

STATEN ISLAND AREA NA SERVICE MEETING OCTOBER 2025

AREA ATTENDANCE OCTOBER 14 2025

Steering			Sub-committee		
Chairperson	George P	present	Public Relations (PR) Chair	Rob	present
Vice Chair	Don H	present	Technology Chair	LAURA	present
Secretary	ELLEN	present	H&I Chair Vice Chair	LARRY PAIGE	Present absent
Treasurer	PAT	absent	Literature Mgmt.	Walter	present
Asst. Treasurer	Jimmy Tugs	absent	E&A Chair E&A Vice Chair E&A Treasurer	Cleve Candy Danielle S	present present Present
RCM	FRANKIE	present	Homebound Chair	Vacant	
Assistant RCM	VACANT		Speaker Exchange Chair	Vacant	
Policy Chair	JAYNE	present			

	GROUP NAME	TYPE	GSR NAME (1ST ROLL CALL)	GSR NAME (2ND ROLL CALL)
1	ALIVE @ 6 IN ST GEORGE	HYBRID	ABSENT	JOSE
2	BACK TO BASICS	VIRTUAL	ABSENT	ABSENT
3	BY THE BOOK	IN PERSON	ELWOOD	ELWOOD
4	CARRYING THE MESSAGE	IN-PERSON	ABSENT	LINCOLN

	GROUP NAME	TYPE	GSR NAME (1ST ROLL CALL)	GSR NAME (2ND ROLL CALL)
5	CLEAN MACHINE	IN-PERSON	DEBBIE	DEBBIE
6	CLEAN ON CATHERINE	IN-PERSON	CARMINE	CARMINE
7	CLEAN TIMES	IN PERSON	JEFF	JEFF
8	CRYSTAL CLEAN ON RICHMOND	IN PERSON	ABSENT	ABSENT
9	EASY AS 1,2,3	IN PERSON	MARC	MARC
10	GET REAL ON THE AVENUE	IN PERSON	STEVE	STEVE
11	JOURNEY THROUGH THE STEPS	VIRTUAL	ABSENT	ABSENT
12	LISTEN TO LEARN	IN-PERSON	EFRIN	EFRIN
13	MANIC MONDAYS	IN-PERSON	ABSENT	ABSENT
14	MEN WORKING IT OUT	VIRTUAL	EARL	EARL
15	RECOVERY ON THE ISLAND	VIRTUAL	ABSENT	ABSENT
16	SATURDAY SURRENDER	IN-PERSON	DONNA	DONNA
17	SPIRITUAL KINDERGARTEN	IN-PERSON	ABSENT	ABSENT
18	STEPS TO FREEDOM	IN-PERSON	ABSENT	ABSENT
19	STEP UP TO LEARN	IN-PERSON	MARY	MARY
20	STEP UP TO THE DECK	IN PERSON	ABSENT	ABSENT
21	THE MESSAGE IS HOPE	IN-PERSON	JOE	JOE
22	THE REAL DEAL	IN-PERSON	JOHN S	JOHN S
23	TIME TO LIVE AND GIVE	IN PERSON	CODY	CODY
24	TOGETHER ON SUNDAY	IN PERSON	ABSENT	ABSENT
25	WE, NOT I	VIRTUAL	ABSENT	ABSENT
26	Y WE RECOVER	IN PERSON	YOUSEF	YOUSEF

Announcements & Open Commitments

- Time to Live & Give – has open commitments and needs support. We will begin meeting to discuss updating group policy and format. All members, past and present are encouraged to attend
- Spread the Word! – We need GSRs to attend Area to represent their groups
- Please see flyers for upcoming events
- Help Line – needs support (Contact Frankie 4 for information)
- The Message is Hope group anniversary Friday 11/21/25 noon

Anniversaries

October

- Oct 21 – Norman, 43 years (*Clean Times*)
- Oct 25 – Dennis Q, 39 years, George P, 20 years, James DNA, 17 years (*Saturday Surrender*)
- Oct 26 – John B, 2 years & Thomas M, 35 years (*Alive at 6 St. George*)
- Oct 31 – Charlie Sanitation, 1 year (*The Message is Hope*)

November

- Nov 15 – Sunshine, 6 years (*Carrying the Message*)
- Nov 15 – Pat Addict, 35 years & Chris the Mechanic, 35 years (*Spiritual Kindergarten*)
- Nov 15 – Donald B, 16 years (*Carrying the Message*)
- Nov 16 – Sydnie, 1 year & Mikey Bats, 1 year (*Easy as 123*)
- Nov 17 – Amanda, 12 years, Kat, 14 years, John T, 39 years (*Step up to Learn*)
- Nov 18 – John the Drummer, 34 years (*Clean Times*)
- Nov 23- Jose W 35 years Alive at 6 in St. George
- Nov 28 – Richie the Plumber, 8 years & Jesse, 3 years (*Steps to Freedom*)
- Nov 29- Lenore 34 years, Tim R 36 years Carrying the Message

December

- Dec16-Lester 5 years Clean Times
- Dec 18-Gladys 24 years, Christine R 22 years Clean on Catherine
- Dec 21-Rob 4 years , Joe Cas 3 years Easy as 123
- Dec 22-Shamrock 3 years, Tara G 2 years Time to Live & Give

***FOR MORE ANNIVERSARIES, KEEP COMING BACK**

AREA MINUTES (MOTIONS, NOMINATIONS and QUALIFICATIONS INCLUDED)

7:00 PM: Opened with a Moment of Silence, Serenity Prayer, Service Prayer, 12 Traditions, 12 Concepts, Decorum Statement & Purpose of Area Service

- Announced Open Forum requests by 7:30pm.
- Selection from SIA Policy:
- **Selection From SIA Policy: Page 13 Section II. Service Structure**

D. SUB COMMITTEES

1. All subcommittees should list expenditures and revolving funds in their monthly reports.
2. All subcommittee chairs are elected by the SIASC. All other subcommittee positions (including vice-chairs, treasurers etc.) are elected within the subcommittee.

A .The only exception to this is the Treasurer of the Events and Activities subcommittee.

B. The Events and Activities Treasurer is required to manage large sums of money and thus it is required to have 2 years clean time. This is why this position is nominated by the Area and voted on by the Area.

- 3.All subcommittees submit in typed form to SIASC Policy Committee, the policy generated and used in each respective committee, once a year.
- 4.All subcommittee policies must conform to the Staten Island Area format for subcommittee policies.
- 5.All committees and subcommittees of the Staten Island Area should meet regularly on a designated day and time in a specified meeting place, or on the Area Zoom ID #87394767292 (not to be at a private home).
- 6.Subcommittee chairs do not have to attend the steering committee meeting unless they have a reason (ex: motion, flier, issue).
- 7.All subcommittee chairs may remain in their position if their term expires until Area elects a replacement.
- 8.Clean time should not be waived to elect sub-committee chairs. This is a policy change and must have 2/3 votes.

- Recognition of New Groups/GSRs: Donna
- Announced Previous Month's Minutes - **Accepted as written**
- Roll Call for Steering/Sub-Committee attendance taken.
- **First Roll Call for GSRs: 15 - Quorum: 14**
- **Treasurer's Report** given, attached.
- **RCM's Report** given. t attached.

Sub-committee Reports

- **Events & Activities (E&A)** - given and attached
- **Hospitals & Institutions (H&I)** - given and attached
- **Literature Report** – given not attached
- **Policy Report** given and attached
- **Public Relations (PR)** – not given, not attached
- **Technology Report-** given and attached
- **7:30 PM Second Roll Call for GSRs: 16**
- **Old Business** – none
- **NEW BUSINESS NOMINATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED FOR THE FOLLOWING COMMITMENTS**
 - **ASSISTANT TREASURER, ALT RCM, POLICY CHAIR,PUBLIC RELATIONS, LITERATURE MANAGEMENT(SEE AREA POLICY PAGE 10 FOR SPECIFICS)**
- **NOMINATIONS: Please bring any nominees next month-We vote in December**
- (SEE QUALIFICATIONS BELOW)
- Area Secretary Laura nominated accepted and seconded Qualifications given
- Area Treasurer Ellen P. nominated , accepted and seconded Qualifications given and attached

- RCM Frankie nominated, accepted and seconded Qualifications given
 - Technology Chair Jayne nominated accepted and seconded Qualifications given
 - E & A Chair Danielle nominated, accepted and seconded. Qualifications given
 - E & A Treasurer Candy nominated accepted and seconded Qualifications given
 - ELECTIONS - NONE
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 - **MOTIONS** 2 Motions were made and seconded see attached (SEE MOTIONS BELOW)
 - **Group Reports none –Open Forum/Discussion** - Jayne and Candy
- 8:10 PM: Motion to close was entertained - It was made and seconded SIASC closed with serenity prayer

QUALIFICATIONS

- Area Secretary Laura I have 4 Years and 5 months clean .I have a sponsor, who has a sponsor I have had area commitments (Chair of Technology, Vice Chair of Technology) Commitments in various groups (Chair, GSR, Treasurer)
- Area Treasurer Ellen P. 24 years 10 months clean, served the area in many different positions. Was Area Treasurer 2 times in the past. Have a willingness to serve.
- RCM Frankie nominated 4years clear Current RCM willingness to serve
- Technology Chair Jayne 35 years clean, served all levels of service willing to serve
- E & A Chair Danielle I have 9 years 5 months and 5 days na clean time. I have a narcotics anonymous sponsor and I write stepwork. I have held many group level commitments, and have served the e and a committee for several years. I have held a hospitality chair, treasurer and chair. I have a willingness to serve.
- E & A Treasurer Candy To: The members of Staten Island N.A./Area Service committee.

My name is Candy. I'm an addict in recovery & a grateful member of Narcotics Anonymous. I was nominated to be the next treasurer of the E&A subcommittee. I accepted. Here are my qualifications:

I am clean for 36yrs, my clean date is 7/18/89,I have an NA sponsor and a working knowledge of the steps, traditions, & concepts.I am serving as a group secretary and have held many group level commitments

I am currently at the end of my second year as the E&A Vice-Chair. In the past, for this area, I have served as a GSR, E&A treasurer, area treasurer, recording secretary, and policy chair.I have a viable means of support, am good with funds, trustworthy, & have a willingness to serve.Thank you for nominating me.

Respectfully and Lovingly,
Candy

NOMINATIONS CLOSE NOVEMBER- WE CAN VOTE ON THESE POSITIONS IF THERE

ARE NO NOMINEES NEXT MONTH. Have your GSR prepared to vote.

MOTIONS BEING VOTED ON IN NOVEMBER

Motion to Submit a Bid to Host the East Coast Convention 2027

MOTION MAKER : By The Book

Seconded

Motion: That the Staten Island Area of Narcotics Anonymous submit a bid to host the East Coast Convention (ECCNA) in 2027, following all ECCNA bidding requirements.

Intent:

The purpose of this motion is to allow the Staten Island Area to officially pursue the opportunity to host the 2027 ECCNA. Hosting the convention will strengthen our area's service involvement, bring NA members together, and allow us to contribute to the larger NA community. This convention raises funds to provide Basic Texts to prisons

Tradition: 1, 5

Concept: 1

Policy affected: None Financial impact: None

FOR MORE INFO VISIT : <https://eccna.org>

Questions:

Q Is there cost to the Area? A At this time no. We will have to fundraise for the East Coast convention after ours.

Q. Do we have to put the bid in person? A. yes

Q. Where will we have this if it passes A. CSI College, we have made contact with them.

Q. What happens if we get the bid? A. We create a host committee

There were no cons. Please bring back your vote.

Motion Maker: Steering Committee

Seconded

Motion: That the Staten Island Area Service Committee (ASC) meetings be held at Castleton Hill Moravian Church, located at 1657 Victory Blvd, Staten Island, NY 10314, starting November 2025, as the new permanent location.

Intent:

The purpose of this motion is to officially change the location of the ASC meetings to a space that is accessible, safe, and suitable for our members. Groups must approve a permanent meeting location according to ASC policy.

- The new location is **Castleton Hill Moravian Church**, 1657 Victory Blvd, Staten Island, NY 10314.
- The location provides adequate seating, accessibility, and facilities for conducting ASC business.
- Any necessary agreements or coordination with the church regarding use of the space will be handled by the ASC Chair or designated member.

POLICY: 2/3 approval required to move ASC location.

FINANCIAL: NONE

NA Tradition 2, affirming that our group's ultimate authority is the collective conscience of our members,

NA Concept 2, supporting that the ASC's decisions are guided by group conscience and accountability to the groups we serve.

Questions:

Q. Is this the room we will meet in? A. For now yes, we will have access to other spaces once they are cleaned out.

Q. Do the GSRs have to vote on the space? A. The groups have a say as to where we meet.

There were no cons- Please bring your vote back to Area.

REPORTS

OCTOBER 2025 TREASURY REPORT

<u>GROUP NAME</u>	<u>DONATION</u>	<u>LITERATURE</u>
ALIVE AT 6 IN WB		
BACK TO BASICS		
BY THE BOOK	179.00	
CARRY THE MESSAGE	153.00	99.00
CLEAN ON CATHERINE	71.00	10.50
CLEAN MACHINE		
CLEAN TIMES	149.50	55.50
CRYSTAL CLEAN ON VICTORY		
EASY AS 123	76.00	15.75
GET REAL ON THE AVE		
JOURNEY THRU THE STEPS		

LISTEN TO LEARN	20.00	22.45	
MANIC MONDAYS			
MEN WORKING IT OUT	75.00		
MESSAGE IS HOPE	22.00		
RECOVERY ON THE ISLAND			
SATURDAY SURRENDER	15.75		
SPIRITUAL KINDERGARTEN	30.25	47.75	
STEPS TO FREEDOM	251.50	28.05	
STEP UP TO LEARN			
STEP UP TO THE DECK			
THE REAL DEAL			
TIME TO LIVE & GIVE			
TOGETHER ON SUNDAY	235.00		
Y WE RECOVER	330.00	33.00	
WE NOT I			
HENRY BARRETT	22.75	5.00	
TOTALS	1938.75	1615.00	323.75

MONTHLY EXPENSES

10/2 CUBE SMART VENMO 175.75 (STORAGE)
 10/2 CASTLETON HILL CHURCH 65.00 (OCT. RENT)
 10/2 E&A GSR LEARNING DAY 150.00
 10/2 E&A GRADITUDE DANCE DEPOSIT 300.00
 10/2 GNYRSO LITERATURE 550.30

TOTAL EXPENSES 1,240.75

MONTHLY PROFIT 698.00

PRUDENT RESERVE 7400.00

E&A SEED MONEY 2700.00

E&A MERCH 1000.00

PICNIC SET ASIDE 772.00

TOTAL 11,872.00

START BALANCE 15,448.76 END BALANCE 16,146.76 PRUDEN RESERVE 11,872.00

BALANCE 5084.11 (GNYRSC 84.11 DONATION)

AUGUST CASH AVAILABLE 5500.00

IN SERVICE

PAT P

***PLEASE PUT GROUP NAME AND TYPE OF TRANSACTION
ON THE VENMO RECEIPT***

RCM REPORT

Link for GNYRSC TREASURY

[https://mcusercontent.com/dd1aa1cc9dd656884e4c67428/files/8f789130-8818-5f26-df60-63997ac77c4e/GNYRSC Treasurer Rpt 9 13 2025 .docx.pdf](https://mcusercontent.com/dd1aa1cc9dd656884e4c67428/files/8f789130-8818-5f26-df60-63997ac77c4e/GNYRSC_Treasurer_Rpt_9_13_2025_.docx.pdf)

BMLT/HELPLINE Report

- We have a total of 559 meetings in our Region. 313 meet in person, 219 meet virtually and 27 are hybrid.
- Total number of groups in our Region is 417
- Helpline calls YTD is 2,497
- Helpline coverage is at 100%
- There are 36 members on the committee
- The Open Arms Area is now covered by the Regional Helpline
- Anyone looking to become a member of the helpline can see me after the meeting

H&I Report

- Regional H&I is in desperate need of support. The Committee is still without a Vice Chair and Secretary.
- The Chair (Roy W) asks again for all Area H&I Chairs to please attend the monthly Regional meeting, as it is one of the responsibilities of the commitment. If you're unable to attend please send in the Area report.

Public Relations Report

- Regional PR meets Bi-monthly on zoom. The meeting info is posted on the GNYR calendar. Anyone looking to attend that needs assistance with that info, please see me after the meeting.
- The Regional PR committee had an information table at the Impossible Dream 2 Convention on Friday and Saturday. They also had an information table setup at Father Duffy Square in TIMES SQUARE for the duration of the NA Party that occurred on location.
- The Regional PR Chair (Bob W) thanked everyone from all Areas for their support. It was a great turnout and there was a lot of positive feedback.

Regional Delegate Report

- RD Team attended the 2 session CP (Conference Participant) WSC Web meeting on August 16, 2025. The meeting broke up into small workshops of worldwide delegates to discuss the 4 IDT's (Issue Discussion Topics) chosen for the upcoming WSC.

1. DRT/MAT as it relates to N.A.

2. Dealing with Disruptive and Predatory Behavior.

3. Reimaging and Revitalizing service.

4. Gender Neutral and Inclusive Language in N.A. Literature.

- The Conf. Participants also discussed The Draft of the 2026-2029 NAWS Strategic Plan in the following 4 Key Result Areas:

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Service System Report

Fellowship Support

World Service structure and Operations.

Feel free to visit na.org - World Service Conference-August 2025 Planning Report for a detailed report.

- World Unity Day on Sept. 6 was a well attended NA International Event
- PLEASE NOTE- CAR Report will be available in English Nov. 3.
- The RD Team will be offering an online CAR workshop for all Areas to go over Motions to be voted on. They will also be available for Area workshops either in person or virtual.

- Voting results should be available to the RD Team sometime in January 2026.
 - The WSC to be attended by the RD team, it will be held on May 3-9, 2026.
 - As always feel free to go to the na.org website for a variety of info, concerning NA World Services, including Events, Reports, Projects and Surveys, I.D. Topics, World Service Conf. info. and more.
 - The RD Team attended the NEZF Virtual (Northeast Zonal Forum) on July 27, 2025. Minutes and lots of info about the NEZF can be found at nezf.org. The minutes of the July 27 meeting includes reports by Chair, Vice Chair, Treasurer, F.D., P.R. & H.I., NESSSNA III (North Eastern States Service Symposium of Narcotics Anonymous), as well as some proposals concerning, Strategic Planning, RBZ Zonal recommendations for World Service positions and more. A project plan "Targeting Marginally or Underserved Members" was also discussed and is explained at length on the nezf.org website.
 - Our Region is one of the , if not , the largest Region in the NEZF so feel free to consult the website and consider participating in the many Committees, Workshops, Activities, NESSSNA Service, Convention, etc..
 - The next in person and virtual NEZF Forum is to be held on Oct. 24-26 in Parsippany, Troy, New Jersey. Flyer is posted on our website.
 - The RD Team is actively looking for Volunteers to work with for the WSC & NEZF Issues and Topics. Please come and get involved
- Members Meeting**
- I attended a members meeting with members of the BOD and other RCMs on October 5th.
 - The BOD is looking for more members to fill the available seats. Anyone looking to get involved and would like to know the requirements for service, please see me after the meeting.
 - There will be a literature increase in January.
- The next RSC meeting will be on November 8th and we will not have any info about the exact increases until that meeting.
- All are welcome to attend the RSC meetings.
 - The final 2025 Regional convention meeting has not taken place yet so we don't have the final numbers. What I can say is that the convention treasurer did mention that from the numbers he has so far, the convention was a financial success. Next months report should have all of the information.
 - At Novembers RSC meeting we will also receive the Area's information for the next insurance cycle
- Treasurer's Report**
- Closing balance as of 9/12/25 was \$9,254.94
 - Full report attached
- In loving service
Frankie4

H&I

SIA H&I Subcommittee Report September 2025

Chair- Larry S
Vice Chair- Paige
Secretary- Nicholi
Literature- Walter

- Subcommittee met on September 16
- Attendance - 17
- 6 Facilities with 32 presentations

At the meeting two previously open commitments were filled.

One new member completed training and accepted a commitment.

We currently have one open commitment

I would like to express my gratitude for the privilege of serving our area.

Sincerely,
Larry

E&A REPORT

S.I.A.S.C.

E&A Report
October 2025

Good evening everyone. My name is Cleve. I'm an addict and I am serving as the E&A Chair for this area. This is our monthly report.

We have a lot of exciting things coming up. We are working with Frank, our RCM, and other service members to provide hospitality and support for the upcoming GSR workshop. It will be held on Saturday, 10/25/25. We are looking forward to being a part of this event and hope to see you all there.

We are also happy to present another new event, Pottery and Pastries. It is worth saying that the original idea for this event came from one of the participants at our E&A learning day! It will be held on Sunday, 11/16/25. Thank you Jayne for creating the flyers. This event can only hold 30 people and tickets will be going fast. Please contact Ellen for ticket sales and information. If it turns out as well as we think it will, we will do it again at a larger venue.

We are happy to announce we will be hosting both our annual Thanksgiving day marathon on 11/27/25 and our two day holiday marathon Wednesday 12/24/25 & Thursday 12/25/25.

They will all be held at Oakwood Heights Community Church Hall on Guyon and Falcon. More information will become available soon. Please contact me if you need information. We will definitely need volunteers and food donations.

Our annual Gratitude Train Dance is just around the corner. This year it will be held on Saturday 12/6/25, at the Moravian Church Hall. We will have more information soon along with tickets for sale. We need volunteers and food donations. We will definitely have an attendant to operate the lift for those who cannot use the stairs. Please contact me, Danielle, Candy, or Ellen with any questions. As soon as we have the flyers, we will get them out to the meetings & the next area, along with tickets.

our next meeting will be on Tuesday 10/28/25 at 7pm, virtually only. Next month we will go back to a hybrid format.

Thank you for letting me serve, Forever Grateful

In Loving Service,

Cleve R

Technology Report - October 2025

The technology committee meets virtually on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 5:00PM. . Technology committee this month:

- Monthly updates to the meeting list
- Area calendar
- Regional lists
- We also are continuing to update the links to the website. If you see a broken link on the website, please **email (SIANAwebsite@gmail.com)**. We will fix it as soon as possible.
- We will be adding the new flyers to the website

We will print and create flyers for subcommittees and groups.

We will print **1 color copy** for a group and **20 black and white** at no cost. We would like to be prudent with toner costs.

We will also print on request Subcommittee flyers up to 75 Black & White. All flyers - .pdf and JPEG will be on the website.

We will continue editing the tri fold printable list. We ask that **all changes** please be sent to SIANAwebsite@gmail.com **ASAP**

Please include:

- DAY OF THE WEEK
- TIME
- MEETING NAME
- LOCATION and FORMAT and any other information your group would like us to add.

If you do not submit the info in writing it will not be placed on the website or meeting list. Sorry for the inconvenience, we must be accountable for all changes.

Each group will receive 10 FREE meeting lists — THEY MUST BE PICKED UP AT AREA

We only service the calendar and meeting list. If you have any anniversaries or announcements for the minutes they must be added at area. **Please make sure you put the correct date for anniversaries and events so it coincides with your meeting.** We are not authorized to make changes. Please contact the secretary at SIANASECRETARY@gmail.com

You can also message us directly from the website. Please update your meetings with NA.org as well.

In loving service,
Laura
Technology Chairperson

POLICY REPORT

Policy committee meets 3rd Tuesday 7:00

**If you need an insurance certificate please reach out.
We will continue to update policy as changes are made.
We are finalizing the policy for 2026. Please join us**

Thanks

In loving service

Jayne