

EASTERN NEBRASKA AREA
OF NARCOTICS
ANONYMOUS AREA
SERVICE MEETING
November 18th 2018

<u>CHAIR</u>	Zach J
<u>VICECHAIR</u>	Zach M
<u>TREASURER</u>	Sarah A
<u>VICE-TREASURER</u>	Tammi H
<u>SECRETARY</u>	Rain S
<u>RCM</u>	Diana B
<u>ALT RCM</u>	OPEN
CECK 2019	Absent
<u>LITERATURE</u>	Heidi A
<u>LITERATURETREASURER</u>	Mandy F
<u>ACTIVITES</u>	Lyndsey B
<u>POLICYCHAIR</u>	OPEN
<u>PUBLIC RELATIONS</u>	Mark B

GROUPS

Another Sunday Afternoon	Absent	Night Owls	Excused
Back to Basics	Absent	No Name Group	Kelly M
Basic Recovery	Absent	Nor-Cal Rainbow	Trudy
Basic Text Study Group	Anita	Old Skool Recovery	Absent
Blair Group	Absent	On the Right Track	Absent
In the Moment	Absent	Primetime Group	Keven

Into the solutions	Jason H	Recovery: A New Way of Life	Rich
Just for Today	Absent	Responsible Recovery	Matt
Ladies Living Clean	Absent	Sunday Solutions	Absent
Ladies why are we here	Absent	Sunday Spiritual Brkfst	Harold
Life Savers	Absent	To Curb and Back	Kyle
Little White Book	Joseph	Tuesday Noon	Absent
Miracles Group	Bobbi	Ultimate Weapon	Absent
Never Alone	Absent	Trusting the Process	Absent

- I. **Call To Order-** Zach J
- II. **Readings**
 - a. Twelve Traditions--read by: **Anita**
 - b. Twelve Concepts—read by: **Harold**
- III. **Roll Call with Group and Executive Reports**

A.GSR Reports:

Another Sunday Afternoon		Night Owls	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: Excused	Alt GSR:
ASC Donation: \$0	Attendance:	ASC Donation: \$0	Attendance:0
Lt Order: \$0	Newcomers:	Lit Order: \$46	Newcomers: 0
Notes:		Notes:	
Back to Basic		No Name	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: Kelly M	Alt GSR:

ASC Donation:	Attendance:	ASC Donation: \$20	Attendance: 35-50
Lit Order:	Newcomers:	Lit Order: \$24.60	Newcomers: 2-3
Notes:		Notes:	
Basic Recovery		Nor Cal Rainbow	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:
ASC Donation:	Attendance:	ASC Donation: \$20	Attendance: 50ish
Lit Order:	Newcomers:	Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 2-4
Notes:		Notes:	

Basic Text Study		Old Skool Recovery	
GSR: Anita	Alt GSR:	GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations: \$19.96	Attendance: 28-32	ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance:
Lit Order: \$5.50	Newcomers: 0-7	Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 1
Notes: Group is going well.	Join us on Tuesday nite	Notes:	
Blair Group		One the Right track	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance:	ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance: 35-45
Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers:	Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 2
Notes:		Notes:	
Into the Solution		Primetime	

GSR: Jason H	Alt GSR:	GSR: Keven	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance: 20-25	ASC Donations: \$44.00	Attendance: 20-60
Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 1-2	Lit Order: \$19.90	Newcomers: 5-20
Notes: Meeting is doing very well.		Notes: Going good and still bringing recovery	Thank u for service
In The Moment		Recovery: Anew Way of Life	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: Rich	Alt GSR: 17
ASC Donations: \$	Attendance: 25	ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance: 2
Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 3	Lit Order: \$33.05	Newcomers:

Notes:		Notes:	
Just for Today		Responsible Recovery	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: Matt S	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations:	Attendance:	ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance: 40
Lit Order:	Newcomers:	Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 8
Notes:		Notes:	

Ladies Living Clean		Sunday Solutions	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance: 0	ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance:
Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 0	Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers:
Notes:		Notes:	

Ladies Why are We Here		Sunday Spiritual Breakfast	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: Harold	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance: 0	ASC Donations: \$17.00	Attendance: 50
Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 0	Lit Order: \$11.00	Newcomers: 5
Notes:		Notes:	
Life Savers		To Curb and Back	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: Kyle	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance:	ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance: 80
Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers:	Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers: 10
Notes:		Notes:	
Little White Book		Tuesday Noon	
GSR: Joseph	Alt GSR:	GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance: 14	ASC Donations:	Attendance:
Lit Order: \$22.50	Newcomers: 2	Lit Order:	Newcomers:
Notes:		Notes:	Weapon
Miracles Group		Ultimate Weapon	
GSR: Bobbi	Alt GSR:	GSR: Absent	Alt GSR:
ASC Donations: \$20	Attendance: 45-60	ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance:
Lit Order: \$123.00	Newcomers: 2-3 wkly	Lit Order: \$0	Newcomers:
Notes:		Notes:	

Never Alone		Trusting the Process	
GSR: ABSENT	Alt GSR:	GSR: Absent	Alt GSR
ASC Donations: \$0	Attendance:	ASC Donations \$	Attendance:
Lit Order: \$	Newcomers:	Lit Order: \$0	New Comers:
Notes:		Notes:	

B. Executive Reports:

Chair: No Report

Vice Chair- I just wanted to send out a Special shout out to our Lit Chair for coming through in a clinch when a member needed a medallion for a birthday!!

Secretary- No Report

RCM

First, let me start by saying that after reading the last Nebraska Regional Service Committee minutes, I have a new feeling of excitement for NA in our Region. There are areas trying new and exciting things. The Columbus area has a new group and there was a “capture the banner” where it appears a banner was captured when another group visited, even traveling to another town. There were Halloween dances and costume contests happening in most areas, including our own. Speaking of our area, how about the Multi-Zonal Service Symposium last month? What a huge success! Our host group that we chaired by Amanda M was supported by so many. Thanks to all who helped. So, yes, so much going on and such a great opportunity to give back to Narcotics Anonymous.

The NRCNA 35 Convention was also a great success. I, as well as many other ENNA members attended and supported this convention. It was a great weekend for travel and the theme for speakers being our own “grassroot” members was a huge hit as well. The donation from that convention committee was approximately \$10,348.82. In turn, the Region was able to make a donation of \$6,792.59 to World. WOW!

Anyone wanting to read the minutes from the last NRSC meeting may access them at the link attached here to my report.

Also refer to that document for clarification of proposals being taken back to the groups for vote.

The next NRSC meeting will be in Giltner in January.

ILS, Diana B, Regional Committee Member

PLEASE SEE ATTACHMENT FOR REGIONAL MINUTES AND WHAT NEEDS TO BE VOTED ON

RCM Alt: OPEN

Treasurer/Vice-Treasurer- Talked to the Bank about transferring funds from Cathedral NA meeting, but needs John B signature to do so. He will be contacted by another member and will have more info at next AREA. **(SEE ATTACHED)**

Policy Chair- OPEN

C. Sub Committee Reports:

Close Encounters 2019-

Public Relations:

Good afternoon everyone,

Let me start with the MZSS. First I would like to thank everyone that came out and at least sat through a workshop or speaker. But then a special thanks go out to everyone that helped out, did a workshop, manned a table, gave rides etc. etc. All of you helped to make this a PR success. We have gotten great feedback on all of you from the NA members that were visiting from outside the local area on our friendliness and helpfulness. Thank you all so much.

The PR presentation on Friday morning had 15 professionals from outside of NA attend. These included Probation and Parole officers from Eastern Iowa, Douglas and Sarpy counties, North Platte, along with the Nebraska Department of Corrections Substance Abuse Director and members of his staff and a Health Care professional from BLGH in Lincoln. Since the MZSS we have sent out a thank you letter to these professionals that included a resource page and their response has been great. All of them seem very pleased with the presentation and have expressed an interest in continuing an ongoing relationship with NA. Most particular of these is the Substance Abuse Director from NDC. He forwarded the resource letter to all of his staff including the Director of the Department of Corrections. The Director of NDC then sent me an email directly ask if I had time to do a call with him personally noting he wanted to discuss more access for us to the prisons and also the Sponsorship Behind the Walls project. From a PR perspective

this is very exciting stuff! The phone call will take place early this upcoming week and I look forward to reporting on its outcome next month.

Now on to our more local stuff. The Douglas County Corrections Center has suspended our meetings until after the holidays due to staffing shortages during that time. The Salvation Army meeting is still meeting twice a week and things are going well. They are still trying to figure out a format for their meetings. In Roads is going well and 3 of their four meetings were met last month. Campus for Hope is going well. Detox is also doing well as is OCC. All of our H&I meetings could use more support. If you are trained and would like to be added to the list for one of these meetings please let me (Mark B.) know and I will help you out.

AS far as us moving forward we have two positions open PR-Vice Chair and PR-Treasurer. Our Treasurer would like to move into the Vice Chair position, but we need a treasurer before that can happen. Also we are going to start a book drive for BT's for the Salvation Army. If your home group or you personally would like to donate a BT please let me or Wiles know. We will have a flyer out next month.

ILS,
Mark B.

P3:

Hello everyone,

So like always I will start with the numbers. We have had a short month so the BT's sent out is a little low, so far just 17. I'm sure we will have a couple dozen more before the end of the month though. Also being the middle of the month we don't have a bank statement yet but as you can see from the ledger we are still doing fine. We sold a total of \$520 at the MZSS event and had two group donations for a total of \$460.

On the other news. We have secured the same facility we used last year for the steak feed. The rent amount went up a \$100 due to the size of our event and the amount of time it takes us to get in and out. Rent this year is \$450 with a \$150 deposit that will be refunded if we clean well after the event. I have flyers for the groups already Made. That is about it for now.

ILS, Mark

Activities- We met on Nov 11th and started planning our next activities. We are planning a Chili/Soup cook off and New Years Eve Bash. More will be revealed. We do still have open positions that need to be filled they are:

Vice- Chair and Secretary

ILS Lyndsey B

Literature-Here and Attached Separately:

November 2018 Literature Report (spread sheet attached separately)

DATE	BANK TOTAL	INVENTORY Purchased	INVENTORY ON HAND
2017			
Jan 22	13.74	709.12	4,820.43
Feb 26	6.61	1,249.99	4,606.82
Mar 26	56.44	1,263.67	4,759.15
Apr 23	8.78	755.86	4,790.93
May 21	0.00	911.75	4,584.44
June 25	90.62	1,366.46	5,157.46
July 23	10.66	808.41	5,232.48
Aug 27	130.77	1,043.40	5,090.17
Set 24	5.21	774.66	5,183.25
Oct 22	3.73	456.40	4,876.35
Nov 26	23.45	579.26	4,877.36
Dec 17	62.25	986.72	5,040.96
2018			
Jan 28	8.66	695.79	4,850.34
Mar 4	14.44	1,049.27	5,077.68
April 22	1.05	640.44	4,741.38
May 20	3.11	932.31	4,936.29
June 24	22.70	1143.89	4,949.58
July 22	10.63	868.03	5,118.57
Aug 26	1.74	830.90	5,122.22
Sept 22	1.81	848.50	4,788.20
Oct 28 th	18.43	851.21	4,938.55
Nov 18 th	5.81	840.57	5,008.90

Specialty Items Available:

1-Miracles Happen: Birth of NA \$28.85
4-Leather Bound JFT \$33.00
2-7th Tradition Box \$3.00
1-30th Year Basic Text
1-6th Edition Special Edition
7-Special Edition Guiding Principles

2-Line Numbered Basic Text
1-Basic Journal \$20.80
2-JFT Journal \$14.00
4-BookMarks \$12.00
2-Wallet Card: Group Reading's \$2.65

ILS, Heidi A

IV. ESTABLISH QUORUM 11/15

Quorum Met: **YES**

V. Approval of Minutes

A. January Minutes Motions by: Little White Book

Seconded by: Spiritual Breakfast

VI. OLD BUSINESS:

Policy Chair and RCM Alt positions are OPEN

Elections close in December for RCM and RCM Alt

Diana has volunteered to stay in the RCM position.

********There was not a vote taken for the **SBTW Liaison** position as there was confusion on whether a vote was needed at that time. In all fairness a vote should be taken back to the groups now.

Anita T and Tommy N are the nominees.

Tommy N was voted in for the SBTW Liaison by our Area

VII. FINANCIAL REQUEST:

VIII. OPEN FORUM

Area Date for December will be December 16th at 4pm at St Matthews.

IX. NEW BUSINESS:

Anita T. had suggested bringing Vimo into the groups as a 7th Tradition option, rather than carrying cash. She will do some more research and bring her findings to Area, so we can take back to the groups and discuss further in detail.

Proposal 1: To remove section II. C. B. 4. In the Policies of the NRSC.

Intent: This should be the individual Area's responsibility.

Financial Impact: \$0.00

Submitted By Kendra D.

Please Take This Back To Your Groups For A Vote

Proposal 2: Add to Policy section II. C.B. Will supply Proposal Slips at each NRSC business meeting. Intent: This duty was inadvertently excluded in the responsibilities for the NRSC Secretary.

Financial Impact: \$0.00

Submitted By Diane K.

Please Take Back To Your Groups For A Vote

X. FINANCIAL REPORT:

- * Beginning Balance: \$2,000.00
- * Group Donations: \$329.96
- * Area Expenses: \$40
- * Region Donation: \$286.96
- * Ending Balance: \$2,000.00

XL. ANNOUNCEMENTS/NEXT ASC:

Sunday, December 16th, 2018 GSR orientation @ 3:30pm

ADJOURNMENT:

Motioned by: **Nor Cal** 2nd by: **Mircales**

ANNUAL TIME LINE

<p>January</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting • Nominations Open for Chair/ Vice Chair • Sub Committee Audits 	<p>July</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting • Sub-committee Audits
<p>February</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting • Annul Policy Review/revisions • Close Encounters Convention 	<p>August</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting • Elections for Secretary/ Treasurer/ Vice Treasurer/ Policy Chairperson
<p>March</p>	<p>September</p>

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