

EASTERN NEBRASKA AREA OF NARCOTICS
ANONYMOUS AREA SERVICE MEETING FOR
Date of Area: 2/19/2023

Call to Order by the Chair at 4:00pm

Readings

- i. 12 Traditions read by: Steve
- ii. 12 Concepts read by: Hadrian

Roll Call by GSR/Groups and Area Positions

Area Positions

CHAIR	Paul C	VICE CHAIR	Rob F
TREASURER	Mike H.	VICE TREASURER	Rebecca
SECRETARY	Davie W	RCM	Zach M
ALT RCM	Morgaine	LITERATURE	Johnny C
LIT TREASURER	Kora C	ACTIVITIES	Mary R
POLICY CHAIR	Margie	PUBLIC RELATIONS	Mandy
P3	Mark B	CECK 2023	Steve H

GSR –

28-Aug			
Group Name	Present or Absent	Who	Notes
Another Sunday Afternoon			Closed
Back to Basics	Absent		
Basic Text Study Group	Present	Mandy F	Att: 11-15 wkly; New: 1-3 monthly
Camel Group	Present	Christina W	10-15 att,
Friday Night Recovery	Present	Mary R	Att: 10-18; New: 9; Last Friday of month speaker meeting and food.
In the Moment	Absent		
Miracles	Present	Trudy H	Att: 5-15: 2-4 Newcomers.
Never Alone	Absent		
Night Owls	Present	Mike H	Att: 6-8, New: 3; Our meeting attendance has been low lately, we could use some support from experienced members.
No Name Group	Present	Kelly M	Att: 20-30 per week, 1-2 Newcomers per week
No Pass - Saturday	Absent		
Old Skool	Present	Todd B	Group has been growing with 20-25 in attendance. May 20th is group picnic at Seymor Smith park fliers will be out soon.
On the Right Track	Present	Amy M	15-25 Att, 6 Newcomers
Primetime	Present	Mike R	Att: 30-35 a week, couple newcomers a month, 8 home group members, things are healthy and well.
Rainbow Group	Present	Ross	Att: 25-28; New: 1-2; Sunday Nights at 7pm- MCC- Strong coffee!
Responsible Recovery	Absent		
Simple Recovery	Present	Paul C	meeting closing, no attendance
Sunday Spiritual Breakfast	Present	Chad A	Att: 28, 2 Newcomers
To Curb and Back	Present	None	Closed
Tuesday Noon	Present	Debra P	Meeting is closing until further notice due to homegroup members health and lack of support.
Ultimate Weapon	Present	Margie B	Att: 30-60, 2 newcomers
Just For Today	Absent		
NACHO Homegroup	Present	Zach M	Att: 30-40, 4 Newcomers. Thanks Mandy F for sharing your E, S, and H this month. Please join us next month to hear Amy M share her E, S, and H on the 3rd Wednesday of the month.
Trusting the Process	Present	Diane K	Att: 11 plus 4 visitors, 1 newcomer. Diana B. was voted in as our Alt. GSR. No Area donation. Was waiting on new price list to order before we make a donation.
How it Works	Present	Kristin N	15-20Att, 4 New. 1/28/23 Hawaiian Luau Winter Dreams dinner and speaker meeting. 6pm for dinner, 7pm for speaker.
It Works How and Why	Present	Kristin W.	Att: 15-20, 7-10 Newcomers, Meeting is at Thursday at 6pm

	Total GSRs present:	18	
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Executive Reports

Chair

Paul C-. Don't be scared to step up or find other people to step up to fill open positions.

Vice Chair

Rob F- no report

Secretary

Hello everybody,

No report

RCM

Sun, Feb 19,

4:22 PM

Morgaine Drabek

to me

March 28th ENNA CAR/CAT starting at 10am.

We need to decide:

Where and if we will be providing food and if so what.

Someone has agreed to temporarily agreed to take over sponsorship behind the walls. If your interested in participating there's a meeting every 2nd Wednesday of the month from 7:30-8:30 There's an option to Zoom in:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/244419264?pwd=cXBseDdzQmVES0FwaUptczB1ajhSQT09>

We have four things to vote on later!

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Intent: Host NRCNA 40

Financial Impact: \$4000

Submitted by: John H

Proposal #2: To amend the budget for 2023 and add an extra travel expense.

Intent: To allow the delegate team to attend required meetings per policy due the change of having an extra Zone and MZSS in the same year as WSC. This cost will cover both events.

Financial Impact: \$3200

Submitted by: Brenda D and Tommy N

Proposal #3: For Memorial Wall to have policy stating the same requirements as Archives does, not including the budget \$ amount. Intent: To have Memorial Wall subcommittee to have its own policy.

Financial Impact: \$0

Submitted by: Sue H.

Proposal #4: Request for \$50 budget quarterly, as needed to be able to purchase necessary items. Intent: For Memorial Wall subcommittee to have its own budget.

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TAKE BACK TO GROUPS FOR A VOTE.

Open Positions:

Vice Treasurer

Outreach

PR

The Next Region will be held at

Giltner Community Center

Vice Treasurer

open

Policy Chair

- no report

Sub Committee Reports:

CECK 2023 –

Good afternoon,

Pre-convention shirts have been ordered to sell at the 2023 convention, and the price has been set. They are arriving this Monday.

Early bird registration prices have been set as well.

The forms will be ready and waiting for you all to get registered for next year's convention on Sunday morning at this convention.

We look forward to a new committee with all of our positions filled, and to our next great Close Encounters.

In loving service,

Annie W.

Correction to the statement that the 2024 convention committee is full. The Vice Treasurer is still pending a vote from area.

Thank you,

Annie W

CECK 2023 / Committee Chair Report

February 19, 2023

Greetings from CECK 2023,

We have made it and are ready to launch Close Encounters 2023. We will be exploring new territory by adding the CHI Saturday. We've worked hard in anticipation to aide in this transition, however, if anyone notices any issues, please find a committee member so we might correct any possible problems. I've thoroughly enjoyed this year and look forward to another successful convention.

ILS,

Steve H.

Activities–

Valentines Day Dance was great. We had a great speaker. had over \$105.00 over prudent reserve but we decided to buy an ice cooler with it. Still haven't rescued the key to the storage unit. Still have made arrangements to store activities stuff at Shepherd of the Hills church. I have a key to get in anytime to get our stuff.

Mary R.

P3-

Feb. 2023 P3 Report

Good afternoon,

We have sent out a total of 9 Basic Texts so far this month, which gives us a total of 26 for the year. I attended the Zonal meeting in Grand Island earlier this month and was able to get a lot of flyers out to all the Regional Delegates. Hopefully we will see an increase in our numbers soon.

All of our merchandise is in so we are all ready to go for CECK. See you all there.

That's it for now.

ILS,

Mark B.

Public Relations –

Good Afternoon ASC,

We are meeting all our commitments at all of our facilities currently. Our panel leader from DCC Mens is stepping down because he's been doing this for many years and has had no help. Also the Community

Correction Center is looking for volunteers to take inmates to outside meetings they are desperately asking for it. Training is the 2nd and 4th monday at 7pm. Our bank balance is \$600.00.

In Loving Service,

Mandy F.

Literature –

February 2023 LITERATURE REPORT (please include in area minutes)

DATE	BANK TOTAL	INVENTORY purchased	INVENTORY ON HAND
2021			
Dec 08	403.71	1685.26	5066.13
2022			
Jan 23	315.34	839.37	5111.27
Feb 19	502.31	925.94	5091.52
Mar 26	162.80	1211.21	5181.87
Apr 22	247.14	1704.11	4995.77
May 15	323.59	978.69	5061.92
Jun 22	282.81	986.28	4213.92
Jul 20	122.46	160.35	5270.12
Aug 27	353.05	1245.78	5126.34
Sep 24	204.84	1518.51	4977.09

Oct 21	326.12	1249.17	5939.74
Nov 15	256.86	514.17	5234.84
Dec 13	623.47	1757.69	5080.74
2023			
Jan 18	313.04	1336.25	5353.79
Feb 19	487.67	479.92	5254.84

- We have made it back in time for ASC, as you can obviously see. There is not much new to report from the committee.
- Quote of the Month:
 “We learn to respect the spirit in one another. We all have our own ways of thinking and feeling. When we acknowledge that each of us is in the care of a loving Higher Power, we can accept one another where we are and see that each of us has our own path.” (Living Clean, pg. 171)

**ILS,
Johnny C.**

APPROVAL OF MINUTES-

Motion to approve: Mandy-Basic Text Study
 2nd by: Mary R- Friday Nite Recovery
 Confirmed by all in attendance

OLD BUSINESS

- Rebecca B. got nominated for Vice Treasurer

- Motion to add to Article XI-Finances that we do “NOT” accept donations from any outside entities
Intent: To clarify in our policy that we do not accept any outside donations
2nd by Basic text Study Group

FINANCIAL REQUEST-

- PR for \$107.36 to bring back to 600.00 to prudent reserve.

OPEN FORUM-

- New meeting Wednesday at 2pm, 4318 Fort St.
- March 25th Car Wash 10am-6pm Jimmy Johns parking lot. Ask Morgainne for more information.

NEW BUSINESS-

Tammy Rasmussen

330 Fuller Ave

Council Bluffs, IA 51503

(531)255-5337

trasmussen49010@gmail.com

NA Service Experience

Clean date - 5/17/2002

Homegroup Secretary- Colonial Heights, Virginia 2017-2018

Registration and Merchandise - The Magic is Real WCNA37 Orlando, FL - 2018

Homegroup Secretary, Treasurer, and Literature - Landstuhl Germany 2019-2021

My sponsor is Stephanie T - Colonial Heights, VA

I currently sponsor 3 women who are all working the steps

ITEMS PRESENTED ANOTHER FORM:

none

ITEMS TO BE TAKEN TO GROUPS:

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FINANCIAL REPORT:

ANNOUNCEMENTS/NEXT ASC:

PR: 3:00-4:00

Area: 4:00-5:00

Call for ADJOURNMENT at 4:37pm

Motioned by	Zach M
2 nd by	Mandy F

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> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting 	<p>September</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting • Nominations open for RCM/ RCM ALT
<p>April</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting • Elections for Chair/ Vice Chair 	<p>October</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting
<p>May</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting • Nominations Open for Secretary/ Treasurer/ Vice Treasurer/ Policy Chair Person 	<p>November</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting
<p>June</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting 	<p>December</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area Service Meeting

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Area Inventory	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Elections For RCM/ RCM ALT
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AREA INVENTORY

An area may want to send this inventory or a similar set of questions to the groups. Members or groups can answer each question with a number from one to five, using a scale such as:

①	②	③	④	⑤
Not at all	Needs improvement	Adequate	Outstanding	Excellent

When the numbers are totaled for each question, the area can see what most needs improvement (1) and what is going quite well already (5).

How well has the area served local groups this year?

- How well does the area communicate with local groups? _____
- How well does the area respond to the needs of local groups? _____
- How well is the area managing its donations and area treasury? _____
- How effectively does the area demonstrate responsibility and accountability? _____
- How fully does the area train and support members who serve on the area service committee? _____
- How well does the area service committee foster an atmosphere of courtesy and mutual respect? _____
- How completely does the area provide opportunities for communication about committee concerns to the local members and groups? _____
- How well is a sense of unity fostered within the area service body? _____
- How positively is a sense of unity shown within local groups? _____
- What is the area's experience with trusted servants? _____
- How well has the area fostered the willingness of the local fellowship to volunteer for service positions? _____
- How well does the area practice continuity and rotation? _____
- How well does the area function in maintaining a full complement of trusted servants, with no open commitments? _____
- How fully does the area create an environment where the conscience of the body guides the decisions and direction of the area? _____

How well has the area done this year in making NA's message more widely known in the larger community?

- How well is the area communicating with those in the community who interact with addicts? _____

- How completely does the area respond to the needs of the larger community? _____

- How well is the area using human and financial resources to carry NA's message of recovery in an efficient and effective way? _____
- How fully trained and supported are the trusted servants who interact with members of the community? _____
- How well has the area built cooperative relationships with those in the larger community? _____
- How easily can those in the larger community reach an NA member who is in a position to respond to their questions or requests? _____

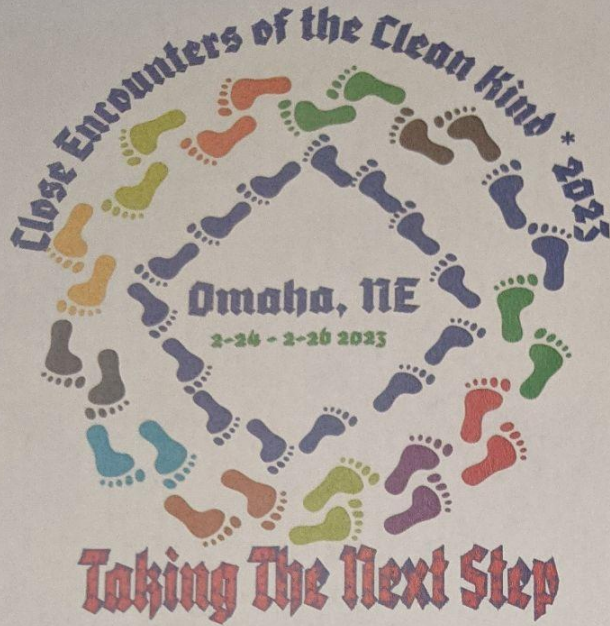
How well has the area cooperated and collaborated with the region and NA World Services this year?

- How effectively does the area communicate with the region and with NA World Services? _____
- How well does the area respond to requests from the region and from NA World Services? How fully does the area share its needs and concerns with the region and NA World Services? _____
- How reliably does the area forward funds to the region and/or NA World Services?____

- How effectively does the area use resources (such as written materials or experience from other trusted servants) that are available through the region and/or NA World Services? _____
- How fully has the area formed a cooperative relationship with the region and NA World Services? _____
- How well is the area creating a sense of unity with the region and NA World Services?

Is there any particular area of service and/or area function that you perceive is outstanding? Please identify: _____

Is there any particular area of service and/or area function that you perceive would need improvement? Please identify: _____



Taking the Next Step CECK 2023

February 24-26, 2023

Hilton Omaha

1001 Cass St

Omaha, NE 68102

Register, buy merchandise, and
reserve your room online!

<https://ceck.omaha-na.org/>

(Hotel garage parking \$15 a night for hotel guests.)

Call (402) 998-3400 to reserve a room.
Mention Code: CLE for the special rate.
Mail checks to:
Close Encounters
PO Box 8770
Omaha, NE 68108
Payable to: CECK

Registration increases to \$30 at the door.
Banquet - formal attire optional.

This event requires a badge to attend.

Badge pick-up at registration desk.

Merchandise available July 2023. Follow us on Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/686586314769565>



No mail-ins accepted after January 1st!

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____

Clean Date: _____

<i>Make checks payable to Close Encounters</i>	How many	Amount	Total
Basic Registration - \$25.00			
Banquet - \$50.00 <input type="checkbox"/> beef <input type="checkbox"/> chicken <input type="checkbox"/> veg			
FULL Registration - \$70.00 (includes reg, banquet, entertainment)			
Entertainment - \$10.00			
Newcomer Donation _____			
TOTAL AMOUNT			



Hawaiian Luau Winter Dreams Dinner and Speaker Meeting



Thursday How It Works Group invites you to
dinner and a speaker meeting.

Saturday January 28th—6pm for Dinner, 7pm for the Speaker

Come dream about a winter in Hawaii with us!

2201 S 132nd St, Omaha, NE 68144

Faith Christian Church

Pork and Hawaiian sides will be served for dinner.

Dinner is donation only if you can.

Bring a side dish only if you can.

Questions: Contact Alex S - 712-830-6823

