

**SEAZNA Area Service Committee Meeting**  
**April 12, 2015**

**Call To Order:**

Scott P. read the Serenity Prayer to open the meeting.

Sheryl W. read the Service Prayer and the Statement of Purpose.

Marti G. read the 12 concepts.

**Minutes/Agenda Approval:**

The March minutes were approved by consensus. April Meeting Agenda approved by consensus.

**Welcome New Groups and New GSR's and Alternate GSR's:**

- Brandon J \*\*\* We Do Recover
- Kevin S \*\*\* High on Life \*\*\* Alt
- Amber F \*\*\* Positive Action \*\*\* Alt
- Victoria C \*\*\* Circle of Sisters \*\*\* Alt
- Cathy N \*\*\* Midtown Nooners \*\*\* Alt

**Question and Answer / Open Forum / Group Announcements:**

- Connie L announced that Leave the Light On has a new location at 740 E. Speedway and it needs support.
- Marti G announced that Keep it Green also meets at 740 E. Speedway

**Executive Committee Reports:**

**Vice-Chair Report:** Sheryl W. gave verbal report – See attached

**RCM Report:** Henry D. gave verbal report -- See attached

**Subcommittee Reports:**

**Activities:** Maria M gave verbal report, did not submit report for minutes

**H&I:** Michelle G gave verbal report—See attached

**Literature:** Rick L gave verbal report - See attached

**Mt. Lemmon Bash:** Ben S gave verbal report—See attached

**Newsletter:** Kati M gave verbal report, did not submit report for minutes

**Outreach:** Nick gave verbal report, did not submit report for minutes

**Phone Line:** Jody P gave verbal report – See attached

**Public Relations/Webmaster:** Logan M gave verbal report – See attached

**Treasurer:** Leslea gave verbal report - See attached

**Convention Committee:** Ken P gave verbal report - See attached

**Roll Call:**

Roll call taken by Sheryl. Active Groups = 42. GSR's present = 34. Required for a Quorum =23.

### **Old Business:**

#### **Special Elections/ Sub Committee Elections**

- Scott P announced that we will be moving to a new storage facility. Steven S has agreed to help.

### **New Business / Idea Requests (IDR):**

- Fawn B wanted to know if Nogales is part of our Area, wanted to invite them to Area Convention. Nogales is having difficulty obtaining literature. It was clarified that the Mexico meetings are on our meeting list in the spirit of cooperation.

## **REPORTS:**

### **VICE CHAIR:**

Sheryl Addict thanks for letting me be of service. I went to Desert recovery which is inactive and their GSR is here this month. Will be attending Birds eye view on April 22nd (HP willing). I attend subcommittee meetings as I can. If any subcommittee chair needs anything, please let me know.

### **RCM REPORT:**

Good afternoon all. We had our Being of Service Workshop yesterday and there were some addicts that were of service! A big thank you to those who attended of which Sierra Vista showed up in force. We had speakers on the importance of Home Group participation and what it was like to be a GSR. We also talked about the service structure and how being an informed GSR can help influence what goes on in NA all around us. I did take notice that the same faces attend these things while others always struggle with understanding what goes on in NA service. That was even some of the feedback we have been getting.

On a regional note, we attended the Assembly in Prescott a couple of weeks ago and it had several SEAZNA members there. We did some writing/discussing of the Tradition Workbook that is in review at this time. A lot of us seem to feel we are not really finished yet with this book and it needs much more input. Our website is working on some issues that help you navigate more clearly such as finding insurance forms and such.

ARCNA (present) chair is suggesting we scale down our fundraisers since they seem to be losing money more of the time than not. The Convention Committee and BOD are looking into this. We are sharing the "Human Resource" forms for anyone looking to be involved in various projects at that level. We are also working on Subcommittee surveys in our area to have region better understand how they can serve us. A side note, we made a donation of \$5k to the world service conference last month.

We are working on hosting the next Assembly in October in Sierra Vista. We will talk with the local Fellowship to find a place down there possibly for the 24<sup>th</sup> of Oct. The RDs are also (at our request) putting a bid in for having the Western States Zonal forum in Tucson or Phoenix in 2017! This WILL be a big deal if

we get it. Our Zone stretches from Alaska to So Cal. Since the WSC and NAWS are asking for us to consider "Zonal Representation", we may want to learn more about this.

We would like to hand out these Group Questionnaires to all the GSRs to take back and ask your Groups to share their experience. Our contact info is there so feel free to call if you have questions or want us to visit your business meeting to help your understand it. We are here to serve and only need to be asked.

Still in Loving Service,  
Henry D. and Jody P.

**ACTIVITIES:**      No report submitted

**H & I:**

Regional H&I had requested that those who are interested in participating in the Behind the Walls sponsorship program to come to their meetings in Phoenix to express interest and introduce themselves. I spoke with Keith, the Regional H&I Chair, and asked if it would be sufficient for those who are interested to come to our area monthly H&I meetings. Keith stated that would be ok. He asked the member turn in their application at H&I and then myself, the Vice Chair or Secretary can forward them to the appropriate person. So, to summarize, if you are interested in sponsoring someone in jail/prison through the mail PLEASE come to H&I and submit an application. :)

Please announce at the meetings you attend that H&I is always in need of those with 6months or more clean time to share their experience, strength, and hope. Encourage members to attend H&I to show their interest.

Applications for jail clearance on the website. Please complete them and either fax them to the number on the application or turn them into the Chair, Vice Chair, or Secretary of H&I.

14 out of the 17 facilities were represented this month and we were able to carry the message of hope to approximately 1016 addicts!!!! Great job everyone!!!

Thank you for letting me be of service,

Michelle G

**LITERATURE:**

- On March 8, 2015 the literature sales to Area GSR,s was \$1,017.20
- This month we spent \$1,799.76 to maintain our inventory of approximately \$2,500.00.

- The cost this month to support H & I Literature was \$303.30
- Our freight charge this month from NA World was \$133.32, after receiving our less discount of \$106.37 that reduced our freight charge to only \$26.95.

**Thank you for allowing me to be of service, Rick L.**

### **MT. LEMON BASH:**

The Chili Cook-off was a great success! We had 51 people turn out and we fundraised \$299.15. That brings our bank balance to \$2,420.73. We also have a new logo, which has been posted on the NATucson.org website for all to see. Leslea won the logo contest, and Mary F won the chili contest. The next committee meeting will be April 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am at the Ft. Lowell Duck Pond. That meeting information is posted on our Area web page under Area Service information. The following positions still need to be filled: Vice Chair, Public Relations, and Merchandise. Mary F will be filling in for Merchandise Chair until someone steps up. Please tell your groups that if anyone wishes to be of service, we would greatly appreciate the help. This year's bash will be October 2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup>. We have Whitetail campground reserved for these days.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

**NEWSLETTER:** No report submitted

**OUTREACH:** No report submitted

### **PHONE LINE:**

Hello SEAZ Area Service Committee of NA:

I regret that I am not able to be with you today, as I'm attending a weekend training class. Stephanie, our Vice-Chair is ill and wasn't able to represent us, so I asked Jody, the former Chair, and current amazing member of the Phone Line committee to present my report today.

Here are the Phoneline statistics for March 2015

March 2015 Counts:

Total Calls Received = 188

Calls Forwarded to Phoneline Committee Members: 25

Calls accessing the automated lists and system: 163

Longest Live Call - 28:57 mins This month our regular monthly PhoneLine meeting moved to its new location at "Goodness", 2502 N. Campbell, 2 blocks north of Grant, at the corner of Campbell and Water. Meeting time and day will remain the same (10am the morning of Area each month). For more information or to be of service on the phone line, contact Bernie G at 520.406.0740 or email [phoneline@natucson.org](mailto:phoneline@natucson.org).

We are always looking for new members to join the PhoneLine - please contact us or come to our regular monthly meeting if you are interested. 6 mos clean time require.

Thank you for letting us be of service!

Bernie G, Stephanie W,, Jody P and your entire PhoneLine committee

## **PUBLIC RELATIONS:**

- Our locations that are being served with meeting lists and in the Tucson Metro Area are again 11 locations currently, with 6 more pending and 1 full literature rack, 7 locations in Cochise county Area and 7 locations in the South I19 area with approximately 300 lists being distributed
- Our area's PR team has continued working with the regional team. The process has been approved and started to move towards the region hosting our area's site. Although this will likely be a slow process
- The regional PR team is suggesting to reduce Regional Meeting List printing to quarterly.
- We currently have PSA's airing on at least 1 radio station and more to come
- Our website received 18919 hits last month, different than the normal reported visits, but a high number still... meeting list being the most popular followed by the area events page which now includes a wider geographical area's events and then the convention page.
  - Bus shelter poster contract renewed until October
  - Bus shelter poster locations are as follows:
  - Presentation for adult probation was on March 23<sup>rd</sup> in Cochise County
  - PR Booth for Tucson homeless Connect was March 27<sup>th</sup>
  - Our fellowship was also represented at a community forum hosted by the Mayor, with a representative from Southeast Area as well as Phoenix Area
  - PR Booth at the Habitat For Humanity sponsored Thunder Mountain Games coming up next weekend on April 18th
  - Full literature rack for Hope is up and being stocked
  - Please remember that ALL meeting changes MUST be emailed to meetingchanges @natucson .org 1 week prior to the ASC meeting to ensure they will be reflected on the next meeting list printing
  - We are again looking for a vice chair, both to increase PR's ability to serve the fellowship and also to potentially take over, as this is my last year. Suggested clean time is 1.5 years.

## **SEAZNAC 1:**

We met on March 29<sup>th</sup>, all sub committees were represented. We are on track for our first convention. We have our last fundraiser, Spring Fling, on April 18<sup>th</sup>. We have filled

half of our room block. Please reserve your room in advance. Early registration ends June 1<sup>st</sup>. You must pre-register to be entered in the drawing for a free room. GSR's please make sure you have pre-registration flyers for your group. Please consider donating a basic text for the newcomer. Merchandise is taking special orders, please see Connie.

**TREASURER:**

There are an estimated \$2,000 worth of bills to be paid prior to May's ASC, along with a \$500 prudent reserve, comes to \$2500 account balance \$634.83! Yay!! Thank you from Leslea J and Kayla S.

**BANKING ACTIVITY FROM CHASE BANK STATEMENT**

Date	Type	Description	Debit	Credit	Balance
4/13/2015	Deposit	Deposit		2435.85	\$3,134.83
4/12/2015	Maria M	check 1571	\$ 150.00		\$698.98
4/12/2015	Jim B.	check 1570	\$ 150.00		\$848.98
4/12/2015	Streams	check 1569	\$ 40.00		\$998.98
4/12/2015	Joseph R	check 1568	\$ 30.00		\$1,038.98
4/12/2015	Logan	check 1567	\$ 68.10		\$1,068.98
4/12/2015	Kati	check 1566	\$ 18.92		\$1,137.08
4/12/2015	Mike G	check 1565	\$ 30.00		\$1,156.00
4/7/2015		NAWS literature	\$1,799.76		\$1,186.00
4/1/2015		phone line	72.68		\$2,985.76
4/1/2015		American EV Lu.	\$50		\$3,058.44
4/1/2015		service fee	\$ 2.00		\$3,108.44
4/1/2015		CubeSmart	\$ 75.60		\$3,110.44
3/23/2015		AdVision	\$ 825.00		\$3,186.04

**April 12, 2015 AREA DONATIONS (7TH TRADITION)**

Alive and Free	\$15.00	Not the Center of the Universe	
Armory Park	\$60.00	Northwest New Beginnings	
Attitude Adjustments		Positive Action	\$37.00
Band of Brothers		Reality on the Floor	
Before Relapse	\$50.00	Recovery and Relapse	\$52.86
Brothers In Recovery		Regardless Of	
Change Is Possible	\$50.00	Rita Ranch Vail Recovery	
Circle of Sisters	\$53.00	Safford Survivors	
Desert Recovery		Sahuarita Serenity	\$7.10
Freedom Seekers		Saturday Morning Serenity	\$27.80
High on Life	\$30.21	Saturday Night Miracles	\$59.25
I Can't We Can	\$114.61	Spirituality Share	
It's In the Book		Sunday Morning Stick Around	
Just Breathe	\$31.00	Sunday Night Newcomers	\$49.00
Just For Today	\$20.00	Tubac NA	\$24.50
Keep it Green		Tuesday Night Closed	
Keepin' it Real		Twilight	
Leave the Light On	\$123.00	Ultimate Weapons Group	
Mi Casa Su Casa		We Came to Believe	
Midtown Nooners	\$25.50	We Do Recover	\$20.00
Miracles in the Hood		Young & Alive	
Underground Meeting			
Never Too Late	\$20.00	<b>7th Trad. (donations)</b>	<b>\$986.83</b>
Newbie Clean	\$20.00	7th tradition basket	\$51.11
No Matter What	\$20.00		
Northside Meeting	\$77.00	Activities	\$78.00
Not High Noon		Literature Sales	\$1,319.91
		Total Collected	<b>\$2,435.85</b>
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Meeting adjourned at 4:00. Next meeting will be May 10, 2015 2:00pm at Streams  
In the Desert.

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