

West Tennessee Area Service Committee Minutes (5/24/2026)

Area Positions Terms and Election Dates

Title/Sub/Group	Name	Phone Number	Email	3/22/26	4/26/2026	5/24/2026
Chair	Steve			OPEN	OPEN	X
Vice Chairperson	OPEN			X	X	OPEN
Secretary	Paula J			X	X	X
Alternate Secretary	OPEN			OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Treasurer	OPEN			OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Alternate Treasurer	Brandin			0	0	X
Regional Committee Member	Regina R			OPEN	X	X
Regional Committee Member Alternate	OPEN			OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Subcommittees						
Activities	Casey E			X	X	X
Archives	Lucy O.			0	X	X
Hospitals and Institutions	Carl H.			X	X	X
Literature	Ashley D.			X	X	X
NA in May	Russell C.			X	X	X
Newsletter				OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Outreach	Cody B.			0	0	0
Policy and Procedures	OPEN			OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Public Relations	Eric N.			X	X	X
Voting Groups						

Clarity	Donald H.			X	0	0
Clean A.I.R.				X	X	0
High On Life	Eric			X	X	X
Hope Dealers	Jamal			X	X	0
GIFT	Johnny			0	0	0
Keep It Green	Casey R			X	X	X
Lunch Bunch	Paula J			X	X	X
Primary Purpose	Cortez J			X	X	X
Something Different	Amanda H.			X	X	X
Never Alone	Suzanne C.			0	0	0
Welcome Home	Brandin			0	0	X
Unity	Darrell K			X	X	X
Non-Voting Groups and Meetings						
Positive Awareness	Dave. M.			0	0	0
Spiritual Awakenings	Josh W.			0	0	0
No Matter What	Kevin W			0	0	0
Harmony	Roy. C			0	0	0
Desire	Tim M			0	0	X
New Beginnings				0	0	0
GHOD				0	0	0
Daily Reprieve				0	0	0
HopeNWorks	Chris R			0	0	X

PLEASE READ ALL MINUTES AND OPEN ALL ATTACHMENTS TO EMAIL. STAY INFORMED.

Opened @ 2:17pm

Service Prayer: Regina R.

Purpose of the WTASC: Anna S.

12 Traditions: Jared H.

12 Concepts: Sarah H.

OPEN POSITIONS AT THE AREA LEVEL

Chair

Vice chair, Alternate Secretary, Treasurer, Newsletter, Policy & Procedure Chair, RCM
alt

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Chair

Welcome back,

We have celebrated, bbq'd and fellowshiped another awesome NA IN MAY. Again I want to thank Russell C. for chairing another fabulous event. His commitment along with his committee ROCKED IT OUT not only for us but for those newcomers and treatment centers that attended.

Also, I'm looking forward to Russell giving it one more year to keep the vibe alive. We as an Area, Service Committees and groups need to stay focused on our primary purpose to carry the message to the still suffering addict and to UNITY in the fellowship.

Looking forward to hearing some experience, strength and hope from us all in everything we do together, NOT ALONE

ILS, STEVE A

Vice Chair

OPEN

Secretary:

Hello Family, I sincerely apologize that some of you did not get the minutes from last month. That snafu has been corrected. I appreciate your patience. Apparently my learning curve is a bit longer than I had expected.

ILS Paula J

Treasurer:

Hello family,

I am writing to provide an update on our recent financial activity and upcoming literature needs.

We recently had a literature order totaling \$639.33 and a donation of \$519.71. Additionally, Russell provided a check from NA in May for \$2,700.00, bringing our total donation amount to \$3,829.04.

Regarding our next steps, our tentative literature order for 31 books is estimated at \$323.50.

In loving service,

Brandin

Treasurer, WTASC

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SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

RCM

Good afternoon family,

I am writing to share some highlights from the 50th Anniversary of the World Service Conference.

Key Representatives:

- Greg V. – RD

-Craig G. – AD

Election Results:

- Mike B. from the Volunteer Region was elected to a six-year term on the World Service Board.

Financial Updates:

- Funding for NAWS is currently leaning heavily on literature sales. If every group donated \$161 per year (approximately \$13.42 a month), NAWS could support itself independently of literature sales.

Conference Agenda Report (CAR) Updates:

- All CAR motions passed.

- CAR Survey Results:

- Tradition 11 will be revised/revisited.

- A draft for IP #1 will be created using gender-neutral language.

- IP #21 will be revised; "The Loner" is being dropped, and the title will become "Staying Clean in Isolation."

World Convention:

- The World Convention will be held every five years, beginning in 2028.

The Region meets again in August, so there will be more information to come. Additionally, the VRSC Mid-Casual Meeting will be held on June 17th at 6:00 PM via Zoom.

In love and service,

Regina R.

RCM alt

OPEN

Activities

NA Activities Report

Chair: Casey R.

Date: May 24, 2026

The NA Activities monthly meeting will be held on May 31st at 2:00 PM at Dunkin' Donuts on Germantown Parkway. We will be planning June's activities during that meeting.

We are currently planning the following upcoming event:

4th of July Fireworks Celebration

Bobby K. Flaherty Municipal Center

Located at Highway 70 and Appling Road in Bartlett, Tennessee.

Operations continue to run smoothly. The committee remains active, with steady growth and participation, reflecting our ongoing commitment to service, unity, and fellowship.

Our last event, the dinner fellowship and board game night at Perkins, was a success with over 20 addicts present, many of whom were newcomers. Our concert and stargazing event also had approximately 25 to 30 people in attendance.

The Activities Committee remains committed to reaching out to newcomers and helping them feel welcome.

The Activities Committee is requesting the \$400 reserve for an event we are planning in July to celebrate our 47th-year anniversary.

In loving service,

Casey R.

Archives Committee

No report

Literature

No report submitted

Hospitals & Institutions

Hello family,

We had a wonderful turnout this month with 11 attendees at our subcommittee.

We are excited to have this extra help and encourage new and existing members to continue attending our meetings.

We voted Anna S. In as our secretary.

In Loving Service,

Sarah H.

Secretary

NA in May

HELLO ALL,

NA IN MAY 2026 WAS A ROUSING SUCCESS!! WE HAD OVER 250 PEOPLE IN ATTENDANCE AND A RECORD AMOUNT OF TREATMENT CENTERS.

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO WAS IN ATTENDANCE AND ESPECIALLY TO THE COMMITTEE FOR THEIR SERVICE!

WE WILL BE DONATING \$2700 TO THE AREA AND WILL BE SIGNING OUR CONTRACT WITH ST COLUMBA FOR 2027 NEXT WEEK.

ILS,

RUSSELL C.

Public Relations

Greetings from PR, everything is great. We have updated some of our racks and gotten two new contacts to put IPs in. The next committee meeting is Sunday June 7th at 5pm at Aldar Cafe at 4514 Summer Ave. All you need it come is a day clean and an opinion(which we know we all have).

ILS

PR

OLD BUSINESS

GROUP REPORTS

Clarity no report

Clean Air

No report

Desire

Desire area report May 2026

Meeting attendance remains strong, with 30+ people per meeting. We continued to see treatment centers, drug court participants, and a few newcomers. It also has been encouraging to be able to welcome back a couple of familiar faces who have expressed gratitude that the meeting continues to be open and thrives. We have no birthdays or events for June. We have a literature order of 60.37\$ and an area donation of 143.87\$.

In loving service, Tim M.

GIFT not in attendance

High on Life

Greetings from HOL, things are going well it could always use support. We still meet every Monday and Thursday night at 8:30 at Hopeworks. Our topics coming from addict suggestions or the lit. This month we had 71 addicts come through the door including four visitors. We have no birthdays this month but we will be having a potluck around July 4th but the exact date has not been decided yet, stay tuned as more will be revealed. We have a lot order of \$40.04 and no donation to area.

ILS

HOL

HopeNWorks

Hello Family all is well at Hope Works

Hope Works is having a Grand opening of Forgiveness House on June the 9th.

We have an average of 12 members attend

With treatment centers being a majority of that. We've added 1 new Home group member and had 3 new comers this month.

We have a literature order of \$38.42

And Area Donation to Area \$30.58

ILS Chris R

Hope Dealers no report

Keep It Green

Keep it Green is doing well. We continue to have great attendance between 25-35 attendees per meeting. We have 3 birthdays this month and we have 2 new homegroup members. 5/29/26 Russell with 4 years, 6/5/26 Woodie C with 15 years and Townes W 6/5/26 with 1 year. Our literature order is \$60.55 and area donation of \$49.45 for a total of \$70.00

ILS Casey R

Lunch Bunch

Greetings family from the infamous LUNCH BUNCH coming to you from downtown Binghampton, The only 7 day a week meeting in the west Tennessee area and the 2nd oldest group in Memphis. Our attendance this month has been 10 to 40 addicts per meeting. We had 5 newcomers and got 2 new home group members. We are happy to report that our group is growing. We have 2 celebrations this month to report. Pam H will celebrate 5 years on June 13 and our dear Will T will celebrate 26 years on June 20th. We say "when one of us celebrates, we ALL celebrate". Our literature order is \$266.00 and our area donation is \$175. For a total of \$441.00

ILS Paula J.

Primary Purpose

Hi everybody... yeah go ahead and say it with me "the oldest NA Group in MEMPHIS! We have anywhere from 10 to 15 addicts attending every Sunday. Except last Sunday we had 54 addicts, my esteemed colleagues and friends, helping me celebrate 30 years clean. For that I am truly Grateful. We meet every Sunday at Lemaster and Peabody 7-8 pm. We welcome all addicts to come meet with us. We had a \$5.89 donation to Area and a \$2.11 literature order. ILS Cortez J

Something Different

No report submitted

Never Alone not present, no report

Welcome Home

All is well at Welcome Home. We had an attendance of 101 people with 13 visitors, 3 newcomers, and 85 members. We have 2 birthdays for the month of June: Travis V with 5 years and Ashley M with 2 years. We will celebrate these birthdays on the 3rd week of the month on the 21st. We have no literature order and a donation of 30\$ to area. In loving service, Brandin B

Unity

We are a literature based meeting and we have good attendance especially from the treatment centers. We have 1 celebration. 6/29/26 Cassandra M will celebrate 5 years.
ILS Darrell

OPEN FORUM

Clarity needs support, desperately

BREAK not taken

NEW BUSINESS

I, Sarah H., am putting in my willingness to be the chair of H&I. My clean date is April 20th 2023 and I've served as the Secretary of H&I for the past 2 years. I served as the activities chair last year. I've never misappropriated NA funds. I have a sponsor who has a sponsor. I am continuously working steps and working on my program. I love H&I and will be honored to step up the chair. ILS Sarah H.

Motion as follows; Submitted by NA in May Committee, 2nd by Something Different.

Motion: Under financial procedures, section 1 part 1 to be written as follows: The NA in May funds are to be split $\frac{1}{2}$ to Area and $\frac{1}{2}$ to the basic text fund. The book subsidy is for the basic text which will be sold for \$7 as long as we have money in the subsidy fund. Intent: to update the current financial procedure.

This does require a policy change. This motion will be sent back to the groups.

NEXT WTASC MEETING WILL BE 6/28/2026

IN PERSON AT HOPE CHURCH OR ON ZOOM

MEETING: ID 960 6484 5034

PASSWORD 12121

