

NASU AREA SERVICE MEETING



Date: June 13th 2020

Location: Zoom

Opening: 6:30 PM

Service Prayer: Brandina V

12 Traditions: Phoenix B

12 Concepts: Victoria

Motion to Accept Last Months Minutes

Motion by: James A,

Seconded By: Victoria

Resolution: Motion Accepted

Attendance

Brandina V, Lacey J, Layton E, Grace G, Christian W, Bruce, Jen J, James A, Andy G, Phoenix B, Victoria, Faline, Paul B, Jill, Emilee E, Shannon C, Ben P, Jerry C, Rosemar, Bruce D, Jason T, Mindy G, Jill, Susan R

Excused: Thomas B, Jerri D, Aaron N, Susan D, Crystal H

Executive Reports

CHAIR - Lacey J

Hello everyone.

I want to thank you all for joining me here today. These last few months have been rough on all of us. There have been so many changes and so much unknown, but one thing that has not changed is the level of commitment and service that all of you bring to this AREA. Even if your group or subcommittee is closed at the moment you have a seat and a voice here. So again, thank you for your service and commitment. It does not go unnoticed. I see you and I appreciate you. I am proud to serve with you all.

Love,
Lacey

CO CHAIR - Brandina V

Hello to all as we continue to persevere through some unknowns with Love and Grace! I want you all to know you are doing awesome at serving our fellowship. You each matter, you are valid and I love you!!! You are not alone we are here for you! Thank you for allowing me to be your humble servant. Brandina

SECRETARY - Layton E

Hello Area,

Just a reminder that if you would like to receive the minutes message me your email address. I will send them to you until you ask me to stop. Then I will send them again just to mess with you, and again until you yell at me. That's not true, I will stop at your request.

Also, to those of you that sent your reports in before ASC started, thank you. I will actually wash your feet if you ask. Thanks for letting me service!

TREASURER'S REPORT

Good evening NASU! Hope everyone is well. Sorry we were not able to see all your beautiful faces, we are in California, early Fathers Day for Jeris Dad. This was the only available time for us to see him! Our apologies!

There is not that to report this month as you'll see in the spreadsheet. The storage unit is due on 7/1/2020 and will be paid before the next area. As of 12:15pm today, there's \$146.00 in the Venmo account. I'm gonna wait till the end of the day to see if any other donations come in and will make a deposit this evening. On Thursday the 11th, I spoke with our CPA. He gave me a list of what he needed to file our taxes, we will be gathering that information and filing this week. He advised me that the cost should remain the same as last year, which was \$300.00.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, we're available by phone. Thomas 435.590.4637 Jeri 702.666.7041.



Thank you for allowing us to be of service

Tom & Jeri

Date	Description	Income	Expense	Check #	Balance
	Balance forward				\$ 7,846.21
5/11/20	Deposit-area	\$ 391.49		VENMO	\$ 391.49

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5/29/20	Interest	\$ 0.34			\$ 0.34
					\$ 8,238.04
Ending Balance	\$ 8,238.04		Committee Budgets		
Prudent Reserve	-\$1,000.00		PR	\$ 3,000.00	
Operating Reserve	-\$3,000.00		H&I	\$ 600.00	
			CCGC	\$ -	
\$ Available \$	\$4,238.04		Entertainment	\$ -	
			Executive	\$ 2,007.55	
			Total	\$ 5,607.55	

Donations: @Virtual-Basket

RCM Report - Jerry & Shannon

Hello Area,

We attended Region in May; this was done via Zoom due to Covid-19. The World Service Conference has been extended due to the virtual platform taking a bit longer than expected. There will now be a second session, where they will be voting on the Conference Agenda Track and the Conference Agenda Report. They have a meeting at the end of this month to have a consensus on when the second session will be held, so more will be revealed. We want to give a shout out to the Home Groups that completed their CAR motions this last month. Well done! There is still time to complete the CAR, if your group has not done so, we are here to help and can guide you through it. Please reach out if help is needed. There are also a few surveys that NAWS has asked us to complete, some of the information will help those attending the World Service Conference with decision making in certain areas. You can complete surveys at <https://www.na.org/?ID=projects&ID=projects> or go to [na.org](https://www.na.org), type in "Surveys" in the search

bar and it will take you straight to them. Our Regional Convention has been officially postponed until July 2021 due to the fact that everyone at the Orleans Hotel has been furloughed. The convention committee is planning to hold existing registrations and refund members who have already paid upon request only. Region is having Elections in July, so if anyone is interested in a position on Region please attend. Next Region will be held on July 19 th , 2020 at 11am PST. Location is at "The Rooms" in Las Vegas, Nevada. There may be the option to attend RSC via zoom as well, they're still working out the kinks. We will have our Area Secretary pop it on the calendar if so.

Thanks for allowing us to serve,
Shannon C., Jerry C., and Patrick S.

Entertainment - Crystal H

No Report

H&I - Andy G.

Hello ASC body,

I hope all is well. We held our last business meeting Friday the 12th. With 6 in attendance. With all that is going on we are only taking a panel into one facility. We are still working on setting up zoom panels. Our next business meeting will be on July 10 @6pm

Thank you for allowing me to be of service

Andy G

PR Report – Rosemary J

PR meeting held on Wednesday, June 10, 2020

Attending: Rosemary J Dave J Staci Jerry Shannon Ashley Lacey
Jesse

Literature: There has been no change in the literature inventory

Meeting Lists: The decision was made to print 200 meeting lists . The virtual meeting list has been eliminated and we now have a July/August In Person/Online Meeting Schedule. The lists will be at the Alano Club in the lobby rack. Please take only what you need. Feel free to make copies. Also, give me a call at (435) 668-7404 if you'd rather pick some up from me. I live in Sun River.

Web Servant: Our web servant has been continuously updating meeting information when contacted by GSR's

Phoneline: The help line is continuing to provide information to both addicts and the public.

***Information** was posted regarding the response to **motion 5** made by The Wednesday, NA Hump Day group.

In summary: * NA Meetings are not considered essential.

*I was also told that we should follow the guidelines for designation yellow.

***Crossover Facility:** I spoke to Laurie, the clinical Director. She informed me that they weren't allowing any in house commitments as yet. I suggested zoom H&I meetings. We discussed that for a bit. We finally decided that she would come up with 3 possible dates that reps from H&I and PR could run a joint zoom meeting concentrating on what they are looking for...their expectations , our expectations, explain the program of NA...etc.

Laurie has yet to call back, however, I just recently made a follow up call and left a message.

The club opened today at noon...June 11, 2020 Remember to follow level yellow guidelines, except that **face masks are mandatory**. The club will be selling them for \$1.00 each.

Jerry will be **researching prices** for a digital bulletin board space on Bluff and Sunset.

Due to life changes **Jesse** needed to **resign** his position as secretary . **Thanks** for your service to our committee Jesse!!

Ashley B. was elected our **new secretary** .

open position: Co- Chair of the committee ...

I will submit the printer's receipt to our treasurer for the reimbursement amount of \$63.51

pleasure to serve the fellowship,

Next Meeting will be on Zoom July 8th @ 6PM

Rosemary J

SUACNA 13 - Melissa V

No Report

LITERATURE - Christian W

Hello Family,

Covid has still kept things slow but now that meetings are starting to open back up I expect we will get to business as usual before too long. Thank you everyone that took the time to meet up for literature being that we are not meeting up for area we will have to continue making arrangements to get together for any literature request. I have still been selling literature to those who have reached out to me for it. We've had \$131 in purchases I deposited both last months and this months order amounts totalling \$254 putting the account balance 548.41. I don't expect to be making an order this month but will continue to play it by ear but am still stocked from the previous order due to scarcity of orders coming in.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

Best Regards,

Christian W

CCGC - Susan R

Hi NASU!

CCGC met last night. We had myself and one other group member show up. No decisions were made other than another business meeting in July 10th at 7 pm. Nothing much more to report. Hope all is well with all of you.

GSR Reports

Group/ GSR	Avg Atd	NC	Donation	Comments
Kanab Groups Bruce	8-10			NA is alive and well in Kanab, We are up to 7 meetings a week. WE have a prudent reserve and we are self supporting.
Bridging the gap				No Report
Basic Text Study (Cedar) Dalanie D				No Report
Circle of Hope James A	26	2	\$150	This meeting is self supporting. Great meeting place. Attendance has gone up.
Circle of Sisters Mindy G	11	1		
Dopeless Hope Fiends (Cedar) Angela J.				No Report
Glimmer of Hope (Rayce)				No Report
Hold On Pain Ends [HOPE] (Richfield)				

It Works How & Why Cedar City GSR: Victoria GSR: JILL	25			Prodent Reserve, Self supporting, alt GSR now
KISS Meeting Jen J	20	0	-	Not a lot to report. Our average attendance is 20, no newcomers and still on zoom for now
Live & Let Live				No Report
Living Clean (Cedar) Dax F.				No Report
Living Clean: The Journey Continues				No Report
Living in the Moment Mark				No Report
Lost and Found				No Report
Lost Dreams Awakened	20+			Doing great, meeting on sunday night @ 7:30PM @ Southtown park. Event july 24th.
Saturday Men's Meeting	4-5			Back at the club, self supporting.

Jason T				
Men's Spiritual Meeting Sunday Ben P	4			We have two meetings since the club opened. Could use more support.
NA Humpday GSR: Keith T ALT: Faline D	30	2	0	Still meeting wed nights at bluff st park @ 7pm
NA in Escalante				
Newcomer's Meeting Rachel D	30	2	\$207	<p>Heidi ho there neighboroonie.</p> <p>So our group has been trying our best to navigate in these changing times. Due to southwest center closure we have moved to Slick Rock Park for the time being. When the southwest center reopens we plan to move back there. We will also be changing our meeting time to 8 pm to accommodate the brutal afternoon sun. PR has been made aware of this change.</p> <p>We voted Nick G in as our secretary and Crystal H has very graciously accepted a role to continue to hold our meeting over zoom so that the treatment centers that are unable to come to our meeting in person at the park can still attend.</p> <p>Our average attendance has been around 30.</p> <p>2 newcomers on average</p> <p>We are able to donate 207\$ to area this month after re-stocking of literature & key tags.</p> <p>Love you all.</p>
No Gram Like the Program				No Report

The Nooner Randy W	25	5	\$15	Doing 5 meetings & Zoom if we can't we have them both. Speaker meeting every Thursday.
Promise Of Freedom Group				
Serenity Sisters				No Report
Stress Less				
Sunday Night Candlelight Aaron N.	20			Can't make it this week. Will be opening meeting this sunday.
We Unite on Tuesday Night Emily	7	0		Meeting is open
Women's Haven of Hope Kellee				New treasurer No longer on Zoom starting tomorrow.

TOTAL AREA DONATION: \$TBD

Break

Break Time: 15 Min

Motioned by: Keelee

Seconded by:
Re-Open: 7:26

Open Forum

Start Open Forum: 7:26
Motion for open forum: 30 Minutes
Motioned by: Bruce
Seconded by: Ben P

Added By: Grace G
Position: Member
Topic: The Kanab area would like to request any fund as to offset costs for a campground. The overnight fee is \$365.00 for 6 campsites, which should accommodate up to 70 will be the minimum cost. Each additional site is \$45.00 and will accommodate 10. We are asking for any assistance, but no more than \$350 Thank you for any contributions.

Added By: Lacey J
Position: Chair
Topic: to get reimbursed 47.76 for the areas zoom account for april may and June. I put it on my credit card because the area debit card was not working.

Added By: Mindy G
Position: GSR
Topic: We would like to discuss having more detailed information on the motions in open forum

Motion for 5 more minutes Seconded by Mindy G to 8:03

Added By: Emily
Position: GSR
Topic: Would like clarity for motion 3 about H&I budget

Added By: Phoenix B
Position: GSR
Topic: Clarity for motion 1 from old business
Motion for 15 minutes by Faline second by Mindy G to 8:18

Added By: Paul B
Position: Member
Topic: how would a group that meets at a park, add Zoom as an option. meaning how would it be set up to be integrated into the live meeting

Notes:

- Nooner does a hybrid and uses a hotspot off a phone, brought in a TV and a laptop to have the meeting go along with.
- It's important that the people on the phone can interact with the meeting as well.

Motion to close: Bruce
Seconded By: Jill
Open forum ends at 8:10

Old Business

GSR Count: 13

Motion 1: A new guideline that states: If a group is reported as struggling (doors consistently closed, using non-NA literature, or other tradition violation), PR will investigate and offer assistance. If a resolution cannot be reached, the meeting will be listed as “Temporarily Closed”, until it can be addressed at the next ASC.

Motion By: Shannon C.

Seconded By: Randy W.

Intent: To help clarify for the groups the responsibilities of Public Relations, in regards to the meeting list.

Resolution: Favor (10) Opposed (1) Abstain (2) **Motion Passes**

Motion 2: To form a policy committee as a sub-committee of the ASC.

Motion By: Shannon C

Seconded By: Randy W

Intent: The intent or purpose of this motion is to create a committee that is responsible for ensuring our guidelines are maintained and in accordance with the Twelve Traditions and Twelve Concepts. As our area is quickly growing, the policy committee will be responsible for archiving guideline changes, updates and/or support for committees who are unsure how to create a specific guideline. In addition, The subcommittee will research proposals tabled to the committee by the ASC chair for a possible conflict with the Twelve Traditions and/or the Twelve Concepts for NA Service and the overall impact (financial, spiritual, unity and implementation) of the proposal and existing policy on the area as a whole.

Resolution: In Favor (11) Opposed (1) Abstain (1) **Motion Passes**

Motion 3: For H&I budget to be \$600

Motion By: Andy G

Second By: Felene B

Intent: To have a budget

Resolution: In Favor (12) Opposed (0) Abstain (1) **Motion Passes**

Motion 4: 3 months of zoom account for H&I not to exceed \$48.03.

Motion by: Andy G

Second By: Felene B

Intent: To have means to take H&I panels into facilities

Resolution: **Motion Passes**

Motion 5: Pm behalf of na hump day to request pr to reach out and establish regular communication to local government and health department to get guidance on opening meetings back up and to see if we can be considered as an essential meeting.

Motion By: Falene

Second By: Andy

Intent: To be in accordance with local health departments and government recommendations while continuing our primary purpose of spreading the message of recovery to the still suffering addict. This communication and relationship will also protect Our na fellowships image as a whole.

Resolution: Please see response attached, Resolved

Motion 6: Dissolve Adhoc Committee

Motion By: Shannon C

Seconded By: Kellee

Resolution: All In Favor (13) **Motion Passes**

New Business

Motion #1: Reimbursement of \$47.76 to Lacey J for Area Zoom payment.

Maker: Jen J

Second: Bruce

Intent: Keep area operating while going through pandemic

Resolution: **Motion Passes**

Motion #2: Motion not to exceed \$350 for campsite. Campout is July 25th. Details about this campout will be in announcements.

Maker: Bruce

Second: Mindy G

Intent: To bring the fellowship together after Covid

Resolution: Back To Groups

Motion #3: Reimbursement of 63.51 to Rosemary for meeting lists.

Maker: Rosemary

Second: Mindy G

Intent: To pay back the money spent by the meeting list coordinator

Resolution: **Motion Passes**

Back To Groups

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Maker: Bruce

Second: Mindy G

Intent: To bring the fellowship together after Covid

Resolution: Back To Groups

Ad Hoc Committee - Policy Committee Formation

A new adhoc has been created with the intent to create the qualifications for the chair and to formally define the intent of the new policy committee.

Members:

- Jerry C (**Chair**)
- Rosemary

Closing

ASC Meetings:

Motion to Close: Andy G

Seconded by: Faline B

Next Area

Date: July 11th, 2020

Location: Zoom until further notice

Minutes composed by Layton E

Any corrections please email secretary@nasouthernutah.org

NA Related Announcements

- PR has an opening for co-chair
- PR Next business meeting will be on Zoom July 8th @ 6PM
- Area is accepting 7th Tradition donations via Venmo @Virtual-Basket
- Kanab Campout is on Saturday July 25th @ Clear Creek Ranch just outside of Zion. Bring Firewood. Food will be provided. Boating, Fishing, Swimming, Kayaks and Canoes available free with site, full kitchen, enclosed pavilion, can hold up to 65 people, RV's welcome. Campout starts at 2pm on Saturday and continues through 4pm on Sunday. Dinner from 6 - 7 meeting @ 8 and Breakfast in the morning @ 8am followed by a meeting at 10AM. Please RSVP by emailing gvgarrabrant@yahoo.com by July 15th!
- H&I next business meeting will be on July 10 @6pm
- CCGC Next Business meeting will be July 10th at 7 pm
- **The club opened today at noon...June 11, 2020 Remember to follow level yellow guidelines, except that **face masks are mandatory**. The club will be selling them for \$1.00 each.**

PR Response to Motion 5

To: The groups of the NA Southern Utah Area of Narcotics Anonymous
Specifically the group that made the motion... NA Hump Day

From: Rosemary J.

Here is the information that was requested. The Public Relations Committee discussed the motion presented to the May Area Service Zoom Meeting.

Motion 5: On behalf of NA Hump Day to request PR to reach out and establish regular communication to local government and Health Dept. to get guidance on opening meetings back up and to see if we can be considered as an essential meeting.

Our committee discussed the motion presented. We all agreed and I was tasked with the responsibility of gathering a response to these requests .

I called the Governor's Helpline and was told that NA was not on the list of essential businesses and/or organizations. The person I spoke with even put me on hold to do some further investigation. When she returned I was told that again we weren't considered essential , however, just follow the guidelines for level yellow and we should be fine.

Guidelines

50 people or less in gathering (Alano Club) has 20 capacity for small room near back parking lot...50 capacity for big room...

if feeling ill...please stay home

6 ft apart social distancing

club strongly suggests the use of masks when 6 ft distance cannot be maintained

Please continue to follow Guidelines from the Alano Club...

As things change you will be updated.

If there are any questions concerning this matter our next Public Relations Committee Zoom

Meeting will be June 10 at 6pm.

all are welcome...

GSRs... Its IMPORTANT that you share this information with your home group members....