

Mid-Mississippi Area Committee Minutes

January 11, 2026

Next Meeting	February 8, 2026	2:00PM
Location	We Do Recover	
Zoom ID	https://us06web.zoom.us/rec/share/RAX6ilQHofC-8iX3m_QglsnG3NGrv1PCY6gX6LgsJGvI_2UPSkDCt90oQ8IKWn7.PHBGn7zlsG8fYxKx	

The meeting opened with a moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer.

The 12 Traditions of NA read by **Will W.**

The 12 Service Concepts of NA Service read by **Anna L.**

ROLL CALL – CHAIRPERSONS

Area Chair	Jason E	P	Alternate RCM		P
Vice Chair	James S	P	Activities	Anna L	P
Treasurer	David M	P	Activities Co-Chair	Samantha D	A
Secretary	Keri G	P	H&I	Jody P	A
RCM	Doug B	P			

ABSENT (A) / PRESENT (P)

ROLL CALL – GROUPS

100% Recovery	Vicksburg	A	New Beginnings	Jackson	P
A New Hope	Brandon	P	New Life	Port Gibson	A
Central Hope Group	Carthage	A	North Side Jackson	Jackson	A
Easy Does It	Forest	A	River City Group	Vicksburg	A
Eyes Wide Open	Monticello	A	The Zoo Crew	Yazoo City	A
Foglifers	Jackson	P	Trouble No More	McComb	A
Just For Today	Natchez	P	We Can Recover	Fayette	A
More Will Be Revealed	Crystal Springs	A	We Do Recover	Gloster	A
More Will Be Revealed	Hazelhurst	A	We Do Recover	Jackson	P

Announcements From Group Reports

- **A New Hope**

- Group is doing pretty well.
- New Years Eve party was a big success. Thank you for the area support.
- Luke D – GSR
- John K – Alt. GSR
- No donation at this time.

BIRTHDAYS		
Dylan C	January 31	3 years

- **Easy Does It**

- Attendance has been about the same.
- Planning a Bingo Night on February 14th with food & 50/50 raffle.
- Kristen G - GSR
- No donation at this time.

BIRTHDAYS		
Jamie S	February 11	1 year

- **Foglifers**

- Our Tuesday & Saturday meetings are averaging around 50 people and about 30 on Fridays.
- We have 8 new homegroup members.
- We're nominating David M for Alt. RCM.
- We are voting in favor of Megan for PR Chair.
- Hunter L – GSR
- Will W – Alt. GSR
- No donation at this time.

BIRTHDAYS		
Stephen B	February 12	8 years

- **Just For Today**

- All five homegroup members come for birthday meetings.
- Otherwise, same same.
- Doug B – GSR
- No donation at this time.

BIRTHDAYS		
Glenn H	February 21	

- **New Beginnings**

- Larry S – GSR
- No Donation at this time.

- **We Do Recover Jackson**

- Steady attendance on Sundays
- Attendance from members with clean time has decreased some on Thursdays, and DW has been coming, so if anyone is able to come support on Thursdays, it would be appreciated.
- No donation at this time.

BIRTHDAYS		
Lindsey V	February 2	2 years

Service Position Reports

- **Chair**
 1. Nothing to report.
- **Treasurers Report** (*statement attached*)
 1. Area Working Balance: \$1,319.06
 2. Area prudent reserve: \$600.00
 3. Area Ending Balance: **\$1,994.26**
 4. Donation to Region: \$400.00
 5. Donation to Regional Convention: \$200.00
- **Secretary**
 1. See Old Business.
- **RCM**
 1. Region has reported that the seed money has been given to the Convention committee.
 2. Holiday Inn in Pearl has been selected as a venue.
 - Many competing choices will not allow events to bring their own food.
 - The Convention will be between October 15-18, 2026.
 3. The budget for the TSA at Lake Tiak' o'khata was discussed.
 - TSA will take place March 21, 2026.
- **Activities**
 1. Nothing to report.
- **H&I**
 1. Nothing to report.

Old Business

DECEMBER:

2026 Service Positions:

- **Chair** - Jason E
 - **Vice Chair** – James S
 - **Secretary** – Keri G
 - **Treasurer** – David M
 - **RCM** – Doug B
 - **H&I Chair** – Jody P
 - **Activities Chair** – Anna L
 - **Activities Co-Chair** – Samantha D
- Will W nominated for Alternate RCM.
 - Jody P- Area P.R. and H&I have been considered one position due to lack of people willing to serve in service positions.
 - James S- Area P.R. position is a lot more than one person can handle.
 - P.R. is to be point of contact with drug courts, regular courts, jails, etc.

**** H&I and P.R. will remain independent roles and will not be combined.**

- Megan M nominated for Area P.R.

- Qualifications:
 - P.R. with charities and church
 - Advertising experience
 - Does not work so she has plenty time and resources.
 - 7 years clean
 - Has a sponsor and is working the steps.
 - Homegroup treasurer for 2 years
 - Currently serving on Regional Convention Graphics and Design Committee.
- To maintain transparency, GSRs will take nominations for Alternate GSR and P.R. back to homegroups to discuss.
- Pam (Trouble No More McComb) and Mervin
 - Request to open NA group in Gloster, MS to serve Woodville/Centerville area.
 - ****We Do Recover****
 - Literature meeting
 - Gloster Library – 229 E Main Street, Gloster, MS
 - Saturdays from 5 pm – 6:30 pm
 - Need starter pack of supplies.
- David M – supplies have been ordered; will follow-up on order tomorrow.
- Megan M brought letter of concern with recent issues among groups in Mid MS.
 - Distractions are interrupting **NA unity**.
 - Full letter to be attached.
- James S expressed apology for his side of conversation during November Area meeting.
- New Beginnings made \$50.00 donation to Area.
- Jody P expressed gratitude in serving as Area Chair for 2025.
 - Last few years, Area has been run informally as a result of Covid.
 - More participation is beautiful and brings cause for readjustment of the way we're running our Area meetings.
 - Service position holders should maintain an understanding of Mid MS Area guidelines.
- ❖ Motion made to move January Area meeting to 2nd Sunday.
- ❖ Passed.
- ❖ January 11, 2026, at 2 pm at WDR

Open Forum

- **David M proposed that Area make a donation to Region/Regional Convention**
 - Region is low in funds due to sending ___?___ to World Services Convention.
 - Regional Convention Planning Committee has not
 - Brad S made a motion to donate \$400 to Region & \$200 Regional Convention
 - Motion passed.
- **Foglifiers nominated David M as Alternate RCM**
 - VOTED - Yes – unanimously
- **Megan M for Public Relations position**
 - VOTED - Yes – unanimously
- **Blake H made**
 - Intentions are to be in line with other Areas in Mississippi that hold their meetings on 2nd Sundays of each month
 - New Beginnings (Luke D) seconded
 - Regional Meetings are held on 3rd Sunday of each month with no set time
 - Area meeting on same day as Region makes it difficult for RCM.
 - VOTE – Yes - unanimously
- **Blake H made a motion to use same Zoom link with same passcode each month to cut out some of the last-minute chaos trying to get everyone into the meeting.**
 - We Do Recover (Anna L) seconded.
 - VOTE – Yes – unanimously
- **Brad S**
 - Delta Area is now active; some of Mid-MS Area groups are physically located in the delta; could possibly transfer to Delta Area group.
 - Region is now taking nominations for Regional Service positions
 - Nominated Blake H for Regional Vice Chair – GSR will
- **Larry S**
 - Has old banners for Region
 - Made motion to revive Capture the Flag with intention to promote unity within the Area

New Business

- **Jason E –**
 - Old forms for Area service positions found
 - Proposed creating fillable PDF forms
- **Brad S – When meetings went virtual during covid, forms were created using Google**
- **Doug B – Suggest creating motion forms to pass out to GSR's at Area meeting**
- **Brad S – Made motion made to form a small workgroup to create report forms Area service positions**
 - Foglifiers seconded.
 - VOTE – Yes – unanimously

Larry S made motion to close.

A New Hope seconded.

Meeting closed at 3:25 pm

Attachments:

**Mid-Mississippi Area of NA
Treasurer Report**

David M.
January 11, 2026

Account Balance	\$ 2115.14
Prudent Reserve	\$ 600.00
Working Balance	\$1,515.14

Deposits

New Beginnings Donation	\$ 50.00
Hope In Recovery Donation	\$145.00

Debits

Zoom Account Payment	JODY P	\$120.88
Gloster Starter Pack & Keychains	DAVID M	\$ 75.20
		\$1994.26
		\$1319.06

MS Regional Convention 2026

Pre-Registration \$30

(\$40 after Sept 1st, 2026)



MS Regional Convention 2026

October 16-18, 2026

Holiday Inn Pearl
110 Bass Pro Drive
Pearl, MS 39208

Capture the Flag



HERE'S HOW IT WORKS.....

*EACH HOME GROUP DESIGNS THEIR OWN FLAG...THE OBJECT IS TO CAPTURE AS MANY OF THE OTHER HOME GROUPS' FLAGS AS POSSIBLE!!!

*AT LEAST 3 HOME GROUP MEMBERS HAVE TO ATTEND A REGULAR SCHEDULED MEETING OR EVENT AT ANOTHER HOME GROUP TO CAPTURE THAT GROUP'S FLAG

*3 PEOPLE WILL HAVE TO SHOW UP AT MEETING OR EVENT FOR WINNING GROUP IN ORDER TO GET THEIR FLAG BACK...6 PEOPLE TO GET THEIR FLAG AND THE OTHER GROUP'S FLAG TOO!!!

HOME GROUPS:

DECORATE YOUR FLAGS HOWEVER YOU SEE FIT, BUT DON'T WORRY ABOUT COST. FABRIC,

EMBELLISHMENTS, PAINT, ACCESSORIES, ETC. ARE FAIRLY INEXPENSIVE AND EASILY FOUND AT HOBBY LOBBY, JOANN'S, MICHAEL'S, OR EVEN WAL-MART

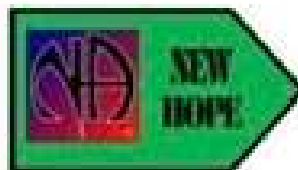
AND, REMEMBER, EVEN THOUGH THIS IS COMPETITIVE, IT'S INTENDED TO PROMOTE UNITY BUT MORE IMPORTANTLY TO BE FUN!!!

FLAG GUIDELINES:

MINIMUM SIZE--12"X18"

MAXIMUM SIZE--3'X4'

EXAMPLES



The Big CHILL Winter Speaker Jam

Mississippi Regional Convention

Fundraising Event

\$20 registration *no addict turned away

January 17th • 2:00PM - 7:00PM

St. James Episcopal Church | 3921 Oakridge Dr. Jackson MS 39216
– Oakridge Hall –



Plates on Deck

Speakers

Brenda P.
Karl L.
Anna L.
JW
Judy R.

2PM-
7PM

NEMANA

PRESENTS

JAN
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Mississippi Regional
Convention Fundraiser

DOMINOES - Poker - Spades

GAME

Night

50/50

Eat at 5pm

Speaker at 6pm

TUPELO GROUP

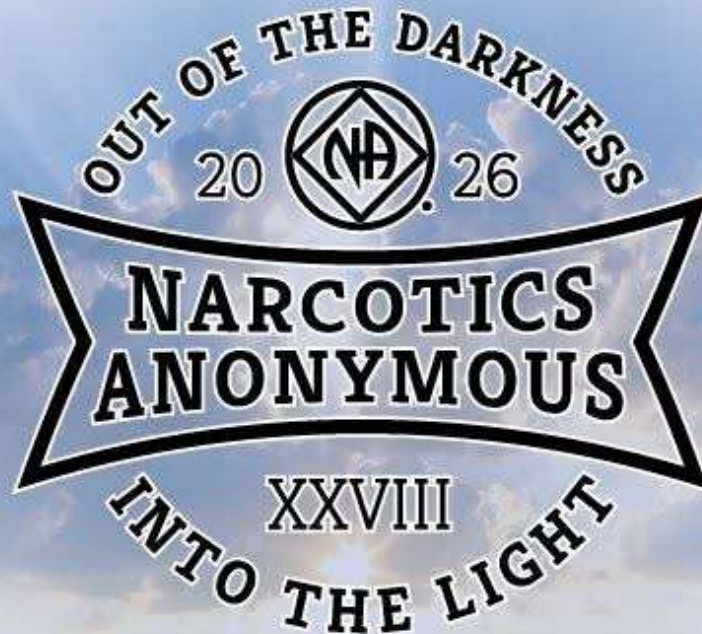
314 South Church Street
Tupelo, Mississippi

"Bring your favorite finger food"



28th Annual NAANA Convention

February 5th-8th 2026 | Decatur, Alabama



REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ Clean Date: ____/____/____

Phone: _____ Registration \$25ea Qty: Amount: \$

Specialty Shirt \$30ea Size: Qty: Amount: \$

Specialty Item \$20ea Qty: Amount: \$ Newcomer Donation: \$

\$ Cash App outofthedarkness98 - First 144 Registrants Get A Coffee Cup.

Cutoff Date To Order Specialty Item Is 12/31/2025 - After 12/31/2025 Registrations Are \$30

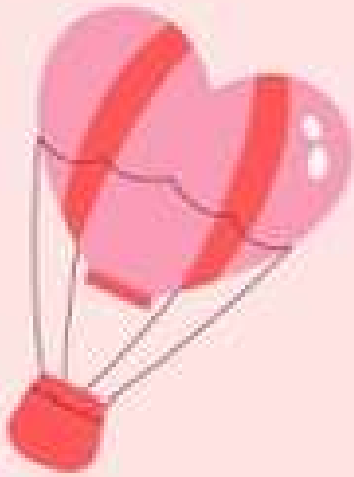
Questions or More Information, Please Contact:

Kala S. Registration - 931.472.5987
Johnny M. Vice Registration - 256.480.8182
Kayla N. Vice Chair - 256.247.8648
Mason S. Chair - 931.306.9364

Hotel Registration - Scan QR Code



Stay Tuned For The Big Giveaway Date at Double Tree Hotel In Decatur, Alabama



WE DO RECOVER

Speaker Meeting



Featuring

Josh O.



THURSDAY
FEBRUARY 12



EAT @ 6:45

SPEAK @ 7:30

3921 Oak Ridge Dr
Jackson MS



EASY * DOES * IT'S

February 14
4pm - 8pm

Building Maintenance Fundraiser



**FOR THE LOVE of
Food, Fun, & Fellowship**

Food and Fellowship ~ 4^{pm} - 8^{pm}

Bingo & Raffle ~ 5^{pm} - 6:30^{pm}

Meeting ~ 7^{pm}

Bring your favorite dish!

446 East 3rd St
Forest, MS 39074



MISSISSIPPI REGIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE OF NA PRESENTS

TRUSTED SERVANTS ASSEMBLY

Lake Triak O'Khata | March 20 - 22 2026



FRIDAY

- 6:00pm** Local NA Meeting - Friday Night Footsteps
East Louisville Baptist Church, 18270 East Main St, Louisville, MS 39339
- 8:00pm** Open Discussion Meeting

SATURDAY

- 9:00am** Presentation of New MRSCNA & MRCNA Policy
- 10:30am** CAT/CAR Workshop
- 12:00pm** Lunch Break
- 1:30pm** Speaker: Luke D.
- 3:00pm** IP #12—The Triangle of Self-Obsession
- 4:30pm** H&I Panel
- 6:00pm** Dinner Break
- 8:00pm** Speaker: Andie M.
- 9:00pm** Ice Cream Social

SUNDAY

- 9:00am** Regional Committee Meeting

* All events held at Honey Suckle Hall



Call to Book Rooms: 662-773-7853
1290 Smyth Lake Rd. Louisville, MS 39339
*Notify them you are attending the Narcotics Anonymous event to reserve rooms in the room block.

