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Houston Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous

Meeting Minutes for 9/26/2021

The meeting was called to order at 10:31 AM with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer, then readings of the 12 Traditions by Sarah N., the 12 Concepts by Steve P., and the Service Prayer by Crystal E.

I. ROLL CALL

GROUP	9.26.2021			8.29.21			7.25.21		
	Present	Absent	right to vote this session	Present	Absent	right to vote this session	Present	Absent	right to vote this session
Facilitator	P			P			P		
Co-Facilitator		A		P			P		
Recorder	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Treasurer	P			P			P		
Co-Treasurer	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
RCM 1	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
RCM 2	P			P			P		
H&I	P				A		P		
PR	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Activities	P			P				A	
Outreach		A		P			P		
Policy	P				A		P		
HACNA	P				A		P		
1960 Group		A			A			A	
Alive & Kicking		A		P		X	P		
Chance for Freedom		A		P		X	P		X
Copperfield		A			A			A	
Early Birds	P		X		A		P		X
Familia Unida		A			A			A	
Hope Sweet Hope		A		P		X	P		X
Hugs not Drugs	P		X	P		X	P		X
Jekyll & Hyde	P				A			A	
Juntos Podemos		A			A		P		X
Keep it Real		A			A		P		X
New Pathfinders		A			A			A	
Our Common Bond	P		X	P		X	P		X
Phoenix Group	P		X	P		X	P		X
Rainbow of Hope	P		X	P		X	P		X
Sunday Starters		A	X		A	X	P		X
The Sooner the Better (TSTB)	P		X	P		X	P		X
Third Coast		A			A			A	
Ties that Bind		A			A			A	
Tomball New Attitudes	P		X	P		X	P		X

New Groups/GSRs – none.



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Your Business Economy Checking

for August 1, 2021 to August 31, 2021

Account number:

HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE OF N A (AKA) H A S C O N A

Account summary

Beginning balance on August 1, 2021	\$7,340.76	# of deposits/credits: 3
Deposits and other credits	1,058.80	# of withdrawals/debits: 6
Withdrawals and other debits	-130.02	# of deposited items: 5
Checks	-206.13	# of days in cycle: 31
Service fees	-0.00	Average ledger balance: \$7,374.70
Ending balance on August 31, 2021	\$8,063.41	



HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE | Account #

| August 1, 2021 to August 31, 2021

Your checking account

Deposits and other credits

Date	Description	Amount
08/23/21	PAYPAL DES:TRANSFER ID:INDN:HOUSTON AREA SERVICE C CO ID:PAYPALSD11 PPD	456.02
08/24/21	Deposit	352.78
08/24/21	Square Inc DES:* Cash App ID:INDN:Houston Area Service C CO ID CCD	250.00
Total deposits and other credits		\$1,058.80

Withdrawals and other debits

Date	Description	Amount
08/03/21	Public Storage DES:RENTAL ID INDN:HOUSTON AREA SERVICE C CO	-68.00
08/03/21	FreedomVoice DES INDN:Colin Pritchard CO	-30.06
Card account # XXXX XXXX XXXX 7726		
08/02/21	CHECKCARD 0731 ZOOM.US 888-799-9 SAN JOSE CA RECURRING CKCD	-15.98
08/31/21	CHECKCARD 0831 ZOOM.US 888-799-9 SAN JOSE CA RECURRING CKCD	-15.98
Subtotal for card account # XXXX XXXX XXXX		-\$31.96
Total withdrawals and other debits		-\$130.02

Checks

Date	Check #	Amount	Date	Check #	Amount
08/06/21	2800	-68.71	08/12/21	2802*	-137.42
Total checks				-\$206.13	
Total # of checks				2	

* There is a gap in sequential check numbers

Check images

Account number:
Check number: 2800 | Amount: \$68.71



Check number: 2802 | Amount: \$137.42



III. GROUP REPORTS

- **1960 Group** – *absent*
- **Alive & Kicking** – *absent*
- **Chance for Freedom** – *absent*
- **Copperfield Group** – *absent with representation* – meets virtually on Mondays and Fridays at 7:00 pm. Needs support in the form of attendance.
- **Early Birds** – meets virtually on Mondays at 6:00 am, average attendance is 5-10 members,
- **Familia Unida** – *absent*
- **Hope Sweet Hope** – *absent*
- **Hugs Not Drugs** – no changes in meeting schedule – masks required indoors.
- **Jekyll & Hyde** – meets virtually on Sundays at 6:00 pm.
- **Juntos Podemos** – *absent*
- **Keep it Real** – *absent*
- **New Pathfinders** – *absent*
- **Our Common Bond (OCB)** – meets in person on Tuesdays/Thursdays at 8:00 pm (average attendance is 10-25 members), and virtually on Sundays at 8:00 pm (average attendance is 4-5 members).
- **Phoenix Group** – meets in person on Tuesdays and Thursdays at – is getting a lot of meeting support.
- **Rainbow of Hope** – has a HYBRID meeting on Tuesdays at 7:00 pm. Masks required indoors. Average attendance is 10-15 members.
- **The Sooner The Better (TSTB)** – Masks are required indoors. Needs Sunday 6:00 pm meeting support.
- **Sunday Starters** – *absent with representation* – meets in person on Sundays at 9:30 am, except for the fourth Sunday, when they meet at Mason Park under the Gazebo. 9 members is average attendance.
- **Third Coast** – *absent*
- **Ties That Bind** – *absent*
- **Tomball New Attitudes** – continues to meet in person on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 7:00 pm. Needs meeting schedules, and will get with Crystal E., Steve P., or Henry H to obtain.

IV. OLD BUSINESS –

None.

V. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS –

A. **H&I** – met on 9/19/2021 – Cheyenne Center and Odyssey House are in need of support. Four open positions. Cenikor is considering moving to the Tri-County Area, where they could be more supported. Planning an October/November Learning Day, and a Thanksgiving Dinner. Just placed literature order.

H&I meets every third Sunday @ 2:30 pm on Zoom ID: 713 594 6997.

B. **PR** – Did not meet last month due to illness in both facilitators. They need subcommittee members. Crystal has QR code cards in her car, and Henry has schedules in print. Jerry was deemed PR's proxy at this meeting to provide PR training (dos and don'ts) for the upcoming Poster Day at Hugs Not Drugs.

PR meets every third Sunday @ 1:30 pm on Zoom ID: 840 9490 3914.

C. **OUTREACH** – *absent.*

OUTREACH meets every third Sunday @ 3:30 pm on Zoom ID: 840 9490 3914.

- D. ACTIVITIES** – Met with HACNA members to create a Halloween event – still in planning stages.
ACTIVITIES meets every third Wednesday @ 7:30 pm on Zoom ID: 514 350 6986 / passcode: activities
- E. HACNA** – provided a written report, which reads as follows:

We met on 9/19/21; we had 13 people in attendance. Our August 28th fundraising event went very well. We want to thank A&K for being such gracious hosts and for all of their support. The unity and diversity at this event was amazing! Our next event will be a combined event with the area which will be a Halloween event. Our fundraising committee is working in conjunction with the area activities committee chair for planning. Based on the information I have thus far, HACNA will be paying for the location rent <http://www.hacna.com/> and area will be donating \$150 for food to purchase for a spaghetti dinner. We are excited for this event!

We have now signed our contract with the Marriott Westchase. HACNA 14 will take place September 16 – 18th, 2022. We will have our customized website link for reserving hotels soon. You will be able to book a room using a debit card or credit card and no deposit will be needed at the time. We are asking the area to support the convention by registering early. This helps with the cost that we have to pay the hotel upfront and expenses for supplies needed before the convention takes place. We are now offering pre-registration which costs \$25 until June 16th, 2022. You can go to <http://www.hacna.com/> you will see pre-registration tab and click on there. It takes you to PayPal for payment. We appreciate in getting the word out and for your support. Our next HACNA meeting will take place on 10/10/21 at 1pm in person at 2305 McGowan St. We welcome all to come out and help plan our area convention!

Grateful Servant,

Kam

Next HACNA subcommittee meeting is on 10/10/2021 @ 1:00 pm @ 2305 McGowan St.

F. POLICY – nothing to report.

POLICY meets every first Sunday @ 6:00 pm on Zoom ID: 840 9490 3914.

G. RCM2 – provided written report, which reads as follows:

Good morning all. Please excuse my absence today. Sometimes it's important in our recovery to be some what selfish and take care of our recovery and ourselves. In other words y'all would understand. I'm doing a 5th step with my sponsor this morning!☺☺☺ Not a lot going on in the RCM arena. If any groups are needing help, please reach out and I will be glad to help. There is a few events coming up that I am aware of, Fellowship by the lake, Oct 9 at Huntsville State Park, this is a Northside Area event. Frolic In the Woods at Garner State Park, Oct 1-3, I believe this Esperanza Area event. Esperanza also has their area convention upcoming which is January 14-16 in San Antonio. Thank y'all for the opportunity to serve!

In loving service Hurshell C

H. FINANCIAL SUCOMMITTEE – met today at 9:30 am over Zoom. Written report reads:

Sarah N, treasurer

Jerry M -Hugs not drugs

Kamie H - HACNA

Rhianna -Activities

Crystal - facilitator

- HACNA
 - \$11,064.07 current balance
 - Currently signed contract for hotel - voted to pay \$6,150 down for it, little more than half of total expenses. Not asking for any kind of financial compensation from the area at this time.
 - Jerry M asked questions about clauses in contract for the unforeseen. Kamie explained they are in there.
- PR
 - No changes in budget.
 - PR will front the bill for poster day with Hugs Not Drugs/Saturday Night Live as inquired by Jerry M from Hugs. As soon as the committee is back up to 100% from personal occurrences, we will get that on the schedule.
- Activities
 - \$150 requested for Halloween, which will be the last event put on by activities for 2021

Next Financial Subcommittee meeting to be held on 11/28/2021 at 9:30 am on Zoom ID: 840 9490 3914.

VI. OPEN SHARING –

Nominations are now open for all Administrative Body Positions. Please bring this back to your home group. We need nominations for:

Facilitator
Co-Facilitator
Recorder
Treasurer
Co-Treasurer
RCM1
H&I
PR
Activities
Outreach
Policy

VII. NEW BUSINESS –

None.

VIII. Review of Business –

Nominations are now open for all Administrative Body Positions. Please bring this back to your home group.

The next ASC meeting will be held on 10/31/2021 at 10:30 am on Zoom ID: 840 9490 3914.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:30 am with the Third Step Prayer.

In Loving Service,

Sarah N.