



Open: 9:00 AM with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer and the reading of the 12 Concepts of Service by Shell

Approval of Last Month's Minutes: Approved

Roll Call: John B, Shell H, Jim M, Lyndsay H, Keith B, Ray L, Jen C, Brett A, Goldberry M, Liliias R, Kurt B, Steve B, Brandon K, Victor R, James R, Andrew M, Ernie S, Ellen K, Mike H, Joe B, Chris G

Guests/ New GSRs: Jen GSRA Live Group

Birthdays: Ernie 6 years, Mark 22 years Congratulations

Opening Reading: "Everything that occurs in the course of N.A. service must be motivated by the desire to more successfully carry the message of recovery to the addict who still suffers. It was for this reason that we began this work. We must always remember that as individual members, groups and service committees, we are not and should never be in competition with each other. We have learned, painfully, that internal strife cripples our Fellowship; it prevents us from providing the services necessary for growth." *Basic Text*, page xvi

Group Reports:

Addicts Seeking Sanity: Ernie Gsr, Helen F gsra need Sunday opener in November. \$130 area donation.

Clean Serene Freaks: Mike H GSR, Joe gsra Decent attendance. Need more support for Tues and Wed. and Tues chair.

Drug Busters: Liliias Gsr Things are going well, attendance is back up. We have decided to open up our chair position for anyone with more than 6 months who wants to chair. \$100 area donation.

Free at Last: not in attendance

Freedom Springs: Jennifer reporting. Things are going well at Freedom Springs. We have roughly an average of 12-15 people at meeting. After we paid rent which was \$35. We had \$62.75 left. We paid \$12.75 for supplies. Which left us a balance of \$50. We are buying 4 Basic Texts and key tags with that.

Hope Group: James reporting. Meetings have lots of newcomers, average attendance is high teens, low twenties. Lost both Wed & Thurs openers, but meetings still going. Appreciate those with time and who sponsor that regularly come to the meeting. Building prudent reserve. Have opener & Gsr positions open.

Just For Today: Ellen Gsr We are awesome! Both groups are doing well. 7th is great. Attendance is great. \$50 area donation.

Live Group: Paul W Gsr, Jen C Gsra All meetings have good attendance. New meeting started Saturday at 7:30 1 ½ hour long. Rotating format open meeting. New alt gsr Jen C. \$.75 are donation.

Mass Addicts: Dave A Gsr The group is doing well. Our September potluck was a huge success with 40 people in attendance and the speakers, Lyndsay from Fort Collins and Don from Longmont were well received. As with most groups we could use members with more time to show up but we are managing. Our next event is a Halloween party on Oct 25th and flyers are available on the table. Then our December potluck will be held on a date to be determined as we need to work around the pagan rituals of the building where we hold our meetings. We have a \$5 donation for the area and Victor will be buying a Basic Text for us because he is a wonderful person!

NA Nooners: Carl Gsr We are no longer going to be having this meeting we no longer need your support and I am happy to no longer be asking for support for a meeting that died. \$9 area donation.

New Horizons: Not in attendance.

No Matter What: Brandon Gsr We have changed our format to have topics based on NA lit and a speaker meeting every end of the month. Need home group members.

Primary Purpose: Shell H Gsr, John Gsra Attendance good, 7th good, good message, good unity among members. Need more home group members.

Recovery Swagg'd Out: not in attendance

Serene Machine: Andrew M Gsr, Rich Gsra All is well. More non-serenity-house addicts are appreciated to help show newcomers that the program works.

Serene Springs: Chris G Gsr, Doing great average about 29. buying some literature today we are trying to honor the spirit of rotation we have a new gsra and chair

Stairway to Recovery: Pat H reporting. Things are going well. Come see us. Attendance in September averaged 15. 7th tradition averages \$.50/person. We have lost 2 basic texts. We expressed faith that they went to addicts that will benefit from them. At our Group Conscience we decided to replace the basic texts.

Steps and Traditions Roulette: Kurt. Birthday anniversary celebration November 14th Potluck & Fellowship 6:00 pm. fliers on the table \$26 area donation.

When At The End Of The Road:

XX Genes: Goldberry GSR Good attendance every week. No literature this month. \$20 area donation.

If your meeting report is not on here, make sure a written, preferably typed so I can read it, copy is turned in to Area Secretary! Thanks

Officer Reports

Chair: Lyndsay H- I looked at the old minutes for the ASC to look for the motion that passed about newsletter chair being removed from guidelines. There are a few months of minutes that are not on the archive. I am guessing this motion took place in 2010 and I am assuming that the motion is on one of those missing minutes. We are going to revisit the vote to remove newsletter chair since we cannot find the information. Jennifer has updated the guidelines and she has printed a few copies to look over, we will talk about newsletter chair before we reprint a bunch of guidelines, then we can make enough copies for everyone. I forgot to pick up the bank bag this month, therefore I will take the money with me and drop it off at the bank on Monday and can pick up the bank bag at that time. Sorry it slipped my mind, more than once.

Vice Chair: Jim- If you go to world na.org there is a membership survey take back to your groups to let them know about that.

Secretary: Jennifer C- It is time to sign new lease for the meeting place here at the Majestic. Do we want 3 months or 6 months? I appreciate the typed reports but if possible please email to jcole8932@gmail.com. I am requesting \$10 more for copies this month in order to copy enough of the guidelines.

RMC 1/RCM 2: Stephanni- Mile high is going to start doing social media with their area. They are going to have an adhoc committee that is going to make stipulations with what and how they post. The archival position is falling apart. The CAR report is going to be released at Rocky Mountain Zonal Forum that is going to be in Denver this month. The fund flow was talked about. NAWS only gets 9% of what they need from literature sales. I want to talk about how we donate here. It was actually a very short region. Questions: Do we have a date for the Rocky wareas and gave them to Victor.

Question: Did the region donate to world ? yes 3000

Hospitals and Institutions: Report Attached: Questions Is Platte valley looking for both males and females? yes We need an H&I chair

Public Information Subcommittee: Report Attached

Literature Sub-Committee: Last ASC I sold 595.00 I ordered 529.75 Present value of literature stock is 1766.00 if it seems low I did not include specialty items I contacted WSO about past shortage and was reimbursed. I am requesting \$10.70 for copies and envelopes. Happy Halloween

Merchandise Subcommittee: Went to the Rally for Recovery in Greeley. Almost sold out of shirts only have 6 left will get somethings going on next month when we have activities. Questions: Which logo is going to come out? Answer it a round symbol with the names of all cities in the corners. It's brand new.

Activities Subcommittee:

Treasurer: Keith- as of 9:30 we have a balance of \$1299.25. \$500 area donation made to region last month. That basically is where we are at. Sounds like we need to renew our lease. Did not print out monthly statement, can do that next month for 2 months.

CRCNA Liaison:

Again, please have a written, preferably typed so I can read it, copy of all committee, subcommittee, and Adhoc committee meeting minutes given to Secretary. Thanks

Old Business

Area guidelines were amended no one opposes changes.

New Business

Fund flow discussion tabled until next month

Elections

Activities Chair Kurt elected

**Open Area Opportunities for Service:
H&I Chair**

Upcoming Events

Written Motions

Motion 1: To disburse \$200.00 to activities to support our tri area New Years Eve Dance. Passes.

Motion 2: To have a Living Clean book donated to the No Matter What group due to insufficient funds. Passes.

Motion 3: To remove the position of Newsletter chair from Area guidelines. Passes.

Disbursements

Secretary- Jennifer \$40 and \$300 for rent

Literature- Mark \$10.70

Chair- Lyndsay \$30

Activities- Kurt \$200

**Next ASC Meeting:
November 3, 2013 9:00am
The Majestic Gathering Place
315 East 4th Street
Loveland, CO**

Your Secretary thanks you for your patience!

Off the wall Hospitals and Institutions report for October 13th 2013

The subcommittee met on September 28th. Had 9 members present.

Larimer County Jail Men's – This is a panel presentation with the men sharing their experience strength and hope. It meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday. Had a thank you to the volunteers event on a night during a meeting.

North Range Behavioral Health Treatment - This is typically a literature discussion and a once a month speaker meeting. It meets every Wednesday from 5:30 to 6:30pm. Attendance is good.

Weld County Work Release: This is literature discussion on IP's and also rotating reading from the basic text and JFT. Do open discussion from the reading that was read. It meets every Thursday from 7 to 8pm. No report this month.

Weld County Jail Women: This meeting is a literature discussion. Read chapter 3. Going in 2x during the month 1st and 3rd Tuesday. Attendance was 10-15 addicts. We continue to look for more women to go in to support our efforts here. The books we donated were given to inmates specifically. So with the next set of books given I will speak w/ Pastor Joe about putting them on the library cart in hopes of them walking out a little less. Our hope was this was communicated from Julie to Joe, this was not done, so we will fill in the gaps of communication.

Weld County Jail Men: Continue to be in need of men to go in. Have 2 applications out not yet turned.

Larimer County Jail Women's: This meeting is a literature discussion. This meeting goes in the 2nd and 3rd week of the month. No report this month.

North Range Behavioral Health Detox: This is typically a literature discussion. We go in every Monday from 5:30 to 6:30pm. Attendance is ranging from 1-12. Meeting is going well.

Platte Valley Youth Correctional Facility: This is a literature discussion on the Basic Text. This meeting goes in every other Saturday from 7 to 8pm. One meeting didn't happen due to flooding. Have been doing meetings by picking topics from the

index by putting finger randomly on it. Are looking at have male and females at the same time in order to get everyone in meetings.

We are still in search of a vice chair for the sub-committee. Requires 1 year clean and 6 months H&I experience – fills in for Chairperson and helps coordinate resources for panels. Anyone interested in H&I please note – only 3 months to sit in on a panel and see what we do – 6 months to share your experience strength and hope for detox, work release and TRT. All other facilities are lock down – jails – and require 1 year clean, at least 3 years off paper, and a back ground check. Our next subcommittee meeting is October 26th at 11:00am at 1450 Westwood Drive in Windsor at the Vineyard church. Please contact me if you have any questions 970-301-5334.

ILS,

James R ☺

We are requesting \$102.95 in literature and \$5 in rent.

PI Report

9/28/2013

Web Servant - Pat

No activities, would like to check with other regions to add to our web page, need to update Sterling and Yuma

Phone line -

Had a lot of calls when one addict had the phone, two new people in Greeley trained

Rally for Recovery -

Went well, gave away appx 10 meeting lists, some pamphlets were taken, mostly addicts other members knew, James spoke for 5 minutes about NA

Protocol for meeting changes -

Send email blast stating to give us changes by the Wednesday before Area so we can update meeting lists, Pat will also post on the front page of the website to send a blast if there are changes

Coloradoan -

There is an online version event page, Dave needed to change the number because they had the church phone number listed for meeting, we could possibly be in the calendar, the noon meeting will be posted.

Tribune -

They have not posted any 12 step programs but have listed LAMB. James will contact them and ask them to at least post website once a week

CSU literature rack -

Dave contacted someone and hasn't gotten a response, he will continue to try. If we do not get a response we will just go pick it up

Bus Ad's -

Bench Ad - Victor hasn't followed up but will soon, vote passes to gather more information about where the ad will go - we will gather more info for next month and can decide then.

Fort Net (website) -

Do we need to donate them for the web service they provide, Pat states the website is good and will be worth what we will pay. We voted to pay \$50 for past months and then \$10 a month continuously. Motion passes

NEW BUSINESS

*PSA's - Dave wrote world about PSA's and hasn't heard a response after a week, will try again

*We have new flyers for phone line and subcommittee meetings

*Elections -

Vice Chair - James nominates Dave and Dave accepts, Dave elected