

**ASC begins with Admin @ 8:00AM Policy at 9:00 a.m. and then ASC Begins 9:30AM on Sunday,  
Nov 12 th, 2023 at Terra Nova (and on Zoom )**

**October 8th , 2023**

ASC meeting of **BASCNA, Inc.**

7540 40<sup>th</sup> Street N., Pinellas Park, FL 33781

24-hour Helpline Numbers: (888) 779-7117

Moment of Silence & Serenity Prayer

Definition of an Area Service Committee (ASC)

Introduction of New Members to the Area Service

Tradition/Concept of the Month

Roll Call / Group Reports

HOME GROUP	JUN	JUL	AUG	Sept
11 <sup>th</sup> Step Beach Meeting	A	P	P	P
12 Step Warriors		P	P	A
Always Here	P	P	P	P
Autonomous Group	A	A	A	A
Basic Meeting	P	P	P	P
Be a Part of	A	A	A	A
Blue Skies	A	A	A	P
Breaking Free	P	A	P	P
Change Starts Here	A	P	P	P
Clean Harbor	A	A	A	A
Come As You Are		P	P	P
Defeating Our Addiction (D.O.A.)	P	P	A	P
Do You Really Want to Know	P	P	P	P
Fire Up the Principles	A	P	P	A
First Things First	A	A	P	A
Freedom Group	P	P	P	P
H.O.W. Group	A	R	P	P
Happy and Free	P	P	P	P
I'm Clean On Fridays (I.C.O.F.)	P	P	A	A
It Works	P	P	P	P
Just for Today	P	A	A	A
Keys to Recovery	P	P	P	A
Keep it Real	A	A	A	A
Life's a Beach	P	P	P	P
Living Clean	P	P	P	P
Look up and Live	P	P	P	A
The Magic is Real	P	P	P	P
Men Do Recover	A	P	P	A
Morning Serenity	P	P	P	P
New Beginnings On Southside	P	P	P	A
No Matter What	P	P	P	A
No Pain No Gain	P	P	A	P
Noon Group	P	P	P	P
Outside the Walls of Addiction....	P	P	A	P
Picnics and Recovery	P	P	P	P
Primary Porpoise	P	P	P	A
Principles in the Park	A	A	P	A
Real Talk	A	A	P	P
Regardless Of...	P	P	P	P
Relax and Recover	P	P	P	P
Resurrender	P	P	P	P
Saturday Night Live	P	P	A	P
Save Your Ass	A	P	P	P
Save Your Ass on the Southside	A	A	P	A
Serenity in Addiction	P	P	P	P
Serenity on the South Side	A	A	A	A
Serenity on the Southside @ noon	P	A	P	A
Soul Sisters	P	A	A	A
S.P.A. (Spiritual Principles in Action)	P	P	A	P
Spiritual Principles	A	A	A	A
Spiritual Solutions	P	R	P	P
Stairway to Recovery	P	P	P	P
Sunshine	P	A	A	P

New to ASC:

Erin S trust the process

Laura N alt grs Noon group

Ryan L It Works alt grs



**ZOOM ID: 589 010 1841**

**Password: bascna**

**18:** areas in the Florida Region; **64:** home groups that are members of the Bay Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous.

Time to Recover	-	-	P	A
Trust the Process	P	P	P	P
The Green and Gold				P
Wakeup Clean	A	A	A	A
Water View Recovery	P	A	P	P
Welcome Home	P	P	P	P
What Can I Do	P	P	P	P
Women and Recovery	P	A	P	P
Women on Wednesdays	A	P	A	A
Young, Free, and Clean	P	A	P	P
HOME GROUPS REPRESENTED	38	40	39	40
VOTING PARTICIPATION	38	39	38	38

ADMIN. & SUBCOMMITTEES	JUNE	JULY	AUG
Chairperson — Alisha M.	P	A	P
Vice Chair — Jeannie H.	P	P	P
Secretary — Brad F	P	P	P
Alternate Secretary — Chris B	P	P	P
Treasurer — Rachael B.	P	P	P
Alternate Treasurer — Alina C	P	P	P
RCM — Nina R.	P	P	P
RCM-II — Joe D	P	P	P
Literature Distributor — Julie S	P	P	P
Alt. Literature Distributor — Megan B	P	P	P
Web Admin — Jenna D	P	P	P
Alt. Web Admin — Vacant	P	P	
Activities Chair — Stephanie B	P	P	P
Activities Vice Chair — Sarah A	P	P	P
Helpline Chair — JC C.	P	P	P
Helpline Vice Chair — Jenn K	P	P	A
H&I Chair — Drew F	P	P	P
H&I Vice Chair — Ross W	P	A	P
Literature (Newsletter) — Kelly D	P	A	P
Lit. (Newsletter) Vice Chair — Vacant	A	P	
Policy Chair — Ernest E.	P	P	P
Policy Vice Chair — Anglo B	P	P	P
PR Chair — Alex L	P	P	P
PR Vice Chair — Brittany S	P	P	P
BASCNA Inc. MAL — Mike M. 2024	P	P	P
BASCNA Inc. MAL — Brook L	A	P	A
BASCNA Inc. MAL — Gary F.	P	P	A

Quorum (avg. 3 previous mon. attendance, + 2,+1): 20  
Total Home Groups Represented at Roll Call: 40  
Voting Participation (number of groups able to cast vote):38  
Simple Majority (More than half of Voting Participation):20  
Policy Change (75% of this month's voting participation):29

Group Name	GSR	Day(s)/Time(s)	Homegroup Members	Attendance	Donation
<b>12 Step Warriors</b>		Mon 7:00 pm	-	-	
No report submitted					
<b>The 11th Step Beach Meeting</b>	Kortni C.	Sun 11:00 am	-	-	-
No report submitted					
<b>Always Here</b>	Sharon G.	Sun-Sat 12:00 pm	10	25	
All is well at Always Here! We meet everyday @ noon @ Terra Nova. We have literature studies, open discussion, and on Friday we have an 11th step meditation. Come check it out! ~in service, Sharon G					
<b>The Autonomous Group</b>	Louise G	Fri 5:00 pm (DST)	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Basic Meeting</b>	Charlie C.	Sun 7:00 pm	10	25	
We have a game night October 27th, 2023 6-10 pm					
<b>Be a Part of</b>	Michele T.	Sat/Sun 6:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Blue Skies</b>	Mark G	Thur 7:00 pm	3	4	-
Home group needs support					
<b>Breaking Free</b>	Debbie J.	Tue/Wed 7:15 – 8:15 pm	8	15	
No report submitted.					
<b>Change Starts Here</b>	Brad C	Wed 8:00 pm	6	-	
Everything is well.					
<b>Clean Harbor</b>		Mon/Wed/Thur 8pm, Sat 10pm, Sun 7pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Come As You Are</b>	Gerry R.	Thur 7:30 pm	3	20	
All is well!					
<b>Defeating Our Addiction (DOA)</b>	Gary F.	Thur 8:00 pm	7	?	
OK					
<b>Do You Really Want to Know</b>	David J.	Mon 6:30 – 7:45 pm	4	7-14	
We are doing well. Janet L will celebrate 29 years on Nov.17th					
<b>Fire up the Principles</b>	Brad M	Fri 8:30 pm	7	7	
No report submitted					
<b>First Things First</b>	George T.	Mon - Fri 7:00 am	5	10	
No new business.					
<b>Freedom Group</b>	Johnny E.	Wed 7:30 pm	8	13+	
This is the third time this year that I didn't receive my minutes in the mail.					
<b>H.O.W. Group</b>	Don N.	Fri 8:00 pm	6	25-30	-

Marie A. Celebrating 28 years on 10/17. Medallion presentation on 10/20. Eating meeting at 6:45. Meeting at 8:00. We are a candlelight meeting.

<b>Happy and Free</b>	Matt H.	Tues 7:00 pm	20+	30-50	-
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All is well. Cathay will celebrate 3 years on the 25th.

<b>I'm Clean On Fridays (ICOF)</b>	Amber B	Fri 7:30 pm	-	-	-
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No report submitted.

<b>It Works</b>	Jake W.	Mon 6:30 pm	15	60	██████
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It Works presents the Great Outdoor Adventure! Our home group's annual picnic, scavenger hunt and speaker meeting. Come join us for food, fun and fellowship on October 21st, 2023 from 10am to 2pm at Sawgrass Lake Park. ( 7400 25th Street North) Contact Jake W at ██████ for more information.

<b>Just for Today (JFT)</b>	VACANT.	Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat 10:00 pm	-	-	-
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No report submitted

<b>Keep it Real</b>	Michael B.	Mon/Wed/Fri 7:00 pm	-	-	-
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No report submitted.

<b>Keys to Recovery</b>	Andrew C.	Sun - Sat 8:00 pm	20	25-30	██████
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No report submitted.

<b>Life's a Beach</b>	Robyn H.	Mon 7:30 pm / Sat 8:00 pm	5	10	██████
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Life's A Beach Presents:

Sunset Picnic

Date: 11/4/23. Time:5pm-9pm

Pavilion #6

Join us for food, fun & fellowship

Meeting at 8pm

Bring a dish to share

Huge playground for the kiddos

Beautiful beach views

Gulfport beach 5730 Blvd. S. Gulfport FL 33707 (not affiliated)

Any questions or concerns contact Sarah A. ██████

<b>Living Clean</b>	Michael S.	Mon 7:30 pm	10	30	-
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All is well.

<b>Look up and Live</b>	Pamela D.	Wed 6:00 pm	-	-	-
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No report submitted

<b>The Magic is Real</b>	LeeAnn H.	Tues 7:00 - 8:15 pm	25	30	██████
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I submitted me email ad address on lie ask Ty yet didn't get the minutes

<b>Men do recover</b>		Thurs 7:00 - 8:30pm	-	-	-
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No report submitted.

<b>Morning Serenity</b>	Alice N.	Sun - Sat 7:45 am	25	12	██████
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We need support 7:45 live @ Terra Nova.

Anniversaries:

Elvin S 9/2 - 9 years

Brittany G 10/6 - 5 years

Alice N 10/13 - 17 years

Christina B 10/13 - 3 years

Cathy T 10/17 - 10 years

Jeff W 10/25 - 3 years

Annette G 11/1 - 2 years

Lisa C 11/19 - 1 years

<b>New Beginnings on Southside</b>	Lillie W.	Mon 7:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>No Pain No Gain</b>	Joyce E	Fri 7:15 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>No Matter What</b>	Brandon L.	Thur 7:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Noon Group</b>	Kevin B.	Sun – Sat 12:00 pm	57	25	██████
Celebrations: Victor 9/1/19 4 yrs Ernest 9/5/86 37 yrs Scott 9/5/00 23 yrs Rob 9/12/22 2 yrs James 9/14/20 3 yrs Starting planning for our annual sponsorship breakfast.					
<b>Outside The Walls...Her Story</b>	Debbie B.	Wed 7:00 pm	10	12	██████
In need of Home Group members and women with clean time					
<b>Picnics and Recovery</b>	Barry	Sat 4:00 pm (picnic quarterly)	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Primary Porpoise</b>	Frank P	Mon/Thur 7:00 pm	-	-	██████
The meeting has been doing good. We have a \$40 donation					
<b>Principles in the Park</b>	Phil P	Sun 11am	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Real Talk</b>	Andrew H.	Sat 8:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Regardless Of...</b>	Paul S.	Tues 7:30 pm	15	25	-
Doing Awesome - Life is great					
<b>Relax and Recover</b>	Janet V	Sat 10:00 am	23	30	██████
All is well at Relax and Recover. Three homegroup members will be celebrating anniversaries this month – Linda D. – 29 years on the 14th, John R. – 12 years on the 17th, and Amanda C. – 6 years on the 26th! LET'S CELEBRATE!!!					
<b>Resurrender</b>	Jordan D.	Wed 8:00 pm	8	20-35	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Saturday Night Live (SNL)</b>	Michael H	Sat 8:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Save Your Ass</b>	Melissa G	Sun – Sat 5:30 pm	9	30	██████
Save Your Ass Carwash Help us raise money for our annual picnic Date: 11/12/23 Time: 7am-12pm Location: Terra Nova 7550 40th St. N. Pinellas Park (Not affiliated) \$10 suggested cash donation Questions or concerns contact Heidi K. ██████					

<b>Save your Ass on the Southside</b>	Jane W.	Tues/Thur 5:30 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Serenity in Addiction</b>	Amanda M.	Mon - Fri 7:00 pm	15	20	-
Nice to have support of people with clean time to sponsor newcomers - TY :)					
<b>Serenity on the Southside</b>		Tues 12:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Soul Sisters</b>	Samantha S	Tues 6:30 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Serenity On the Southside @ Noon</b>	Rodney M	Sat 12:00 pm	4	8	-
Happy to be of service to the newcomer and old timer as well. Strong group, small but powerful message of NA. At most meetings, there is an average of 106 years of recovery to share with the newcomers and visitors. We are here because we want to be and love seeing new faces!!!					
<b>S.P.A. (Spiritual Principles in Action)</b>	Shane S	Thur 7:30 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Spiritual Principles</b>	Todd S.	Sun 7:15 pm	-	-	-
No Report submitted					
<b>Spiritual Solutions</b>	Jay M.	Mon/Tues 7:00 pm	-	-	-
No Report submitted					
<b>Stairway to Recovery</b>	Les M.	Wed 7:30 pm	6	9-11	
All is well.					
<b>Sunshine Group</b>	Travis L	Sun 7:00 pm	-	-	
We all voted "I" to the motion. All is well on the home front.					
<b>The Green and Gold</b>	-	Mon 6:30-7:45pm	6	18	
We meet in the double wide MH behind the church. We are a literature study of the "It works..." book. We have reached our prudent reserve, purchased literature and have an ASC donation. In service, Drew F					
<b>Time to Recover</b>	Barry R.	Sat 4:00 pm	12	18	
No report submitted.					
<b>Trust the Process</b>	Hailey B	Tues 7:00 pm	-	-	
All is well.					
<b>Wake Up Clean</b>	Rob Z	Mon - Sun 7:45 am	-	-	-
No report submitted					
<b>Water View Recovery</b>	Tom C.	Thur 6:30 pm	4	5	-
No Report submitted					
<b>We Do Recover</b>	Jim F.	Tues 8:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted					
<b>Welcome Home</b>	Daniel B	Thur 7:45 – 9:00pm	25	30	
David T will be celebrating 25 years on the 22nd of this month. Welcome Home is looking for speakers for the last thursday of the month. We would appreciate anyone who is willing. We are also looking for support as attendance has been dwindling					

<b>What Can I Do?</b>	Shana S	Tues 7:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted.					
<b>Women and Recovery</b>	Steph H.	Sat (Zoom) & Sun (In-Person) @ 10:30am	15	Avg 20	████
Steph H - 4 years 6 Sept Jackie S - 32 years 17 Sept					
<b>Women on Wednesdays</b>	Sheila C.	Wed 12:00 pm	-	-	-
No report submitted					
<b>Young, Free, and Clean</b>	Gerund L	Fri 8:00 pm	-	-	-
YFC is holding a group conscience meeting 3 Fridays out of the month @ 7pm prior to the regular meeting @ 8pm.					

## Old Business

### **2023.07.09.04 Maker of motion RCM1/Seconded by: Helpline chair**

**Motion Text:** Add to secretary responsibilities on page 11 “ The secretary will submit a draft of minutes to (2) members of admin before sending to print and email.

**Intent;**

**Action of October ASC:** Voted 32 yay- 3 nay- 0 abstain Motion Passed

### **2023.08.13.02 Motion Maker: Helpline Chair / Seconded by: Waterview recovery**

**Motion Text:** Policy, Page 8, Quorum, Nominations + Voting: 6. Voting proced:E. ‘There shall be no phone polls’. Remove existing text and replace with ‘Votes may be submitted virtually’.

**Intent:** Concept 6 & 7

**Action of October ASC:** Voted 34 yay - 2 nay - 0 abstain Motion Passed

### **2023.08.13.04 Motion Maker: Activities Chair / Seconded by: Helpline Chair**

**Motion Text:** To change policy Pg 9 under ‘terms of office’ #5 B from ‘At the August ASC’ to ‘At July’s ASC’ and ‘Terms of office’ #5 G from ‘September ASC’ to ‘At August ASC’. This reflects current practices & allows groups time to see nominations.

**Intent:** Concept 3 & 4

**Action of October ASC:** Voted 36 yay - 0 nay - 1 abstian Motion Passed

### **Motion 2023.6.11.02 Motion Maker: ICOF / Seconded by: Waterview Recovery**

**Motion Text:** To remove line 10 from treasurer's responsibilities page 12 to shall turn over the financials by july 1st to accountant to determine filing requirements which are presented back to the area

**Intent:** tradition 7 concept 11

**Action of October ASC:** Voted 36 yay - 0 nay - 1 abstain Motion Passed

### **Motion 2023.6.11.03 Maker: What Can I Do / Seconded by: Waterview Recovery**

**Motion Text:** Amend BOD bylaws 4.05 removal or suspension- “a director may be removed with or with cause or majority of the voting membership” to “The b.o.d can recommend as to whether or not the director should be removed”

**Intent:** Concept 2, Tradition 9

**Action of October ASC:** Voted 31 yay - 4 nay - 3 abstain Motion Passed

## New Business

No new business

## Secretary's Report

All is well with the secretary team. Please remember to submit reports online and save a tree.

Thank you

Brad F

Chris B

## **Board of Directors Meeting (BASCNA Inc.)**

### **Ad Hoc**

No current Ad Hoc committees.

### **RCM I & RCM II Report**

Good day Bay Area,

The following is a brief synopsis of items from Region and World Services.

REGION:

Did you know that as a GSR or Subcommittee Chair you can attend the Region weekend with the RCMs to learn more about the service structure?

Contact your RCM or RCM2 for more information on how to do that. Or you can attend the Fellowship Development portion virtually.

Florida Region weekend meetings will be in a Hybrid format indefinitely. If you would like to attend virtually on Zoom, please see information below, or visit [www.naflorida.org/rsc](http://www.naflorida.org/rsc) for Zoom Links.

Fellowship Development: [www.naflorida.org/virtualfd](http://www.naflorida.org/virtualfd) or Zoom Meeting 843 0454 1072 Date and Time: Saturday, November 18, 2023, 9:00 am.

There are several positions open at Region. If you are interested in serving, please submit an HRP Application to the HRP team to be considered.

We have the following positions open at RSC:

HRP Panel Member

H&I Coordinator

IT Coordinator

FD Co Leader

FRCNA 42 “When at the end of the road” July 3rd – July 7th at the Rosen Plaza Hotel in Orlando, FL

To pre-register go to [www.frcna.com](http://www.frcna.com)

WORLD:

[www.na.org](http://www.na.org)

Did you know that you can sign up for emailed subscriptions from NA, like the Just for Today and the Spiritual Principle A Day?

Along with those, you will receive updates from NAWS including:

- New Meeting Finder Informational Meeting—11 November
- Thank a Predecessor Cards
- Sponsorship Day Web Meeting—2 December
- Reaching Out
- WCNA 38—The Power of Love
- Guide to Local Services
- NA Survival Kit

There are all kinds of opportunities to do your part in helping to develop new items for Narcotics Anonymous as a whole.

WCNA 38 – The Power of Love

The next World Convention of NA will be 29 August–1 September 2024 in Washington, DC. The convention will be centered at the Walter E

Washington Convention Center in downtown DC. We plan to go on sale before the end of the calendar year, at which time we will also announce the convention hotels and open up the room blocks that will be available through the links on [www.na.org/wcna](http://www.na.org/wcna).

Please remember to ask your RCM team if you have any questions.

In loving service,

Ninnah R (RCM1) and Joe D (RCM2)

### **FRCNA Report**

All is Well.

### **Administrative**

The bank accounts are finally 100% done :)

Admin took an in person vote between us to agree that the only communication to and from our accountant should only be with the chair and the treasure since there has been some miscommunication from other members of admin. This was a verbal vote that was taken and passed in admin and we will be doing this going forward.

### **Activities**

All is well.



Monster Ball is coming up. We still need volunteers for trunk or treat.

We are also planning our annual gratitude picnic. We are passing a basket to help with this event.

## *Helpline*

## *Hospitals & Institutions*

H & I met 10/1 (first Sunday)

-2 of our panels have no panel leaders

-2 new detoxes are ready to be staffed (VA and Catcher's Mit)

-12 new panel members assigned to panels

-Ross W was voted in as Vice Chair Pro tem (tempore) after failing a regular vote.

-Panel leaders and jail panel members are needed

In service,

Drew F

## *Literature Distributor*

All is well.

## *Newsletter Report*

All is well.

## *Policy*

## *Public Relations*

We voted in a new vice chair Brittany G. The PR committee is planning on doing a speaker jam called "For the love of service" more will be revealed.

PR and H&I will be meeting with white sands to see if we can bring H&I meeting or a homegroup more will be revealed.

On Oct 19th the PR committee will be at the N.O.P.E Vidgial

## *Treasurer's Report*

Meeting of ASC 10-08-2023 Reporting September Business

Account 1- BASCNA CHECKING See bank statements for balance

Account 2- BASCNA PRUDENT RESERVE See bank statements for balance

Account 3- ACTIVITIES CHECKING See bank statements for balance

Account 4- ACTIVITIES SAVINGS FUND See bank statements for balance

### CHECKS:

TERRA NOVA RENTS & TERRA NOVA STORAGE MAY

AREA ZOOM

LITERATURE OFFICE SUPPLIES AND PRINTING

AUGUST MINUTES

H&I LITERATURE

LITERATURE FOR RESALE

NEWSLETTER PRINTING

NEW CHECKS FOR BANK ACCOUNT

H&I LITERATURE

LITERATURE FOR RESALE

LITERATURE FOR RESALE

### DEPOSITS:

CHECKS/MONEY ORDERS 7

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NO REGIONAL DONATION

\*If you are not donating at ASC, PLEASE send donations via PAYPAL (WITH GROUP NAME), not via snail mail.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions, concerns, or suggestions.

E-mail: [treasurer@bascna.org](mailto:treasurer@bascna.org)

In Loving Service, The Treasury Team: Rachael B, Alina C

### *Web Admin*

We are in need of an alt web servant. Qualifications are outlined in Bay Area Policy. If you have any questions about the position, you can contact me via email: [web@bascna.org](mailto:web@bascna.org)

GSRs please announce this to your groups. Thank you.

### *Open Sharing*

### *Nominations & Elections:*

### *Open Positions:*

FRCNA Sub committee still has open positions

#### **FRCNA Committee:**

#### **Elected Subcommittee:**

<b><u>Registration:</u></b>  1. 2.	<b><u>Entertainment:</u></b>  1. 2.	<b><u>Hospitality/Greeters:</u></b>  1. 2.
<b><u>Merchandise:</u></b>  1. 2.	<b><u>Marathon:</u></b>  1. 2.	<b><u>Programming/Serenity Keepers:</u></b>  1. 2.