frozen	Chuck A.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Off Quorum
End of the Road	Mindy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Firehouse	Kannah R.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Hold On to Hope	John H.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Off Quorum
Living the Program	Tom	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
NA at Noon	Sharon	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
New Way of Life	David B.	<input type="checkbox"/>	
One is Too Many	Shelly H.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Off Quorum
Renegades	Margaret C.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rose Group Redux	Bradley S.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Serenity on the Square	Chris	<input type="checkbox"/>	Off Quorum (in October)
Spiritual Awakenings	Stephen R.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Staying Clean		<input type="checkbox"/>	Off Quorum
Sunday Service	Joseph R.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Surrender on Sunday	Austin B.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Off Quorum
T.A.C.O. Tuesday	Courtney M.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Unity Group	Sara C.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Off Quorum (in October)
We Group	Jarad	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Voting Restored
Welcome Home	Amy H.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

MASC Admin & Subcommittee Roll Call

Contacts: [📄 Contacts](#)

<u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Comments</u>
ASC Chair	Cathy H.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
ASC Vice Chair	Chris B.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Secretary	David M.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent w/ Notice
Secretary Alternate	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT
Treasurer	Stephanie S.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent w/ Notice
Treasurer Alternate	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT
Regional Committee Member	Jan L.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Regional Committee Member Alternate	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT
Literature Distribution Chair	Amanda S.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Literature Distribution Chair Alternate	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT
Policy Parliamentarian/Chair	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT
Activities Chair	Lance M.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Public Relations (PR) Chair	Tasha B.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tasha Absent, Merritt represented PR
Hospitals & Institutions (H&I) Chair	Julie N.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Writing Steps in Recovery (WSR) Chair	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT
24 Hour Room Chair	Nicole N.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	


Area Business

Open Forum

- Opened at 2:12 pm
- David H. (GSR, Architects of Adversity) mentioned that the 24 Hour Room calendar is on the board in the day room (of Ridgeview) and also on the website
 - 24 Hour Room Subcommittee Page with Group Schedule: <https://mariettana.org/24-hour-room/>
- Closed at 2:14 pm

Admin Reports




ASC Chair Report

- Cathy H. was present
- Cathy H. sent report, see attached ( 10_AdminReports_Chair_09-2023.pdf)
- Gave report:
 - Attended Activities, and 40th Anniversary AD HOC.
 - Just a reminder, the 40th Anniversary of the Basic Text Celebration is Saturday at St. Peter/St. Paul church. Hope to see you there!
 - Checked the chair email.

ASC Vice Chair Report


- Chris B. was present
- Gave report, no written report

Secretary Report








- David M. was absent with notice
- Report:
 - Knoxville, TN Area is having a convention KACNA VI “Leap Into Freedom” | March 1-3, 2024 | Crowne Plaza Hotel, Knoxville, TN See Flyer for QR code to scan and register:  90_Flyers_KACNA_LeapIntoFreedom_KnoxvilleConvention.jpg
 - I have started compiling a list of other area’s contacts and information, all of these are available in the Contacts workbook, under the Area and Region worksheets:  Contacts
 - I have sent the 40th anniversary of the basic text event, the arcade day activity, and the Unity speaker jam flyers to the areas which i was able to locate email contact information for
 - The Georgia Regional GSR Assembly is happening on October 21st
 - Flier:  90_Flyers_GRSCNA_GSR-Assembly_10-23-2023.jpg
 - I added this to the area calendar [HERE](#)

- Details:
 - **What:** Georgia Regional GSR Assembly
 - **When:** Saturday, October 21st (9am - 6pm)
 - **Where:**
 - Monroe County Conference Center
 - 475 Holiday Circle
 - Forsyth, GA 31029
 - Please make arrangements to fund your GSRs to this event.
 - Lunch will be provided.
 - Topics Include:
 - GSR Roles and Responsibilities
 - Building strong Home Groups
 - Round Table discussion groups of World's IDT
 - Our Vision for the Georgia Region
 - The future of the GSR Assembly and what it could look like

Treasurer Report

- Stephanie S. was absent with notice
- Stephanie S. sent report, see attached
( 10_AdminReports_Treasurer_09-2023.pdf)
- Gave report:
 - ASC Checking Account Balance: 7781.72
 - Starting Balance: 6784.10
 - Group Donations: 853.00
 - Literature Sales: 515.00
 - Expenses: 2186.88
 - Includes reimbursements for RCM, 24 Hour Room, and Literature Chairs
 - Prudent Reserves: 2540.30
 - Literature Account: 259.27
 - Available funds (less prudent reserves & literature account): \$4,982.15

Regional Committee Member (RCM) Report

- Jan L. was present
- Jan L. sent report via email, see attached
( 10_AdminReports_RCM_09-2023.pdf)
 - Additional Region Attachments:
 -  GRSCNA-Minutes_09-2023.pdf
 -  Treasurer-Annual-Report_09-2023.pdf
 -  RCM-Reports_09-2023.pdf
 -  RD-Zonal-Forum-Information_09-2023.pdf
 -  New-Topics_09-2023.pdf
 -  Flyers_09-2023.pdf
- Gave report:
 - Jan will send the RSC motions back at the next ASC for GSRs to take back to groups

- David M. (Secretary) - *I am going to summarize the RCM Report, but I strongly encourage you all to read it for yourselves, as there is a lot in this report. I was not present at the area, so I only have the report to go on, so take this with a grain of salt please. There are 4 Topics that are going back to homegroups.*
 - **Filing informational taxes** - This has to do with tax filings, designations, and possibly becoming a 501(c)(3). This is for financial reasons it looks to me, RSC handles too much money to not be filing or declaring this money. There would be associated costs for a tax attorney. There was lengthy discussion and recommendations to create a task panel to look at this. There was a topic submitted about this and was covered in new business
 - **GRC, Inc. / CFO** - Board of Directors was present, CFO resigned in July, new CFO (George A) was voted in and he gave a report. The resignation letter of the previous CFO is attached in the RCM report here. I highly encourage you all to read this, as it has to do with funding and a loss of funds due to meeting space rental and much more.
 - **Also: Budget, H&I, PR, Treasurer, Archivist/Policy, Insurance Liaison**
 - **Old Business Topics:**
 - **Topic 2023-007 (hotel reimbursement):** 16/0/2/0 → consensus reached
 - **Topic 2023-010 (budget)**
 - PR fixed mileage (\$708.80)
 - PR removed bus ads (\$2,600)
 - H&I mileage for committee members: removed (against policy)
 - PR remove round table: refused to change. Amendment submitted but did not pass (2/0/16)
 - PR learning day \$1,200 → \$800: refused to change. Amendment submitted but did not pass (2/0/16)
 - **budget vote:** 12/3/3/0 → consensus reached
 - new total budget: \$60,771.32
 - prudent reserve: \$17,682.35 → \$20,054.54
 - donation to world: \$7,243.67
 - **New Business Topics:**
 - **Topic 2023-011:** reimburse the archivist for 236 miles for travel to GRSCNA storage unit, to GRC, Inc. storage unit and to West Georgia to talk about CBDM for \$122.72.
 - vote: 17/0/1/0 → consensus reached
 - **Topic 2023-012:** withdrawn
 - **Topic 2023-013:** withdrawn
 - **Topic 2023-014:** Appoint a Task Panel to oversee tax-exempt status for GRSCNA. The Task Panel would make recommendations to the RSC Floor regarding
 - vote: 13/2/3/0 → consensus reached
 - **Topic 2023-015: BACK TO GROUPS**
 - Make budgets more transparent to the Areas. We need to see what's going on with the budget, and that requires a clear, detailed document that our Areas can review and make decisions based on real numbers.
 - **Policy Affected:** This topic should be reviewed for proper wording by the Policy Committee and updated as needed to be included in the September minutes for review. Any updates made should be in keeping with the group conscience on this topic.

Change Article 13, No. 5 from "Annual budgets must be submitted in writing by all RSC trusted servants at the June RSC and to be approved at the September RSC."

to

"Annual budgets must be submitted in writing to the Treasurer by all nominated RSC trusted servants with their nominations in March. The budgets will be compiled into a document showing budgeted amounts from at least one year prior, and actual budget numbers from at least one year prior. Explanatory statements should be included as needed. This document will be printed sufficiently to distribute to the June RSC, and a short workshop regarding the budget will be held, with the budget to be approved at the September RSC.

- **Financial Impact:** The cost of printed budget documents for the June RSC. This cost would be added to the Administrative Committee's line item regarding RSC Printing. There should need to be no adjustment based on the available budgeted amount.
- **Intent:** To enable administrative servants to participate in activities alongside or in place of the chair without concern for coming out of pocket for mileage. This will also allow the vice chair or secretary to attend and be reimbursed when the chair is unable to. This provision may make service more attractive

■ **Topic 2023-016: BACK TO GROUPS**

- To allow mileage reimbursement for the Vice Chairs/Co-Facilitators and Secretaries of RSC Task Panels to attend panel meetings at the RSC, learning days in the state and ASC meetings to fulfill the duties of the task panel. Funding would need to be included in each task panel's budget.
- **Policy affected:** Article 13.A.4.A reimbursement for auto travel.
- **Financial impact:** precise financial impact would be based on approved funds in the annual budget.
- This covers H&I, PR, CPP and IT

■ **Topic 2023-017: BACK TO GROUPS**

- To have printed treasury reports from all (RSC, CPP, GRC, Inc.) treasurers at the beginning of any RSC meetings.
- **Policy affected:** Article D #5 , Article E #1, Article E #2 under treasurer duties
- **Financial impact:** \$10 per RSC
- We need these reports at the RSC to be able to ask questions at the meeting.

■ **Topic 2023-018: BACK TO GROUPS**

- To have the treasurer provide printed copies of the annual financial report at the September RSC as well as electronically, on the Saturday of the September RSC.
- **Policy affected:** Article 6.D.5.Duties.f
- **Financial impact:** cost of printing copies

- If there are any questions, suggestions, inquiries you would like me to make at region, do not hesitate to reach out.

ILS,

Jan

rcm@mariettana.org

[401-500-3320](tel:401-500-3320)

Literature Distribution Report

- Amanda S. was <present
- Amanda S. sent report, see attached
([10_AdminReports_Literature_09-23-2023.pdf](#))
- Gave report:
 - Looking for an Alternate Literature Distribution Chair
 - **Backorders to be delivered/completed today:**
 - 2x - 12 concepts for NA service for Breakfast Club
 - **Inventory and Sales Summary - for August ASC**

■ Starting Inventory Before August ASC	\$ 3,364.19
■ Sales at August ASC	\$ 842.00
■ Lit Donated for June and July Rent	\$ 35.00 June + \$36.00 July
■ Inventory Value after August ASC	\$ 2,694.77
■ Literature Purchase	\$ 575.78
■ Literature Purchase for H&I	\$ 0.00*
■ Sales Between ASCs	\$ 0.00
■ Literature Donated to Home Groups	\$ 0.00
■ Current Inventory Value (pre-ASC)	\$ 3,240.73

 - *Note: orders include shipping costs

Subcommittee Reports

Policy Report


- Position is vacant
- No report given

Activities Report

- Lance M. was present
- Lance M. sent report, see attached
([20_SubcommitteeReport_Activities_09-2023.pdf](#))
- Gave report:
 - For the month of October we have the Arcade Day, all preparations for the activity have been made. The event is on October 14th at 2:00pm and will last all day.
 - Currently discussing plans for the upcoming gratitude feast and spring campout. We are currently working on securing locations for these events. The Activities Committee will be providing dishes for the gratitude feast, however if anyone would like to bring their own dish they are welcome to do so. We will create a spreadsheet for food items that are being prepared, anyone wanting to prepare specific dishes can be added to the spreadsheet. Our goal is to have preparations for the gratitude feast completed before the next ASC.
 - We are also expecting to have additional updates for the spring campout provided at the next ASC.
 - We would also like additional input from homegroups for any activities that would interest the area. If there are any ideas for upcoming activities anyone would like to see organized, please Lance M. at activities@mariettana.org.

- Our next committee meeting will be held Sunday, October 29th at 1:00pm in the Ridgeview Day Hospital.

Hospitals & Institutions (H&I) Report

- Julie N. was present
- Julie N. sent report, see attached
( 20_SubcommitteeReport_HI_09-2023.pdf)
- Gave report:
 - Positions have been filled for all facilities except Blue Ridge Mountain Recovery. We're looking for commitments for panel members on Tuesday nights 7pm-8pm at that facility. If you know anyone that is interested, please contact **Julie N. @ 404-621-5429**
 - We have vacant positions available for Secretary and Alt Secretary
- Next Marietta Area H&I Subcommittee Virtual Meeting:
 - **Time:** October 22 @ 4:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)
 - [Zoom Link](#)
 - **Meeting ID:** 224 495 4586
 - **Passcode:** 059327


Public Relations (PR) Report

- Tasha B. was absent, Merritt represented PR Subcommittee
- No report sent

Writing Steps in Recovery (WSR) Report

- Position is Vacant
- No report sent

24 Hour Room Report

- Nichole N. was present
- Nichole N. sent report, see attached
( 20_SubcommitteeReport_24HourRoom_09-12-2023.pdf)
- Gave report:
 - Provide Group Shift schedules to homegroups. This will be available on the mariettana.org website on the 24 Hour Room subcommittee page, as well as being provided in printed form for the groups present.
 - **Did:**
 - **Merchandise:**
 - Voted on the merchandise vendor
 - Voted on colors for merchandise
 - T-Shirts: White print on Green shirt
 - Hoodie: Black print on Sand hoodie
 - Banner: Black print on White banner
 - **Opening Night Dinner Potluck**

- We decided we will be doing a potluck dinner for opening night. The committee will provide main dishes and entrees, and attendees will be encouraged to bring sides, desserts, etc. We created a signup sheet for the potluck - [☰ Potluck Signup](#)
 - **Group Shift Food**
 - We discussed how the food situation was last year and we want to STRONGLY encourage group shifts to bring meals, not simply chips or drinks. This is up to the home groups ultimately, but we felt that last year was really lacking in food.
 - Added personal shift spreadsheet to group shift spreadsheet and website. Signup for Personal shifts will begin after the November ASC
 - [📄 Group Shift Schedule 2023.xls](#)
 - <https://mariettana.org/24-hour-room/>
- **Will do at next meeting:**
 - Talk about auctions
 - Follow up on flyers
 - Review Potluck signup document - [☰ Potluck Signup](#)
 - Review Personal shift spreadsheet - [📄 Group Shift Schedule 2023.xls](#)
- **Next Meeting October 10th at 6:30 PM**

40th Anniversary of the Basic Text in Marietta (Ad-Hoc) Report

- Curt was present
- Curt sent report via email, see attached
([📄 21_SubcommitteeReport_Ad-Hoc_40thAnniversaryBasicText_9-24-2023.pdf](#))

Old Business

Motions

- **No motions went back to groups**

Nominations

The table below shows nominations for trusted servant positions

<u>Position</u>	<u>Nominee</u>	<u>Action</u>
RCMA	Kunal	Tabled

- **Position:** RCMA
 - **Nominee:** Kunal (Spiritual Awakenings)
 - **Maker:** Stephen R. (GSR, Spiritual Awakenings)
 - **Seconded:** Bradley S. (GSR, Rose Group)
 - **Nomination Form:** [📄 50_Nomination_RCMA.pdf](#)
 - **Service Resume:** [📄 60_ServiceResume_RCMA_KunalK_09-2023.pdf](#)

o **Notes:**

■ **Motion was made to table this nomination to get group input**

- **Maker:** Tom (GSR, Living the Program)
- **Seconded:** Courtney M. (GSR, T.A.C.O. Tuesday)
- **Vote:** Yes - 7, No - 5, Abstain - 1
- **Result:** **Tabled to get group input**

This nomination was tabled to get input from homegroups by GSRs and can either be withdrawn, or untabled and put to a vote at the October ASC.

Elections

The table below shows Elections for trusted servant positions.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Nominee</u>	<u>Vote</u>
-	-	-

No Elections took place.

New Business

Motions

There were no new motions submitted.

There are 4 Topics going back to Homegroups from the RCM:

1. [Topic 2023-015](#)
2. [Topic 2023-016](#)
3. [Topic 2023-017](#)
4. [Topic 2023-018](#)

Group Reports

Contacts: [📄 Contacts](#)

Celebration Summary

All celebrations, activities, and events are also located on the [Marietta Area Website's Calendar](#).

Birthdays


Addict	Group	Date	Years Clean	Calendar
Chris D.	Another Chance	11/4	4	Click Here
Rodney W.	Architects of Adversity	10/13	11	Click Here
Rebecca L.	Architects of Adversity	11/3	8	Click Here
Judy	Breakfast Club	10/14	2	Click Here
Leroy C.	Breakfast Club	10/28	8	Click Here
Chris E.	End of the Road	10/6	7	Click Here
Jesse S.	Living the Program	10/5	16	Click Here
Dennis Y.	NA at Noon	10/1	10	Click Here
Kim T.	NA at Noon	10/3	19	Click Here
Sharon B.	Renegades	10/1	1	Click Here
Amanda T.	Renegades	10/16	4	Click Here
Laura L.	Renegades	10/28	31	Click Here
Lance M.	Spiritual Awakenings	10/2	4	Click Here
Rachel G.	T.A.C.O. Tuesday	10/10	11	Click Here
Sara C.	Unity	10/5	4	Click Here
Jocho B.	Unity	10/19	6	Click Here
Darryl B.	Unity	11/16	6	Click Here
Jared R.	We Group	10/19	1	Click Here
Stephanie S.	Welcome Home	10/25	12	Click Here
Savannah	(W. GA) On the Right Track	10/17	4	Click Here
Matt F.	(W. GA) Sky's the Limit	10/18	28	Click Here
Mary W.	(W. GA) What Can We Do	10/22	12	Click Here
Peggy P.	(W. GA) What Can We Do	10/22	43	Click Here
Jeff L.	(W. GA) What Can We Do	10/29	8	Click Here
Jenny A.	(W. GA) On the Right Track	11/4	5	Click Here


Group Celebrations, Events, and Activities

Group	Notes	Date	Calendar	Flyer
Unity Group	📡 Unit is a Must Speaker Jam 📡	10/14	Link	Link
Marietta Area Activities	🎮 Blue Ghost Arcade Activity 🎮	10/14	Link	Link
(W. GA) YANA	🎉 YANA 20th Group Anniversary 🎉 Food @ 7:00 pm	10/13	Link	
(W. GA) WCWD	🎃 What Can We Do 3rd Annual Halloween Dance 🎃 7:30 pm - 1:00 am	10/28	Link	Link

(GRSCNA) GA Regional	◆ GRSCNA GSR Assembly ◆	10/21	Link	Link
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Detailed Reports

Highlights from the GSR Reports are below. This includes celebrations, events, and any special notes. All submitted GSR Reports as attachments: ( 40_GroupReports_09-2023.pdf)






















1. **Group:** Architects of Adversity
 - a. **Changes:** We are announcing that our group will be holding back \$5 per week to help with our 24-hr room group shift meal. This is to lessen the financial burden of our home group members during the event. Also, our Tuesday Zoom meeting is done. We only have our Friday Zoom meeting now.
 - i. David M. (Area Secretary) - I have updated this Tuesday meeting to reflect these changes.
2. **Group:** NA @ Noon
 - a. **Changes:** Policy Ad Hoc made changes to include more training and Monday BEG Steps 1,2,3, IP Pam / Fri Steps / Traditions. (David M. - it was hard to read, but i think this is what it says)
3. **Group:** Unity
 - a. **Event:** Unity Group presents “**Unity is a Must**” **Speaker Jam on October 14th from 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM**. We will have **10 speakers** in 2 rooms from 12pm-6pm and will be **providing food at 11:00 AM**, donations accepted, **No Addict Turned Away!**
[Austell First united Methodist Church](#)
[5705 Mulberry Street, Austell, GA 30106](#)
 - i. Flier:  90_Flyers_UnityIsAMust-SpeakerJam.png

Adjournment

- **Motion:** Motion to close the ASC Meeting (Time N/A)
 - **Maker:** N/A
 - **Second:** N/A
 - **Approved by Acclamation**
 - **NOTE: (David M., Secretary) this was not in the recorded minutes i was given, apologies.**
- **Next ASC Meeting Scheduled:**
 - **Sunday, October 29th, 2023 @ 2:00 PM at Ridgeview Institute - Day Hospital**



Attachments

This section contains all the attachments, reports, motions, flyers, and miscellaneous files submitted to the secretary for inclusion in this month's minutes.





1. **Minutes Folder (Contains everything)**
<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/15X9Zklefc2MGo4zbfO3jHhNPvv2g1TGi?usp=sharing>
2. **Area Contacts SpreadSheet**
 - a.  Contacts
3. **Area Attendance**
 - a.  AreaAttendance
4. **Admin Reports**
 - a. **Chair:**  10_AdminReports_Chair_09-2023.pdf
 - b. **Vice Chair:** N/A
 - c. **Secretary:** N/A
 - d. **Treasurer:**  10_AdminReports_Treasurer_09-2023.pdf
 - e. **RCM:**  10_AdminReports_RCM_09-2023.pdf
 - i. **Additional Attachments from Region:**
 1.  GRSCNA-Minutes_09-2023.pdf
 2.  Treasurer-Annual-Report_09-2023.pdf
 3.  RCM-Reports_09-2023.pdf
 4.  RD-Zonal-Forum-Information_09-2023.pdf
 5.  New-Topics_09-2023.pdf
 6.  Flyers_09-2023.pdf
 - f. **Literature:**  10_AdminReports_Literature_09-23-2023.pdf
5. **Subcommittee Reports**
 - a. **Policy:** <VACANT>
 - b. **Activities:**  20_SubcommitteeReport_Activities_09-2023.pdf
 - c. **H&I:**  20_SubcommitteeReport_HI_09-2023.pdf
 - d. **PR:** Did not receive a report
 - e. **WSR:** <VACANT>
 - f. **24 Hour Room:**  20_SubcommitteeReport_24HourRoom_09-12-2023.pdf
 - i.  80_Miscellaneous_24HourRoom_FindingHopeInTheDarknessArtwork.jpg
 - ii.  80_24HourRoom_GroupShiftSchedule2023.png
 - g. **40th Anniversary of Basic Text Ad-Hoc:**
 - i.  21_SubcommitteeReport_Ad-Hoc_40thAnniversaryBasicText_9-24-2023.pdf
6. **Nominations**
 - a.  50_Nomination_RCMA.pdf
7. **Service Resumes**
 - a.  60_ServiceResume_RCMA_KunalK_09-2023.pdf
8. **Elections**
 - a. NONE
9. **Motions**
 - a. NONE
10. **Group Reports**
 - a.  40_GroupReports_09-2023.pdf
11. **Meeting List**

- a.  70_MeetingList.pdf

12. Miscellaneous

- a.  80_Miscellaneous_24HourRoom_FindingHopeInTheDarknessArtwork.jpg
- b.  80_24HourRoom_GroupShiftSchedule2023.png

13. Flyers

- a. Blue Ghost Arcade Activity
 - i.  90_Flyers_Activities_BlueGhostArcade.jpg
- b. Unity Group presents “Unity is a Must” Speaker Jam
 - i.  90_Flyers_UnityIsAMust-SpeakerJam.pdf
 - ii.  90_Flyers_UnityIsAMust-SpeakerJam.png
- c. Georgia Regional GSR Assembly
 - i.  90_Flyers_GRSCNA_GSR-Assembly_10-23-2023.jpg
- d. West Georgia Area
 - i.  90_Flyers_WestGA_WhatCanWeDo_3rdAnnualHalloweenParty.jpg
- e. Knoxville, TN Area
 - i. KACNA VI Convention
 - 1.  90_Flyers_KACNA_LeapIntoFreedom_KnoxvilleConvention.jpg

Summary For GSRs

This section includes a summary of Elections, Nominations, Motions Voted on, and New Motions (for both Area and Region) that must go back to homegroups for voting. There is also a section for important announcements from the Group Reports.

- 0 **motions** were voted on; 0 **NEW motions** were put forth.
- There are **4 topics from Region** that are going back to homegroups
- 0 **elections** took place; **1 nomination** for RCMA, but this was tabled to get group input.
 - **4 Vacant Admin Trusted Servant positions:** Secretary Alternate, Treasurer Alternate, Regional Committee Member Alternate, and Literature Distribution Chair Alternate.
 - **2 Vacant Subcommittee Chair positions:** Policy Chair and Writing Steps in Recovery Chair.
- H&I and PR subcommittees **need more support.**
- The **24 Hour Room Group Shift Schedule** is [available online](#). **Group Shift lottery will occur at the October ASC.** Signup for Personal shifts will begin after the November ASC. Schedules are available here: <https://mariettana.org/24-hour-room/> and [here](#)
- The **Georgia Regional GSR Assembly will occur on October 21st** in Forsyth, GA
 - [90_Flyers_GRSCNA_GSR-Assembly_10-23-2023.jpg](#)

Nominations

- **Position:** RCMA
 - **Nominee:** Kunal (Spiritual Awakenings)
 - **Maker:** Stephen R. (GSR, Spiritual Awakenings)
 - **Seconded:** Bradley S. (GSR, Rose Group)
 - **Nomination Form:** ■ [50_Nomination_RCMA.pdf](#)
 - **Service Resume:** ■ [60_ServiceResume_RCMA_KunalK_09-2023.pdf](#)
 - **Notes:**
 - **Motion was made to table this nomination to get group input**
 - **Maker:** Tom (GSR, Living the Program)
 - **Seconded:** Courtney M. (GSR, T.A.C.O. Tuesday)
 - **Vote:** Yes - 7, No - 5, Abstain - 1
 - **Result:** [Tabled to get group input](#)

Back to Groups

- 1 nomination for RCMA was tabled so home groups could discuss, see details above.
 - ■ [50_Nomination_RCMA.pdf](#)
 - ■ [60_ServiceResume_RCMA_KunalK_09-2023.pdf](#)
- 4 Topics from Region are going back to homegroups:
 - [Topic 2023-015](#) (Transparency of Budgets)
 - [Topic 2023-016](#) (Mileage Reimbursement for trusted servants in RSC Task Panels)
 - [Topic 2023-017](#) (Have printed treasurer reports from all treasurers at beginning of RSC)
 - [Topic 2023-018](#) (Have treasurer provide printed copies of annual financial report at Sept. RSC and electronically on Saturday of the September RSC)
 - See full RCM Report here: ■ [10_AdminReports_RCM_09-2023.pdf](#)
- The **24 Hour Room Group Shift Schedule** is [available online](#) or [here](#)

- o Group Shift lottery / selection will occur at the October ASC. Come to October ASC with your groups' top 3-4 shift choices

2023	Saturday December 23	Sunday December 24	Monday December 25	Tuesday December 26	Wednesday December 27	Thursday December 28	Friday December 29	Saturday December 30	Sunday December 31	Monday January 1
10:00 AM	Setup	10am - 1pm	10am - 1pm	10am - 1pm	10am - 1pm	10am - 1pm	10am - 1pm	Yoga Sound Bath (Candice)	10am - 1pm	
11:00 AM										
12:00 PM	Open Doors									
1:00 PM										
2:00 PM	1pm - 4pm	Cornhole Tournament (Bailey B.)	1pm - 4pm	1pm - 4pm	Art Night	1pm - 4pm	1pm - 4pm	1pm - 4pm	1pm - 4pm	
3:00 PM										
4:00 PM										
5:00 PM	Dinner	4pm - 7pm	4pm - 7pm	4pm - 7pm	4pm - 7pm	4pm - 7pm	4pm - 7pm	Walk Across (David H. & Donna C.)	4pm - 7pm	
6:00 PM	Opening Speaker									
7:00 PM										
8:00 PM										Dinner
9:00 PM	Open Mic Night	7pm - 10pm	7pm - 10pm	7pm - 10pm	7pm - 10pm	Karaoke	Spades Tournament	7pm - 10pm		Closing Speaker
10:00 PM										Clean Time Countdown
11:00 PM	Dance	10pm - 1am	10pm - 1am	10pm - 1am	10pm - 1am	10pm - 1am	10pm - 1am	10pm - 1am		
12:00 AM										New Year's Eve Dance

- o Signup for Personal shifts will begin after the November ASC.
- The **Georgia Regional GSR Assembly** will occur on October 21st in Forsyth, GA
 - 📎 90_Flyers_GRSCNA_GSR-Assembly_10-23-2023.jpg
- Mention our [group celebrations, activities, and events](#).
- Full Calendar available [HERE](#).

Next ASC Meeting

Sunday, October 29th, 2023 @ 2:00 PM at Ridgeview Institute - Day Hospital

References

This section contains helpful links, policy, form, etc for members.

1. Marietta Area of Narcotics Anonymous Website
<https://mariettana.org>
2. Minutes, Policy, Forms, and Documents
 - 2.1. Area Minutes
<https://mariettana.org/mascna-minutes/>
 - 2.2. Area Policy
<https://mariettana.org/mascna-policy/>
 - 2.3. Forms (Motion, Nomination, GSR, Literature Order, Expense Report, Area Inventory)
<https://mariettana.org/forms/>
 - 2.4. Miscellaneous Area Documents (Guide to Local Services, Robert's Rules vs Consensus)
<https://mariettana.org/mascna-documents/>
3. Marietta Area Activities and Events
<https://mariettana.org/activities-flyers/>
4. Marietta Area Calendar (Activities, Meetings, Celebrations)
<https://mariettana.org/marietta-calendar/>
5. Subcommittee Pages
 - 5.1. 24 Hour Room
<https://mariettana.org/24-hour-room/>
 - 5.2. Hospitals & Institutions
<https://mariettana.org/hospitals-and-institutions/>
 - 5.3. Writing Steps in Recovery
<https://mariettana.org/writing-steps-in-recovery/>
 - 5.4. Public Relations
<https://mariettana.org/public-relations/>
6. Meetings
 - 6.1. Printable
<https://mariettana.org/?current-meeting-list=1>
 - 6.2. Meetings Map
<https://mariettana.org/meetings-map/>
7. Online Literature Order Store
<https://mariettana.org/shop/>