

**Greater Hartford Area of Narcotics Anonymous  
293<sup>rd</sup> Meeting  
Saturday, January 16th 2010**

**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 Hope. The Twelve Concepts were read by Alfred.

**Group Roll Call**

31 groups in attendance

Minutes from December were accepted and will be archived.

**New Groups**

**The Process Is In The Book** meets Thursday 7:30-9pm at 508 Glastonbury Road, Glastonbury Ct 06033

**New GSRs**

**Steve M. GSR for The Process Is In The Book**

**Trevon GSR for There's Hope For Today**

**Tony GSR for No Other Way**

**Mark Alt. GSR for Clearview**

**Joey Alt. GSR for Journey Continues**

**Todd Alt. GSR for Clean Choice**

**Lesley Alt. GSR for Sisters Reaching Out**

**John Alt. GSR for Survival Group**

**Julie Alt. GSR for Straight Ahead**

Position	Name	Telephone	Email	End of Service	Report
Chairperson	Eric		<a href="mailto:chair@ghasc.org">chair@ghasc.org</a>	07/10	In attendance
Vice Chairperson	Vince		<a href="mailto:vicechair@ghasc.org">vicechair@ghasc.org</a>	07/10	Report given and copy on
Treasurer	Joe C.		<a href="mailto:treasurer@ghasc.org">treasurer@ghasc.org</a>	07/10	Report given & copy on area table
Alt. Treasurer	Ron W		<a href="mailto:Ronww1FPac12@yahoo.com">Ronww1FPac12@yahoo.com</a> <a href="mailto:Rwebb@Savolpools.com">Rwebb@Savolpools.com</a>	07/10	In attendance
Secretary	Cheryl M.		<a href="mailto:Cherylm1018@comcast.net">Cherylm1018@comcast.net</a>	05/10	In attendance
RCM	Scott		<a href="mailto:rcm@ghasc.org">rcm@ghasc.org</a>	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		<a href="mailto:policy@ghasc.org">policy@ghasc.org</a>	05/10	John gave report & copy on area table
PI/PL	George		<a href="mailto:pipl@ghasc.org">pipl@ghasc.org</a>	02/10	Report given
Web Servant	Carlos		<a href="mailto:webservant@ghasc.org">webservant@ghasc.org</a>		& copy on area table
Activities	Mike K		<a href="mailto:activities@ghasc.org">activities@ghasc.org</a>	07/10	Report given & copy on area table
Coffee Maker	Stacie			3/10	In attendance

Door Greater	Derrick			3/10	In attendance

### Group Reports In Announcements

**Area Voted On:** Contract for 1 day Convention (Comedy Night) **Vote: 24-0-0 Passed**

Contract for DJ on the one day Convention **Vote: 24-0-1 Passed**

All checks were voted to be issued today from area. This was due to Treasurer Report.

### New Business

**Regional Motion #1:** To merge the Schedule Committee with the Literature Committee. Intent: To pool our resources **passed**

**Regional Motion #2:** To form a ADHOC committee and review alternatives for maintenance of website. Intent: To carry a clear concise NA message while viewing the website. Made by Scott C. RCM 2<sup>nd</sup> by Alfred Alt. RCM **Vote: 17-0-8 passed**

**Area Motion #1:** To waive policy for voting on each individual check. Intent: To be prudent with time. Made by Craig R. GSR Between the Covers 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tony R. from No Other Way **Vote: 8-6-11 Failed**

**Area Motion #2:** To have GHASC donate Intro to NA Guides to give to Mt. Sinai in the amount of \$125.00. Intent: To carry the message to the addict who still suffers and to follow our 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition. Made by Tony R. of No Other Way 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ervin of TGIF **Vote 24-0-1 passed**

**Area Motion #3** Change area to 10am start. Intent: Get area over sooner. Made by Ervin of TGIF 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tony R. of No Other Way **Tabled to next area.**

### Announcements

**Take What You Need Group** of NA is celebrating our 21<sup>st</sup> anniversary on February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010 at Evergreen Lodge on Main Street, S. Windsor, CT from 6-7:15 Food, Fun and Fellowship. 7:30-8:30 Speaker Meeting.

**Between the Covers** 21<sup>st</sup> anniversary March 10<sup>th</sup> at 1301 Forbes Street, E. Hartford: 6:30-7:30 Food, Fun and Fellowship, 7:30-9pm Ticket shotgun meeting

**New Meeting: The Process Is In The Book:** Thursday 7:30-9pm at 508 Glastonbury Road, Glastonbury CT 06033

## GHA Activities Subcommittee Announcements

**Saturday February 6th** – A DAY AT THE SPA. Choose from a massage, facial, or body treatment. Suggested donation of \$50 for 1 hour. Only 19 time slots left. 9am-2pm @ Therapeutic Solutions, 96 Poquonock Avenue, Windsor, CT

More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Danielle [REDACTED] or EMAIL : [activities@ghasc.org](mailto:activities@ghasc.org)

**Friday, February 19<sup>th</sup>** – 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 Jessica [REDACTED] or EMAIL : [activities@ghasc.org](mailto:activities@ghasc.org)

**Sunday, February 28<sup>th</sup>** – Sledding! Noon-3pm (snow permitting) @ Henry Park, off South St. in Vernon. If not enough snow it will reschedule to the following Sunday. Cost is FREE! Some sleds/tubes will be provided along with refreshments. More Info: Mike K. 860-306-9158 or Jessica [REDACTED] EMAIL: [activities@ghasc.org](mailto:activities@ghasc.org)

**Saturday, March 6<sup>th</sup>** – DINOSAUR SERVICE SPEAKER JAM & DANCE. Meetings from 12pm-8pm FREE. Dance from 8-10pm suggested donation \$5. @ south Congregational Church, 1301 Forbes St., East Hartford. A day long speaker jam featuring NA workshops & speakers with 20+ years clean. Meeting every hour on the hour. Finger foods appreciated. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Jessica [REDACTED] or EMAIL: [activities@ghasc.org](mailto:activities@ghasc.org)

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**Saturday, June 5<sup>th</sup>** – GHASC 1 Day Convention celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary– 9am-Midnight @ Sheraton Hotel, 100 East River Drive, East Hartford. PLEASE REGISTER IMMEDIATELY. You get a discount for registering this week and if we all wait we will likely lose out on the larger meeting rooms and not be able to fit everyone that wants to come. Register now. Suggested Donation \$35 full day package with Banquet/\$15 full day package no meal. Dance is included at no cost/first come first served and Comedy show is \$10. Prices all increase after March 1<sup>st</sup>. More Info: Mike K. [REDACTED] or Jessica [REDACTED] or EMAIL: [activities@ghasc.org](mailto:activities@ghasc.org)

You can also find flyers for most of these events and more at [www.ghasc.org/act.html](http://www.ghasc.org/act.html)

**COMMITTEE TIMES of MEETING**

**Activities Sub-Committee**

2nd Thursday of every month at 6pm

First Congregational Church on the corner of Center & Main Street, Manchester CT

**PI/PL Subcommittee**

2<sup>nd</sup> 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**

1<sup>st</sup> 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 4:35pm 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.

