

NASU AREA SERVICE MEETING



Date: February 11, 2023

Location: St. George SWC

Opening: 5:00 pm

12 Traditions: Susan Y

12 Concepts: Rustin

Service Prayer: Aubrey

Approval of minutes: Jarrod M

Attendance

Staci B, Jeri D, Thomas B, Kevin K, Jarrod M, Susan Y, Coby H, Rustin, Tiffany, Angie, Caden, Teisha, Rhonda, Nanette, Scotty, Aubrey, Kodi, Jen J, Kodi M, Alexys, Meagan, Jon J, Amanda, Elizabeth, Amy, Mikey N, Lia, Pam, Patrick, Michael, Steve, Megan, Roseanne, Nicole, Paul, Danielle, Nicole, Cassie, McKenna, Matthew, Stefan, Tysen, Rachel, Layton, Ashley, Landon, Richard.

Excused:

Executive Reports

CHAIR - Staci B

It's a beautiful day to see almost every position being voted on except 3!! I have loved serving the ASC and know we are in good hands! To have a full executive team for the first time in 3 years means a lot!

Thank you to everyone who shows up, those who continue to show up for ourselves and each other, and those who have yet to find the rooms! Thank you for helping me grow, for being patient with me, and for allowing me a safe space to learn!

Love you, guys!

CO CHAIR - Open

SECRETARY - Jeri D

Hey guys!

I have a question. When people send me updates, such as, Region Updates, etc, am I supposed to send those out as they come, or just include stuff in the monthly minutes? Thank you for letting me serve, it has been a pleasure!

TREASURER'S REPORT - Thomas B / Kevin

Good evening ASC, so just a few things that we will address this evening, the business license got renewed. Getting to be that time of year when will have to get the taxes done. I think that I have come up with a solution for the Venmo account I will be putting in a motion to buy a tablet for the area treasure to have. That tablet will follow the treasure as well as the Venmo account. I will know more in a few days. I have also printed off the spending from each subcommittee for the people that are coming into the office can see what the spending looked like last year so they were able to make their budgets for this year. If anyone has any questions or concerns about subcommittee budgets don't hesitate to reach out. Also after the new executive body is voted in I'll be needing some pretty personal information from them and updating that with the tax commission of Utah so those that are voted in be prepared for that.

Thank you for allowing us to serve Thomas B & Kevin K

Date	Description	Income	Expense	Check #	Balance
					\$ 16,957.08
1/17/23	venmo transfer	\$ 98.63			\$ 98.63
1/20/23	h&i event		\$ 500.00	1262	\$ (500.00)
1/20/23	PR phone line stickers		\$ 35.00	1261	\$ (35.00)
1/30/23	deposit 7TH	\$ 988.94			\$ 988.94
1/30/23	Business license		\$ 20.00	debit	\$ (20.00)
1/31/23	interest	\$ 0.07			\$ 0.07
2/3/23	zoom area/h&i		\$ 31.83	debit	\$ (31.83)
2/3/23	storage		\$ 67.00	debit	\$ (67.00)

2/3/23	car pizza party		\$ 66.68	1263	\$ (66.68)
2/7/23	bus ad		\$ 300.00	debit	\$ (300.00)
2/9/23	phone line		\$ 39.00	debit	\$ (39.00)
					\$ 16,985.21
Ending Balance	\$ 16,985.21		Committee Budgets		
Prudent Reserve	-\$1,000.00		PR	\$ 1,426.07	
Operating Reserve	-\$3,000.00		Struggling mtgs	\$ 300.00	
			POLICY	\$ 300.00	
\$ Available \$	\$12,985.21		H&I	\$ 1,064.07	
			CCGC	\$ 166.97	
			Entertainment	\$ 728.42	
			Executive	\$701.52	

RCM REPORT - Shannon C/Patrick

Good day ASC

- Open positions at Region: Vice Secretary and Vice Treasurer
 - Please Remember to Review the Regional Calendar to avoid any conflicting dates of events.
 - All meeting changes need to be sent to meeting_changes@region51na.org as soon as possible, as they are updated on the regional website regularly.
- If Jen jones is in the room this is the answer you asked for. GSRs are responsible for meeting changes
- There are many upcoming events and happenings, as well as new meeting information. Please see the attached fliers for details to report to your areas.

- Convention committee reports that members were concerned that there was no literature available for purchase at the last convention, they are asking if any areas would be willing to sell literature at the upcoming convention.
- The PR Committee has open positions of Chair, Vice Chair, meeting coordinator, and rack coordinator.
- The next RSC will be on March 19th, 2023 @ 11:00 A.M. (PST) @ The Rooms 4800 Alpine Place Las Vegas, Nv.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service

Patrick S.

ENTERTAINMENT -Aubrey M

Hello addict named Aubrey. Area Entertainment did not meet this past month per no business needed to be discussed. Thank you all for a wonderful year full of love and learning. Thank you for allowing me to serve.

H&I - Nicole L

Hello NA family. Addict, Nicole & Chair of H and I. H and I had our business meeting Friday, February 10th. We had elections. I am pleased to announce Kodi as our new co-chair, Hillary, and Chris are Co Lionsgate, panel leaders. Michael f is new literature as well as co-panel for steps with Lia. Crystal is our new secretary. Elizabeth is the panel leader for Desert Haven. Michael g is the panel leader for youth dt. Susan is the panel leader for mountain springs. We have Hope rising that is still available and need a panel leader. Our event was incredible! We gave out literature and the crowd was very responsive to the questionnaires and game. Our next business meeting will be Friday, March 10th at 6:00 p.m. at the Southwest Center in room 208 orientation is at 5:30. It's also available on zoom thank you so much for letting me be of service

PR Report – Jen J

Hello! PR met on Wed 2/08 at 6:30 pm on zoom.

We had 4 phone calls this month and all were answered. We priced out some canopies and may be discussing that on open discussion.

PR has a nominee for the chair position and will bring that up at the appropriate time. Yay!

I just wanted to say thank you to the PR committee and to the area for allowing me to serve in this position. I have learned invaluable lessons that I will take with me moving forward. It's been

an honor to work with a committee that has passionate members. I was also able to make indirect amends for all the grief that I have given members of pr in the past. Thank you so much for everything.

Jen J

SUACNA 15 - Maegan S

Good evening area,

We're getting close, everyone on the committee has worked really hard to get things done.

We had a member of the executive body step down this last month and have replaced this person.

Our current balance is 9134, we have paid the deposit for the venue.

We have an event this month that will be super fun. February 25th at 1-4pm, there is a flier on the website and being passed around at meetings. Our committee is going to be having pie in the face. Oh yay!

Things seem to be moving along nicely

Thank you for allowing me to serve I'm so grateful to be part of this amazing team!

Thanks Maegan!

CCGC - Coby H

Hello NA family! CCGC met on Friday, February 10th, and planned an event for the end of this month- on Thursday, February 23rd, we will attend the Thursday night It Works How and Why meeting at 7:30, then go bowling afterward! To be sure that no addict is turned away, we are motioning for \$40, to pay for those who want to bowl, but aren't able to afford it! Any unused funds will be returned to the treasurer! We also started a discussion for the 2023 CCGC annual campout! More will be revealed!! We also had a group conscience for new committee members- Nanette M. is our new Co-chair and Coby H. is our new Secretary! CCGC still needs support!! Our next business meeting will be on Friday, March 10th in the small room at the KKCB!!! Show up and help us plan some events! Thank you for allowing me to serve!!

LITERATURE - Alexys P.

Hey family my name is Alexys and I am an addict. Literature collected \$721.91 We were able to fulfill most of all the groups' orders this month, we did run out of step working guides but we are ordering more. I want to thank everyone that helped the committee out and that was of service. We are grateful to be of service and to be able to help the fellowship. Thank you for letting me be the chair and spread hope instead of dope throughout southern Utah. I have learned so much in the last year and I hope to continue to serve the fellowship. I am pleased to announce that a fellow NA donated a laptop to the committee, and we will be using it track inventory. We should have that up and available to view within the next month. That's all I have for now, If you have any questions or concerns please let me know. Thank you

POLICY COMMITTEE - Dave J

The committee met once this month. There were two addicts attending as well as Mike N, our soon-to-be new Policy Chair. Since there was no pending business we spent the time bringing Mike up to speed on what the committee has accomplished and where it stands today. Thanks once again for having given me the opportunity to serve.

Dave J, Policy Chair

GSR Reports

Group/ GSR	Avg Atd	NC	Donation	Comments
Basic Text Study	15	2	\$0	Voted and changed all of the positions, need

(Cedar) Thomas B				homegroup members.
Bridging The Gap Amy W ALT: Sascha G	50	1	\$25.00	Hello Area Family. I'm an addict named Amy. Bridging The Gap meets Saturday at 6:30 at the Alano Club. We had an average attendance of 50, 1 newcomer, and \$25 area donation. All positions are full and we are fully self-supporting. Thanks for allowing me to serve.
Circle of Hope Angela	30	5	\$100	All positions are filled, which is super cool! Loving the new space at Switchpoint. Doing well!!!
Circle of Sisters Christine S	7	1	\$25.00	Hello and thank you for your service! Circle of sisters (11:30-12:30 Saturdays @Alano) This month we had an average attendance of 7 and 1 newcomer Donation of \$25.00 to Area Thanks!
Dopeless Hope Fiends (Cedar) Jarrod M	30-40	1	\$0	30-40 in attendance 1 newcomer All positions are filled Fully self-supportive. And the meeting is doing great. The meeting is on Sunday at the KKCB at 8 pm. Thanks for allowing me to serve.
Glimmer of Hope GSR: Nanette	30-40	2	\$20.00	Good Evening Family, We meet at 8 pm on Saturday at the KKCB in the small room in Cedar City. All Service positions are filled and we are fully self-supporting with an Area donation of \$20. Average attendance is 30-40 with 2 newcomers.

Hope Dealers GSR: Justin R Alt GSR: Stephan	25	7	25.00	730 Thursdays at Switchpoint, need homegroup members, a lot of open service positions. Struggling meeting
Hold on Pain Ends Richfield Kyle				
It Works How & Why Cedar City GSR: Jeri D Alt: Jarrod M	5	1	\$0	Meeting is making rent, barely.
Kanab NA Recovery Group GSR: Lacey H Alt: Bruce				
KISS Meeting Cassie Alt-GSR: Matt H	27	1	\$1.64	Hi area! KISS meeting meets Monday nights 6 pm at the alano club meeting is doing well, we have had no issues. Average attendance is 27 total newcomers is 1. We had an area donation of \$1.64. Thank you for allowing me to serve
La Nueva Vida GSR: Paco	3-4			For the month of January there have been 3 to 4 in attendance no Area donation all homegroup positions are filled still every other Sunday and we are fully self-supporting and Thank you for allowing me to serve

Ladies First GSR: Amanda C ALT: Julie C	35	4	\$65	Ladies First meets on Sundays at 11:30 am at Southwest Behavioral Health Center in St. George on the second floor. We had 4 newcomers this month. Our average attendance is 35 We made a \$65 donation to Area All positions are filled We are self-supporting Thank you for allowing me to serve
Live & Let Live (Cedar) GSR: Landon	50		\$0	
Living Clean (Cedar) GSR: Rhonda Alt: GSR Kelly	20	15	\$0	New GSR, Rhonda!
Living in the Moment Mark D				
Living the Steps GSR: Megan	7	0	\$0	NEW MEETING!!!! I'm an addict my name is Meghan. living the steps meets Monday nights 7:00 pm at New promise Lutheran church at 244 S Valley View Drive. It's the house across the parking lot! we had our first meeting this past week with a total of 7 in attendance no newcomers... yet!! thank you for allowing me to serve.
Lost and Found GSR: Aubrey	60	3		Hello I'm an addict my name is Aubrey. Lost and found is doing well, and the meeting is self-supporting. We had an average attendance of 60 and 3 newcomers. We meet Tuesday nights at 7:00 pm at the room at the square. Thank you for allowing me to serve.
Lost Dreams Awakened	40	4	\$50	Hi area! Our meeting has been going great!! We meet at 7:30 on Sunday nights at the sandtown park. We are fully self supporting and are making a 50

GSR: Kodi M Alt: Andrew H				dollar area donation!! We have had 4 newcomers and our average attendance has been 40. We are celebrating our 3rd birthday I know I told you that last month but there has been a date change.. my apologies!! It will be March 12th at 5 p.m bbq and a speaker followed by our home group meeting!! I have attached a flyer!! Thank you for allowing me to serve I have loved being the GSR for the best home group in all the land!!
Men's Spiritual Meeting Sunday Kaden S ALT: James	15	3		About 15 in attendance 3 newcomers meeting is going well and is fully self-supporting
Mesquite Misfits GSR: Scotty	4-10	2		Tuesday 5 pm, Wed 7:45 pm & Thursday 7:45 pm. Thurs is a book study
NA Humpday GSR: Chris S ALT: Elizabeth	30	2	\$0	Need a new position, need homegroup members. Elizabeth will be stepping down.
Newcomer's Meeting Tiffany G	51	4	\$43.34	
NA Rox (Formally known as the nooner) Pamela	7	1	\$0	Hello, Our average attendance, for the month of January, including Mon. and Friday, is 7, including one newcomer.Thank you for your service, Pam J.

Saturday Men's Meeting Dave J				
Beaver meeting				
Sunrise GSR: Teish	20	1	\$12.00	Meeting is really awesome 7 am. Wednesdays Hi are meeting meets every Wednesday morning at 7 am! We are fully self-supporting. We have an average of 20 people attending and 1 newcomer. We have an area donation of \$12. Thank you for allowing me to serve!
Staying Alive (Salina)				
Sunday Night Candlelight GSR: Mat S	27	1	\$4.55	Sunday Night Candlelight January report Meets at Dixie Alano at 6:00 pm Area donation- \$4.55 Avg attendance - 27 Newcomers - 1 Fully self-supporting and all positions are filled.
We Unite on Tuesday Night GSR: Jennifer R Alt: Amanda	8	3	\$62.69	Mikey is the GSR, self-supporting, open to new home group members.
Welcome Home GSR: Kevin K	13	1	\$20.00	We pay our rent, and we did the CAR report whenever they get around to doing that.

TOTAL AREA DONATION: \$492.22 in cash Venmo \$25.00

TOTAL: \$454.22

Literature: \$721.91

Break

Break Time: 5:45 Be back: 5:55

Consensus

Seconded by: Re-Open: GSR Count: 23

Open Forum

CCGC - \$40 for the event. From the CCGC budget, to ensure that no addict is turned away from our bowling event on February 10th.

Jen J - Meeting list coordinator - Would like to have a way to not have to pay cash each time and then come to Area to be reimbursed. Thomas said that maybe we can put the card on file, and he will call on Monday. Mikey said that in the past we used to cut a check.

Aubrey - Past proposable to make business cards, she is looking for help to get this done. PR will take care of this since this is a PR task.

Proposal #3 - One of the concerns from a member, does it have to be the books.

We thought we could bring back better proposals, if people need books for their home groups, they could get money from the struggling meetings, or maybe have a speaker jam.

Aubrey - her homegroup thought that an Area gathering, and speaker jam for free with the excess funds. They did not figure out how much this would cost, or anything else, just a suggestion.

We could have an ADHOC committee, need to decide if there should be an ADHOC, PR committee, or Area Entertainment.

Layton - we could put this money into Area Entertainment to have more events

Susan - Making the step-working guides would be helpful in Cedar and to sponsors who don't have money to buy step-working guides for their many sponsees

Jon - In our financial responsibility clause, it states that any excess money should be donating up to our Region.

Mikey - If the motion maker is willing to lower the amount on the proposal, they would be willing to approve the proposal. And just make it available to the meetings that need it, instead of 1 better use of the money, some meetings do not give out literature.

2-step working guide - if it's given to a newcomer, they might just read the book, should come from a sponsor.

3 similar to the above #2.

Thomas - Proposal to also send Region \$2,500. \$17,000 is how much money we have at this time. This doesn't have to go back to the groups, it is a standing motion.

Our operating income is \$11k

Prudent reserve is \$3k

Old Business

Proposal #1: To reimburse Dave J \$35 for peel & stick phone numbers for our posters. Intent to manage our expenses. **APPROVED**

Proposal #2: To purchase a vacuum for the area to use to clean up after all the events without using personal people's vacuums at facilities. To be at most \$150 - **APPROVED**

Proposal #3: I would like to get each meeting 3 basic texts and 3 Step working guides to give out to the New Comers who do not have the money total cost for this would be \$2,387.70. To use some of the excess funds to further carry the message of NA and to use our funds responsibly. - **BACK TO GROUPS**

Proposal #4: To reimburse Staci \$66.68 for the pizza she bought for the CAR report - **APPROVED**

Proposal #5: To get the starter pack for the New Monday PM Meeting Starting on Feb 6th. To get a new meeting started and to be self-supporting. The total cost is \$57.83 for 3-step working guides and 3 It works How & Why's. **APPROVED**

2/11 - Proposal #3 - I would like to get each meeting 3 basic texts and 3 Step working guides to give out to the New Comers who do not have the money total cost for this would be \$2,387.70. To use some of the excess funds to further carry the message of NA and to use our funds responsibly. - **PASSES**

Would there be a time limit?

Could people mix and match the books?

Thomas said he thought that if it passed, we would order the books, and distribute them to the meetings.

Roseanne - when the proposal was made, we did not really think about all of the details of this, and what it entails. Who will get the books, and who will keep track of all of this?

Mikey - wants to make a motion to postpone the Region donation, until we get all of this squared away. We will have budgets coming up with the electees.

New Business

Proposal #1: CCGC - motioning for \$40 from the CCGC budget to ensure no addict is turned away from our bowling event in February. The intent is to ensure that no addict is turned away. - **PASSES**

Proposal #2: Staci is motioning to be reimbursed \$144.36 for the meeting lists. The intent is to be self-supporting. - **PASSES**

Proposal #3: Alexys is asking Area for funds not exceeding \$50.00 dollars for ZipLock bags, receipt books, pens, etc. The intent is to spread hope and carry the message. - **PASSES**

Back to Groups

Nominations

Alt treasurer -

Angie

Qualify - Just over 5 years clean 12/23/17, been a homegroup treasurer for 3 years works the steps, multiple homegroup level positions. She is not in debt, not on financial assistance.

RCM 2-

Kevin K - Qualify - 21 long years, has done everything at an area level at his previous area. Has been the RCM for 2 years, and he is willing to do it with 100% attendance. Has not taken any funds 7/16/01 clean date.

Layton E - Qualify - Clean date 6/11/18 - Started serving at an area level since he had 8 months clean as a GSR. Area ent, BST committee, been co-chair for a little while, secretary, served as a GSR and served at the homegroup level.

PR -

Steve F - Clean date 2/10/1985 Has worked all of the steps, and continues to work them, has a sponsor, knows the traditions, knows and understands the concepts.

Area Entertainment -

Paul B - Would step in if no one else stepped up, respectfully declines.

Tysen - Accepts - Qualify - Clean date 11/3/2018 He has done this position before, been a GSR. He has things in the works already. We will need a good Co-Chair as there will be times he may not be able to attend the meetings.

Elizabeth - Accepts - 10/24/2020 Been on the committee before and has served at the homegroup level for just about every position. Willing to be the co-chair. She was secretary for this committee, then when the co-chair stepped down, she stepped up. Been the secretary for H&I.

During this discussion, it was discussed that maybe we should buy camping stuff for the campout with the excess money within the ASC. As the entertainment committee chair, you have to borrow stuff for the campout since ASC does not have its own supplies.

Chair -

Staci - 14 - Passes

Coby- 8

Abstain - 1

Co-Chair -

Susan - 9

Jen J - 13 - Passes

Abstain - 1

Secretary -

Kodi M - 22 Passes

1 abstain

Alt Secretary -

Landon - Passes

2 abstain

Treasurer -

Kevin- 3

Jeri - 16 Passes

Abstain - 2

RCM -

Patrick - Passes

4 abstain

Alt RCM - (Nominee not here) (Amy said that she is at her homegroup meeting)

Sacsha - Passes

1 opposed

4 abstain

Policy-

Mikey - Passes

21/2

H&I -
Nicole - Passes
22/1

Literature
Alexys - Passes
22/1

CCGC
Jarrod - Passes
21/1

NA Related Announcements

NOMINATIONS: YOU MUST be present at the February ASC meeting to accept the nomination either on ZOOM or in person.

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Current Area Positions to be Filled

PR Committee

Area Entertainment

Alt Treasurer

RCM 2

Struggling meetings

Closing

Next Area

Date: March 11, 2023

Location: Cedar City - SBHC @ 5:00 - 4:30 pm for literature.

Minutes composed by Jeri D.

For any corrections please email secretary@nasouthernutah.org

