Blue Water Area Narcotics Anonymous Service Meeting June 18th, 2023 Minutes

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* BWANA Chairperson : An open position, Linn B. opened the meeting, with the Serenity Prayer, and the reading of the NA 6th Concept
* **Present** is BWANA Treasurer, and Meeting list Chair, Bobbie Jo U.BWANA Co-Treasurer Linn B. BWANA RCM Amber B. BWANA Activities Chairperson, Levi H. BWANA H&I Chair Elijah B.

**GSR’s from Narcotics Anonymous Meetings**: Stairway to Recovery: Megan. Rather Unique: Elijah B. Nothing But Love Ashley (Quorum not met)

* **Secretary Report:** BWANA Secretary, Ellena not present. Linn B. had one copy of minutes he wrote in Elenas’s absence, and these will be approved at July BWANA meeting.
* **Treasurer Report:** Bobbie Jo U. distributed report with a $809.97 starting balance of this meeting’s date, with the June BWANA rent, $15.00 and BWANA Secretary printing costs of $30.00 paid., Thus leaving the new starting balance at $764.97. This report will be approved at July BWANA meeting
* **BWANA Committee Reports:**
* **RCM Report** Amber B. reported there was 5 RCMs present at the last Region meeting. There is open positions of Region Treasurer, Co-Treasurer, and Region Special Event Chairperson, and MSO Board position. Amber asked about a BWANA donation to the NA Region and this request was tabled until next month.
* **Activities Committee**: Chairperson Levi H. reported there was a good turnout for the Activities Committee BBQ last month and $225.00 was generated from the raffle basket and this money will be turned over to the BWANA treasurer as soon as they meet. Levi stated his next goal was coordinate between NA greoup and the BWANA Activities Committee to create events together. Levi reported the Saturday Night Live group was having a “Kickball Event this month, And the plans for Summer Picnic At Algonac Park was on hold for now.
* **Public Relations Committee:** Angie V. (Chairperson) not present
* **Hospitals & Institutions Committee (H&I**): Elijah B.. Reported the jail meeting were not going to well from lack of volunteers, and difficulties with the jail negotiations with the “Clearance 3 year rule” Women are especially needed to lead meeting in women’s pods, Elijah stated he planned to resign in the new business portion of this meeting, due to family and time commitments.
* **Helpline Committee**: Mark H. (Chairperson) not present
* **Outreach Committee**: Angie V. (Chairperson) not present
* **Website Committee:** Chairperson Sharon M, (Chairperson).Reported there was nothing new to report, however she reminded all those present to send her any flyers for events oe open speakers, and she will get those posted on the website.
* **Meeting List Chairperson:** Bobbie Jo U.reported the meeting lists were paid for by “Morning Reflections” NA group and they were distributed at the Area meeting, and would be available for pick up at the Dry Dock
* **Ad Hoc Guideline Review Committee** Frank, not present
* **Archive Committee,** Bill G. (Chairperson), not present

**GSR Reports:**

**Stairway To Recovery Narcotics Anonymous** Mtg. GSR Megan. Reported 15 to 20 members attend this meeting. On the 3rs Saturday of the month the group has an “Open Talk” meeting, the last talk was by Matt and the next talk will be by a women member. Megan reported the group was in need of “Trusted Servants” and there was no donation to BWANA this month

**Nothing But Love** **Narcotics Anonymous** Mtg.GSR Ashley M. reported 20 to 30 members attend this meeting. There was a turnover of “Trusted Servants” at the last home group meeting and all was going well. A $10.00 donation was made to BWANA this month

1. **Rather Unique Meeting**: GSR: Elijah B. reported this meeting has an average attendance of about 20 members, The group is planning a “Game Night” Event July 8th at the Dry Dock from 2 to 6 pm, There will be games for children, board & card games, and also, pizza Elija . resigned as BWANA H& I Chairperson,

**Old Business:**

1. No business due to lack of quorum, BWANA Chairperson and Co-Chairperson nominations and elections will be tabled until BWANA’s July meeting

**New Business:** Elija B. resigned as BWANA H& I Chairperson, nominations and election will be tabled until BWANA’s July meeting

**Announcements: BWANA asks that at all meetings, it is announced, that the monthly BWANA Service meeting needs support, And there is a need for BWANA Chairperson, Co Chairperson and H&I Chairperson as soon as possible.**

**The BWANA Treasurer ending statement report is**:

**Starting balance**: 5764.97, Donations of $10.00 from the “Nothing But Love” group and $225.00 from BWANA Activities Committee resulted in a $999.97 ending balance

Meeting was adjourned and an agreement was made that the next Blue Water Narcotics Anonymous Service meeting will be held **July, 16th, 2023,**