

Seattle Area Service Committee

March 1st, 2015

Lake City Community Center
12531 28th Ave NE
Seattle, WA 98125

**New GSR Orientation starts at 1:30PM
Admin Meetings start at 1:30 quarterly**

2015 SASC Calendar

~~January 4th/Admin Meeting~~

February 1st

March 1st

April 12th/Admin meeting

May 3rd

June 7th

July 12th/Admin meeting

August 2nd

September 13th

October 4th/Admin meeting

November 1st

December 6th

Opened with Serenity prayer: 2:00
SASC Statement of purpose read by: Al
Traditions read by: Tony
Concepts read by: Lauren
Vision of NA Service read by: Jake

Announcements

- No smoking in the facility or under the awning
- Please turn off cell phones and pagers
- Please have all group donations to the treasurer prior to the break
- Don't worry about standing
- Note taking forms for GSRs available from secretary
- Please submit all Open Sharing Topics and Grievances prior to the break
- New motions *must* be submitted prior to New Business
- GSRs please fill out Group Reports and ensure that the secretary has your address (email or snail mail) for the minutes
- GSR Report forms, Motion forms, and SASC Guidelines are available at <http://www.seattlena.com>
 - Group reports can be submitted online prior to the next SASC
- Help is needed 10 minutes following Area to take down the room
- Please take any flyers or informational posters for your groups at the end of the meeting
- Next month's meeting is at Edmonds Lutheran church at 2pm.
- Motion to not read reports due to the street fair-passed

Roll Call of Service Members & Groups (See appendix A- Service Member/Group Roll call for full listing of attendance)

Last month's minutes-Approved

SASC Service member Reports:

Ad hock Committee: Ad hock committee has now met twice with participation from SINAC, Activities, and Unity Day as well as interested members. We have a couple of proposals that we are suggesting, but before they are brought to area we are going to send them to the committees for input.

Chair:

Hello Family,

Want to remind you that April's scheduled Area landed on Easter change that date to the second Sunday, April 12th. I also want to remind you of the open positions that we need to fill here at the Area level: SINAC Liaison, Asst. Recording Secretary, Activities Treasurer, and Parliamentarian are all still up for election. If you are interested in this position, please stay for the second half of our meeting, or if we don't fill it and you know of anyone that is willing, encourage them to come join us next month when we will also need to fill the Literature position.

ILS,
Will C

Vice Chair: No report

Parliamentarian: No report

Recording Secretary: No report

Assistant Recording Secretary: No report

Treasurer: SASC Area Meeting

Sunday, March 1, 2015

Treasurer Report - Mike / Will please read

Happy March 1st Everyone,

I appreciate your indulgence while I attend Circle of Sisters in Los Angeles . I do have a few things that need to be shared with this body.

#1 All of the subcommittees are making bank deposits with errors due to miscounting of cash. This happens EVERY month and it is a simple fix – slow down and have someone re-count to confirm before depositing. These errors are creating extra work not only for our bank but also for your treasurer.

#2 I was notified mid-month that the monthly storage rental has increased from 380.00 per month to 399.00 per month. As we pay the storage fee in advance I had to take a drive over there last week and plunk down the additional 19.00 and have turned in a check request for reimbursement

#3 And this is probably the most important one, while I was at storage I was approached by the onsite manager to inform me that someone who was previously on either literature or activities committee used SASC access code to gain access to the building because his person code (he has a unit in the same storage) did not work. This is a direct violation of security procedures at Extra Space Storage and if it continues will be cause to eviction. It has been suggested that we change our access code (now needs to be 5-6 digits long) on a regular basis and be mindful of sharing the code with too many people. I think this should be discussed at our next Admin meeting (April 12th)

Thank you for your patience today –Mike is still learning so be gentle with him

Thanks Chad (in advance) for filling in for me today.

Gratefully in service to SASC

Robyn A, Area Treasurer

Assistant Treasurer: No Report-*See Treasurer Report Appendix B*

Literature Chair: Hello all,

Last month we sold \$1501.80. Our order was 1408.86. The traditions book project meeting is set for Sunday March 29th from noon until 2:30pm. We will be reviewing the draft of the 2nd and 3rd traditions. The world service office delayed the release by one month. Today unfortunately I have to step down from my service position as chair of literature and Gary is stepping into position
Thank you all, Josie.

Activities Chair: See Appendix B

RCM: Hi family,

Upcoming events in our area....

Clean and Free 2015 is being held in March 12th-15th in ocean shores, so in less than two weeks. Pre registration is closed for that event.

WNIRCNA 30 is being held May 8th-10th in Kelso, WA. Pre-registration for that event is available at WNIRNA.ORG.

PNW 2016 is now meeting. The next meeting will be held at round table pizza in Redmond at 1:15pm on March 22nd. There are flyers on the back table.

Lastly, I have put flyers on the back table for the World Convention 2015 being held in Rio di janeiro in Brazil on June 11th-14th of this year. Pre registration is available at www.na.org

Thank you for letting us be of service,

Your RCM Team
Jake H and Steve F

RCM 2: No report.

Conventions and Events Representative: No report.

SINAC Liaison: No report.

Unity Day Chair: Good afternoon everyone. I'm happy to report our taco talent show was a great success generating \$1277.00. For the event after all our expenses for the event. If your interested in what our expenses are for any of the events our treasurer Steve generates a statement to area including all the information you may be interested in and is available to view at the treasures table or see us. Unity day did hold a Valentine's Day dance and as a new calculated total unity day Valentine's Day dance profited \$21.84. So as of today we as the unity day committee have raised 6104.00 for five events. I would like to personally thank the committee for all there hard work in service and further would like to thank everyone for attending the events to help support unity day. A further extension to everyone to complete the preregistration form and mail it in to continue to support unity day. Thank you for allowing me to be of service

Unity day chair. Tim H.

PR Chair: Frances M. has reached out to Titan advertising, our previous contractor for our bus signs and hopes to start negotiations later this month.

Hospitals & Intuitions; This month we oriented 1 new members for H&I and Helpline services. H&I conducted 30 panels last month and elected 0 new panel leaders.

OPEN PANELS: King County Jail Men – 2nd and 4th Mondays

KC Jail Status: We are working to stabilize our relationship with our contact at the King County Jail. If we can get a handful of men to commit to going on a panel 1 or 2 times per month we will pursue permission for clearance.

Schedules; The 1st quarter schedules are on the table. Please take a moment to check your meeting and contact info for any errors. Please check the bus number that is listed on the schedule for your homegroup. If you have any changes to the schedules please submit them to Travis B. If you have any questions, comments or changes please contact your schedules coordinator Travis B at schedules@seattlena.org or in person. Submitting a receipt for \$669.48 for Q1 schedules New cost will be \$734.36.

Web Site; Will C., our website coordinator, continues updating and maintaining our website. If you have any questions, concerns or have not been receiving electronic copies of the minutes please contact Will C. your Web coordinator at info@seattlena.org or his number is in the schedule. Also please send fliers with you events. You can list your name and email, but not your phone number. This is very helpful for addicts who do not know about events and comes up frequently on the helpline.

Helpline;

We are looking at switching phone companies Dimitri will call up Access-line and see if they can match the technology and price of Grasshopper. If they are unable to meet our needs, we will be coming back next month with a motion to change phone companies. The helpline coordinator is always looking for participants, if you are interested in learning more please contact Dimitri Z. at helpline@seattlena.org.

<i>Month</i>	<i>Total Calls</i>	<i>Auto Answer</i>	<i>Member Answer</i>	<i>& Of calls answered by members</i>
<i>October</i>	<i>324</i>	<i>119</i>	<i>205</i>	<i>63%</i>
<i>November</i>	<i>355</i>	<i>106</i>	<i>249</i>	<i>70%</i>
<i>December</i>	<i>385</i>	<i>109</i>	<i>276</i>	<i>71%</i>
<i>January</i>	<i>280</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>190</i>	<i>68%</i>
<i>February</i>	<i>252</i>	<i>86</i>	<i>166</i>	<i>66%</i>
<i>March</i>	<i>416</i>	<i>219</i>	<i>197</i>	<i>47%</i>
<i>April</i>	<i>383</i>	<i>196</i>	<i>187</i>	<i>49%</i>
<i>May</i>	<i>264</i>	<i>98</i>	<i>166</i>	<i>63%</i>
<i>June</i>	<i>305</i>	<i>123</i>	<i>179</i>	<i>52%</i>
<i>July</i>	<i>452</i>	<i>180</i>	<i>262</i>	<i>56%</i>
<i>August</i>	<i>401</i>		<i>230</i>	<i>57%</i>
<i>September</i>	<i>419</i>	<i>158</i>	<i>250</i>	<i>59%</i>
<i>October</i>	<i>362</i>	<i>130</i>	<i>212</i>	<i>59%</i>
<i>November</i>	<i>447</i>	<i>156</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>57%</i>
<i>December</i>	<i>480</i>	<i>176</i>	<i>279</i>	<i>54%</i>
<i>January</i>	<i>701</i>	<i>211</i>	<i>457</i>	<i>65%</i>

Outreach: No report

New GSR Introductions:

- Clayton
- Lauren
- Aaron
- Corey

GSR Announcements:

ED Monday night raw

Solid performance great message but turn out has been low, could use some support. Last week of the month is speaker meeting, come on down and support

Veronica Ballard NA

Wednesdays 730-9 Swedish hospital in Ballard. Created to support women in the impatient. Problem is the impatients are no longer showing up. An issue with outreach perhaps or PR.

Kevin R&R

New GSR introduction. A lot of attendance doing really well. Lots of young people, but not a lot of people with multiple years, could use support from people with 10+ years.

Chris Freedom group

Needs home group members, attendance is good though. A lot of service positions that are open and need people.

Aaron So fresh so clean

New GSR. We extended the meeting to 7:15 due to issues of not having enough time to share. Trying to bring in new speakers.

Matthew anything is possible

Friday 2pm needs support.

Chad Allegro

Now meeting back upstairs needs support in the U-District.

Jen Basic NA

Not a lot of home group members, could use support.

Group Reports (Detailed reports are only provided of the GSRs who filled out a report form and turned it in at Area this month)

- A Simple Solution (Sunday - 7PM)
 - GSR: Jude Secretary: Kory Treasurer: Martha
 - Rent:\$25/month
 - SASC Donation: \$45
 - Notes: Wonderful meeting with great recovery.
- AMNA (Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 10AM)
- An Atmosphere to Recovery (Tuesday - 6PM)
 - GSR: Cathy Secretary: Jason Treasurer: Rachel
 - Rent:
 - SASC Donation: \$89
 - Notes:
- Anything is Possible (Friday – 2PM)
- Back to Life (Tuesday - 8PM)
- Ballard NA (Wednesday - 7:30PM)

- Basic NA (Daily - 6PM)
 - GSR: Jen T. Secretary: David Treasurer: Mark
 - Rent: \$100/year
 - SASC Donation: \$110.90
 - Notes: None
- Breakfast Of Champions (Saturday - 10AM)
- Circle of Hope (Monday - 7:40PM)
 - GSR:Denise Secretary: Mike Treasurer: Sheila
 - Rent:\$0
 - SASC Donation:\$63
 - Notes:None
- Clean Living (Saturday - 8PM)
 - GSR: Tony Secretary: Mona Treasurer: Jim
 - Rent: \$40
 - SASC Donation:
 - Notes: Free parking. Hour long meeting.
- D.O.A (Sunday - 8PM)
- Daily Fix (Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 6:15)
- Destination Vashon (Saturday - 7PM)
- Dope Free in the CD (Friday - 8PM)
- East Shore NA (Sunday - 7PM)
- Freedom Group (Thursday - 8PM).
- Friday Night Step Out (Friday - 8PM)
 - GSR: Shane Secretary: Tina Treasurer: Brenda
 - Rent: \$40
 - SASC Donation: \$53.12
 - Notes: Need homegroup members. Multiple service positions open.
- Friday Night Step Study (Friday - 8PM)
- Generation RX (Friday - 6PM)
- High Noon (Wednesday - 12:15PM)
- Hope Dealers (Tuesday - 7:30PM)
- Hope Fiends (Monday-Saturday -12PM)
- Hugs Not Drugs (Thursday - 7:30PM).
- Insomniaddicts (Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday - 10PM)
 - GSR: Samantha Secretary: Drew, Javohn, Samantha Treasurer: Michelle
 - Rent:\$10/meeting
 - SASC Donation: \$0
 - Notes: None
- It's Your Day (Tuesday - 1:30PM)
- Just 12 Steps & Traditions (Wednesday - 8PM)
 - GSR: Cori Secretary: Eric Treasurer: James
 - Rent:\$80/?
 - SASC Donation: \$0
 - Notes: None
- Just For Today (Sunday - 12PM)
- Just the Facts Ma'am (Tuesday - 7:15PM)
 - GSR: Carol Secretary: Taylor Treasurer: Rita
 - Rent:
 - SASC Donation: \$62
 - Notes:
- What a great Monday meeting with free parking!
- Little Yellow House (Monday - 7PM)
- Lovin' Spoonful (Sunday - 7PM)
- Men's Miracle in Progress (Saturday – 10:30 AM)
- MGLA (Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 12PM)

- GSR: Don Secretary: Malcolm/Gerald/Patricia Treasurer: Heather
 - Rent: \$180/?
 - SASC Donation: \$50
 - Notes:None
- Monday Night Raw (Monday - 8PM)
- Miracle in Progress
 - GSR: Shannon Secretary: Tony Treasurer: Chuckie
 - Rent: \$30/meeting
 - SASC Donation: \$30
 - Notes:
- Monday Night Recovery (Monday - 7:30PM)
- More will be Revealed (Tuesday-12-1pm)
- NA Crosstalkers (Wednesday, Friday - 1:15PM)
- NA Regulars (Monday- 7PM)
 - GSR: Tyler Secretary: Ginny Treasurer: Tyler
 - Rent: \$80
 - SASC Donation: \$0
 - Notes: A gender neutral meeting of addicts celebrating recovery.
- NA Soldiers (Tuesday - 12PM)
- Never Too Late (Friday, Saturday - Midnight)
- New Age Recovery (Wednesday - 3PM)
- No Matter What (Monday - 7PM)
- North Seattle Hardcore (Wednesday - 7PM)
- Northwest Addicts (Friday - 7:30PM)
- Nuevo Comienzo (Friday - 7PM)
- Oasis (Saturday - 7PM)
 - GSR: Alyson Secretary: Sydney Treasurer: Travis
 - Rent:\$60/month
 - SASC Donation: \$115.04
 - Notes: None
- On Fiyah IV Recovery (Thursday - 7:30PM)
- One Step Beyond (Monday - 7PM)
- R & R (Sunday, Monday - 10PM)
- Recipe For Recovery (Tuesday - 7:30PM)
- Recovery in Progress (Tuesday - 7:30PM)
 - GSR: Scott Secretary: Gywnn Treasurer: David
 - Rent:
 - SASC Donation: \$45
 - Notes: Group is doing well. All welcome! Love!
- Recovery to Go (Tuesday - 7:30PM)
 - GSR: Kit Secretary: Stephanie Treasurer: Kit
 - Rent: \$60/month
 - SASC Donation: \$20
 - Notes:
- Reflections (Saturday – Noon)
 - GSR: Patricia Secretary: Micheleen Treasurer: Marge
 - Rent: \$40/month
 - SASC Donation: \$0
 - Notes: None.
- Reincarnation (Wednesday – 7PM)
- RVNA New Experience (Tuesday - 7:30PM)
 - GSR: Robert Secretary: Elaina Treasurer: Chuckie
 - Rent: \$50/week
 - SASC Donation: \$0

- Notes: Been consistent with attendance but having a hard time with the rent. Overall there is structure and we're just trusting G.O.D.
- S.O.S (Wednesday, Saturday - 7:30PM)
 - GSR: Josh C. Secretary: Kadin/Leslie Treasurer: Nathan
 - Rent: \$135/month
 - SASC Donation: \$0
 - Notes: Homegroup is expanding and attendance is increasing.
- Safe Haven (Saturday - 7PM)
- Saturday Morning Women (Saturday – 10:30AM)
- Serenity Circle (Thursday - 7PM)
 - GSR: Dave Secretary: Bree Treasurer: Maureen
 - Rent:
 - SASC Donation:
 - Notes:
- So Fresh So Clean (Wednesday - 6PM)
 - GSR: Aaron Secretary: Tony Treasurer: Joedy
 - Rent: \$40
 - SASC Donation:
 - Notes: 1729 Harvard. Meeting is extended from 6-7:15pm
- Sol Poor-Hoy (Saturday - 6:30PM)
- Spiritual Breakfast (Sunday - 10:30AM)
- Step Brothers (Wednesday - 7PM)
 - GSR: Tony E. Secretary: Tom U. Treasurer: Robert R.
 - Rent: \$75/month
 - SASC Donation: \$44
 - Notes: None.
- Straight Ahead NA (Wednesday - 7:30PM)
- Sundays at Six (Sunday – 6pm)
- Sunday Starters (Sunday - 9:30AM)
- Take it or leave it (Friday - 8PM)
 - GSR: Eric H. Secretary: Jake H. Treasurer: Jamie
 - Rent: \$20/week
 - SASC Donation: \$0
 - Notes: Need homegroup members, all service positions are open
- Taking the Steps (Thursday - 7:30PM)
- The Big Guise (Monday - 6:30PM)
- The Recovery Process (Wednesday - 7PM)
- The Way to a Miracle (Sunday - 7:30PM)
- Three Rivers (Friday - 6PM)
- Top of the Hill (Monday - 7:30PM)
 - GSR: Lindsay Secretary: Jessica Treasurer: Dmitri
 - Rent: \$10/month
 - SASC Donation: \$30.14
 - Notes: Could use more homegroup members.
- Tower of Power (Saturday - 8PM)
 - GSR: Gabbi Secretary: Marcos Treasurer: Rich
 - Rent: \$120
 - SASC Donation: \$108
 - Notes:
- Tuesday Night Special (Tuesday - 7:30PM).
- Vashon Women's NA (Tuesday - 1:15PM)
- We're Glad You're Here (Friday - 7:30PM)
 - GSR: Corey Secretary: Mark Treasurer: Drama
 - Rent: \$85
 - SASC Donation: \$156.50

- Notes: We're all good!
- We're Not Alone (Sunday - 1PM)
- West Coast Recovery (Tuesday - 7PM)
- Women on the Move (Saturday - 10:30AM)
- Yes You Can (Saturday - 5:15PM)

Open Sharing Topics:

Veronica: 2nd roll call timing is conflicting with literature. They're encouraging people, due to the stress/strain to come get literature orders during the break which is conflicting with their presence during roll call. Suggestion being to knock and let any GSRs in the literature room to come back into area.

Tim: Would like to be excused to go to his son's basketball game. Also mentions again the raffle tickets mentioned in his report.

Steve: Every month he comes in and there are meetings that no longer exist or are in different areas that are on the roll call list. He wants to assign to Recording Secretary to remove the groups from roll call.

Shannon: Has brought it to Outreach multiple times about starting a meeting in a specific place, but nothing has been done about it. The facility would like a Narcotics Anonymous meeting, PI does a presentation for the facility so that is the way he has been trying to do it. Concluded: to see Jake about it.

Grievances: None

Old Business:

Elections for Open Positions

SINAC Liason – Kathy is nominated. She cannot be a SINAC Liason and be a GSR so was not voted in.

Assistant Recording Secretary – No nominations.

Activities Treasurer - No nominations.

Parliamentarian – Tobias is nominated. Tobias is elected.

New Business: Motions

Elections/Open Positions:

Activities Treasurer – No nomination

SINAC Liason

Assistant Recording Secretary - No nominations.

Motions: None

Group Donations		\$1,999.02
Activities		\$60.00
Literature		\$1,411.80
Unity Day 2015		\$3,323.00
PR		
7tj Tradition		\$41.00
Bank adjust for deposit error		\$72.65
Void check 8608 - Activities		\$201.23
	Total Income	\$7,108.70

Expenses		
<i>ASC Officers</i>		
<i>Parliamentarian</i>		\$0.00
PR		\$1,176.47
Admin.		\$505.00
RCM		\$70.00
Alt RCM		\$61.99
Secretary		\$0.00
Treasurer		\$9.80
Outreach		\$0.00
	<i>Subtotal ASC Officers</i>	\$1,823.26
<i>Subcommittees</i>		
Activities		\$118.75
Literature		\$1,755.62
Unity Day 2015		\$545.00
10% Donation to Region		\$199.90
Starter Packets		\$0.00
	<i>Subtotal ASC Subcommittees</i>	\$3,658.67
	Total Expenses	\$5,481.93
Quarterly Stuff		