

March 13th, 2011

MCASC RCM Report

Hello all,

I am sorry I could not make area today. We are having a party for Joey's 4th birthday. I can't believe it's been that long and I'm sure many of you feel the same because there are a lot of people here that have been a part of his life and have watched him grow. So thank you to those people.

Anyway, Region has not met since last area. Region will next meet on Saturday, March 19th at 1pm at the Trinitas Regional Medical Center in Grassman Hall located at 655 East Jersey St. in Elizabeth hosted by the Northeast Area.

Open Commitments

- Assistant Policy Chair- CT 2 years, term 1 year
- Assistant Secretary-CT 1 year, term 1 year
- History & Archives-CT 3 years, term 1 year
- Website Chair-CT 3 years, term 1 year
- Sanity Newsletter Chair-CT 3 years, term 1 year
- Meeting Directory Chair-CT 3 years, term 1 year***

Ok, so meeting lists, hot topic for a couple months every couple months. We currently owe \$602 for lists of which I have a check for so no worries. The new printing is out. It is in policy that I pick up 2000 lists which is roughly 4.5 boxes at a cost of \$387 which I will do because policy tells me to do so. In order for me not to do this as written, a motion must be put forth today saying to do otherwise. From now on I will not pick up any meeting lists unless either a) I am given money to purchase them, b) policy directs me to do so, or c) a motion comes from area telling me to do so. This is the proper way to do things and will hopefully help to solve the dilemma we had last month. I also have one \$50 check for the Helpline but expect to receive one more by EOB.

Regional PI will be meeting Sunday March 20th in Cumberland County at the South Jersey Hospital right after the 2pm meeting. Regional PI will continue to meet the Sunday after every region.

We are planning to hold a workshop concerning the proposed changes to our service system the weekend after Aprils Area. Hopefully by the time you hear this a time and place will already be determined. Please please please go on www.na.org/servicesystem and give your input to these changes. Now is the time to influence them. Also Lane and I will be making an effort to attend as many homegroups as possible because part of our commitment is making ourselves available to the groups we serve. Seeing as how our schedules are stressed, if there are any groups that want it to be a priority to come out please let us know. Also if there is anything else we can do in order to better fulfill our commitments please let us know. Sponsor says I need to work on being more open minded any way haha.

Lane attended a gathering in Wichita, Kansas last weekend in which almost 300 people came together to discuss the formation of a United States Service Conference. These are just preliminary talks. Lane, Jimmy, or Laura should have more info. on this. From my understanding there are 3 proposals that are being sent to the groups in the country, all of which have to do with the formation of this body. The next meeting of this body will occur sometime in October. More to be revealed.

Any questions....ask Lane or email me.

Yours in Service,

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