Outline Chairperson report to LSC 09/10/2018

7pm, Friends Meeting House, Ship St, Brighton. BN1 1AF

Ford Prison.

It is possible we will be able to take NA meetings into HMP Ford on Monday evenings. Starting from the beginning of November 2018. Until then we should continue to facilitate NA meetings at the DART office on Saturday mornings. I am chasing vetting procedures up for Marc S.

Tony M has now received the online vetting forms, needs help with completing it.

Barry K is also ready to start the process.

Please note: I am away from 18th until the 29th October. I will be able to take the meeting this coming Saturday, I will be contacting DART team to arrange the meetings for the 20th and the 27th October.

Tony M is able to do the 20th but we need to get gate escort.

Lewes Prison:

Earlier today I spoke to Claire, the Drug and Alcohol Practitioner (Substance Misuse Service, HM Prison Lewes). We have agreed to set up an NA presentation for the SMS team. Claire will advise us of a couple of dates/times for the presentations. Their team support the idea of NA bringing H&I into HMP Lewes.

As soon as the presentations dates are sorted we will need to have three members to go along. I will keep everyone informed as it happens.

StonePillow.

Still no contact as yet. Phoned and left a message, not heard anything back. I will keep trying.

William Collier House:

We have recently agreed to simply leave a regular supply of NA literature/meetings lists on the WCH site.

Langford Centre Bexhill:

I was unable to get there this past Monday, I sent my apologies and arranged to go this coming Monday instead.

Substance Misuse in Schools:

Selina is looking in to this as agreed last month.

Unable to attend this evening. However, she has sent a report: Please read separate sheet.

Sussex University:

Symposium to Medical Students at Sussex Uni, Falmer.

I have been having email conversations with the team running this annual event.

Need 4-8 NA members to go along on the 30th of this month, 8.30am until 1pm.

Several members have put themselves forward.

UKH&I:

I attended last Sunday. Gave our reports and copy of our minutes. Took part in the election of new Chair for UKH&I. Travel expenses paid by them.

LSC Meeting venue and timing??

This was discussed at the meeting held here last week. We agreed to continue with FMH every second Tuesday of each month.

The rent for the meeting room is now due. For 09/10/18, 13/11/18 and 11/12/18. £60 in total.

Our Next regular meeting: Tuesday 13th November, 7pm, Friends Meeting House, Ship Street, Brighton BN1 1AF