

## TuSeattle Area Service Committee (SASC)

**Date:** 11/15/2023

**Location:** In person ONLY at:  
Seattle First Baptist Church  
1111 Harvard Ave  
Seattle, WA 98122

**Start times:**

Admin meetings happen quarterly prior to the SASC at 11:30am.  
Audits are quarterly and occur during the admin meeting.

### 2023 SASC Dates

<b>SASC meeting dates (monthly)</b>	<b>SASC audit meetings (quarterly)</b>
January 8, 2023	Q1: January 8, 2023
February 5, 2023	
March 5, 2023	
April 2, 2023	Q2: April 2, 2023
May 7, 2023	
June 4, 2023	
July 9, 2023	Q3: July 9, 2023
August 6, 2023	
September 10, 2023	
October 1, 2023	Q4: October 1, 2023
November 5, 2023	
December 3, 2023	

### **Overview of October Minutes:**

*The following are open positions:*

- *Unity Day Chair*
- *Conventions and Events*
- *Fellowship Development Chair*
- *Please note that the Vice Chair position is now available as of October 2023 with the resignation of Kelsey during the October SASC meeting.*

*The September minutes were approved.*

*There was no new business or topics for open discussion.*

*Tyler (Treasurer) motions to approve the SASC quarterly budget for Q1, and it was approved through a unanimous yes vote of 18Y-0N-OA. The budget stands at \$2574.00 for Q1 2024*

**Opened with Serenity Prayer at 1:00pm: Keith**

**SASC State of Purpose read by: Conner**

**12 Traditions read by: Jake**

**12 Concepts read by: Robin**

**Vision of NA Service read by: Jake**

**Opening Statements and Announcements for SASC**

- Next area will be **DEC 3rd**
- Please turn off or silence cell phones.
- 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 email address for the minutes.
- GSR Report Forms, Motion Forms, and SASC Guidelines are available at [www.seattlena.org](http://www.seattlena.org).
- Group Reports can be submitted online prior to the next SASC.
- Contributions can be mailed via check to:

Seattle Area Service Committee  
P.O. Box 70404  
Seattle, WA 98127-0404

Or via the Zell app by searching for [Treasurer@seattlena.org](mailto:Treasurer@seattlena.org) Tyler is the current treasurer and can be contacted via [www.seattlena.org](http://www.seattlena.org) for a confirmation or receipt.

Or bring a check or cash to the SASC with a Group Contribution Receipt

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

<i>Service Members: X = Present A = Absent O = Open Position</i>	<i>Admin Meeting 11:00 am (quarterly)</i>	<i>SASC Start 1:00 pm</i>
<i>Chair</i>		<i>X</i>

<i>Vice Chair</i>		<i>O</i>
<i>Recording Secretary</i>		<i>X</i>
<i>Assistant Recording Secretary</i>		<i>X</i>
<i>Treasurer</i>		<i>X</i>
<i>Assistant Treasurer</i>		<i>X</i>
<i>Literature</i>		<i>X</i>
<i>RCM(1)</i>		<i>X</i>
<i>RCM(2)</i>		<i>X</i>
<i>PR Chair</i>		<i>X</i>
<i>Unity Day 2023 Chair</i>		<i>O</i>
<i>Convention and Events</i>		<i>O</i>
<i>Sinacc Liaison</i>		<i>A</i>
<i>Fellowship Development</i>		<i>O</i>

<b>Home Groups</b>	<b>First Half</b>	<b>Second Half</b>
<b>Total Number of Seattle Area Home Groups (per current NA meeting schedule)</b>	<i>72</i>	<i>72</i>
<b>Total Home Groups Represented</b>	<i>31</i>	<i>23</i>
<b>Total Voting Group Service Member Voting (by show of hands)</b>	<i>22</i>	<i>20</i>
<b>Total Home Groups Absent</b>	<i>41</i>	<i>49</i>

### **SASC Service Member Reports**

#### **Chair**

Hello everyone,

Again not much to report. I've been making my rounds visiting meetings on my list. I'm doing that mostly to get the word out about the open positions we have. Also my time as Chair is

winding down so I am actively looking for someone who's willing to be of service. I will keep everyone updated.

In the spirit of service and unity,  
Keith J

**Vice-Chair**

Open position

**Recording Secretary**

Hey everyone,

Last month was my first month working alongside Audrey. We are working really well together and it's great having someone to help share the workload!

As always, if you have a group report, please complete the online form on the Seattle NA website here: <https://seattlena.org/sasc/>. Look for it in the SASC Forms tab at the bottom of the page. Alternatively, you can fill one out in person at the SASC and hand it to me or Audrey!

ILS,  
Andrew V.

**Assistant Recording Secretary**

Hi everyone,

It has been great to work alongside Andrew as we continue to streamline processes and keep everything organized! To reiterate, we are asking all groups to send a group report.

**Treasurer**

To: Seattle Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous

From: Tyler E. (Prepared by Clentonia – Assistant Treasurer)

Date: November 5, 2023

- The bank deposit for group contributions was + \$1.00 more than what was recorded in the group contributions ledger. The bank statement recorded a deposit of \$549.46. The group contribution ledger recorded contributions of \$548.46.
- The ledger balance and bank balances matched this month. Please see accompanying statement for details.
- I have emailed the statement out to the recording secretary, chair and vice chair for distribution with the minutes.
- Groups that wish to contribute to SASC may do so in two ways:
  - Write a check (Payable to Seattle Area Fellowship) and mail it to:  
PO Box 70404, Seattle, WA, 98127
  - You may download the Zelle App, sign up to start using it, and send money to SASC at [Treasurer@SeattleNA.org](mailto:Treasurer@SeattleNA.org). Directions:

- Download Zelle App
- Enroll using a debit card linked to a checking account; or
- Enroll using a US checking account using your bank login information, if your bank supports this feature
- Choose a person to pay (Treasurer@SeattleNA.org)
- Confirm the amount and hit send. Please remember to include your home group name so that your group is credited for the contribution.

<b>SASC Treasurer's Report</b>		Start of Qtr 1	October 2023	November 2023	December 2023	End of Qtr 4
<b>Summary of Income/Expenses</b>						
<b>Beginning Balance</b>			\$10,310.05	\$9,824.16	\$9,824.16	
<b>Total Income</b>			\$1,707.84	\$0.00	\$0.00	
<b>Total Expenses</b>			\$2,193.43	\$0.00	\$0.00	
	<b>Ending Balance</b>	\$10,310.05	\$9,824.16	\$9,824.16	\$9,824.16	\$9,824.16
<b>Ending Balance Consists of the Following Subaccounts</b>						
General Fund			\$2,352.74	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Literature			\$1,529.99	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Unity Day 2023			\$5,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Starter Packets			\$350.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Excess Funds			\$591.73	\$0.00	\$0.00	
	<b>Ending Balance</b>		\$9,824.16	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Income</b>						
						<b>Total Qtr</b>
Group Contributions			\$857.34	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$857.34
Literature			\$850.50	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$850.50
Unity Day 2023			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
General Fund			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fellowship Development			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	<b>Total Income</b>		\$1,707.84	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,707.84
<b>Expenses</b>						
						<b>Total Qtr</b>
<i>SASC Officers</i>						
PR			\$17.49	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$17.49
Admin.			\$625.63	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$625.63
RCM-1			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
RCM-2			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Secretary			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Treasurer			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fellowship Dev.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
C&E Rep			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	<b>Subtotal SASC Officers</b>		\$643.12	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$643.12
<i>Subcommittees/Special Projects</i>						
Literature			\$1,070.21	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,070.21
Unity Day 2023			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Starter Packets			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Excess Funds			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	<b>Subtotal SASC Subcommittees/Special Projects</b>		\$1,070.21	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,070.21
<i>Donations</i>						
10% Donation to Region			\$161.48	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$161.48
Quarterly Donation to World			\$91.03	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$91.03
Quarterly Donation to Region			\$227.59	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$227.59
	<b>Subtotal Donations</b>		\$480.10	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$480.10
	<b>Total Expenses</b>		\$2,193.43	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,193.43

Year	(Multiple Items)										
Sum of Amount	Month										
Group Name	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	Grand Total
Amy H									69.21		69.21
Atmosphere of Recovery				53.50	87.00						140.50
Basic NA									200.00		200.00
Breakfast of Champions	22.00	60.00	44.00		39.50	21.00	30.00	21.11		29.00	266.61
Downtown Tower			264.00		81.00	134.50	142.25				862.75
Eastshore NA	370.00	15.00	30.00				130.00	62.00	56.00		663.00
Enby & Queer Women's		164.82									164.82
From The Streets To The Seats				20.00	4.50						24.50
Grateful on Greenwood	111.00		220.13	300.00		235.75					866.88
Grateful on Greenwood									167.68	210.21	377.89
Hugs not Drugs	105.00	100.00	100.00		51.00		60.00	40.00		50.00	506.00
It's Fine I'm Fine Everything's Fine							27.00				27.00
Just For Today			40.00								40.00
Just the Facts Ma'am	66.50	97.00	38.50			151.50					353.50
Keep It Simple Sisters Committee								100.00			100.00
Little Yellow House of Recovery			147.00		147.00			96.50			390.50
Monday Night Raw										50.00	50.00
Monday Nite Raw			65.00								65.00
More Gratitude Less Attitude											22.67
NA Regulars					86.50		100.00	100.00	100.00		386.50
Naomi L	25.00	25.00	25.00								75.00
Recovery at Work									48.00		48.00
Removing the Mask			197.00		20.00				100.00		317.00
RVNA									41.00		41.00
Serenity Circle	41.00	195.00					299.00				78.46
Step Brothers	55.00	50.00	50.00		62.50	45.43	24.00		137.00		75.00
Straight Ahead NA				100.00						100.00	200.00
Sunday Starters		60.00	136.36	64.00	50.00	95.00	158.00	93.74	158.00		815.10
Take It or Leave It									500.00		500.00
The After Party	30.00		100.00		30.00	60.00		50.00	38.00		308.00
The Lie is Dead			50.00								50.00
Tower of Power	93.00		248.00	12.00	131.00	146.00		216.00			846.00
Up Late in Washington State			228.70	58.00							286.70
Grand Total	918.50	766.82	1,983.69	607.50	790.00	889.18	970.25	779.35	1,614.89	856.34	10,176.52

**Assistant Treasurer**

No report

**RCM 1**

Hi y'all!

I attended region last month. Next region will be Jan. 12th and 13th at red lion in ellensburg Washington. We discussed possible location changes due to mold and pricing. The chair will be looking into it.

There is a new InformatIve discussion topic at [www.an.org/idt](http://www.an.org/idt) We discussed it at length and came up with some ideas. The topic was "disruptive and predatory behaviors" and how to deal with them. Some things that came up were, group formats, trusting the grievance process, and having fluid pre@mbles. I will be bringing up in open discussion, if we would like to have a "disruptive and predatory behaviors" workshop at area too.

We reviewed and updated the region's budget for 2024. The full budget is in my attached region report. You may read it when the October minutes come out. Last year it cost \$14,000 to run all four region meetings. It is however, minimal compared to the \$100,000 we contributed to world! Yay!!!!!!!!!!

C+E 2026 WINIRNA will be held in Everett. They are looking into the delta hotel.

We talked about creating a "misappropriation of funds" guideline. It was brought up due to the PayPal debocal from during Covid. The goal is to create guidelines so that there will be no "personalities" involved when dealing with misappropriation.

The circle of sisters 2026 bid motion was passed. Hand I subcommittee asked for an increased budget of \$865 and it was passed. We passed a motion for the Regional DOC coordinator to attend World serve learning days.

Last we held elections. We have a new chair Jake from Seattle. We have a new vice chair, Jillian. The secretary position remains open. If you know of anyone interested in region level service, please let them know :)

Thank you for letting me be of service, my report from region is attached.

Violet D.  
RCM1

### RCM 2

Hi everyone,

I have missed being present. I am also feeling sick today, but I wanted to bring the handouts from Region to everyone. At Region I attended the C&E meeting which leads to no breaks, and none stop meetings. I really hope we can find a new C&E representative so next quarter I can have a break from being in meetings.

Kia reported the results of the CAR surveys for World that we all could participate in, had disruptive and predator behavior rated highest in needing to be addressed. We had a discussion on how to address this issue and be involved, starting with a simple survey and discussions.

At the C&E meeting they held elections and discussed the continuing work on updating the guidelines and the need for help for the Ad Hoc committee. The insurance facilitator requests that if we are using NA's insurance, please complete the binder ahead of time because less than 2 days to get your coverage is two days too little. As a reminder this insurance is for all NA events and meetings, but it will not cover children and family members, only NA members.

If you are having an event, they suggest you contact the supplies person since they have lots of merchandise that has already been bought that Region would like to use up.

Apparently, there was discussion about the Reptile lady not being paid but our representatives are on it and that situation will be resolved.

I have printed a copy of the speaker list that was approved by WNIRCNA to share with everyone. Voting on main speakers for WNIRCNA happened.

On the budget side of the discussion, the cost of Audio visual went up and so did interpreters. There will be further discussion on this issue later.





### **PR Chair**

Hi all,

The following is the PR report. Let me know if you have any questions or feedback. Thanks!

#### Highlights:

Fall 2023 newsletters are now available! You can go ahead and pick up your copy at Area.

Schedules are available for pickup at Area.

Hospitals and Institutions service opportunity - The Beyond the Bars startup program helps incarcerated women connect to NA before release. See <https://wpsna.org/beyond-the-bars/> to get involved.

Public Information - our PI coordinator has made great strides to re-start this subcommittee. Join the next PI meeting on the last Sunday of the month on Zoom.

Our web coordinator 1 needs support.

Helpline - the phones are getting answered. Reach out if you'd like to be of service.

Open positions - vice chair, secretary, and web coordinator 2.

ILS,

Nicole

### **Literature Chair**

Good Morning Yall,

Update on the Woo Commerce Platform:

Ticket Submitted to the SKCNA IT to get access to the WooCommerce Platform.

Hope to have a quote next AREA.

As of right now!

Deposit for Octobers Literature Sales was 850.50

Invoice from NCRSO is 843.82- Difference of \$6.68

Attached is our November Literature Balance Sheet as of 11:50AM

Should be around in sales 901.45 prior to H&I Order.

ALSO ATTACHED ARE THE WNIRNA REGIONAL MINUTES REPORT FOR OUR AREA.  
LET ME KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

I've attached my notes from Region

Things that i find worth mentioning-

- New Spiritual Principle A Day special edition book.
- H&I Basics should be read to Panel
- Disruptive Behavior/Predatory Behavior pamphlets

· Region Chair Term is up in April

LITERATURE TREASURER POSITION IS FILLED  
WELCOME ERICKA F!

New Update is 969.45 for literature sales balance sheet as of 12:25PM

Thank You,

KK :)

**SINAC Liaison**

Hi All -

The Seattle International Narcotics Anonymous Convention (SINAC) committees are still busy securing vendors, finding speakers and workshop facilitators for the convention. Please share this information with your home groups and NA fellowships in other areas and regions.

Our next fundraising events are as follows:

1/27/24 - Sponsorship Dinner

2/24/24 – Tacos and Talent

Sponsorship Dinner was last night at Edmonds Lutheran, I was not in attendance but will have more to report next month once all the numbers come in.

There are still a few open positions needed to be filled. They are as follows:

- Assistant Secretary/Records and Archives Keeper~2 years minimum clean time
- Hospitality Chair ~2 years minimum clean time
- Marathon Meetings Chair ~2 years minimum clean time
- Security Chair ~2 years minimum clean time

Would you like to be of service to SINAC and the pre-SINAC fundraisers? If so, SINAC meets the 3rd Sunday of each month at 12:30 pm Pacific Time. Join us for the next meeting via zoom or in person at Edmonds Lutheran Church on November 16th to learn about SINAC and get involved!

I won't be in attendance at SASC today due to a cold.

Thank you all for your recovery and service

Brian Spicer

**Unity Day Chair**

Open position

**Conventions and Events Representative**

Open position

**Fellowship Development Chair**

Open position

**New GSRs**

- *Robin: Grateful on Greenwood*
- *Franny: Roses and Thorns*
- *Scott: We Are Glad You're Here*

**Group Reports (Detailed reports are only provided by the GSRs who filled out a report (physically or digitally):**

<i>Group name: MGLA</i>	<i>Meeting day/time: MWF 12P</i>
<i>GSR: Don D.</i>	<i>Phone #: 206 419 1159</i>
<i>SASC Donation:</i>	<i>SECT:</i>
<i>TREASURER: Amy</i>	<i>Rent paid:        Per:</i>
<i>Group Report: We are doing well but need new home group members to support various positions such as secretary and birthday person.</i>	

<i>Group name: NA Regulars</i>	<i>Meeting day/time: Monday 7pm</i>
<i>GSR: Daniel S.</i>	<i>Phone #:</i>
<i>SASC Donation: \$50</i>	<i>SECT: Zach</i>
<i>TREASURER: Timmy C.</i>	<i>Rent paid: \$125        Per: Month</i>
<i>Group Report: Attendance remains strong. Lots of newcomers present. We're having a potluck January 8th, all are welcome.</i>	

<i>Group name: Grateful on Greenwood</i>	<i>Meeting day/time: Th. 6-7P</i>
<i>GSR: Robyn A</i>	<i>Phone #: 425 877 3123</i>
<i>SASC Donation: \$50</i>	<i>SECT: Lisa M</i>
<i>TREASURER: Thor</i>	<i>Rent paid:    \$15        Per: week</i>
<i>Group Report: Thriving home group, 1 hr. Meeting and we welcome new members.</i>	

<i>Group name: Hugs Not Drugs</i>	<i>Meeting day/time: Th. 7:30-9P</i>
<i>GSR: Chris R.</i>	<i>Phone #: 206 973 1111</i>
<i>SASC Donation: \$160</i>	<i>SECT: Cheryl</i>
<i>TREASURER: Chris R.</i>	<i>Rent paid:    \$60        Per: month</i>

<i>Group Report: In-person/Zoom hybrid meeting- We just had our 39th birthday potluck and it was well attended.</i>	
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<i>Group name: Safe Place NA</i>	<i>Meeting day/time: Sat. 9A</i>
<i>GSR: Scott F.</i>	<i>Phone #:</i>
<i>SASC Donation: N/A</i>	<i>SECT: Ellie</i>
<i>TREASURER: Kristen K.</i>	<i>Rent paid: (online meeting) Per:</i>
<i>Group Report: We are still meeting on Zoom, no other news to report.</i>	

<i>Group name: Recovery at Work</i>	<i>Meeting day/time: W. 6-730P</i>
<i>GSR: Conor P.</i>	<i>Phone #:806 773 3083</i>
<i>SASC Donation:</i>	<i>SECT:</i>
<i>TREASURER: Michael P</i>	<i>Rent paid: \$41.50 Per: month</i>
<i>Group Report: R.AW. group continues to study "Another Level" IP this month. We have free parking and encourage cross talk. We also fellowship after every meeting. Come out and be a part of!</i>	

<i>Group name: Midnight Fremonters</i>	<i>Meeting day/time: Saturday Nights 11:45</i>
<i>GSR: Kelly F</i>	<i>Phone #:</i>
<i>SASC Donation: \$140.00</i>	<i>SECT: Danny C.</i>
<i>TREASURER: Lois B</i>	<i>Rent paid: \$20.00 Per: Meeting</i>
<i>Group Report: Group report: \$140. 00 came in for NA at Seward Park NA on August 19th this was sponsored by The Saturday Night Fremontser Group</i>	
<i>The Saturday Night Midnight Fremonster Group at the Fremont Hall is going great we've always made Rent of \$20 and last night (11/04/23) We had a surplus of \$14.00 after the rent.</i>	
<i>On "New Years" we are having a musical message Karaoke contest Where people can sing there story (Cash Prizes)</i>	

<i>Group name: Tower of Power Phinney Ridge</i>	<i>Meeting day/time: Saturday at 7P</i>
<i>GSR: Maia M.</i>	<i>Phone #: 206 747 8155</i>

<b>SASC Donation:</b>	<b>SECT: Dave</b>
<b>TREASURER: Barney</b>	<b>Rent paid: \$30 Per: week</b>
<b>Group Report: We are hosting our annual holiday potluck on Saturday Dec. 9th, the potluck starts at 5P in the basement of St. Johns Lutheran Church located at 5515 Phinney Ave N. right next to Woodland Park Zoo. Our speaker meeting will start at 7P. Bring your best dish! Turkey, ham, potatoes and gravy will be provided by the home group. Holidays can be hard for recovering addicts in NA, you don't have to do it alone! Join us Dec. 9th at 5p.</b>	

<b>Group name: Straight Ahead NA</b>	<b>Meeting day/time: Wed 7:30-9</b>
<b>GSR: John L</b>	<b>Phone #:</b>
<b>SASC Donation:</b>	<b>SECT: Curt W.</b>
<b>TREASURER: Andrea G.</b>	<b>Rent paid: Per:</b>
<b>Group Report: Steady, long-term meeting in north end need new members for midweek meeting.</b>	

<b>Group name: What's in the Bag</b>	<b>Meeting day/time: Sat 4pm</b>
<b>GSR: Chera</b>	<b>Phone #:</b>
<b>SASC Donation:</b>	<b>SECT:</b>
<b>TREASURER:</b>	<b>Rent paid: Per:</b>
<b>Group Report: Last meeting at the Eastside Alano Club</b>	

### Open Sharing Topics

- *Topic 1:* Andrew V. is representing YAHCNA Fundraising with the sale of \$5 stickers to fundraise.
  - Andrew shared regarding the fundraiser and there were no comments or concerns.
- *Topic 2:* Deborah representing PI discusses MAT friendly meetings. PI is compiling a list of meetings where people on medication assisted treatments will be well-received. This list will be available on request to professionals and agencies who want guidance on where to send their clients. NA has no official opinion on this outside matter, but different individuals and meetings hold different energy toward and rules for engagement regarding this issue. If your group would like to be added to this list please let Debroah know or email [picoordinator@seattlena.org](mailto:picoordinator@seattlena.org)
  - Deborah shared on this, and there were no questions or concerns.

- *Topic 3:* Violet would like to conduct a meeting on behalf of the region regarding how to handle predatory and disruptive behaviors. This meeting would be at the end of area for between 30min-1hr.
  - Jake: Was it just disruptive behavior?
  - Violet: Yes and also predatory behavior.
  - Nick: I would be open to doing it after.
  - Dennis: I agree with Nick.
  - Chris: I'm a little confused, I understand what you're saying but we already have literature on this. Maybe the word "predatory" isn't mentioned in that literature. We have guidelines on this already that home groups can use. So what you're proposing is we can go through the already available information in a workshop, or is it additional info not covered in the literature, or is it explicitly just to bring awareness to the topic and literature? What is the purpose for this? My homegroup already uses the literature available to deal with this type of issue.
  - Violet: This is something that World wanted us to talk about. What literature are you referring to?
  - Chris: Mylene brought it up, it's on my phone. It's a two page service pamphlet.
  - Connor: There is disruptive and violent behavior literature, but not predatory behavior literature.
  - Chris: So this is additional information not covered in literature?
  - John L; I have that piece of literature I can bring next month or email it to you.
  - Violet: Yes please. This is not from Region, it's a topic from World that came from Service Learning Days. So it is intended to make this issue more well known. Any other questions?
  - Francesca: This is a great idea. Any discussion is a huge help to those affected by predatory behavior. If we had more time in making it a full workshop outside of the confines of an hour or two, I would be able to help and would love to. This is the reason I left before and would be a huge help to others.
  - Audrey: I agree with Francesca, this issue affects more people than come here. It's also a sensitive topic and people might have heavy emotions. It might be beneficial to have a representative from Region that is closer to this topic give the workshop. It seems to be something that extends beyond a one hour meeting.
  - Ben: If we do a full workshop would it be something GSR takes back to homegroups to have more people attend?
  - Violet: Yes in that situation I would reach out to Kia if more people would want to come so we can support that. It would probably be done virtually so she can attend.
  - Deborah: I think there would be benefit in all GSRs hearing a little more about it at the end. Maybe those that don't want to hear need to hear it. Maybe it would be beneficial for them.
  - Nicole: Maybe we could have a meeting before the SASC with those that want to be a part of it, then a 10 minute synopsis during Area of what went on.
  - Violet: How long do we have this room?
  - Keith: In our admin meetings we meet at 12. It will work for next month and I will send Darren an email to notify him that we will start using this room an hour before our regularly scheduled meeting.

- Violet: Having it next month would be okay if I ran it but if I reach out to Kia it would need to be a couple months later. It's not a time-sensitive matter, but what I'm hearing is that we need to do it before. I can be in contact with Keith about that and ask Kia if February would work, or maybe March.
- Chris: Our literature chair made an announcement about a new IP coming out. Is there any timeline on when that would be available, maybe help guide the meeting?
- Violet: Dont quote me, but the point of this workshop would be to get an idea of how the area can support this matter.
- Nicole: The pamphlet is available now actually. None are in stock but they will be here next month.
- Violet: I am doing my best, theres so much information to get.

## **Old Business**

Motions for the month of October

*Motion made by Matt and seconded by Dennis to approve the minutes from October. Discrepancy on how many homegroups there are. Minutes say 92, corrected to 72.*  
Y-16 N-0 A-0

### **Open service positions:**

- Vice Chair
- Unity Day Chair
- Conventions and Events
- Fellowship Development Chair

*\*See SASC Guidelines at [seattle.org](http://seattle.org) for further details on any position*

## **New Business**

*There were no new nominations.*

**Grievances: NONE**

**Ad-Hoc Committee: NONE**

**Motions for New Business month of November**

*There are no new motions.*

**Close of meeting at 3:30pm**

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NEXT REGIONS

2024 RSC Schedule

January

Admin (virtual) - 12/1/23 6:00 pm

RSC (hybrid) - 1/12/24 8:00 pm, 1/13/24 8:30 am

April

Admin (virtual) - 3/1/24 6:00 pm

RSC (hybrid) - 4/12/24 8:00 pm, 4/13/24 8:30 am

July

Admin (virtual) - 5/31/24 6:00 pm

RSC (hybrid) - 7/12/24 8:00 pm, 7/13/24 8:30 am

October

Admin (virtual) - 9/6/24 6:00 pm

RSC (hybrid) - 10/11/24 8:00 pm, 10/12/24 8:30 am

For events happening all across the Region please visit [www.wnirna.org](http://www.wnirna.org) and go to the events page

RD/AD:

Working on accommodating 3year cycle WORLD

Slide show: IDT find on NAWS

Disruptive and predatory behavior:

Refer to slide show its more than just “picking up on the newcomer”

Fill out servey form at [www.na.org/survey](http://www.na.org/survey)

As IDT (informative discussion topic) become available find at [www.na.org/idt](http://www.na.org/idt)

How to address behaviors:

Group formats can help with disruptive behaviors

This is why we have grievance procedure

FLUID PREAMBLES FOR meetings depending on circumstances

Your Email: [RD@wnirna.org](mailto:RD@wnirna.org)

Report Date: 2023-10-03

RSC Position: RD Team

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Other: If other field what position

Officer Report

Dear Family:

Thanks for another quarter of your service and dedication to Narcotics Anonymous.

The RCM sharing meeting we will meet at breakfast, at the Red Lion. Bring your breakfast to the meeting room if it is still closed.

RD Time will be the IDT “Predatory and Disruptive behavior.”

- The AD facilitated an area inventory in the south king county August 14th.
- The RD team facilitated an area inventory in the NOPANA area on September 28th.
- The RD facilitated an area inventory in greys Harbor on October 1st



- The RD team attended Conference participant meetings on July 22nd and September 23rd.

- We attended the Regional Learning Day on July 28th and 29th.

- We Attended the WSZF Virtually on July 23rd.

The BC regional workshop was postponed until November because of fires.

Facebook – Washington Northern Idaho RSC | Facebook

Instagram - @wnir.na | Instagram

If you need something posted on social media, you can send it to our email, or request on Facebook or Instagram. We post regional and Area events within our Region and service material.

1. Current NAWS Projects
2. Collaboration of zones new website and ongoing collaboration meetings
3. Western Service-learning days
4. Western States Zonal Forum
5. CP meeting notes
6. Looking Forward
7. Thank You

REMINDER: There is no effective way to report on everything in NA World Services that is of interest to everyone. Here are many of the references that Service Enthusiasts use to familiarize themselves with what is going on.

World service conference-World Service Conference (na.org)

World service conference portal-WSC 2023 – WSC Portal (worldna.org)

NAWS NEWS - <https://www.na.org/?ID=reports-nawsnews-nawsmain>

NA Way Magazine - <https://www.na.org/?ID=naway-toc>

Reaching Out - <https://www.na.org/?ID=reaching-out-index>

NAWS Annual Reports - <https://www.na.org/?ID=ar-2016>

Fellowship Intellectual Property Trust - <https://www.na.org/?ID=legal-bulletins-fipt>

Narcotics Anonymous USA – Freedom from active addiction (usa-na.org)

Contact Info:

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Kia K Regional Delegate

[RD@WNIRNA.org](mailto:RD@WNIRNA.org)

Nancy F, Alternate Delegate

[AD@WNIRNA.org](mailto:AD@WNIRNA.org)

Detailed Report

Item One – Current NAWS Projects

- See links on the first page of our report.
- Our next CP meeting is November 18th.
- Still working on the new portal for conference material WSC 2023 – WSC Portal (worldna.org)

- Two new IDT

A. Dealing with disruptive and predatory behavior

B. Gender-neutral and inclusive language in NA literature

- 2023-2024 Environmental Scan Survey for Delegates
- Still to be available is “Reimagining and revitalizing service committees”
- DRT/MAT as it relates to NA.

Item Two – Collaboration of zones

- US collaboration of Zones is proposing guidelines.
- The collaboration of US Zones is directly accountable to the zones of the US.
- You can find more information at [usa-na.org](http://usa-na.org).

#### Item Three – Western Service-Learning Days

- <https://wsld.org/wsld-xxxvii-alaska>
- Thursday Speaker
- Friday Professional panel and speaker
- Saturday program at WSLD.org

#### Item Four – Western States Zonal Forum

- Our next WSZF gathering will be at WSLD in person and virtual
- Mandy H from Alaska, was voted in as our assistant facilitator
- We will be updating guidelines to accommodate the 3 yr. cycle.
- Hearing task force reports. behind the walls, PR

#### Item Five-CP meetings

The July 2023 Conference participant web meeting was held on Saturday, 22. 8ORDs, 5 ZDs, 12WB, 60ADs, 5 zonal contacts, 4 members of the HRP, 1WSC cofacilitators, 6 interpreters, and 16NAWS staff. Jack is now vice-chair of the board, and Yoel and Hammed are now the members of the executive committee. The focus of this meeting was focus on framing IDTs during. Anthony reported on planning WCNA, and discussion about the future. The new meeting finder tool. We are still spending more than we bring in and are not at full staff.

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New projects being developed.

- H&I experience with criminal justice, treatment, and committee work to help with updated H&I service material.
- Experience with geographic or physical isolation in recovery to help with The Loner Prevision.
- Experience with virtual service bodies or with connecting virtual meetings to the service system to help with Virtual Service Basics.
- Willingness to help evaluate speaker recordings for WCNA.

Small group discussion: developing new IDT's.

#1: Dealing with disruptive and predatory behavior.

#2: Gender-neutral and inclusive language in NA literature

Rd's asked to complete the online input form after doing IDT workshops.

The September 2023 Conference participant web ,69 RDs, 5 ZDs, 14 WB, 56 ADs, 5 zonal contacts (from 4 zones), 2 members of the HRP, 1 WSC cofacilitators, 2 interpreters, and 19NAWS staff

- A new IT upgrade will save both time and money as well as make unsubscribing easier for people, among other advantages. Now the focus is the upcoming changes to the meeting finder webpage and app.

- H&I Basics survey.

45% increase to Free and Subsidized literature. The fiscal year figures are not finalized yet, but the rough numbers are just shy of three quarters of a million dollars. Based on the financial situation over the last few years, he stated that this was amazing

and thanked everyone for making it possible

- 120-day review for what is being called the NA Survival Kit.
- the first two IDTs: Gender-Neutral and Inclusive Language in NA and Dealing with Disruptive and Predatory Behavior. Workshop materials, PowerPoints, and handouts are all available

Proposed zonal sessions:

- The EDM has been asked for at least two of their sessions. The same can be done for the APF
- Afri-Can ZF-virtually
- LAZF-virtually
- RZF-virtually
- BZF-virtually or at their scheduled May meeting
- CANA, WSZF, and RMZF-meet and break into small groups virtually?
- PSZF, MZF, SZF-meet and break into small groups virtually?
- NEZF, Autonomy, SEZF--meet together and break into small groups virtually?
- Meeting finder page for NA World Services. conference participants received an Excel sheet asking for information about regional, area, and zonal websites and

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phonelines. The plan is to switch from an interface that lists meetings to one that lists local websites and phonelines.

- Small group discussion: Environmental scan survey due November 15th.

A. External factors (outside of NA)

B. Internal factors (within NA)

Next CP meeting November 18th

Item Six – Looking Forward

We welcome your feedback on how the Delegate team can improve communication and provide information about what is happening in NA.

We will be attending the WSLD, we both have workshops, the RD will be doing a phoneline workshop, and a predatory behavior workshop, the AD will be facilitating an H&I workshop.

The Western States zonal forum will be in Fresno California on January 25-January 28th.

The Communication IDT for BC PR Committee has been rescheduled for November 24th-26th. The PI Chair and RD will attend.

Workshop set for WNIRCNA 2024 Dealing with disruptive and predatory behavior and Gender-neutral and inclusive language in NA literature.

Item 7: Thank you.

We are available for AREA inventories, and assistance with workshops that your area needs.

In loving service

Kia K RD

Nancy F AD

Reminder that the RD team will be doing the IDT "Disruptive and predatory behavior";.

We will need a around 40 minutes to an hour.

We would like input for the Environmental scan from RCM's if you have any input please text or email us. We need to respond by November 15th.

[https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/23-24\\_environmental\\_scan](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/23-24_environmental_scan)

I am sending our report through the report forms

Kia K-

Nancy f

WNIR RD Team

RD@wnirna.org

AD@wnirna.org

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RSC CHAIR: mark b

Your Name: Mark B

Your Email: marklevye408@gmail.com

Report Date: 2023-10-06

RSC Position: RSC IT Chair

Other: If other field what position

Officer Report

Hello,

We have submitted our 2024 budget request.

We have made some guidelines on what region will manage on our area's websites mostly regarding

plugin's. This will make it easier for the web-servants to trouble shoot if problems arise.

We had a ad-

hoc committee to do the transition to the new server. They met pretty much weekly for the past 3 months to get this done. Thanks to them for the commitment and time they spent, we are up and running very smoothly and securely.

We have not heard back from a pretty large handful of IT chairs from area's in our region.

Emails have

been sent out with no responses. I'm asking the RCM's if they could let us know if

they have a IT person

in their area and if we could get their contact information so that we can make sure that they are getting

the help if needed.

Thanks for letting me be of service.

RSC VICE CHAIR: jake

Your Name: Jake H

Your Email: tsihooperj@gmail.com

Report Date: 2023-10-13

RSC Position: RSC Vice Chair

Other: If other field what position  
Officer Report  
Hi Family,

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Not a lot to report. I attended our regional audit last month. Everything went swimmingly. I do intend to run for RSC Chair at Region on Saturday. Other than that extremely lengthy report... I have nothing else to share.

Thank you for letting me be of service.

Jake H

RSC Vice Chair

RSC SECRETARY: Jillian M –

Your Name: Jillian

Your Email: JillianM.NA.1.6.8@gmail.com

Report Date: 2023-10-13

RSC Position: RSC Secretary

Other: If other field what position

Officer Report

Good evening, everyone,

As you can tell James is working on the minutes tonight as a practice run. Hopefully this committee will be voting for him to become our new secretary. Over this last quarter I (finally) updated major motions in the guidelines however there are some formatting issues that need to be addressed. I tried and could not figure out how to fix it. I brought extra packets for new RCM's, if you would like one please let me know. I also provided a list of speakers for anyone to take.

Thank you all for letting me be of service over the last couple of years, I look forward to continuing to attend RSC quarterly.

In loving service,

Jillian M.

RSC TREASURER: – rachel

Time to review budget for 2024.

Need to really adjust budgets.

WOW!!!!!!!!!!

Last year \$14,000 to run meeting.

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Sent \$100,000 to naws

Quick books with PayPal will be more transparent (will know exactly where fund  
Come from)

Finished audit went well.

Budget approved for 2024

Your Name: Rachel D  
Your Email: rsctreasu@wnirna.org  
Report Date: 2023-10-13  
RSC Position: RSC Treasurer  
Other: n/a  
Officer Report  
To: WNIRNA  
Date: October 2023  
From: Regional Treasurer: Rachel D.

Hello Everyone,

First of all, I need to apologize to folks who reached out to me via email and I was slow to respond. Having all of the information for this position isolated on a separate laptop has made it tough for me to access information and respond in a timely manner. I have made some adjustments to where the information is stored so I can access this quickly going forward.

I will start with a financial report:

See emailed report for the financial detail as this report form will not allow me to upload an attachment

We made a \$300.00 zonal donation last month and I am recommending that we donate \$20,397.34 to NAWs based on the overage in the bank account.

It is time to review the budget for 2024. To prepare I reviewed budget vs actuals in 2022 to just analyze our trends a bit – see below. I found that we are spending way under our budgeted amounts but are recognizing the underspend and donating the remainder to NAWs. I want to encourage regional service positions to consider what they have the

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budget for and if there are things that would further our primary purpose in the area or make the service position job easier to use your budget to make these purchases.

I am still working to finalize the 2024 budget with input from all of you. I will send a final budget out before the end of region this weekend.

Over the quarter we have had a few forward movements in getting our finances in order and streamlining treasurer processes.

Follow up on last month's discussion items:

- 1) QuickBooks: QB online for the RSC account is set up and officially being used as of 10.12.23. The final cost is \$49.61 per month.
  - a. Quickbooks online was purchased and is now linking to our paypal account to increase full transparency and to categorize any income collected and payments made via paypal. This will automatically be tracked now!
  - b. C&E will be connected on January 1.
- 2) Misappropriation: In a follow-to the misappropriation of funds by the previous treasurer, the first payment of \$500 was received in a cashiers check from Kaylynn. She also acknowledges this is the first payment of many.
- 3) Audit: Your treasurer trainee and I participated in our Q1-Q2 audit and all is well.

4) C&E: We are planning to work with C&E to transfer bank accounts and to the new quick book format within the first week of January.

In other news, our treasurer trainee is still amazing. That is all.

In loving service,

Rachel D.

Tonight I plan to hand out paper copies of the following:

1. RSC Current 2023 Budget
2. RSC 2022 Actual Expenses by quarter
3. RSC 2022 Actual Income by quarter
4. RSC 2023 Actual Expenses to date by quarter

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For those attending virtually I have attached the documents. I am asking RSC Admin & Chairs to review this information and confirm that the submitted budgets for 2024 align with actual expenses by quarter and to review the current budget line items.

These documents are not perfect but will give you information to create and informed budget. If you have questions with the data – please let me know.

Please respond with what the current budget line items should reflect and the final budget request (if any adjustments) by 3pm tomorrow. I will finalize the 2024 budget tomorrow and then distribute for final review! Thank you.

Approved 2024 budget below:

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Auditor: Vandy

Registered letter wasn't delivered but still proof.

CaE and RSC audits

There's nothing in writing about PayPal

For how either happened during Covid.

Going thru quick books for treasurers

Your Name: NAVANDY83@GMAIL.COM

Your Email: NAVANDY83@GMAIL.COM

Report Date: 2023-10-07

RSC Position: RSC Auditor

Other: If other field what position

Officer Report

This quarter I attended the audits for C&E and the RSC. They were without any problems. I have sent the information for the taxes to the CPA and expect to see them

soon.

Next quarter is slow getting ready for first of the year.

Thanks for letting me serve,

Vandy

ACTIVITIES: Michael M –

Diss used how to increase ctivities. Reviewed guidelines changes. Discussed regional dinner for January (if meeting is moved to in person)

Your Name: Michael L.

Your Email: actchair@wnirna.org

Report Date: 2023-10-14

RSC Position: RSC Activities Chair

Other: If other field what position

Officer Report

Hello RSC,

Our Regional Activities Committee meeting went well! We had productive discussions about creating more unity in local areas and planning activities that don't conflict with other regional/area level activities. Details of these discussions can be found in our minutes, which will be sent out within thirty days of today's meeting.

The following areas were present:

- Chelan/Douglas Counties
- Northeast WA (Twin Rivers Activities Subcommittee)

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- Northeast Oregon Area
- Pierce County
- South Puget Sound
- Southwest WA
- The Lewis County
- West Puget Sound

We finished reviewing the guidelines and plan to meet via zoom in the interim to finalize changes that were approved. We plan to bring the changes to the next RSC.

We also discussed the possibility of a regional dinner for January if the region votes to meet in person.

As it stands, our next meeting is scheduled for January 8th at 7 pm on zoom. However, if we move to meeting in person in January, then we will meet on January 13th at 10:30 in hybrid format.

GTS,

Michael L.

Activities Chair

H&I: Ashley W. –

Discussed protocols for Covid in facilities.

Potential new area position liaison roll (to contact when people are released in an area to get them

connected) maybe a requirement of one year clean.



Needs step mentors quardinator (already guidelines for blue mountain area)

Your Name: Ashley W

Your Email: ashleynoelle86@gmail.com

Report Date: 2023-10-14

RSC Position: RSC H&I Chair

Other: If other field what position

Officer Report

As I enter my last quarter of a 2-year term I am filled with gratitude for this subcommittee and the experiences we have shared. I have learned so much about myself, service, and the H&I work throughout our region and zone and it has greatly enhanced my recovery. The PR subcommittee worked together with SPS to put on our Regional PR Learning Days in July. It was a huge success and Kelly, our PI Chair, has compiled a report that is available in the RSC minutes. I am attending WSLD in a few

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weeks with other RSC officers and am co-facilitating a workshop with our alt delegate, Nancy F, on H&I Basics. I am also submitting a motion for the RSC floor with the intention of having our DOC Coordinator, Logan H, funded to travel to WSLD. I look forward to reporting on what I learn from the other workshops at our January RSC meeting. Finally, I am actively mentoring Joe A, our vice chair, in the logistics and current projects so as to support a smooth transition in January, assuming he is elected by RCMs.

At H&I all sub Meeting:

Rob, WSFR

We are still receiving about 15 letters a month. In November I am looking forward to going to Alaska for Western Service-Learning Days. I will attend H&I/PR Saturday via Zoom platform. We are always looking for more Step-Mentors so if you are interested, please contact me on the Regional Website = Regional Service Tab on the top of the page, then "Working Steps for Recovery Behind the Walls" tab.

Logan, DOC Project updates

After numerous conversations with Senator Jeff Wilson regarding my proposal to him about creating a single source background check system for volunteers entering into Federal, State, and Local corrections facilities, I received correspondence from his Legislative Assist, Jami Lund, asking for a list of places requiring background checks and the elements involved.

He mentioned that they were exploring what it would take to find cooperation to prepare a "fast pass" type of credential.

Upon receipt of the email I responded with the list requested and also mentioned numerous types of licenses which require background check and are recognised nationally to allow access, entry, and passthrough. Ie; CDL, Passport, TWIC, and others. There has also been discussion about the undeniable amounts of money that would be saved having a universal background check.

Currently, as established in a letter I am in receipt of, Senator Wilson has staff investigating a trial program, recognized as a PILOT program as authorized by Congress, to be established in a multiple state arena.

A PILOT program will provide the functionality, cost savings, and efficiency of the process that we / Narcotics Anonymous / have proposed. The implementation of this would be National.

There will be Legislative consideration in the upcoming January gathering to consider policy changes and concerns.

Clint, Beyond the Bars (WPSNA), updates

online committee meeting every 3rd Sunday ([wpsna.org/beyond-the-bars](http://wpsna.org/beyond-the-bars))

re-entry program. QR code tomorrow on zoom.

Mission Creek womens as pilot

Regional Program Liason position recommended as NEW POSITION at ASCs

encouraging all AREAS to be involved. getting more people involved in area service.

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Guidelines Revision ad hoc sign up

Tiffany M- SPS, [hi\\_vicechair@spsna.org](mailto:hi_vicechair@spsna.org)

Logan

Becca

Ashley

Topic: What to do if covid is actively going through a facility? (hold panel, cancel?)

Case by case. Contact panel leaders and attendees about taking the panel in or not.

Facilities can lock down for COVID. Let the panel leader make the decision.

following the state health guidelines. Let the facility now.

Topic: Getting back into facilities post-covid (DOC)

dropping off literature to the jail.

go find that right person at the jail. Get a hold of their source.

Talk to AA.

Federal regulations and have them with you.

PDF literature for jails.

Topic: event guidelines (facilities)

Area - facility learning day event. Regulation info needed for events in the facility.

Federal regulations? Where are they located?

Contact Lewis County and larch.

Need guidelines from the facility. Who has the guidelines?

Broad area for guidelines for facility. Policies can be broad.

How can food be involved with food?

Topic: PR umbrella.

made a discussion of H&I, PI, PR.

With gratitude,

Ashley W.

IT: marc

Had adhoc to get transitioned to new server. Emails sent out no responses (see if we have IT person in

our area) meets on zoom submitted 2024 budget request.

LITERATURE: Joel –

Subcommittee is getting better. Has good attendance. Covered solutions to pick orders.  
Subscribe to NAWS newsletter  
Working on NA survival guide 5book package

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Gender inclusive language (you can download them!)  
Your Name: jlafayette@tds.net  
Your Email: jlafayette@tds.net  
Report Date: 2023-10-13  
RSC Position: RSC Literature Chair  
Other: If other field what position  
Officer Report

WASHINGTON NORTHERN IDAHO REGION

LITERATURE CHAIRPERSON QUARTERLY REPORT FOR OCTOBER 14,  
2023

Hello Recovery Family. Quite a bit has been accomplished so far this quarter. The Regional Learning Days was a large success with so many individuals from our Region, the idea, the planning, the execution and all participants and speakers for each workshop.

The presentation for the Literature workshop was well received and so much back story on our Basic Text was discussed and there were questions asked as well as audience participation. We as a Sub-Committee hope to continue to assist our Region with the next Learning Days.

Lots of Literature information is to be found in the NAWS NEWS for September, if you are not subscribed I suggest that all should be especially RCMs, GSRs and Area Literature Sub-Committee Chairs. There is NOW a New "GROUP BOOKLET" available for download," A Vision for NA Service" has been updated also available for download. NAWS is working on a new item called "NA Survival Guide" which I am looking forward to see. Two new IDTS are posted for our review "GENDER-NEUTRAL and INCLUSIVE LANGUAGE " also " DEALING with DISRUPTIVE and PREDATORY BEHAVIOR ". ( www.na.org/idt) There is a Survey for us to review to revise the " H&I BASICS" ( www.na.org/survey) The new " Reaching Out " is available.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS TURNS 70 THIS YEAR!!!  
SO MUCH MORE TO COME ... WANT TO THANK MARGARET C. FOR ALL OF HER EFFORTS AS VICE-CHAIRPERSON AND FOR STREAMLINING OUR ATTENDANCE SHEET AND COMPILE THE CONTACT SHEET INFORMATION.

IN LOVING SERVICE JOEL L.

Your Name: Joel Lafayette  
Your Email: jlafayette@tds.net  
Report Date: 2023-10-14  
RSC Position: RSC Literature Chair  
Other: If other field what position  
Officer Report

Hello family for allowing me to be of service to this Region. had good attendance and we had

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PIERCE CO.  
SO. WEST WASHINGTON

giving their reports. we covered the solutions to fake orders, also took time to go through the World site and the Regional site so they can find documents, surveys and report forms. Took time to review the recent changes to our Literature, available booklets and books.

Thanks to all who were there and for the growing participation of our Sub-Committee . in loving service Joel L.  
phone #

PI: Kelly  
9 areas in attendance  
Restart guideline ad how committee last Sunday month  
Went thru budget submitted to treasurer.  
Asks who has booths (there IS a regional booth that can be requested)  
Decided to dispose of or donate old PI TV (keeping vhs from 60s)  
Will be attending as a region the drug court conference next week in Tukwila

Your Name: Kelly McD  
Your Email: pichair@wnirna.org  
Report Date: 2023-10-13  
RSC Position: Other  
Other: Learning Days Co-Chair  
Officer Report

Hi All,

We had a very fun and successful Learning Days event this year. It was the first time the PR subcommittee hosted with an areas support. We had approximately 100 people come throughout the event. The speakers and the workshops were well attended and the tie dye station was a hit. We sold most of the shirts with the smaller sizes left. Next time we will buy more xl and XXL since those sold out the quickest. I attached the

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detailed financial report from the event, but for the big numbers we started with \$2,500 and spent a total of \$2,786.54 with a total income of \$1,698.61 which left us with an ending balance of \$1,412.17. We did not make all of the funds back but it was still a really awesome event. We have some ideas on how to make this event better and have started working on updating the guidelines to reflect some of these ideas and plan to have them completed for review and a motion submitted for approval by the next region. Please let me know if you have any questions.  
Kelly McD & Ashley W.

Your Name: Kelly McD  
Your Email: pichair@wnirna.org  
Report Date: 2023-10-14  
RSC Position: RSC PI Chair  
Other: If other field what position  
Officer Report

Hi All,

There were 9 areas in attendance, Central Washington, Everett, Greater Cascade Loop, Northeast Oregon, Pierce County, Seattle, South Puget Sound, The Lewis County, and West Puget Sound. During PI we discussed restarting the PI guidelines ad-hoc committee and have scheduled it for the last Sunday of the month at 6pm using the PI Zoom code. We also went through our budget and made updates that reflect what we do now and I will submit that to the treasurer. We had discussion about the booths and which areas have booths and what they look like. About half of the areas that attended had a booth. There was a question about Bank accounts and we directed them to speak with the regional secretary or Auditor since we were not sure. We finally agreed to either donate or properly dispose the old PI TV and we have decided to keep the old PSA VHS tape and give it to the NA history folks. The Regional PI committee will be attending the statewide Drug Court conference next Thursday and Friday which is exciting. Other than that we are there to support the areas so if your PI Chair was not here please encourage them to attend.

Thank you,  
Kelly McD - PI Chair

October region  
GUIDELINE AD HOC -

C&E: Brian M –  
Performed budget last quarter  
Approved speakers 2024 winircna  
2026 winircna will be in Everett  
Delta hotel gotta register for event!!!!

C&E Treasurer: Rick –

GRIEVANCE: C&E –

OPEN DISCUSSION:

Everett area: homegroup service positions. How to help?  
Talk excitedly about service: (can't force people) trust the process  
Ask people "hey do you know how to be of service?"  
January not just virtual?  
Stuck on pass and snow: financially NOT responsible if we are attending virtually better for safety  
Mini January parties? (Like in your area Everett plus Seattle)

Room blocks and discounts

Safety and snow

Cancels or pass has been closed a lot

Some of fav memories are from snow adventures in Jan.

Seeking out best way to hold IDT workshop locally:

On NAWS they have PowerPoint and pamphlets

Reach out to Kia and Nancy

Misappropriation of NA fund guidelines:

Creating a structure for when funds are misappropriated, what do we do as a region?

Having a procedure would be nice because it would eliminate any personal attachments to the situation.

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(west Peugeot sound area has some misappropriation guidelines that She found from guidelines in

California)

The future of venue for RSC: (should we look into other ones)

Looked into other hotels and places for RSC.

The price at red lion is going up about \$300 to \$ 350 per service.

Clean and free committee member said it's really small compared to other hotels

(Discussed ellensburg was good central location)

Bonner said amenities aren't as good as they should be.

Convenience is better.

Holiday inn is canceling any room rate they used to have

(Looked into hotel accrossed way) the Marriott

(Up budgets)

Days inn?

Benefit to having room block. For same budget same place

(Signing and leasing contracts for April)

Worried about longevities of contracts for other places

\$120 a room at red lion

(Jakes going to look into pricing)

We MIGHT be in a different place in April

Comfort inn by college

MOTIONS:

155.2 COS motion: motion passed

156.1 by HandI subcommittee: raise budget by \$ 865

For RSC DOC coordinator TO GO TO WSLD to attend workshops

(Wanting to connect in ALL workshops) create more effective servants

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Motion passed

To hold January service meeting in januarys hybrid again:

Cost extra \$1000

Let's establish where we are going to be first.

Motion passes

Motion to wave guidelines for just Jan for hotel contract:

Motion passed

ELECTIONS:

CHAIR: NEW CHAIR JAKE H.NOMINATED: PASSED

VICE CHAIR: JILLIAN NOTMINATED: PASSED

SECRETARY:

VICE SECRETARY: NO NOMINATIONS

Events: