



**SMALL WONDER AREA OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS (SWANA)
 AREA SERVICE MINUTES
 January 17, 2024**

OPENING

The Area Chair called the meeting to order at 7pm. There was a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. The 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts were read. Roll call was taken at 7:10 pm and 8pm by Jena C. (see attached Roll Call sheet).

Motion was made to accept minutes from December 2023, motion 2nd 23-0-0 motion passes

Corrections:

NO CORRECTIONS TO LAST MONTHS MINUTES

Old Business

- NONE

Home Group Reports

New Saturday meeting --- Small Wonder Step Study Meeting which meets on Saturdays at the 2700 Washington Street at 10am – needs the area support.

The Chair called for and received reports from the subcommittees, with a Q&A session following each report. See included subcommittee reports

| Subcommittee | Chair info | Chair email address/meeting info | |
|---------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| Secretary | Jena C - 302-898- 7293 | swanasecretary2324@gmail.com | |

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| Treasurer | Roxane B - 302-438- 0518 | fhroxane@gmail.com | |
| Co-Chair | John R - 646-623- 7064 | Johngrob61@gmail.com | |
| RCM | Alexis W - 302-613- 8766 | Swanarc55@gmail.com | |
| Alt RCM | Tyrone - 267-671- 4550 | trinebane@gmail.com | |
| H & I | Earl T 302- 596-1256 | Meets the 1 st Monday of the month at 6:00pm at Mt. Salem Church Etrincia82@icloud.com | |
| Meeting List/Website | Shayla B 302-553- 3990 | Contact chair for information on meeting. smallwonderarea@gmail.com | |
| Outreach | Catharine M 302- 565-9424 | Meets 4 th Monday of the month at 6:00pm at Christ the Cornerstone Church in Elsmere. catharinemurray@gmail.com | |
| Phone Line | Shanna F - 302-565- 8786 | Meets 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6pm Zoom - Id – 820 7486 9163 PW -PHONE sfranklin745A@gmail.com | |
| Public Relations | Rhonda G. | RhondageeA@hotmail.com | |
| Unity & Activities | Ayesha E 302-559- 2780 | Meets 1 st Monday of the month at 6pm at Christ the Cornerstone Church in Elsmere . Ayeshaedwards53@gmail.com | |
| Policy | Joey G - 267-444- 7047 | Meets on the 1 st Wednesday of the month at 6pm at 6 N. Clifton Ave., 2 nd floor library Room, on Zoom. ID: 850 2686 3616 Password: recovery koggomoo@gmail.com | |
| Convention | Cheryl E 484-321- 1557 | Meets 2nd Saturday of the month at 1pm at Mt Salem United Methodist Church messyboy0113@gmail.com | |

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| Literature | Juan R - 302-559- 5202 | Cabledoc515@gmail.com | No Report Received |
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NEW BUSINESS

Motion – from RCM

Asking for \$250 so that RCM and Alt. RCM can attend the AZF meeting on 1-27-2024

Intent: -- to be able to provide information to the area in reference to AZF activities and events

2 pros and 2 cons – received and included in minutes

Motion passes – 17-1-3

OPEN FORUM

Discussion about Voting and Non-voting members during ASC.

Voting – GSR’s or Alt GSR’s

Non-Voting – Subcommittee Chairs, executive body (secretary, co-secretary Chair, co-Chair, Treasurer, and co-Treasurer)

Exception to rule – Chair only votes if there is a tie.

REMINDER to all homegroups please let the area secretary know if you are a non-voting person during roll call.

CLOSING

Treasurer reported that the amount of 7th tradition donations collected for the night were \$1,365.18 so a donation to region would be made in the amount of \$136.00.

Literature reported that the amount of Literature purchased for the night was \$864.60

The meeting was closed with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer. Meeting closed at 8:45pm.

IN LOVING SERVICE,

Jena M.

Swanasecretary2324@gmail.com

302 898-7293

| AREA SERVICE HOME GROUP ATTENDANCE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|-------------------------|
| Home Group | 1 st Roll Call | | 2 nd Roll Call | | Notes About Meeting |
| | Present/ Voting | Absent | Present/ Voting | Absent | |
| 1. Attitudes In Action | x | | x | | |
| 2. Basic Text | x | | x | | |
| 3. Be At Your Best | | x | | x | 4 th no show |
| 4. By NA Means Necessary | x | | x | | |
| 5. Clean But Not Straight | | x | | x | |
| 6. Clean Dreams | x | | x | | |
| 7. Down Home Group | x | | x | | |
| 8. Each One Teach One | | x | | x | |
| 9. Embrace the Grace | x | | x | | |
| 10. Eye Opener | | x | x | | |
| 11. First State Survivors | x | | x | | |
| 12. Get It Off Your Chest | x | | x | | |
| 13. G.O.D. Group | x | | x | | |
| 14. Hope for Healing | x | | x | | |
| 15. Hump Day Hope | | x | | x | |
| 16. In The Solution | x | | x | | |
| 17. Journey Continues | x | | x | | |
| 18. Just For Today | x | | x | | Non voting |
| 19. Last Chance For Recovery | x | | x | | Non voting |
| 20. Living The Steps | x | | x | | |
| 21. Meditations & Steps | | x | | x | |
| 22. Monday Night Recovery | x | | x | | Non voting |
| 23. Miracles Happen | x | | x | | |
| 24. New Way of Life | x | | x | | Non voting |
| 25. Not Just an Hour | | x | | x | |
| 26. Old School Recovery | x | | x | | |
| 27. Recovery In the A.M. | | x | | x | |
| 28. Recovery on the Westside | x | | x | | |
| 29. Simplicity Group | x | | x | | |
| 30. STAR Group | x | | x | | |
| 31. Step By Step | | x | | x | 3 rd no show |
| 32. Steps to Recovery | | x | | x | 3 rd no show |
| 33. Sunday Night Recovery/ Spiritual Connection | x | | x | | |
| 34. This Is H.O.W. | | x | | x | |
| 35. Three Minutes of Meditation | x | | x | | Non voting |
| 36. Time to Live Again | x | | x | | Non voting |
| 37. Together We Can | | x | | x | |

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|---|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|
| 38. | Turn It Over | | x | | x | 4 th no show |
| 39. | We Want To Live | | x | x | | |
| 40. | Weekend Survivors | x | | x | | |
| 41. | New Group – Small Wonder Step Work Guide meeting of NA | x | | x | | 1 st attendance not included in the count |
| 42. | | | | | | |
| Total Number of Meetings In Attendance | | 27 | 13 | 28 | 12 | |
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**SUBCOMMITTEE /
CHAIR
REPORTS**



John R./ Co Chair

1/17/2024

Co-Chair Report

- I attended the policy subcommittee meeting as required by policy.
- I am still working on the calendar of events.

In loving service



1/17/2024

John R./ Co Chair S.W.A.
Acting Chair

Policy Report

The committee met and discussed the following.

- The policy committee will no longer meet in person. The committee will meet on zoom only. There will be a flyer posted for the change with the zoom information.
- The committee is working on updating the website copy of the Policy to match the hard copy of the Policy.

In loving service

Subcommittee Report Form

Subcommittee Name: Website & Meeting List

Chair: Shayla B Phone #: 302-553-3990

Co-Chair: _____ Phone #: _____

Meeting Day: _____ Time: _____

Location: _____

Subcommittee Update/Problems: (Please be concise and legible)

Masks have been removed from website & Meeting Lists.
I also merged the abbreviations for each home group.
(Example: BEER-Beginner/Newcomer, BT-Basic Text)
So if you want yours updated to reflect something
different than what is advertised, please reach
out to me. I will adjust it. Subcommittee list
on website and meeting lists will be updated
~~each~~ ^{this} month. If any changes happen I
can update accordingly. Meeting List were
not available ~~on~~ for Area today. They will
be here next month. Apologies for delay.
Please see me if your home group is completely
out.

Shayla Brantley
Signature

1/17/24
Date



Subcommittee Report Form

Subcommittee Name:

RCM

Chair: Alexis W

Phone#: 302 613-8766

Co-Chair: Tyrone M

Phone #: 302 363-1223

Meeting Day: NA

Time:

Location:

NA

Subcommittee Update/Problems: (Please be concise and legible)

Regional open positions, vice chair, Alt sec, vice treasre special event chair, phone line chair. A 2 F meeting is Jan 27-2024. Work shops will start 10:00 am - 4:30 pm, Virtual (VS) in previous meeting. RD and RdA vote to extend there time in service to meet WSL cycle. WSL in 2016 region recieve \$5 226.53 in donates. The F&RC made 14,740 and donated 5,000, 2,500 to W&WS \$2,500 to service center.



PRO/ CON SUBMISSION FORM

Who is submitting this form?

NA Member: Alexis Walker & Tyrone B

Home Group: RLM

Subcommittee: RCM

Phone #: 202 613-8766

What is the Motion?

ask for \$250.00 for the RCM & Alt RCM
to go to the AZF for a learning day and
bring back info to the area about the event.

Please check one:

Pro (for the motion)

Con (against the motion)

Please explain why you are for or against the motion:

Get some info about AZF learning day
1-27-2024

Signed:  Date: 1 18 2024



Subcommittee Report Form

Subcommittee Name: Outreach
Chair: Catharine M Phone#: 302-565-9424
Co-Chair: Bill S Phone #: 302-897-1943
Meeting Day: 4th Monday Time: 6pm
Location: 6 N Clifton Ave Elsmere, DE

Subcommittee Update/Problems: (Please be concise and legible)

Outreach is doing well, however we could benefit from new members and fresh ideas. The workshop is still going. We welcome suggestions on topics from the groups other than that, nothing new to report

- Catharine M

A large, stylized handwritten signature, likely belonging to Catharine M, written in black ink.

Subcommittee Report Form

Subcommittee Name: Phoneline Subcommittee

Chair: Shanna F Phone#: 302-565-8786

Co-Chair: None Phone #: _____

Meeting Day: January 10th Time: 6pm

Location: ZOOM 820 7486 9163 Pass word PHONE

Subcommittee Update/Problems: (Please be concise and legible)

Phoneline met 1/10/24 @ 6pm
No one attended. Spoke with
one member on subcommittee
individually. This chair will
contact acting Regional Phoneline
Chair, As well will forward
any information to members
of subcommittee. In loving
service next meeting will
be February 14th at 6pm.

Shanna F
Signature

1/17/24
Date



Subcommittee Report Form

Subcommittee Name: HW-I

Chair: EMEL T Phone #: 302-596-1256

Co-Chair: Kristy Phone #: 1-561-301-2239

Meeting Day: 1st Monday of Every month Time: 6:00 pm

Location: MOUNT SALEM Church

Subcommittee Update/Problems: (Please be concise and legible)

HW-I is going very well. We had
Great Attendance of New members willing to
serve. WE currently have 8 commitments
ONE of them being meadowood that just
started. WE are still in the process of
getting Rockford started again hopefully A.S.A.P.
the men in prison look forward to us
coming every week and getting alot of men
attending are meetings. We will need a
whole order for literature this month.
We still encourage anyone willing to fill out
a application for mens prison.
~~for a long~~


Signature

1/16/24
Date

**SWACNA XV
Convention Body Meeting Minutes**

Subcommittee Name: SWACNA XV Convention Body

Chair: Cheryl E **Phone:** 484-321-1557

Co-Chair: **Phone:**

Meeting Day: 1/13/24 **Time:** 10:00am-12pm

Location: Mt. Salem Church, 2629 West 19th Street, Wilmington, DE 19806

Attendance:

Cheryl E., Convention Chair

Lisa B., Convention Treasurer

Craig K., Convention Co-Treasurer

Charmaine B., Convention Secretary (virtual)

Linda Z., A&G Chair

Kia S., H&H, Chair

Rasheeda T., H&H Co-Chair

James T., Programming Chair

Dionna M., Registration Co-Chair

Ethel Mc., Operations Chair

Andre F., F&E Chair

Traci B., F&E Co-Chair (virtual)

Open Meeting

- Serenity Prayer
- 12 Traditions
- 12 Concepts

Old Business:

Previous meeting minutes accepted.

Reports:

- **Chair Report – (verbal):** ASC meeting went well last month. We are two months away from the convention. Despite barriers and challenges, we've been successful in preparing for the event. We need to start finalizing the details. Everyone can provide ideas for the Saturday Brunch. We have the brunch menu for review, and to decide what to serve.
 - Questions/Discussion:
 - Brunch menu selection – suggestion to put menu in the chat for the committee members to review.
- **Treasurer's Report (attached):** Break-down of expenses from last F&E event provided.
 - Questions/Discussion:
 - None
- **Subcommittee Reports:**
 - **A&G (attached):** The Chair obtained 3 bids for the Convention banner. Most affordable was Aztec's Printing for \$220. Aztec's selected. The Chair is waiting for printing needed from other committees so that cost included in A&G budget.
 - Questions/Discussion:
 - Should A&G take care of the Information Committee needs?

- Yes. There needs to be convention information staffed at the convention.
- Will any additional brochures or flyers need to be printed?
 - Basic information needs to be printed for upcoming events.
- A&G will also need to obtain copies of the readings for the meetings.
 - Programming chair has the list from last year and will coordinate with A&G chair. Programming will need declaring statement, activity times, questions/statements for the press.
- Tickets for brunch, comedy show, dance, and spiritual breakfast? Do they need to be printed?
 - Use colored system – arm bands. F&E Co-Chair currently has green bands available. Need a count of how many bands we have.
 - Recommendations to use tickets for activities to avoid people attempting multiple use.
 - Suggest having tickets at the door.
 - Tickets are more convenient than bands.
 - Use bands for the dance.
 - A&G to print tickets for brunch, spiritual breakfast, and comedy show.
 - Green armbands for the dance (F&E Co-Chair has the bands)
 - 50 for Spiritual Breakfast
 - 150 Brunch
 - 200 Comedy Show
 - If we sell out of tickets we will charge at the door
- **H&H (verbal):** The Committee did a walk through. Discussed the Convention Center selling items in area reserved by SWACNA XV. The liaison reported it shouldn't be a problem. They will relocate their vendor. A chair count is needed for the rooms for brunch and decide on the menu. The hospitality room is small. \$300 budget should be good for remaining needs.
 123 rooms total - 94 rooms blocked as of 12/28/23 and 29 left.
 3 rooms left for staff (added by Kia).
 35 tables available – 4 for merchandise, 2 for photography, 2 for silent auction, 1-2 for taping.
 If we want the chairs set up we need to provide a count.
 - Questions/Discussion:
 - Shipyard room – H&H room
 - Wilmington Hall - suggested for Saturday Brunch
 - We were previously told we couldn't have the Christina room. During walk-through.
 - Can you get an area for silent auction?
 - Yes. 2 tables will be reserved (see above)
 - Conference room - needed for Treasurer and Co-Treasurer to complete counts safely.
 - Where will Merchandise store their items?
 - Shipley room
 - How does the Convention body get the discounted room rate?
 - Kia can send the link
- **Merchandise (verbal):** Obtained bids for printing of merchandise from AI's at \$19.50 per shirt for long sleeve t-shirt, and Noor's Inc. at \$12-15 depending on the size, and whether we select long or short sleeve.

Vendors who would like to sell merchandise at the convention – 1) Living Clean Jewelry at 25% of proceeds. 2) Golden Touch Designs jewelry at 25% of proceeds. 3) Sew Sew World Embroidery at 25% of proceeds, and 4) Décor by Laurie Specialty items at 25% proceeds.

o Questions/Discussion:

- Sew Sew world is doing our registration packages.
- The treasurer will need total cost.
 - The Merchandise Chair will provide at next meeting.
- How many vendors are needed to sell merchandise?
 - 6 vendors
 - There will be no vendor selling what Merchandise is selling (Merchandise, 2 jewelry, embroidery, specialty items, taping) Merchandise will ask other vendors not to sell shirts, sweatshirts, etc. sold by the committee.
- Have we decided on whether to charge a % or flat rate per table(s)?
 - Merchandise Committee decides what to charge.
- At past conventions and other area conventions, vendors are allowed to sell merchandise on Saturday.

▪ **Registration (attached):** A total of 458 registrations to date

o Questions/Discussion:

- The treasurer posted the artwork on facebook with prices for full registration package. Immediate responses received for full registration packages.
- Previously convention packing is done on Thursday night but will not be needed this time. Sew Sew included packaging in bid accepted by the committee.

▪ **Operations (attached):** Will need additional help with upcoming events. The chair will get shirts for the committee.

o Questions/Discussion:

- None

▪ **F&E Report (verbal):** 2 proposals for the DJ, and photographer.

DJ bids - \$1400 for the weekend from DJ Master Rob. \$1200 for the weekend for DJ Rock.

Photographer bids - Buddy at 25% of proceeds; waiting for proposal from Linwood.

o Questions/Discussion:

- Do both photographers have the 360 option? If not, can we request it?
 - It is not listed on the proposal.
- Question about the fairness of DJ bids.
 - Discussion was held with the Convention Committee prior to acceptance of bids.

▪ **Programming (verbal):** all programming is complete for remaining events and the convention.

o Questions/Discussion:

- Who has the conversation with AV?
 - Programming will work with AV
- Will Programming be ordering the case of Basic Texts for give-away?
 - Provide the cost to the Treasurer.
- What about the Treasure Chest? Do we have one?
 - There is not one in storage per Merchandise.
 - Silver pieces from Golden Touch Designs given each year. Will add to treasure chest

- Who will be collecting the collective clean time for the main event, Registration?
 - Yes
- What about giving out a basic text in each workshop to the person with the least amount of clean time?
- H&H and Programming will collaborate with the person with the most clean time pass to the person with the least clean time (Passing the Torch).
 - Open the meeting after brunch.
 - Programming suggests passing the torch after the clean time count down in the evening.

Old Business Carried over:

- Convention Co-Chair nomination: Kecia M. did not show at ASC.
- Raffle for flat screen – H&H will consider changing the date to try to sell more tickets. So far ticket sells have not offset the cost.

New Business:

No new nominations

Remaining Open Positions:

- Co-Chair
- Co-Secretary
- Information Chair and Co-Chair
- A&G Co-Chair?

Remaining Goals for Convention body:

1. Pay off convention center
2. Finalize all events and needs for the convention.

Meeting adjourned.

Next mtg 2/10/24

SWACNA XV Treasurer's Report

January 12, 2024

SWACNA XV's beginning balance on December 1st, 2023, was \$8,586.25. Our reconciled checking account balance as of December 31, 2023, was \$7,723.17. We've had several additional registrations come in since then, making our current balance \$8,131.45.

Our last speaker jam brought in gross proceeds of \$1969.50. Our expenses were \$963.26, giving us net proceeds of \$1006.24.

As mentioned last month, subcommittee costs and budgets are due today so that I can incorporate them into the overall Convention Budget. Thank you for your cooperation!

In loving service,

Lisa B., Convention Treasurer

1/13/24

Operations

3/2024

Spoke to Nate about Serenity
Keepers Shirts asked for a total
of 12 (4L, 4XL, 4XXL). Mesh Vest
found for 3.95 each Request 20
vest 10 for Fri & 10 for Sat. Request
400 for ~~mesh~~ Vest. Waiting
for Nate to give cost of
shirts. All is well and have
supplies for upcoming events
was able to secure more help
for next events. Still asking
for help for Convention, don't
see any upcoming problems

Operations Chair Ethel Mc



DATE: January 14, 2023

WHAT HAPPENING IN THE SUBCOMMITTEE?

Listed below are three proposals for Convention Banner:

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Aztec Printing & Design | \$220.00 |
| Minuteman Press | \$289.90 |
| Union Press Printing | \$285.00 |

The committee decided to have Aztec Printing to do the banner.

The A&G Committee will be responsible for the Convention Information table.

Registration Committee:

The registration at the events are slowing down at the last two events we have only had three registrations combined. We have sent the check to Debbie at Sew Sew World to begin our packets for the convention. We are now at our final price that we will have during the convention \$35.00 per person no discount prices are being offered. The registration list is attached please do not include in the minutes to the area.

Love and respect

Jena Carter

SWANA Treasurer
December 20, 2023 - January 17, 2024

| Date | Type | Num | Name | Memo |
|----------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| 12/20/2023 | 1110 | Alexis W. | RCM 1 | 125.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1111 | Christ the Cornerstone | ASC | 100.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1112 | Christ the Cornerstone | Outreach | 50.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1113 | Christ the Cornerstone | U&A | 25.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1114 | Christ the Cornerstone | Policy | 25.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1115 | Christ the Cornerstone | New Years Event | 200.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1116 | Christ the Cornerstone | New Years Event Cash | 50.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1117 | Ayesha E. | Voided | - |
| 12/20/2023 | 1118 | Tyrone M | RCM 2 | 114.25 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1119 | Void | Voided | - |
| 12/20/2023 | 1120 | Mt. Salem Church | | 60.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1121 | Ayesha E. | New Years Event | 350.00 |
| 12/20/2023 | 1122 | Free State Region | ASC donation | 132.00 |
| 12/26/2023 | | Zoom | | 25.58 |
| 01/12/2024 | | Literature | Outreach Literature | 32.00 |
| 01/12/2024 | | Literature | H&I Literature | 240.50 |
| 01/16/2024 | | Quickbooks | | 30.00 |
| 12/21/2023 | | Deposit | | 1,324.42 |
| Beginning Bal | | | | \$ 6,238.92 |
| Expenses | | | | \$ (1,559.33) |
| Deposit | | | | \$ 1,324.42 |
| Ending Balance | | | | \$ 6,004.01 |

January 2024 Literature Report

12/21/23 Deposit \$1013.35, from group orders. 1/12/24 Transfers from area Treasury \$32.00 and 240.50 for H&I and outreach subcommittees orders . Balance \$4272.35, on 1/16/24 placed order with free state \$1414.42 . Ending balance \$2857.61.

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| Just For Today | 49.80 |
| H&I | |
| Basic Text Group | 22.30 |
| Attitudes in Action | 11.20 |
| Steps To Recovery | 98.60 |
| Sunday Night Recovery | 6.00 |
| Recovery in The AM | 77.70 |
| Hope For Healing | 36.70 |
| Old School Recovery | 20.50 |
| New Way of Life | 9.70 |
| Living The Steps | 8.70 |
| Three Minutes Of Medt | 39.20 |
| Star Group | 38.20 |
| Monday Night Recovery | 23.60 |
| The Journey Continues | 11.30 |

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| By NA Means Necessary | | 83.75 |
| Embrace The Grace | | 49.40 |
| Not Just Hour | | 11.80 |
| Down Home Group | | 97.30 |
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| Get it Off Your Chest | | 41.80 |
| Clean Dreams | | 41.60 |
| Miracles Happen | | 11.00 |
| Time To Live Again | | 11.30 |
| GOD Group | | 21.00 |
| Turn It Over Group | | 9.70 |
| Recovery On the Westside | | 49.20 |
| Outreach | | |
| Clean But Not Stright | | 15.30 |
| | 0 | 0.00 |
| | 0 | 0.00 |
| | | 1009.45 |

Chair &

CoChair in Service

Juan

R & Chris M

Flyers

Home Group Reports

Nomination Forms

Motions



Small Wonder Area of Narcotics Anonymous

Area Open Positions:

Co- Secretary

Policy Chair

If you have any members who may be interested please have them attend the next area service meeting the 3rd Wednesday of the month at Christ the Cornerstone Church, 6 N Clifton Ave., Elsmere 19805 at 7pm.

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____
Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____
Zip: _____

Phone: _____
Email: _____

(Please completed reverse side)

METHOD OF PAYMENTS:

Credit Card No: _____
Expiration Date: _____
CVC (three digit code): _____

Mail To:
SWACNA XV
P.O. BOX5429
Wilmington, DE 19808
or
Register On-Line at
www.smallwonderarea.org

CHILDREN 10 YEARS OR OLDER
MUST BE REGISTER



SMALL WONDER AREA CONVENTION
NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

MARCH 8 - 10, 2024

HOTEL INFORMATION

CHASE CENTER
ON THE RIVERFRONT
&

The Westin
Wilmington
818 Shipyard Drive
Wilmington, DE 19801
(302) 654-2900

Room Rates are \$164.00 per night.
Call and mention SWACNA 2024 to
receive the discounted rate.

For more information, contact any of the
SWACNA XV Committee Members:

Chair Cheryl E. 484-321-1557
Registration Jena C. 302-898-7293
Programming Chair James T. 904-708-3184

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SMALL WONDER AREA CONVENTION
NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

MARCH 8 - 10, 2024

CHASE CENTER
ON THE RIVERFRONT
&

The Westin
Wilmington



WHY- PRE- REGISTER?

The answer is easy- to save money! Pre-Registration is always cheaper than registration on-site. However, this is not the only reason to register early. When we register and buy event tickets in advance, the Convention Committee is able to better plan to meet everyone's need at the convention as well as remain self-supporting.

Our Seventh Tradition states,
“Being self-supporting is an important part of our new way of life.”

(BasicText, Page 70, 6th Edition)

Online registration is available through March 1, 2024. After March 1, 2024, only on-site registrations will be taken beginning at 10:00 am on Friday, March 8, 2024 at the Chase Center.

For more information or to register online, go to www.smallwonderarea.org

For additional information send an email to Registration Subcommittee:
SWACNAXV@gmail.com

Children and Teens

All children 10 years and older must be registered.

DRIVING DIRECTION

FROM NEW YORK, NEW JERSEY & POINTS NORTH:

Take NJ Turnpike South to Delaware Memorial Bridge. Go through toll plaza and stay left. Follow sign for I-95 South to Wilmington/Baltimore. Take I-95 N to Wilmington. Take Exit 6 in Wilmington, DE (Maryland Ave.) and turn right onto Maryland Avenue. Follow the signs to the Riverfront, turning right just before the 1st traffic light. Turn right onto South Madison Street and follow the signs to the Chase Center.

FROM MARYLAND AN POINT SOUTH:

Take I-95 N to Wilmington.
Take Exit 6 in Wilmington, DE (Maryland Ave.) and turn right onto Maryland Avenue.
Follow the signs to the Riverfront, turning right just before the 1st traffic light.
Turn right onto South Madison Street and follow the signs to the Chase Center.



BASIC REGISTRATION

Pre-Registration

Before January 1, 2024 -
\$25.00 for 1
\$45.00 for 2
After January 1, 2024 - March 8, 2024
\$35.00 for 1

| EVENT | PRICE | QTY | TOTAL |
|--|----------|-----|-------|
| Pre-Registration | \$25.00 | | \$ |
| Pre-Registration (2) | \$45.00 | | \$ |
| Registration Package: Basic Registration Sat Brunch Sat. Entertainment (Comedian trio, Dance) Sunday Spiritual Brunch | \$120.00 | | \$ |
| TOTAL | | | \$ |

Individual Pricing

| EVENT | PRICE | QTY | TOTAL |
|--|---------|-----|-------|
| On-Site Basic Registration | \$35.00 | | \$ |
| Saturday Brunch | \$45.00 | | \$ |
| Saturday Entertainment (Comedian trio) | \$35.00 | | \$ |
| Dance | \$10.00 | | \$ |
| Sunday Spiritual Brunch | \$30.00 | | \$ |
| TOTAL | | | \$ |

WE DO RECOVER

When at the end of the road we find that we can no longer function as a human being, either with or without drugs, we all face the same dilemma. What is there left to do? There seems to be this alternative: either go on as best we can to the bitter ends - jails, institutions or death - or find a new way to live. In years gone by, very few addicts ever had this last choice. Those who are addicted today are more fortunate. For the first time in man's entire history, a simple way has been proving itself in the lives of many addicts.

It is available to us all.
This is a simple spiritual - not religious - program, known as Narcotics Anonymous.

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WHY REGISTER

Registration is how we pay for the hotel facilities for our convention. It also pays for the items contained in the registration packages, as well as the funds to plan and implement our next convention. After the convention, proceeds are used to fund our service structure. Your registration entitles you to attend all meetings and workshops

Register at any of our events: \$25.00
Registration: \$30.00
On-Site Registration: \$35.00



BYAGNA XIII

The Bronx Area Convention of Narcotics Anonymous

March 15 - March 17, 2024
HILTON STAMFORD HOTEL
1 First Stamford Place
Stamford CT. 06902

203-967-2222 or 888-225-9664

Mention Code: BRX
in order to receive the discounted convention *room rate.

You will be asked for Credit Card information to secure your room. It will not be charged at this time. There is also a \$50 per day incidental charge that will be held to the credit card, and returned upon checkout.

GUEST ROOMS

Traditional non-smoking rooms. Accommodation include King and Double beds.
***RATE: \$149 per night. Starting Thurs. 3/14**
Parking \$15 per day +tax.

*Room rate is subject to applicable taxes, which are currently 15% per room per night, and is subject to change without notice.

Reduced Parking is available at \$15 per day +tax.
You are able to come and go as you please.

CHILDREN

Registration for children over 12 years of age is \$10.00
All Children should be accompanied by an adult at all times.

Due to the presence of Comedians, the content of Comedy Show and the Fashion Show is geared towards adults and may not be appropriate for children.

REGISTRATION FORM

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|----------|-------|
| NAME: | |
| ADDRESS: | |
| CITY: | |
| STATE: | |
| ZIP: | APT#: |
| PHONE: | |
| EMAIL: | |

****FULL WEEKEND PACKAGE DEAL \$105.00****
(Includes Everything listed below. Be mindful that the times of some events may coincide with each other)

Full Weekend Package \$105X ___ = \$ ___
(until 12/31/23)

Weekend Package includes everything below.

OR Purchase Event individually

| | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Registration (\$35.00 Onsite) | \$30 X ___ = \$ ___ |
| Fri. Night Dance | FREE |
| Sat. Fashion Show (\$30.00 Onsite) | \$25 X ___ = \$ ___ |
| Sat. Comedy Show (\$40.00 Onsite) | \$35 X ___ = \$ ___ |
| Sat. Night Dance (\$20.00 Onsite) | \$15 X ___ = \$ ___ |
| Newcomer Donation | = \$ ___ |
| TOTAL ENCLOSED | \$ ___ |

ON SITE REGISTRATION: \$35.00
For mail in Registrations, please send money order, payable to:

BACONA
P.O. Box 487
Bronx, New York 10451
We're sorry but we cannot accept checks.

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

If you would like to serve please contact:

| | | |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Chair | Sandra G. | 347-490-7496 |
| Vice-Chair | Donnell L. | 646-246-0874 |
| Secretary | Ada R. | 646-784-8670 |
| Programming | Shep | 917-586-1135 |
| Registration | Barrington R. | 718-825-9671 |
| HIPIC | Open | |
| Entertainment | Alan K. | 347-313-3533 |
| Serenity Keepers | Malcolm D. | 347-693-0304 |
| Hospitality | Carmilita G. | 646-359-9282 |
| Merchandise | Veronica | 347-607-7902 |
| Arts & Graphic | Open | |

****IMPORTANT CONVENTION INFORMATION****

Registration paid by MONEY ORDERS ONLY

No mail in registration after 12/31/23

Confirmation will be received by mail or email

Badges must be worn at all times during the BxACNA XII Convention

If you would like to speak at the convention, please submit tapes with clean time, (7yrs. for main meeting & 3yrs. for workshops) and phone number.

All Registrations & Tapes should be mailed to:

**BACONA
P.O. Box 487
Bronx, New York 10451**

Cut off date for tapes is 12/31/23

DIRECTIONS

The Hilton Stamford Hotel & Executive Meeting Center is less than a hour drive from The Bronx. Includes Free WIFI, On-Site Restaurant, Indoor Pool, Business Center, Fitness Center and Non-Smoking Rooms.

ROM I-95 NORTH:

Follow I-95 N to Greenwich Ave in Stamford. Take exit 7 from I-95 N. for Greenwich Ave toward CT-137 N. Drive to First Stamford Place.

FROM 287 East:

Head Northeast on 1-287N. Take the I-87 S/New York State Thruway/I-287 exit toward Gov Mario M. Cuomo Br/New York City. Merge onto I-87 S. Keep left at the fork to continue on I-287 E, follow signs for White Plains/Rye.. Merge onto I-95N. Take exit 7 from I-95 N. for Greenwich Ave toward CT-137 N. Drive to First Stamford Place.

FROM HUTCHINSON RIVER PARKWAY NORTH:

Follow Hutchinson River Pkwy N, I-287 E and I-95 N to Exit 7 from I-95 N for Greenwich Ave toward CT-137 N. Drive to First Stamford Place.

BY TRAIN:

Take the New Haven Line to Stamford, and walk 0.6 miles to 1 First Stamford Place.

BxACNA XII

Bronx Area Convention of Narcotics Anonymous



**"As long as the ties that bind us
together are stronger than
those that will tear us apart,
all will be well."**

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Room rate also available for 3/14.

Visit us at: <https://bronxareaconvention.com/bxacna>
Email us at: bronxareaconvention@gmail.com
Online purchases: <https://bxacna12.square.site>

ANNOUNCEMENT

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE



THE SUBCOMMITTEE WILL MEET
ZOOM ONLY!
FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY
MONTH!

- ID-850-2686-3616
- PASSWORD-recovery
- TIME 6pm-7pm

ALL ARE WELCOME

 SMALL WONDER AREA CONVENTION 
NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

S.W.A.C.N.A. XV

TREASURES OF
Life

MARCH 8 - 10, 2024

CHASE CENTER
ON THE RIVERFRONT

&

**The Westin
Wilmington**

818 Shipyard Drive
Wilmington, DE 19801
(302) 654-2900

Room Rates are \$164.00 per night.
Call and mention SWACNA 2024 to
receive the discounted rate

REGISTRATION

| | |
|--|----------|
|  Full Package | \$120.00 |
|  Basic Registration | \$35.00 |
|  Saturday Brunch Buffet | \$45.00 |
|  Saturday Night Comedy Trio | \$25.00 |
|  Saturday Night Dance | \$10.00 |
|  Sunday Spiritual Breakfast | \$30.00 |

Register today at:
www.swacnaxv.square.site

**FOR MORE INFORMATION,
contact any of the**

SWACNA XV Committee Members:

Chair Cheryl E. 484-321-1557
Registration Jena C. 302-898-7293
Programming Chair James T. 904-708-3184

<https://www.smallwonderarea.org/conv>



Welcome To FreeState Region

Autonomy Zonal Forum

“Principles, Practice and Perspective: selfless service is our goal.”



Autonomy Zone
Central Atlantic Region
Chesapeake and Potomac Region
Freestate Region

**Saturday January 27, 2024 9am-4:30pm Free
State Regional Service Center
(217 N Warwick Ave. Baltimore, MD. 21223)
zoom @ ID: 813 8874 8391 pw: freestate**

8:30-Set up

9-10 AZF Business meeting (open to all)

Workshops:

10:00am – 11:30am : Gender specific language discussion

11:30am-12:30pm: Lunch onsite and provided

12:30pm - 2pm: Virtual meetings, areas, and service

2pm -3:30pm: Fellowship development (carrying our message)

3:30 – 4:30pm: Zonal forums and future of the AZF

More Info: autonomyzonalforum.org & fsrna.org



HOME GROUP REPORT TO AREA

Home Group Name: By NA meant Necessary Date: 1/17/2024
GSR: Kevin E. Phone #: 267-304-3534

Announcement / Anniversaries:

Everything is going well with the group. Attendance has been great.
We have all positions filled. Thomas was voted in to be hospitality. We are in need for TSR members.
Shanine will be celebrating 2 yrs on JAN 30,
Heather will be celebrating 7 ~~3~~ yrs on Feb, 5,

Question/ Feedback/Issues

ASC Donations \$ 180⁰⁰

Together, We Can Group

01-16-2024

Anthony R

302-420-0439

Announcement/Anniversaries:

One Anniversary this month, 01/2024.

Our group is not experiencing any issues this month. We met on 01/09/2024. Our donation to the area is \$160.85. We will be purchasing one 22-year medallion and a 37-year medallion.

No questions /Feedback/ Issues

In Loving Service



MOTION FORM

Date 1 12 2024
 Individual/Group Making Motion: RCM
 What Part of Policy Will Be Affected? Page #: ~~2~~ Article #: ~~2~~ Section #: ~~2~~

What Is A Motion?

A motion is the statement of an idea made by a member or group describing a specific practice that the member/group wants the Area to put into place.

STATE MOTION: Ask For 250⁰⁰ to attend the AZF meeting 1-27-2024

What Is Intent?

The intent of a motion describes why or how the motion will improve policy, simplify a process, or provide something needed by a committee to fulfill their service commitment.

DESCRIBE INTENT: Get info about AZF activity/events

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SECRETARY USE ONLY:

| DISPOSITION OF MOTION | YES | NO | ABSTAIN |
|---|-----|----|---------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CARRIED | 17 | 1 | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FAILED | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tabled | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> TIE: INDICATE THE CHAIR'S DECISION | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RESUBMIT TO GROUPS | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SUBMIT TO SUBCOMMITTEE | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER | | | |

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PRO/ CON SUBMISSION FORM

Who is submitting this form?
NA Member: John R.

Home Group: 601 9

Subcommittee: Co Chair

Phone #: 646-623-7064

What is the Motion?
To give the RCM + AIT RCM \$125⁰⁰
to attend Zonal Meeting

Please check one: Pro (for the motion) Con (against the motion)

Please explain why you are for or against the motion:
Agree that ~~budget~~ the the RCM + AIT RCM
receive the funds 1/17/24

Signed: [Signature] Date: 2/1



PRO/ CON SUBMISSION FORM

Who is submitting this form?

NA Member:

Barbara Jean

Home Group:

The Journey Continues
RCM

Subcommittee:

Phone #:

What is the Motion?

\$250 for

Please check one:

() Pro (for the motion)

Con (against the motion)

Please explain why you are for or against the motion:

Should have been brought to area sooner to be able to be sent back to groups to vote on.

Signed:

Barbara Jean

Date:

1/17/2024



PRO/ CON SUBMISSION FORM

Who is submitting this form? NA Member: Shanna F.

Home Group: Monday Night Recovery

Subcommittee: _____

Phone #: _____

What is the Motion?

Please check one: () Pro (for the motion) Con (against the motion)

Please explain why you are for or against the motion:

IS IT NECESSARY TO HAVE
BOTH RCM & ALTERNATE RCM
ATTEND THIS EVENT.

Signed: Shanna F. Date: 1/17/24



PRO/ CON SUBMISSION FORM

Who is submitting this form?

NA Member: Anthony B.

Home Group: WEEKEND SURVIVORS

Subcommittee: REM.

Phone #: 302-766-6120

What is the Motion?

Money for REM to go to event.

Please check one: Pro (for the motion) Con (against the motion)

Please explain why you are for or against the motion:

Let them do their job,
they are doing great,

Signed: Anthony B. Date: 1-17-2024