



Local Service Committee Meeting
Tuesday 12th November 2024 6pm

***Zoom Id - 832 7042 4390 password – 096 544 Hove Park School, Nevill Campus,
Nevill Road, Hove BN3 7BN***

Steve, LSC Chair welcomed us to the meeting.

Moment of Silence to remember the still suffering addict both inside and outside the rooms.
Jill read the 12 Concepts. Ollie read the 12 Traditions.

In attendance:

Jill – LSC Vice-Chair/Panel Leader Bowerman House
Steve – LSC Chair
Kat – LSC Treasurer/Co-Panel Leader Recovery Project.
Lucy - Tea Person
Tyler – LSC Minutes Secretary/Poster Co-Ordinator
Anna
Louise –LSC Literature Secretary/LSC Presentation Coordinator
Emily G
Paul K – Panel Leader Recovery Project

Visitors: Ollie

Apologies:

Aaron – Co-Panel Leader Lighthouse
Brian B – Panel Leader Lighthouse
Rachel
Brian DG
Andy- Panel Leader Daubeny House

Approval of last month's minutes Last month's minutes
proposed, seconded and approved.

Fully Quorate

Nominations

Ollie put himself forward for Panel leader at Lighthouse Worthing. Seconded and Passed.

Brian B. round of applause for his service with LSC at Lighthouse Worthing. Thank you.

Treasurer's opening balance £500

Positions Vacant

LSC Vice Literature Secretary – 2 years clean time

LSC Vice Minutes Secretary – 1 year clean time

LSC Vice Presentation Co-ordinator – 2 years clean time

LSC Vice Treasurer – 3 years clean time (to be reviewed in guidelines, suggestion 4 years)

Panel leaders x 2 HMH Prison Ford 4 years clean time

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Zoom Tech Support – ideally 2 years clean time but tech savvy please.

Goldfish Bowl presentation x 6 – 1 years clean time working the steps with a sponsor

Service Reports

Bowerman House: jill said small turnout 2 out of possible 10 residents reached out to Ricky who runs the project but no response.

Recovery Project: Paul said no service one week because last minute cancellation from chair. Needs people to want to do service by doing chairs.

Daubeney House: Andy said biggest turnout with 6 ppl. NA shares and good relation with staff still running on fortnightly basis.

Lighthouse: Aaron running well and welcoming with lots of NA questions.

Literature: Louise said all requests for literature has been sent out. Steve has been in touch with UKPI about surveys – response was they haven't printed the 2020 version but the 2022 is now being printed.

Steve now has the PDF for the posters if we require to print ourselves.

LSC Presentation Coordinator: Successful Presentation at Sussex University for 2nd Med Students. Louise is going to contact Lucy's contact St Mungo's and Recovery project for setting up presentations. Louise is going to start adding people to the whatsapp group to that are wanting to help out with presentations and the Goldfish bowl meeting. Getting 12 people trained and experienced to be called on when needed. **Poster Coordinator:** Always looking for people to do service to do posters.

Business from previous months:

Schools and Colleges: Louise has suggested to contact the colleges in the area directly to do a presentation to the students. Kat said that the Brinsbury campus responded with that the college already have an extensive care system set up for the students.

Travelling LSC meeting: Venue Eastbourne for 11th February TBC for the Venue.

Meetings List: 1000 new lists been printed. Distributing as needed to the 41 in person meetings. Also 200 kept back for LSC direct commitments. Steve has asked for quotes for more to be printed.

LSC Guidelines: Steve, Anna & Kat have been working on them. Need people to read through them and give back comments if they need to be tweaked. Was hoping to get them ratified at ASC November or December 2024. Preamble and safety statement need to be nailed down as we are short of them. Identified 2 more service positions need to be created. More to come.

Ratifications to be done in February 2025. Anna needs to do another working group to tie up the amendments.

Anna is happy to send the 2 versions through email so people can see the difference. Next working group date TBC.

BHT Housing Team: Steve handed to the contact details to Louise to help organising LSC Goldfish bowl presentation. Louise is on the case.

Millview hospital: Presentaion request has been pushed back but samples of NA literature was sent in order as requested.

Sussex University: Feedback for the presentation from the 12th November 2024 was glowing.

Literature: We are allowed to print out literature for free distribution

AOB:

Anonymity: Keeping all personal information off the feeds of Whatsapp for all the public. If you are sending personal information for someone send to the person directly not on the message boards. Keeping Whatsapp boards just for information and agreements sent individually.

Requests for funds: £361.48

Closing balance: £138.52

Request for funds from Area: £361.48

Meeting closed using the Serenity Prayer.

Meeting ended 7pm

Next Meeting: *Next LSC committee meeting Tuesday 10th December 2024 6pm.*

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