

Bay Area Service Committee Minutes for  
**March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

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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	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR
1. The 11 <sup>th</sup> Step Beach Meeting	P	P	P	A
2. Always Here	P	P	P	A
3. The Autonomous Group	A	A	A	A
4. Basic Meeting	P	P	P	P
5. Bay Area Youth	P	P	P	P
6. Be a Part Of	P	P	P	P
7. Beach Group	A	A	A	A
8. Breaking Chains	A	A	A	A
9. Clean Harbor	P	P	A	P
10. Come As You Are	P	P	P	P
11. Defeating Our Addiction (D.O.A.)	A	A	A	P
12. Dopeless Hope Fiends	A	P	A	P
13. Do You Really Want to Know	P	P	P	P
14. The Dunedin Group	P	P	A	P
15. Freedom Group	P	P	P	P
16. Get A Life; Get Off The Horse	A	A	A	A
17. H.O.W. Group	P	P	R	P
18. Happy and Free	R	P	P	P
19. Hope for Hope	P	P	P	R
20. I'm Clean On Fridays (I.C.O.F.)	P	P	P	P
21. It Works	P	P	P	P
22. Just for Today	P	P	P	P
23. Keys to Recovery	P	R	A	P
24. Life's a Beach	P	P	P	A
25. Life's in Session	P	P	P	P
26. Living Clean	R	P	P	P
27. Logical & Educated	A	A	A	A
28. Miracle at Noon	-	-	-	P
29. Miracles Happen	A	A	R	A
30. Morning Serenity	A	P	P	A
31. Never Alone	A	P	P	P
32. New Attitudes	P	A	P	A
33. New Beginnings On Southside	A	P	P	P
34. No Pain No Gain	P	P	P	P
35. Noon Group	R	P	R	P
36. The Point of Freedom	P	P	P	P
37. Primary Porpoise	A	A	A	A
38. Regardless Of...	P	A	P	A
39. Relax and Recover	P	P	P	P
40. Resurrender	P	P	P	P
41. Saturday Night Live	R	R	R	A
42. Save Your Ass	A	P	A	P
43. Save Your Ass on the South Side	-	-	-	P
44. Serenity in Addiction	P	P	P	P
45. Serenity on the South Side	A	A	A	A
46. Sisters in Serenity	P	P	P	P
47. Spiritual Principles	P	P	P	P
48. Spiritual Solutions	P	P	P	A
49. Staying Clean on the South Side	-	P	A	A
50. Stairway to Recovery	P	A	A	A
51. Step Free	P	P	P	P
52. Sunshine	P	P	P	P

New To ASC:

**18:** areas in the Florida Region **63:** home groups that are members of the Bay Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous.

53. Trust the Process	P	P	P	A
54. Unity	A	A	A	A
55. Unity Works	-	P	A	A
56. Wakeup Call	R	R	R	A
57. Wakeup Clean	R	P	P	P
58. We're Clean	P	P	P	A
59. We Do Recover	P	P	P	P
60. We Found a Way Out	P	P	A	P
61. Welcome Home	P	P	P	P
62. Women and Recovery	P	P	P	P
63. Women on Wednesdays	P	A	P	P
64. Work the Steps and Live	A	P	P	P
65. Work the Steps or Die...	A	A	A	A
66. Young, Free, and Clean	P	P	P	P
HOME GROUPS REPRESENTED	46	49	44	42
VOTING PARTICIPATION	41	46	41	41

**Quorum (avg. of 3 previous months' attendance, + 2, + 1): 23**  
**Next Quorum: 22**  
**Total Home Groups Represented at Roll Call: 42**  
**Voting Participation (number of groups able to cast vote): 41**  
**Simple Majority (51% of this month's voting participation): 21**

ADMIN. & SUBCOMMITTEES	DEC	JAN	FEB	FEB
Chairperson — Ernest E..	P	P	P	P
Vice Chair — Erin R.	P	P	P	P
Secretary — Michael V.	P	P	P	P
Alternate Secretary — Allen R.	P	P	P	A
Treasurer — Chuck S.	P	P	P	P
Alternate Treasurer — Allan N.	P	P	P	P
RCM — Dathan J.	P	P	P	P
RCM-II — Sharon L.	P	P	P	P
Literature Distributor — Christine C.	P	P	P	P
Alt. Literature Distributor — Rob M.	P	P	A	P
Web Servant — Andrea B.	P	P	A	P
Alt. Web Servant – Vacant	V	V	V	V
Activities Chair — Danette R.	P	P	P	P
Activities Vice Chair – T.J.	P	P	P	A
Archivist Chair – Shawn M.	A	A	A	P
Archivist Vice Chair – Vacant	V	V	V	V
Helpline Chair — Mike P.	P	P	P	P
Helpline Vice Chair – Mike L.	P	P	P	P
H&I Chair — Chris B.	P	A	A	P
H&I Vice Chair — Leelah J.	P	A	P	P
Literature (Newsletter) Chair – Vacant	P	V	V	V
Lit. (Newsletter) Vice Chair – Vacant	V	V	V	V
Policy Chair — John R.	P	P	P	P
Policy Vice Chair — Vacant	V	V	V	V
PR Chair — Mark B	P	A	P	A
PR Vice Chair – Todd B.	A	P	A	P
BASCNA Inc. Representative Barry C.	A	A	A	P
BASCNA Inc. Representative Jeannie H.	A	A	A	P
BASCNA Inc. Representative Jackie S.	A	A	A	A

# \*\*GSR INFORMATION SECTION\*\*

*What to bring to your home group 😊*

## Motions

**Last month** (*thank you for your participation!*)

1 motion failed, 2 motions withdrawn, 1 motion tabled to groups. 2 motions passed.

**This month**

1 motion passed, 1 motion re-tabled to groups.

## Activities

Apr 11<sup>th</sup>

Leap of Heart Attack Fry Fest & Wing Cook Off

## *GSR Reports*

HOME GROUP	GSR	DAYS AND TIMES OF MEETINGS	# GROUP MEMBERS	# PEOPLE ATTENDING	REPORTED DONATION
<b>The 11<sup>th</sup> Step Beach Meeting</b>	Chris D.	Sun. 11:00am	5	15	
No report submitted.					
<b>Always Here</b>		M-S 12-1pm	25	35	
No report submitted					
<b>The Autonomous Group</b>					
No report submitted.					
<b>Basic Meeting</b>	Michelle W	Sun @ 7:00 PM			
No report submitted					
<b>Bay Area Youth (BAYNA)</b>	Brent S	Sat 8pm			
All is well at BAYNA.					
<b>Be a Part Of</b>	Michael S.	SAT/SUN 6P - 7P	21	65	
All is well.					
<b>Beach Group</b>	Richard C	Wed & Sat @ 8:00 PM			
No report submitted.					
<b>Breaking Chains</b>	Matt K	Friday 7:30 PM			
No report submitted.					
<b>Clean Harbor</b>	Brian M	MW Th 8pm, Sat 10pm, Sun 7pm	7	2-10	
Our group continues to struggle with low attendance. We desperately need support at all of our meeting, unfortunately we were short on our lit order and required home group members to dip into their personal wallets to meet the need.					
<b>Come As You Are</b>	Steve G.	Thursday 8-9	15	30-40	
Holly R is celebrating 1 year clean this month on the last Thursday in March. All is well					
<b>Defeating Our Addiction (DOA)</b>	Rahul S.	Th 8pm	5	10	
O.K					
<b>Do You Really Want to Know</b>	Mike M.	Monday 6:30 - 7:45 PM	9	25	
All is well. April 6 <sup>th</sup> , we are having a celebration meeting. David J- 25 years and Samuel 9 years.					
<b>Dopeless Hope Fiends</b>	John Y.	Tues. 6:45pm - 8:00pm	7	12	
Meeting are going well. We are seeing new commers weekly. So keep coming back. Mark B celebrates 6 years, John Y 7 years. In loving Services John Y.					
<b>The Dunedin Group</b>	Dana F	Tues 8pm	10	35	
All is well. We need trusted Servants.					
<b>Freedom Group</b>	Brian M.	W @ 7:30	20	20-30	
Attendance has been well. Coffee and doughnuts. Jonathan W, April 31 years and Jeff R, May 30 years.					
<b>Get A Life; Get Off the Horse</b>	Kevin K	7:30/8:30 FRI OUTSIDE			
No report submitted.					
<b>H.O.W. Group</b>	Kelly F.	Fridays 8pm	5	20-25	

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2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month “ surprise” meeting could be: Lit, spkr, step, tradition, could be anything!					
<b>Happy and Free</b>	Michelle P.	Tues @ 7:30 PM	21	30-35	
1) Eric G 26 years, Michelle P 6 years celebrating Last Tuesday of March 31 <sup>st</sup> St. Eating at 6:30 meeting at 7:30. 2) Second Tuesday of the month Living Clean Literature Study.					
<b>Hope for Hope</b>	Erin S	Thurs 6:30 pm	8	10/20/15	
All is going well.					
<b>I'm Clean On Fridays (ICOF)</b>	Allen C.	Friday 7:30 PM	14	25	
We are a weekly leader led discussion group and we meet on Friday nights. We are currently able to give a 7th tradition donation of 116.10 to the area. We welcome two new home group members bringing our total to 14 active members. We would like to thank the Area for all their support of our meeting every week. In Loving Service, Allen C. - GSR					
<b>It Works</b>	Jacob R.	Mon 6:30 - 7:30	12	21	
We are a literature study that meets Monday night at 6:30 pm. We currently reading out of the living clean. Our first annual it works great outdoor adventure went extremely well thanks to the effort of Charlies F. We are making a donation to are in the amount of \$15.00 have a mew home group member.					
<b>Just for Today (JFT)</b>	Mel B.	M, W, F, Sat 10PM-11:30PM	2	0	
We are a candlelight meeting we study the principles underlying the steps. Meeting are 1 hour in length. Please come lend your support. Join us for a meeting.					
<b>Keys to Recovery</b>	Leslie R.	8-9pm, Every Day	-	-	
We are very excited and please with the move to the New Terra Nova. We hope everyone will come out and support us. We are still unable to donate to area this month.					
<b>Life's a Beach</b>	Denise S	Mon. 7:30pm / Sat. 8:00pm	8	10-40	
No report submitted					
<b>Life's in Session</b>	Lauren A.	Wed. 7:45 PM - 9:00 pm	23	40	
No report submitted					
<b>Living Clean</b>	Don C.	Monday 7:30 pm	8	25	
All is well.					
<b>Logical and Educated</b>	David M	Tuesday 8pm			
No report submitted.					
<b>Miracles Happen</b>	Megan B.	Fri 10:00PM	7	5-10	
No report submitted					
<b>Morning Serenity</b>	Candice H	Everyday 7:45 - 8:45	5	5	
No report submitted.					
<b>Never Alone</b>	Dan M	Tues 8pm	24	60	
Harold P. is now our new GSR. Michael H is the Alt. GSR. Our annual picnic will be held April 25 <sup>th</sup> 2015 at Hope Presbyterian Church (where our meeting is held) 1698 Belcher Rd. South, Clearwater, FL. Food, Fun and Fellow shipping will be had by all. Many activities are being planned.					
<b>New Attitudes</b>	Vacant	Fridays 8-9pm	15	50	
No report Submitted					
<b>New Beginnings on South side</b>	Leroy S.	Mondays 7pm until 8pm	25	35	
Our meting is doing very well. We have many new comers attending. Last Monday of the month is our speaker and celebration meeting. Please come and support us. Clean date Celebs. David I. 3/8/2012.					
<b>No Pain No Gain</b>	Robert R	Mon & Fri 8:00 to 9:00			
No pain no gain is doing well. Attendance has picked up. We have 2 members celebrating this month Billy has 9 years March 4 and Sylvia March 13 has 2 years. All is well.					
<b>Noon Group</b>	Karl W.	Mon - Sat NOON	14	11	
Sunday New Meeting Noon Group 631 Turner St. Serenity Club.					
<b>The Point of Freedom</b>	Frank D.	Daily @ 8pm	0	15-20	
No report submitted					
<b>Primary Porpoise</b>					
No report submitted					
<b>Regardless Of...</b>	Jonathan S	Tuesdays 6:45p-7:45p	10	16	
No report submitted					
<b>Relax and Recover</b>	Rhonda F	Saturday 10:00 - 11:00	15	20	
Louis P. 3/11/91 (24 yrs), Pete C 3/28/87 (28 yrs), Kristy A 3/13/07 (8 yrs), Chris A 3/5/91 (24 yr).					

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Congratulation to these NA members celebrating clean time. Be sure to attend the 9 <sup>th</sup> annual Relax and recover. Good day sunshine Picnic. On Saturday March 21 <sup>st</sup> @ Northeast Park. 4630 East Bay Dr. 9:30 am-whenever.					
<b>Resurrender</b>	Mike M	Wednesday @ 8pm	15	50	
No report submitted					
<b>Saturday Night Live (SNL)</b>	vacant	Sat. 8pm	5	-	
No report submitted					
<b>Save Your Ass</b>	Erich C.	7 days a week 5:30 - 6:30 pm	10	20-25	
No report submitted					
<b>Serenity in Addiction</b>	James B	M, W, F 8-9pm	-	-	
No report submitted					
<b>Serenity on the South side</b>	Rodney	Sat NOON			
No report submitted.					
<b>Sisters in Serenity</b>	Melanie C.	Wed 7:30	8	12	
No report submitted					
<b>Spiritual Principles</b>	Joe S	6:45 PM Thurs	10	16	
No report submitted					
<b>Spiritual Solutions</b>	Joe J	Mon-Tues 8:00 - 9:00 pm	10	25	
All is well.					
<b>Stairway to Recovery</b>	Jason T.	Wed. 7:30-8:30pm			
Nothing to report					
<b>Step Free</b>	Kathleen M.	Thurs 8pm	7	10-12	
No report submitted					
<b>Sunshine Group</b>	Tad D.	Sunday 7pm	12		
All is well.					
<b>Trust the Process</b>	Brittney G.	Tue. 8:00pm	20	30-40	
No report submitted					
<b>Unity Group</b>	Timmy D	Sunday 8pm			
No report submitted.					
<b>Unity Works</b>	Emily W.	Thurs 7pm		11	
No report submitted					
<b>Wakeup Call</b>	Meghann P	Sat. 9am.	10	24	
All is well.					
<b>Wake Up Clean</b>	Frank S.	7 day / 7:45A	10	22	
All is well.					
<b>We're Clean</b>	Deborah R	Wed 7pm, Sunday 7pm			
No report submitted					
<b>We Do Recover</b>	Anthony N	Tues 8pm	-	-	
All is well.					
<b>We Found a Way Out</b>	Lex B.	SUN-SAT @ 6:30	10	15	
No report submitted					
<b>Welcome Home</b>	Jim S	Thursday 8pm	30	100-150	
No report submitted					
<b>Women and Recovery</b>	Blanche S.	Sat 9:30 Sun 9:30	15		
No report submitted					
<b>Women on Wednesdays</b>		Wednesday @ Noon			
All is well!					
<b>Work the Steps and Live</b>	Cara H	7 days at 12	15	15-30	
Attendance is well. 7 <sup>th</sup> Tradition is low. Need seasoned members for service work and sponsorship					
<b>Work the Steps or Die...</b>		3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat 11a-5p			
No report submitted.					
<b>Young, Free, and Clean</b>	David S	Friday @ 8pm	10	50	
All is well					

## *Old Business*

### *#2015.02.08.01: Made by Treasurer/2nd by 11<sup>th</sup> Step Beach Meeting*

Under "Qualifications & Responsibilities of ASC Officers", Treasurer, p. 11, add: 10. Have the willingness and capabilities of being trained in the use of accounting software for Windows.

**Intent:** Concepts 8,11

**Action of ASC in January:** Tabled to Policy

**Action of ASC in February:** Tabled to groups (action accidentally omitted from minutes)

**Action of ASC in March:** Re-tabled to groups

## *New Business*

### *#2015.03.08.01: Made by (illegible)/2nd by Save Your Ass on the South Side*

To add Miracle at Noon, 440 Rosa Park Blvd S. to the meeting list (noon at S, M, W, & Th)

**Intent:** Tradition 5

**Action of ASC in March:** Passed

## **Subcommittee and Administrative Position Reports**

### *Secretary's Report*

We are continuing to work towards improving the delivery time in getting the minutes out.  
ILS, Michael V. & Allen R.

### *RCMI & RCM II Report*

No report submitted.

### *Administrative*

All is well.

### *Activities*

No report submitted.

### *Archivist*

All is well. We will be having an organization day on March 29 at 11:45. Please come out and show your support.  
I.L.S.  
Shawn

### *Helpline*

Helpline met on Sunday March 1, 2015 at 10am. We had 6 out of the 13 current members in attendance. We got 156 calls over the last month which is down from the previous month. Due to Easter Sunday in April and Mothers Day in May, the next two subcommittee meetings will be the last Sunday of the month at 10am. All shifts are currently being covered. We could always use additional support. If you would like to join Helpline or just learn more about it, please let me know, or just come to the next Helpline subcommittee meeting the last Sunday of this month at 10am here at The Place. I am putting in a request to have the Treasurer write a check in the amount of \$10.00 to The Place for our monthly subcommittee meeting.  
In Loving Service,  
Mike P

### *Hospitals & Institutions*

VA H&I presentation (Monday @7pm) is now fully staffed. H&I will be working with the helpline in the near future to present a joint learning day. Women's jail meeting is in desperate need of women to carry the message.

### *Literature Distributor*

No report submitted.

## ***Newsletter Report***

This position is still vacant but as an area we would like to plan a Traditions Book Workshop for our area to get involved . If you would like to be involved with the planning of this workshop please come to The Place March 29@Noon. More information about the workshop can be found on [http://www.na.org/?ID=trads\\_project](http://www.na.org/?ID=trads_project)

\*Andrea B.\*

## ***BASCNA Inc.***

BASCNA, Inc. Called to order after admin, the following report on taxes was given, and then it was adjourned: Taxes were filed for last fiscal year. We owed \$35.00. To pay the IRS, an EFTPS account is needed. I have ran into some issues and I am working on it. I will give report @ April ASC.

ILS, Barry C.

BOD #3

## ***Policy***

This morning we had a had about 20 G.S.R.s and 10 admin members in attendance for the policy sub-committee. We had no motions to discuss and no group to group or group to A.S.C. issues. Also, as policy chair I have a small group of people who are actively working on revising the current policy.

ILS,

John R

## ***Public Relations***

We are going to speak to pharma students at USF on March the 24th. We are also going to have a tent set up at Saturday Morning Market at the end of the Month - the 28th. Not much else to report, all is good. Thanks for everyone that did show up to help support our Unity Day at L.O.F. and we do have a large amount of our check request to refund. I'll have exact numbers next month.

## ***Treasurer's Report***

No written report submitted, please see attached for financials.

## ***Web Servant***

No report submitted.

## ***Open Sharing***

## ***Elections***

The following positions are still open at ASC, if you know someone with the willingness who meets the requirements please have them attend the nest ASC meeting at 9:30am on Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am:

Alt Web Servant

Archivist Vice Chair

Lit Newsletter Chair

Following are the remaining FRC Support reps needed from the Bay Area:

1 Registration

2 Hospitality / Marathon

2 Serenity Keepers / Greeters

2 Entertainment

1 Merchandise