



MINUTES: February 2, 2020

Open: Off The Wall area opened at 9:02 AM with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer and the reading of 12 Concepts by Lyndsay H. We meet upstairs at the Majestic.

Guests/ New GSRs: None

Birthdays: Shara 3 years, Trino 13 years

Approval of Last Month's Minutes: Show Me How To Live, Frazier group was not allowed to join the Area due to not having a member of the group show up to Area to ask. Follow up, Mountains West is reconvening so they will be a part of the Mountains West Area.

Group Reports:

Addicts Book Club: Melissa reporting, Attendance up from 12 to 20 people. Celebrated birthdays last Friday of month. No concerns at this time.

Addicts Seeking Sanity: Sherri reporting, All is well.

Clean Queens: Krista reporting, Hello family, I apologize as I am going to be quite late to area today. Clean Queens is a women's meeting that meets every Sunday from 3-4pm at 301 east Drake in Fort Collins. Attendance is up recently and we have no complaints

Dead Without It : Not in Attendance

Drug Busters: Ben reporting, Group is doing well! Growing in attendance at 30+ Homegroup members are needed as we only have 4 regular members who show up.

Freed From Insanity: Paul reporting, Good morning, attendance is low, need of support, winter fiesta postpones, dates will be announced

Fun Addicts: Case reporting, group is good, coffee stocked, Rina opening Sundays, Case and Shelly opening Wednesdays. Potluck on March 15th and speakers following. Fun Addicts tubing event is Feb 22nd.

Just For Today: Jess reporting, Things are going good. Did discuss concerns of an opener having a rough time being an opener with difficult disruptive members. Activities are in the works.

Live Group: Not in Attendance reporting,

Miracle on Oak St: Elizabeth Z. reporting, Attendance has been over 20 people. No concerns, discussed that newcomer liaison is every home group members responsibilities. Concern:, why are

not listed on the active list of the agenda. This is the 3rd month in a row. Jimmie H apologized as this was an oversight of his.

New Hope, Not in Attendance

New Horizons: Not in Attendance

No Matter What: James R reporting, Attendance is good and steady.

Primary Purpose: Lyndsay H. reporting, No Concerns, average 10-15 people. We have 2 flags plus our own, JFT and ASS, April 25, 2020 Raid a meeting in Cheyenne, hit meeting then head to Mexican restaurant for fellowship.

Recovery Swag'd Out. Shara reporting, average of 30 people in attendance, Addict celebrated 15 years along with 3 newcomers at birthday night. Working on position definitions and flow of group concerns. Will be discussing newcomer liaison at next group conscience.

Responsible For Our Recovery: Not in Attendance

Solutions: Trino F reporting, All is well Dance is Feb 14th, dinner starts at 5:00, speaker at 6:00 pm and dance following from 7:00 pm to Midnight.

Steps and Traditions Roulette: CoDaniel reporting, Steady attendance of 10-15 people. No concerns. We have a flag! Come capture it! It's tight (LOL) Our group decided against newcomer liaison, but agrees to all be more mindful of newcomers in general.

Truth Thru Proof: Eric I. reporting, Attendance is strong, and all is well!

When At The End Of The Road: Kim W. reporting, All meetings are doing well.

Windsor Lighthouse: John L reporting, the meeting has been doing well all decade. We've still averaging about a dozen people per meeting and still meets at the same place and time.

Home Group(s) of the Month: Freed From Insanity and Drug Busters

Officer Reports:

Chair: Jimmie H reporting, not much to report. I took part of an epic capture the flag event at Solution's Group. I have set up 2019 audit for the treasury books. I have asked Sarah A, Jim M and Kim W on Feb. 8th.

Vice Chair: Sarah A reporting, we received an email from a new comer attending a meeting who felt like she and others were poorly treated and not made to feel welcomed in the meeting. Sarah reached out and talk to a member of the meeting and the experiences this newcomer and other had. Things have been taken care of.

Treasurer: Shawn H reporting, At the end of the month we will have the budget ad hoc Feb 29th, hopefully bring back final info to ASC to be voted on

Vice Treasurer: Kim W. reporting, checking the PO Box. Apologize to Eric I for leaving some Behind the Walls magazines in my car. Thank Shawn H for taking the time to set up the spread sheet and helping me feel confident with the spread sheet.

Secretary: Jim M reporting, I will not be in attendance next month as I will be in Omaha at a convention. Zach V. will be collecting reports and taking notes for me. I plan on attending the budget audit on Feb 8, 2020.

Subcommittee Reports

RCM 1: open position

RCM 2: Amy K reporting, report sent via email however, Secretary was unable to open the Google Doc attachment sent. Sorry

CRCNA Liaison: Patrick M reporting, JoAnn D voted in as vice chair and Karen C is secretary. Logo and Theme contest for CRCNA XXXIV, Call for Speakers, Sponsor/Sponsee Breakfast, Basic Text Book Drive, 2 payments have been made to the hotel, Agreed on cost of meals and registration, Banquets are \$45.00, Breakfast \$25.00. Registration \$35.00 early bird \$45.00 day of registration. Hotel Chair open, F&E open and Print and display open. All elected at CRCNA subcommittee meetings.

Activities: Capture the flag still going on.

Fun Addicts has When at the End of the Road
Just For Today has Primary Purpose
Primary Purpose has Show Me How to live, Just For Today
Solutions Group has Addicts Seeking Sanity, Just for Today and Primary Purpose
Swag'd Out has Fun Addicts and When at the End of the Road
When at the End of the Road has Swag'd Out, Drug Busters, Fun Addicts
Miracle on Oak Street: No Matter What

Hospitals & Institutions: Stacia R reporting, We are currently serving 8 facilities. Harvest Farms has officially been closed for now. We have changed our voting process. Anyone who has been voted in with a position in the H & I subcommittee or who is a panel lead has 1 vote. We need a new stamp which will cost \$20.00, that's with shipping. We will be creating a common format for H&I meetings which we will discuss at our next meeting. James R is the new Weld Work Release panel lead. H&I secretary is still open. I (Stacia) plan on going to participate in each H&I meeting. I went to Commcore last month and I plan on going to TRT and Wings this month.

Public Information: Eric I. reporting: OTW Public Information Report - February 2nd, 2020

Announcements: PI chair position open for election in March.

In January, we have updated our lit locations and some poster locations. This is part of our focus on doing this on a monthly basis. Our PI lit coordinator, Patti B. has been very helpful in organizing our efforts. We provided Catholic Charities in Fort Collins with a new 8 pocket lit rack and placed it in a highly visible location in the busy dayroom. We will be going to this location and others regularly to keep it filled. We have added new poster locations in Berthoud, Johnstown and Fort Lupton.

Expenses --400 Meeting schedules \$41.11 (charged to area card) 8 pocket lit rack \$22.05 (budget), Pilit \$68.75 (budget) TOTAL = \$ 131.91 Literature locations:
Larimer County DRC, Loveland Catholic Charities, Fort Collins Larimer Work Release, Fort Collins Larimer County DRC, Fort Collins Guadalupe Center, Greeley
Meeting Schedules - We have printed 400 meeting schedules for January.
have 21 locations in Greeley, 9 in Loveland, 15 in Fort Collins, 6 in Fort Lupton, 2 in Wellington, 2 in Estes Park, 1 in Berthoud, 1 in Johnstown. All active poster and lit locations are listed here:
<http://bit.ly/2F10v6f>
Web servant Report for February 2nd, 2020 - Zach V.
OTW email blast members: 123 - Please email Web servant to be added to this group.
OTW Facebook Group Members: 139 - Please email Web servant to be added to this group.
External links to otwna.org: 875 Visitors in past 30 days: 646
Outreach Coordinator Report - James R. Scheduled panel on Feb 3rd with two members presenting.
Phoneline Report - Steve D.
20 calls, 1 text

Merchandise: Amy K reporting, met on Feb, 2, 2020, Five people present, 11 surveys thus far

Literature: Dana K reporting: Total lit sales from groups \$709.85, H&I \$116.55, Total monthly sales of \$917.20.

Elections

RCM 1: no nominations, position still open

Activities: no nominations, position still open

Unfinished Business:

New Business:

When at the End of the Road will be hosting a potluck on March 17th after their noon meeting. 1:00-3:00. When at the end of the Road home group will provide corn beef and cabbage.

Proposals:

- It can be hard for newcomer to find sponsors or know who to ask, just from a quick hand raising at the end of the meetings. I propose we add a "willing to sponsor box" on the area phone list so newcomers know who to talk to. After discussion we were informed that since

we did not write the code for the meeting list, we are unable to change the format.
Proposal did not pass.

- Donate \$949.52 to world. Passed
- Moved that all sub-committee chairs must declare their home group and be an active member of said homegroup in order to serve at the area as sub-committee chair. After discussion it was decided that we cannot be taking addicts inventories. We can ask this question during qualification questions. Proposal did not pass.
- Cover registration cost of PI and H&I committee members and interested panel coordinators to attend Western Service-Learning Days. Western Service-Learning Days (WSLD) is an annual conference that focuses on Narcotics Anonymous services in Public Information (PI), Phonelines, Web Pages, Outreach and Hospitals & Institution (H&I). WSLD 2020 is being held in the Colorado Region in Denver on October 23-25. Individual registrations cost \$25.00 per person. The purpose of this proposal is to cover the cost for trusted servants of the Off the Wall H&I and PI subcommittees, since attendance at WSLD will result in the further development of our trusted servants. The knowledge and skill gained at this event will have a direct benefit to the area. This proposal was sent to the groups for the groups to make this decision.

Announcements:

PI is opened for election in March, RCM 1, Activities still open.

- WRCNA 3rd Annual: Spaghetti Dinner and Speakers Fundraiser, Saturday, Feb 15, 2020, 4:00pm-7:00pm at 220 East Oak St. Fort Collins Co, \$10.00 Suggested Door Donation.
- Fun Addicts: Snow Tubing Event@ Beaver Meadows Resort, Saturday, Feb 22, 2020 12-2 PM, 100 Beaver Meadows Pl, Red Feather Lakes, CO 80545, Adults \$33, Kids \$29.00
- CRCNA XXXIV Sponsor/Sponsee Pancake Breakfast, Saturday, April 25, 2020, 2100 Wadsworth Blvd, Lakewood, Breakfast 9:00 AM, Speakers 10:30, \$10.00 Donation
- CRCNA XXXIV Theme and Logo Contest, Submit graphics to CRCNA c/o Program Subcommittee PO Bo 1437 Denver CO 80201 deadline March 6, 2020
- CRCNA XXXIV call for Speakers, send tapes by April 15th to crnaprograms@nacolorado.org

Closed @ 11:28

Next meeting March 2, 2020