

TCANA January 2020 MINUTES

This meeting opened at 1:09 with a moment of silence followed by the we version of the serenity prayer Traditions were Read by Tanis and the Concepts were Read by Dave B. Introduction and Roll Call. Quorum was met. GSR in attendance was 4.

- Last Month's Minutes were accepted. Chair did not receive \$10 for rent and is requesting \$20 this month
- Mail was picked up

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS:

ASC CHAIR- ABSENT – No Report

ASC CO-CHAIR-VACANT

SECRETARY- Nothing to report.

TREASURER REPORT- **Ending Balance \$1,688.13**

Beginning Balance	\$1,710.26
Incoming-Groups	\$ 152.08
Outgoing	\$ 10.00 (H & I Rent)
	45.21 (Phone)
	40.00 (RCM Reimbursement)
	79.00 (H& I lit)
Ending Balance	\$1,688.13

There is currently a surplus of \$74.11 in the account. Will review for next month

CO-TREASURER- VACANT

RCM- VACANT

ALT-RCM- Report Given verbally (my bad, no good notes) . Need to Vote on RD

Qualifications: Mike A, Clean date 2/29/08
Coffee maker/set up at various homegroups in FLANA
Former and current RSC secretary
P&P/Guidelines Chair - A&E Chair - RCM - GSR
Served on PI, Guidelines, P&P, A&E
Currently do not have a sponsor but do have a working knowledge of 12 steps/ traditions/
concepts
Have misappropriated NA funds and made have since amends

RD – Jon A. who was a surprise nomination from HONYANA.

Service Qualifications for Jon A: Clean Date 3/20/1988. I have an NA sponsor who has an NA sponsor. Working knowledge of 12 steps and 12 traditions

1990- Regional PI also regional H&I Vice Chair

1991- RSR alternate (RD alternate)

Various Area positions 1994-present: Chair, Vice Chair, Treasurer, H&I Chair (currently), PI Chair

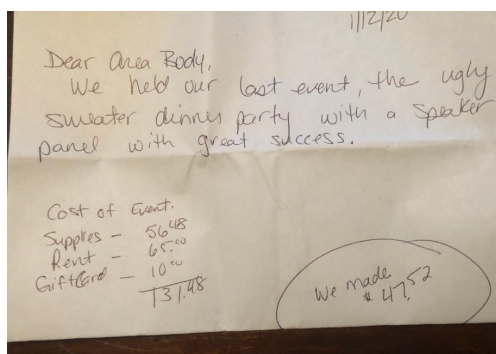
I have never stolen from NA nor have I misused any NA funds. I would be good for this position because I believe in our traditions and have a good working knowledge of them. I also will work hard for the groups to carry the conscience I have been given.

Considerations: Mike A. has been serving in our regional meetings for several years and took on responsibilities such as secretary and Interim RD simply because he has a desire to serve and there were no willing members to take the positions. While on paper it would appear, Jon A. has the better qualifications, I would like to add a personal note and mention Jon A's recent nomination for RD has some unspiritual bases and rest on a dislike for another member who has multiple service commitments throughout the NA service structure, from his area to NA world service.

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:

A&E- Treasurer Present

EXTERNAL EMAIL -- This message originates from outside our organization.



Hello Area,

I will not be in attendance at Area today, A&E did not meet today, and are still planning the upcoming bowling event. More will be revealed as soon as date and location are secure.

Thank you,

Carmina M

GSR REPORTS:

3825 2 13902 1
 Triple Cities Area Narcotics Anonymous, PO Box 422 Binghamton, NY 13902
 Group's Name: Living the message GSR's Name: Debbie B
 # of Addicts in Attendance: 10-45 # of meetings per week: 5
 Date: 1-12-20 Group Donation: 0.00
 Comments on Group Conscience and Group and group conscience: No group donation as living the message with one debating the first annual night out held Jan 17 2020 at 83 main St. from 6-12 PM Live DS. Let's hope there will be a speaker. Please come out and support your local NA living the message carries the message.

3825 2 13902 1
 Triple Cities Area Narcotics Anonymous, PO Box 422 Binghamton, NY 13902
 Group's Name: Sevensday Thursday GSR's Name: Shelley
 # of Addicts in Attendance: 20-30 # of meetings per week: 1
 Date: 1/15/2020 Group Donation: 0
 Comments on Group Conscience and Group: Many are still could use personal support and recovery, many illnesses.

3825 2 13902 1
 Triple Cities Area Narcotics Anonymous, PO Box 422 Binghamton, NY 13902
 Group's Name: Just For Today GSR's Name: KRS-NY
 # of Addicts in Attendance: 20+ # of meetings per week: 1
 Date: 1-12-2020 Group Donation: \$700.00
 Comments on Group Conscience and Group: Group coming message, Attendance high + steady each week, total \$1000.00 donation

3825 2 13902 1
 Triple Cities Area Narcotics Anonymous, PO Box 422 Binghamton, NY 13902
 Group's Name: Process Begins GSR's Name: Shane D
 # of Addicts in Attendance: 8 # of meetings per week: 1
 Date: 1-12-20 Group Donation: 42.00
 Comments on Group Conscience and Group: meetings are doing Good, Great Recovery going on.

SHARING TIME:

Old Business: Vote for RD. Two Votes for John A, two abstain

New Business:

- Debby M has voted in for Area Secretary with 3 Yes
- Discussed forming a steering committee to review area guidelines

- **Discussion on autonomy of groups surrounding the Event the nooner is hosting on January 17th. Suggested that their opening Chair report be maybe more specific about how funds will be spent (i.e. Rent, Literature, Events to bring unity to the group)**
 - **Dave B indicated that any profits generated would be towards future events. Will take back to home group suggestion above**
- **Vote to make Brian RCM 3 yes, 1 abstain**
- **TCANA.net may be up for renewal. \$50 for 1 yr, \$90 for 2 yrs, \$190 for 5 years. Need more info from Kristen**

That Concludes January's minutes. Thank you for letting me Serve

Debby M



***TCANA PRESENTS
AN EVENING OF BOWLING***

FEBRUARY 28TH

6PM-10PM

CAROUSEL LANES (FORMERLY LAUREL BOWL)

LAUREL AVE, BINGHAMTON



Family Friendly Event

**Come out
and join us
for some
fellowship
and fun**

**\$8.00 FOR 2
GAMES AND
SHOE RENTAL**