

NASU AREA SERVICE MEETING



Date: May 9th 2020

Location: Zoom

Opening: 6:30 PM

Service Prayer:

12 Traditions: Mindy

12 Concepts: Tyson

Motion to Accept Last Months Minutes

Motion by: James A

Seconded By: Rachel D

Resolution: Motion Accepted

Attendance

Lacy J, Rachel D, Stacy B, Tyson H, Midy G, Aaron N, Brandina V, Roseanne, Thomas and Jeri B, Falene B, Andy & Felene, Mindy G, Melissa V, Aaron N, Christian W, Jen J, Shannon C, Tyson, Jerry C, Paul B, James A, Griffin S, Rosemary J, Emilee E, Patric S

Excused: Kelee, Susan R, Crystal H

Executive Reports

Chair - Lacey J

Hi Family,

Thank you all so much for being here. My heart is full of gratitude lately and I am so grateful to see your faces. Its been a quiet month for me as Area chair. Considering everything that is going on I think its been a pretty good month. I would just like to remind everyone as meetings change per governor directives, GSRs need to be diligent in supplying any changes to our PR Chair. Rosemary is the PR chair if you need her number, we will be happy to put it in chat for you. This is super important as we want to make sure addicts have the correct information and are able to access all meetings in our area. If you have a topic for open forum or a motion to submit, please put the information in chat and get it to

Layton as soon as possible. If you have any other questions or concerns, please reach out in the chat box or feel free to raise your hand. Thanks again for being here tonight and thank you for your service.

Love
Lacey

Co Chair - Brandina V

I would just like to let everyone know I am here for you as we're opening up the meetings be mindful, covid still exists. Its real, be mindful as we are excited to get back to normalcy.

Secretary - Layton E

Hello Area,

I just wanted to thank all of you who sent your reports to me early today. It's so helpful to have as much of this prepared beforehand. I think, even after all the Covid stuff is over I will encourage people to email their motions, open forum topics, reports and announcements before ASC starts.

Thanks for being an amazing fellowship and I'm grateful for you all and this opportunity to serve.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Good evening ASC! Hope this report finds everybody healthy! We miss seeing all of your smiling faces! Hopefully, things will go back to normal soon, whatever that may be! It has been brought up whether or not we should make a \$2-300 donation to Region. As your elected trusted servant, I'm not quite sure how to feel about that. I'm sure that Region is experiencing the same change in their finances that we are. As we all know, the biggest portion of our operating income comes from our convention. Which sadly, has been postponed until next year. With that being the case, I feel we as an Area, really need to watch our finances. Area donations are down. The only upside to any of this is that we are not spending any money as an Area. We have the storage unit bill coming up next month (\$65x6mos \$390), also going to have to deal with the taxes now that the Executive committee has a budget again. So as far as a donation to Region is concerned, I think that even though it's a standing motion, I think that it needs to go back to the groups due to the current circumstances.

Thanks for allowing us to be of service

Tom n Jeri

Date	Description	Income	Expense	Check #	Balance
4/1/20	Balance forward				\$ 7,764.63

4/13/20 Deposit - Venmo \$ 64.51 \$ 64.51

4/13/20 Deposit - Branch \$ 16.75 \$ 16.75

4/30/20 Interest \$ 0.32 \$ 0.32

\$ 7,846.21

Ending Balance \$7,846.21

Committee Budgets

Prudent Reserve -\$1,000.00 PR \$ 3,000.00

Operating Reserve -\$3,000.00 H&I \$ -

CCGC \$ -

\$ Available \$ \$3,846.21 Entertainment \$ -

Executive \$ 2,007.55 -\$192.45

Total \$ 5,007.55

RCM Report - Jerry & Shannon

Hello ASC body,

The RSC team has learned so much these past seven weeks. While interacting and communicating with other areas and regions, our area is doing very well. Even with our conflicts over the past several weeks, we are still meeting as an ASC body to serve our groups and help further carry the message of NA to the suffering addict. During this time of Covid-19, a lot of areas do not even know where their ASC is and how their groups are surviving. So, when I look at our area, I am grateful to be here with you.

The virtual General Assembly took place April 18 for GSR's to carry their votes from the Conference Agenda Report from their groups. Southern Utah only had three groups represented, and Vegas had very little groups represented as well. All in all, 18 out of normally 70 groups attended the General Assembly. As a result, our Regional Delegate did not feel she had a conscious from Region51 to carry down to the World Service Conference.

For the first time ever, the World Service Conference took place over the weekend the past two weeks virtually!! An emergency budget for NAWS was created and voted on. Project plans for existing literature was voted on to extend those plans, and future project plans were also voted on and passed. No CAR motions were voted on! The last vote taken last weekend was to extend the Conference Agenda Cycle 2018-2020. The World Service Conference will continue to take place sometime within the next three months. A vote will take place virtually by the Regional Delegates in the very near future to when the conference will reconvene. This means that any of the Southern Utah Area groups that did not participate in the General Assembly still has time to place their votes from the Conference Agenda Report. If the groups have already voted on the CAR, please send your votes to either the RCM's or our Regional Delegate, Tina. In addition, if a group has not participated in the Conference Agenda Report and would

still like too, you have at least 30 days, and please keep in mind, the RCM's are more than willing to assist any group to go over or clarify the Conference Agenda Report so that you may participate. Keep a look out on NASU and your email for when the World Service Conference reconvenes.

In loving service,
Patrick, Shannon, and Jerry

Entertainment - Crystal H

No Report

H&I - Andy G.

Hello ASC body,

We held our business meeting 4-8-2020 via zoom.

With all that is going on we are still working hard on keeping h&i alive. I'll be motioning for \$48.03 which is the cost of a zoom account for our committee. We have a couple of facilities that are interested in zoom meeting brought in by our committee. We will also be motioning for a budget of \$600.00 for this year's budget. We still are in need of a women panel leader for Falcon Ridge. That is with a 1 year clean time requirement and a clear message of Narcotics Anonymous. Our next business meeting will be June 12th 2020 at 6 pm.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

Andy G

PR Report – Rosemary J

Rosemary Jones
4:12 PM (1 hour ago)
to me

Public Relations' Report May 9, 2020

The committee met twice since our last area service meeting. 4/29 & 5/6

Elections: Lacey J. is now the phone line coordinator and Staci is the web servant. The transition is now taking place.

How we are proceeding as meetings are beginning to open up...

The committee asked the secretary of the area to send all GSR's a notice of how to proceed when their group decides what to do.

Groups decide if they want face to face meetings or continue with zoom (or both). Next, the GSR's email me that information. I, in turn, will send the info to our Web servant to update the website in regards to face to face/ zoom meetings. It is important that this information be sent to us as soon as possible so that the web site is updated.

The committee also posted in NASU, as well as other places, suggestions for sanitizing your home group. Also, contacting the CDC or local public health dept. for accurate updates. The committee has verified with the insurance company that if groups meet in a location other than their regular meeting place they are still covered under the Regional Insurance Policy for accidents only and not for covid.

PR and H&I will be contacting the Crossover Facility (in Hildale) to discuss what they are looking for, especially during these times.

Our next scheduled PR meeting will be on June 10th at 6pm. If we are able to meet face to face the meeting will be held at the KKBC on 206 Cobblecreek Drive in Cedar City.

I believe I am done.....

Rosemary J.

Email: enchanter10@hotmail.com

Southwest Public Health: <https://swuhealth.org/>

SUACNA 13 - Melissa V

Helllllo Area!

SUACNA 13 had its business meeting last Sunday....IN PERSON, which was super GREAT! We voted that SUACNA 13 will be held 6/11/21-6/13/21. We had a lengthy discussion on having our convention on this date or having it in August of 2020. The biggest concern is the unknown of where life will be in August with The Virus.

We have received the updated contract from the hotel for the new dates and everything will remain the same except the dates of course.

Programming is getting in touch with our speakers and Workshop Speakers to check their availability and willingness to participate in SUACNA 13 on our new dates.

Registration will be sending out an email to all those that have already registered for SUACNA 13, letting them know the happenings. There will be an option for a refund if requested. The Committee is planning a kickass Event but are unsure of all the details at this time. Listen for announcements on this because you won't want to miss it!!

Since our Committee was elected in for SUACNA 13, the positions will carry over as stated in our guidelines, unless of course anyone wants to step down.

We also spoke about a topic that was discussed at last month's Area. This was discussed after I left the Area meeting so please correct me if what I heard is incorrect. It was brought up that our Area Treasurer is able to withdraw funds from the SUACNA bank account for the Area's financial needs at anytime, if needed. The discussion lead to the fact that , our Area Treasure is not listed on SUACNA account...only the SUACNA signers. If I could get some clarification that would be great!

Thank you for allowing me to serve,
Melissa V.
Next meeting is at Slickrock Park on Jun 7th

Literature - Christian W

Hello family,

Not too much to report due to covid. I have still been selling literature to those who have reached out to me for it. We've had about \$123 in purchases not including a \$10.80 H&I order I need to get provide the receipt for to whomever that needs to be submitted to.\$1030.94 was the total balance We placed a literature order and spent \$736.58 leaving the account balance at \$294.36, so we are fully stocked, we will be ready to go when meetings open up, and we can finally meet face to face.

I missed area last month but during the last time that we did meet in person I had a \$100 discrepancy due to a mathematical error on my part. I disclosed the details to layton and Andy but failed to contact Thomas directly and make sure the body as a whole was informed which I had since been informed of the importance of. I will be bringing it in area. I also am still selling literature to those that need it and are willing to make arrangements to meet up.
Thanks for letting me be of service.

Christian W

CCGC - Susan R

No Report

ADHOC Policy Committee - Shannon C

Hello Area,

The Ad hoc committee has met twice since last month and we were able to create a guideline addressing Public Relations meeting closure method. We will be making a motion tonight for

this guideline. We will also be making a motion to create a policy committee, we felt this would help the ASC going into the future. We will be discussing both these motions with you in open Forum.

Thanks for allowing me to serve,
Shannon C.

GSR Reports

Group/ GSR	Avg Atd	NC	Donation	Comments
Bridging the gap				On Zoom
Basic Text Study (Cedar) Dalanie D				Temporarily closed
Circle of Hope				Temporarily closed Thinking about changing meeting to 8 and new locations..
Circle of Sisters Mindy G	20	1		On Zoom Notes/report-the meeting is doing well. We are fully self supporting. The meeting is staying on zoom for now and will re-evaluate at our next business meeting.
Cope Without Dope (Kanab) Bruce D.				Temporarily Closed
Dopeless hope fiends (Kanab) Bruce D.				Temporarily Closed

Dopeless Hope Fiends (Cedar) Angela J.				Meeting is temporarily closed
Glimmer of Hope (Rayce)				Temporarily Closed
Hold On Pain Ends [HOPE] (Richfield)				Temporarily Closed
It Works How & Why Cedar City	~10			On Zoom Since before isolation attendance was around 36 and a lot of it is from treatment centers. We are staying on Zoom for now unless the gov makes risk yellow.
KISS Meeting Jen J	25			On Zoom Still on zoom because the meeting place is still not open.
Live & Let Live				Temporarily closed
Living Clean (Cedar) Dax F.				Temporarily Closed
Living Clean: The Journey Continues				On Zoom
Living in the Moment				Temporarily closed

Mark				
Lost and Found				Zoom
Lost Dreams Awakened	20		\$10	Open at bluff st park pavilion on sundays. Things are good.
Saturday Men's Meeting				Temporarily Closed
Men's Spiritual Meeting				Temp Closed
NA Humpday				We are meeting at the bluff street park Wednesdays at 7 pm. We will be following the recommendations of local government and adjust as we need to. This will include the recommended meeting size and social distance, if needed we will separate into smaller groups. throughout the park. No addict will be turned away.
NA in Escalante				Temporarily Closed
Newcomer's Meeting Rachel D	45 + treatment centers	7		Still on Zoom Had a keytag drive through that was amazing.
No Gram Like the Program				Temporarily Closed
Promise Of Freedom Group				Temporarily Closed

Serenity Sisters				Temp Closed
Stress Less				Temp Closed
Sunday Night Candlelight Aaron N.	27-30		\$40	<p>ON Zoom Meeting is on Zoom</p> <p>Sunday night Candlelight is up and running on Zoom 6:00pm Sunday's.</p> <p>Meeting ID: 823-7036-7906</p> <p>Pass: 249818</p> <p>We had our business meeting Sunday May 3rd. We had 7 in attendance.</p> <p>We will meet May 24th to discuss if our business meeting will be in person.</p> <p>We will remain on Zoom till we here more back this month from the governor.</p>
The Nooner Randy W	20	4	\$79	<p>On Zoom</p> <p>We are doing well 20 average attendance with 4 newcomers We are still doing speaker mtg every Thursday with speakers from around the world. .</p>
We Unite on Tuesday Night Emily	9	0		Still meeting on Zoom
Women's Haven of Hope Kellee				<p>On Zoom</p> <p>At the KKCB but on Zoom as well.</p>

TOTAL AREA DONATION: \$81.26

Break

Break Time: 10 Minutes

Motioned by: Aaron J

Seconded by: Aaron J

Re-Open: 7:25

Open Forum

Start Open Forum: 7:27

GSRs in ATTENDANCE: 7

Motion for open forum: 20 Minutes

Motioned by: Randy

Seconded by: Arron N

Add By: Shannon C

Position: Adhoc Chair

Topic: Motion 1

Add By: Shannon C

Position: Adhoc Chair

Topic: Motion 2

Motion By 10 more min by Falene

Second By: Andy

Added By: Andy G

Position: H&I Chair

Topic: Motion 3

Added By: Andy G

Position: H&I Chair

Topic: Motion 4

Motion for 10 minutes by Layton

Second by Staci B

Added By: Falene

Position: GSR

Topic: 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.

Added By: Melissa V

Position: SUACNA Chair

Topic: SUACNA bank account-the concern was our Treasurer could withdraw funds from SUACNA account if area is suffering financially....SUACNA committee just want clarification for open forum I guess

Motion to Close: Aaron N

Second by: Griffin S

Old Business

Nothing went back to groups.

New Business

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: Back To Groups

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: Back To Groups

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

Motion By: Andy G

Second By: Felene B

Intent: To have a budget

Resolution: Back To Groups

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**

Second By: Felene B

Intent: To have a budget

Resolution: Back To Groups

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 department 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: **Tabled to PR**

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Motion By: Andy G

Closing

ASC Meetings:

Motion to Close: Andy

Seconded by: Felene

Next Area

Date: June 13, 2020

Location: TBD

Minutes composed by Layton E

Any corrections please email secretary@nasouthernutah.org

NA Related Announcements

- H&I Needs a Female Panel Leader for Falcon Ridge