

**Greater Hartford Area of Narcotics Anonymous
290th Meeting
Saturday, October 10th 2009**

Call to order

Eric opened the meeting at 3:02 PM. There was a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. The twelve Traditions were read by Anthony. The Twelve Concepts were read by Clayton.

Group Roll Call

27 groups in attendance

Minutes from September were accepted and will be archived.

New Groups

None

New GSR's

David GSR: Pathway To Recovery

| Position | Name | Telephone | Email | End of Service | Report |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------|--|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| Chairperson | Eric | | chair@ghasc.org | 07/10 | In attendance |
| Vice Chairperson | Vince | | vicechair@ghasc.org | 07/10 | Report given by Eric |
| Treasurer | Joe C. | | treasurer@ghasc.org | 07/10 | Report given & copy on area table |
| Alt. Treasurer | Ron W | | Ronww1FPac12@yahoo.com Rwebb@Savolpools.com | 07/10 | In attendance |
| Secretary | Cheryl M. | | Cherylm1018@comcast.net | 05/10 | In attendance |
| RCM | Scott | | rcm@ghasc.org | 07/10 | Report given & copy on table |
| Alt RCM | Alfred | | | 07/10 | In attendance |
| H & I | Will | | | 05/10 | Report given & copy On area table |
| Policy Chair | Tracey | | policy@ghasc.org | 05/10 | Report given & copy on area table |
| PI/PL Web Servant | George Carlos | | pipl@ghasc.org webservant@ghasc.org | 02/10 | Report given & copy on area table |
| Activities | Mike K | 860-306-9158 | activities@ghasc.org | 07/10 | Report given & copy on area table |
| Coffee Maker | George | | | 11/09 | In attendance |
| Door Greater | Tammy | | | 11/09 | Absent |
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Group Reports In Announcements

Old Business

Monies remaining from checks that were stopped per bank (no fees) will be put back in area balance. Money will be fund flowed per area policy.

New Business

Regional

Motion #1 To create a new line item in the Web servant budget for fiscal year 2009/2010 for attendance at the World Wide Workshop or other pertinent Learning Days and to transfer monies from the line item for software to the new line item. Intent: To allow the Web servant to attend pertinent workshops/Learning Days, and to gather and share information to better serve this Region. Maker: Gerry T/RD and Roberta T/Web Servant; 2nd by Megan/RCM MSU

Motion tabled to Areas for 60 days. Return to table on November 28, 2009.

Area tabled motion to the groups. To return vote on November 14, 2009

Area

Motion #1 That the Web servant's budget be merged/added as line items in PI/PL's budget. Intent: Web servant merged after budget passed. Continuity. Made by PI/PL 2nd by Tom S/No Other Way.

Vote: 18-0-5 passed

Announcements

Phone line is looking for Spanish speaking addicts for the phone line. Must have 1 year clean & attend PI/PL sub committee. The Web servant needs Spanish literate addicts.

Phone line Volunteer sign up list is passed out at area and will be brought back by GSR's to their home groups. Any interested addicts must meet the requirements and attend a PI/PL orientation.

H&I meet 1st Tuesday of the month 6:30 pm, St. Patrick- St. Anthony Church 285 Church St. Hartford CT

OTF: Needs Budget/Literature Chair

H&I Learning Day Nov. 14th 2009, 12-2pm (same room as area0 Food & Speaker

Locked in Recovery Holiday Party is being held on Monday Dec. 14th, 2009 at the Congregational Church, 8 Main St. Windsorlocks, CT from 6:30 – 7:30pm food, fun 7:30 – 9:00pm meeting. Finger foods appreciated. For more info call Bob L. [REDACTED] Denise [REDACTED]

Seriously Seeking Recovery 21st Anniversary Party Friday Oct. 30th 2009. Immediately following meeting. Finger foods appreciated. Pizza and refreshments provided.

GHA Activities Subcommittee Announcements

Attention all members: GHA Activities Subcommittee is looking for Auction Donations. We are looking for any NA memorabilia (shirts, mugs, convention memorabilia, vintage NA items, etc.) for our upcoming New Years Eve auction. Any and every donation is appreciated. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Carol W. [REDACTED] or Email: activities@ghasc.org

GHA Activities Subcommittee has MOVED starting in November!! : Every 2nd Thursday of the month @ 6pm at the First Congregational Church on the corner of Center Street/ Main Street in Manchester. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Carol: [REDACTED] or Email: activities@ghasc.org

Friday, October 16th- Third Friday Movie Night- meet from 9-9:30pm @ Bloomfield 8 Theatre, 863 Park Avenue –Wintonbury Mall – Bloomfield. Suggested Donation \$8 adults/ \$6 kids. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Carol W. [REDACTED] or Email: activities@ghasc.org

Tuesday, October 20th- One Day Convention meeting, all positions OTF for the 25th Anniversary of GHASC one- day convention put on by GHA Activities Subcommittee. 7-8pm @ St. Patrick- St. Anthony Church, 85 Church Street, Hartford. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Carol W. [REDACTED] or Email: activities@ghasc.org

Sunday, November 15th – Family Fun Day sponsored by the GHA Activities Subcommittee. 2-6pm @ Nomads Adventure Quest, 100 Bidwell Road, South Windsor. Choose 3 of 7 activities (Laser Tag, Bowling, Minigolf, Rockwall Climbing, Slot Car Racing, Bounce House, and Bumper Cars). Suggested Donation \$15 adults/ \$10 kids 12 and under. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Carol W. [REDACTED] or Email: activities@ghasc.org

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Friday, December 18th - Third Friday Movie Night- meet from 9-9:30pm @ Bloomfield 8 Theatre, 863 Park Avenue –Wintonbury Mall – Bloomfield. Suggested Donation \$8 adults/ \$6 kids. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Carol W. [REDACTED] or Email: activities@ghasc.org

Thursday, December 24th-25th- Holiday Marathon sponsored by GHA Activities Subcommittee. Meetings every hour from 9pm Dec 24th – 9pm Dec 25th @ Mount Sinai Hospital, 490 Blue Hills Ave, Hartford. Cost is FREE. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Carol W. [REDACTED] or Email: activities@ghasc.org

Thursday, December 31 – New Years Eve Speaker/Auction/Dance! Sponsored by GHA Activities Subcommittee. 6pm-12:45am @ Manchester Country Club, 305 South Main Street, Manchester. Suggested Donation \$25 includes dinner and all events or \$5 for Auction/Speaker/Dance with entry after 9pm only. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Carol W. [REDACTED] or Email: activities@ghasc.org

You can also find flyers for most of these events and more at www.ghasc.org/act.html

COMMITTEE TIMES of MEETING

Activities Sub-Committee

3rd Tuesday of every month from 7-8pm &
St. Patrick-St. Anthony Church & the Franciscan Center 285, Church St., Hartford CT
At GHASC Main Room

PI/PL Subcommittee

2nd Saturday of every month from 2-3pm
St. Patrick-St. Anthony Church & the Franciscan Center 285, Church St., Hartford CT
Classroom 4

Policy Subcommittee

Every Month on the Tuesday following Area at 6:30pm
Evergreen Lodge 1559 Main Street, South Windsor CT

H&I

1st Tuesday of every month at 6:30pm
St. Patrick-St. Anthony Church & the Franciscan Center 285, Church St. Hartford CT
Same room as area

Meeting adjourned at 4:16pm closing in a circle.

Note to GSR's

It is suggested that you bring minutes with you to the area meeting next month to make any changes if needed to this month's minutes, and bring them back to your group to be archived. This will be the only copy you will receive.

As the Area Secretary please write clearly on motions and announcements, thank you

In loving service,
Cheryl M.

