



## **MINUTES: June 6th, 2021**

**Open:** Off the Wall area opened at 9 AM with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer and the reading of 12 Concepts by Trino

**Guests/New GSRs:** Paul, Kenny – GSR swag'd out

**Birthdays:** Kenny – 2 years, Dana – 6 years, Case – 6 years,

**Approval of Last Month's Minutes:** Approved.

### **Group Reports:**

**Addicts Seeking Sanity:** - Lisa Y. reporting – Addicts seeking sanity currently has two meetings a week. Wednesdays are meeting at 6:00 p.m. at Twin Rivers Park and amphitheater at 1501 65th avenue in Greeley; bring a chair and your basic text or other book. We are practicing social distancing and masks are optional. We are now collecting 7th tradition and we'll have an area donation in August. Our Sunday meetings are still at 4:00 p.m. on Zoom.

We have no area donation this month and we have no literature order.

**Bring Your Own Book** – Sam H. - 3448 North Taft – Thursdays 7 pm Starts July 1<sup>st</sup>

**Dead Without it** – Paul L. – need local support - Reporting for Dead Without It. We have two homegroup members right now (me and Kyle). We're still every Friday at 7:30 on Zoom. We direct all 7th tradition donations to NA World Services as of now and don't have anything to donate. Attendance has fluctuated between 10-25 people with most attendees being from out of town. There's a lot of newcomers typically.

Thanks!

Paul

**Drugbusters:** Lyndsay M. reporting – Still meeting by Zoom. Would like to start a hybrid meeting but we are waiting to hear from the church. Have a Venmo account and are donating \$20 to area. Appx 10 in attendance per meeting.

**Earned My Seat:** Tamara J. reporting – no report sent

**Freed from Insanity:** David L. reporting – Good Morning everyone. Freed from Insanity group meets at 7pm Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Sunday at 102 E. 3rd St. Loveland CO 80537. Our group requires masks be worn at all times and asks that members sign a contact tracing list per the Larimer County Health Department requirements for indoor meetings. Our meetings have

been averaging 10-15 addicts and our group conscious is the last Sunday of the month at 2:30 pm at the same address.

We have a \$6.80 literature order and a \$100.00 dollar area donation this month.

Thank You for letting me serve.

**Fun Addicts:** Case R. reporting – Group name: Fun Addicts Date: 06/06/2021

Report:

Meets at 301 E. Drake Rd on Wed. and Sun. at 7pm

Potential potluck/activities in September

Avg attendance - 10 people

Avg. 7th - \$6

Concerns: none

Votes: none

Area donation: \$75 Lit order: Getting literature but amount unknown.

GSR: Case Rodgers Alt GSR: none

**Hope Shot:** Alissa B. reporting – no report sent

**Just for Today: Not in Attendance –**

**Meeting in the Park:** Karl W. – Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri – \$30 to area, \$30 to parks department

**New Horizons:** Dave A. reporting – has been attending – needs support - a lot of newcomers Thursdays at 7 pm

**Primary Purpose:** Jim M. - Primary Purpose meeting at 7:00 pm, in person on Thursday nights in Greeley. We are following CDC guidelines, those who are fully vaccinated can be in meetings without masks. We ask those who have been vaccinated still wear masks inside the meeting. Along with this we are no longer limiting meeting space to 10 addicts.

**Solutions:** Jimmie H. - We meet at 1318 7th Ave. We meet Monday at 7pm, Wednesday at 730pm and Saturday at 6 pm.

We have closed Saturday morning at this time. We have lifted our mask requirement and we are serving coffee. Lit order of 615\$ and an area donation of \$65

**Swag'd Out:** Kenny reporting – We meet every Tuesday night @ 7pm @ 2700 S Lemay upstairs in the library we are averaging 15-25 people in attendance

We will be going back to our normal Tuesday night topics meetings including popsicle topic tag every 3rd Tuesday of the month

We are going to be talking with the church about moving our meeting outside since we are getting more attendance and don't have room for everyone

We also have our Sunday morning park meeting Swag'n in the park @ 11am @ Rolland Moore Park and we average 7-15 people

We have a literature order of \$10.20, an area donation of \$40, and are donating \$40 to world

**Steps and Traditions Roulette:** Kurt B. reporting – **Steps and Traditions Roulette Meeting**

Kurt B

6/04/2021

We meet at the church at 2700 S Lemay Ave Thursday at 6:46 pm

The door is on the North West corner. We meet upstairs and new signs are added inside to direct you to the library.

The month of May attendance was up and down. We had one meeting with more than 20 people but we are averaging about a dozen with a few on ZOOM.

We have voted on making MASKS OPTIONAL if you have had your VAX's

We discussed ANONYMITY with a concern that people on ZOOM are discussing things they hear in the meeting with others. Please be aware that ANONYMITY spreads to our ZOOM world when attending meetings via Internet!

We made a donation to DAVE A on Thursday of this week for last month. The monies included money for tokens which we had some confusion on how to purchase literature and keytags via ZOOM.

We have no donation this month

We are also in discussion with the church to be able to move the meeting outside during the summer months. Chairs and Zoom would come from the church. More details to come.

Please let me know if you have questions. You can reach me by phone at 970 219-3771 or email at [abaynard@yahoo.com](mailto:abaynard@yahoo.com).

Your humble servant

Kurt B

**When at The End of The Road: Not in Attendance**

**Windsor Lighthouse: Not in Attendance** Sent a report – The Windsor Lighthouse meeting at 6:15 PM on Tuesdays will be meeting at Windsor Main Community Park, 300 Locust St. starting on 6/8/2021. The meeting will be on the SE corner of the park, bring a lawn chair. We will no longer be doing the zoom hybrid. Church rent is paid, no area donation and no lit order this month.

GSR: None

GSRA: Kim W.

**Inactive groups:** No Matter What! New Hope. – Still meeting

**Officer Reports:**

**Chair Sarah A:** I want to say thank you for allowing me to be of service this last year and I just hope that I fulfilled my commitment to the best of my ability.

**Vice Chair: Shane R.**

Good morning OTW ASC.

It has been an honor to serve as a vice chair for the last few months.

Not much to report at this time.

I did have the honor of chairing the PI subcommittee meeting on June 5 virtually.

All is well and I look forward to continuing to serve this area and to promote unity in all aspects of narcotics anonymous service.

In loving service,

Shane R.

**Treasurer Dave A.:** Treasurer report to OTWASC 06/06/21

Beginning balance today is \$3104.43. 7<sup>th</sup> tradition donations deposited this month are \$313.00. Literature sales were \$548.55. Merch sent \$60 in. I expect literature will be making an order of \$1000 or so plus possible other disbursements, so the total is a bit deceiving.

Added Meeting in the Park to the treasurer's sheets. Thanks for your \$30 donation!

Trino, the new asst treasurer and I need to meet soon to transfer the laptop, passwords, etc. and then Sarah, Shane, Trino and the new asst treasurer need to go to a Canvas bank and get signatures in order. A new Venmo account will need to be set up as the current one is linked to my phone number which is not a great app. I did not investigate Zelle, but I think Trino and the new asst treasurer can check into that. In the meantime, a PayPal account was set up using [otwtreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:otwtreasurer@gmail.com) as the recipient and Jimmy Kannon as the owner. This can be used to send money to our account.

A point of procedure. If anyone wants the ASC to donate to the region or the world, I suggest people think about that under new business. The agenda is fine but when we get to the final treasurers' report at the end of the meeting it doesn't give people much time to think about us donating. Just a thought.

Dave A.

- Kurt asks about guidelines that require donation to region if above a certain amount
- Ernie states that we had best practice that any money above our prudent reserve that we donate to region. There will be consideration to put this in guidelines.

**Assistant Treasurer Trino F:**

Good morning ASC

Life keeps rolling . Am looking forward to get voted in as Treasurer . If this body see fit to do so. Thank you to my brother Dave A for the great job he has done.

ILS TRINO F

- Trino received monies in his personal Venmo account and that is a business account, he would like to not have money going into that account.
- Zelle looks easy, he thinks he can set that up on the treasurer laptop, he is concerned about who to put as the account holder.

**Secretary:** Open

**RCM 1:** Lyndsay M. reporting –

When: Sun, July 18, 10am – 5pm

Where: Virtual Meeting

Colorado Region is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: CRSCNA Meeting

Time: Jul 18, 2021 10:00 AM Mountain Time (US and Canada) Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83281553796?pwd=UkoxdFUyU0VraWc0eE43OVZnRVVSUT09>

Meeting ID: 832 8155 3796 Passcode: CRSCNA

**RCM 2:** Dave L. reporting – Lyndsay gave report for both this month

### **Subcommittee Reports:**

**CRCNA Liaison:** Ernie S. reporting – otwrcna@gmail.com – unable to attend CRCNA yesterday

- Trino asks if they have figured out details about COVID tracking, will it be online or in person? Kurt states that they will not need to do the COVID disclosure IF the hotel stays at 100% capacity. If restrictions are put back in place this may change.
- Kurt states that they are still in need of volunteers. Next meeting is July 10<sup>th</sup> at 9 am.
- Ernie states please support events as there are not as many fundraisers as there have been in the past.
- Dave asks Ernie if he will be able to deliver pre-convention shirts. Ernie is unable currently.

**Activities:** Lauren C. reporting – **Activities subcommittee**

Met 5/16 & 5/30

approx. 4-8 people in attendance each meeting

Meeting times, last Sunday of the month 1p at 301 E. Stuart, Fort Collins—hybrid zoom & in person for now, need to get a zoom line for activities??

Elected Ty as subcommittee co-chair

Voted on budget request for area for \$200/mo. with the intention of donating to area with funds from the 7th tradition

August event: BBQ + kickball tournament, still searching for locations, either August 21st or 22nd

Planning our Sept event next committee meeting

- Kurt hopes that they are working with CRCNA to make sure dates are not overlapping – She is making sure that before they choose a date, she will check with CRCNA –
- Dave A states that regional calendar is a good place to look for events that are upcoming. Discussion on how to get their events on regional website.
- Sarah states when they meet in person, they will discuss office max to print flyers for activities and reminder to have flyers out 60 days in advance.
- Shane thanks Lauren for stepping in and being of service.
- Lauren asks: When should she state her proposed budget and when is it voted on? Per Sarah it gets submitted today and then gets voted on in August.
- Trino asks about her planning event in August how will she have funding for her event, Sarah believes that she could plan the event and then ask for the money in August.
- Shane suggests that in new business that we could vote for activities budget today and Dave agrees.
- Jess asks, do we operate off current budget until new budget approved? Per Sarah it has been 1.5 years since then.
- Jim states that we could also do a one-time funding for Activities.

**Hospitals & Institutions:** Jess B. reporting –

Hi all!

H&I met at 2:30 over Zoom with 4 in attendance. We have a new secretary, YAY! This position has been open for a while. True north has a new panel lead and is looking for new panel members. If you are interested please reach out to James R. We have 2 other facilities that are asking for in person meetings, but no panels or leads. If you know anyone interested in H&I please let me know. We discussed adding a suggestion to our guidelines (which passes if I do not need an ad-hawk to add this) of at least 6 months H&I experience to be a panel lead. I am asking that EVERYONE in attendance start announcing H&I at meetings or to anyone who will listen. As facilities are starting to open up and new facilities are asking for meetings to be brought in H&I is waking up and needs people of service. With that in mind I am asking that if you were an active panel lead pre covid or on an active panel please reach out to me or Jules D. and show up to the next H&I subcommittee meeting which will be held (as of now on zoom) at 2:30 pm on July 3rd.

**We are asking for a budget of \$250**

Although this number seems high for almost all facilities not allowing us in at the moment we want to be prepared to go into facilities as they open up and allow us in. With new facilities and most likely pretty bare shelves/racks we want to be prepared to start running.

In Loving Service

Jess B.

**Public Information:** Open – Shane R. reporting - The PI Subcommittee met virtually on June 5th, 2021 with 5 addicts in attendance.

As of 6/6/2021 Chair & Vice Chair are open positions.

Facebook admin- Kathleen L, Amber S:

Facebook is open to posting without permission now and all is going well. I am also on the phone line and all is well there too.

Summit Stone Liaison- James R

Report for June 5, 2021

Outreach coordinator for Summitstone. We had been going in every 6 weeks for a presentation. They recently asked to up our number of presentations to 3 every six weeks and changed from Monday to Thursday (on at 4:30pm and another at 5pm) and Friday at 1pm, which I am unable to do. I mentioned I am not personally available on Thursday, and we also may have to look at what kind of resources we have available as things open back up, such as True North asking for meetings again, and other facilities to follow. Will give Jessica Sharp contact information to anyone willing to coordinate.

Also, I did email the facilities updated meeting lists and sent world updated information to update their database. Still have majority of PI stuff (flyers, tablecloth, flashdrive, etc., - other than what I gave to Mark M – Literature, stamp and business cards)

Thank you for allowing me to be of service,

James R

Phone Line- 6/6/21- Steve D

21 calls . Called some voice mails back. Ben from Drug Busters is singed up now so we are full again. We did some training . I would like to update the 12 step call list , which is rare , but would like to know who would ever be available for that if it is needed. Anyone from the subcommittee even ? . I still have a list of solid men and women's numbers to give people when they want them though to talk. ( Thanks man ,a pocket of time opened up for the people in my scene to rehearse so I am going now , see you at the wedding ) --

Web-servant- Dave A:

Made lots of updates to the meetings schedule and am getting the process down. I want to edit the Lit form that calculates the money so it will print out on 2 pages instead of three. Also want to add "booklet" to the group to differentiate between the IP and the actual booklet. I need group feedback about which mtgs still require masks to remove that request from the web or not. I think most will be no masks. If you have any questions just write me at [otwnaweb@gmail.com](mailto:otwnaweb@gmail.com). Thanks!

Literature- Mark M

5 June 2021 PI Lit Report

James gave me all the literature he had as well as what I ordered last month so I have \$72.85 in literature. He also left the stamp and all of his business cards.

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| Introductory Guide               | 1  | \$2.10 | \$2.10  |
| White Book                       | 1  | \$0.80 | \$0.80  |
| IP #17: Those in Treatment       | 17 | \$0.35 | \$5.95  |
| #1 Who What How Why              | 18 | \$0.25 | \$4.50  |
| #5 Another Look                  | 18 | \$0.25 | \$4.50  |
| #7 Am I an Addict                | 15 | \$0.25 | \$3.75  |
| #8 Just for Today                | 15 | \$0.25 | \$3.75  |
| #9 Living the Program            | 24 | \$0.25 | \$6.00  |
| #11 Sponsorship                  | 19 | \$0.25 | \$4.75  |
| #12 Triangle of Self-Obsession   | 14 | \$0.25 | \$3.50  |
| #13 By Young Addicts             | 18 | \$0.25 | \$4.50  |
| #14 One Addicts Experience       | 20 | \$0.25 | \$5.00  |
| #16 For the Newcomer             | 34 | \$0.25 | \$8.50  |
| #19 Self-Acceptance              | 14 | \$0.25 | \$3.50  |
| #22 Welcome to NA                | 18 | \$0.25 | \$4.50  |
| #23 Staying Clean on the Outside | 15 | \$0.25 | \$3.75  |
| #29 Introduction to NA Meetings  | 14 | \$0.25 | \$3.50  |
|                                  |    |        | \$72.85 |

I am ordering 10 each of the White Books and Introductory Guides and 20 of the Recovery and Relapse Ips for a total of \$34.00.

I did go out last week and there was not a lot of activity, but I did leave a bunch of literature with the Garcia House. That is a plus as I have not been able to go inside due to their protocols. In the future the chair will have to set up a specific time and date for replenishing literature at their request. I am still unable to get upstairs at the Work Release but left new meeting lists at the front desk. I will need to up my meeting lists to 50 to keep up with the demand.

In Loving Service,

Shane R

OTW ASC Vice Chair

- Trino asks about picking up area meeting lists. Would like to get some from Dave when they meet.

**Merchandise:** Amy K. reporting – June 2021 OTW AREA-

Merch met May 8, May 16, and May 30 this month.

Collected logos and selected winners for our next sales cycle.

We should have something to share with AREA at August area and will request funds in September for hoodies and beanies. Attached is information on assorted payment avenues for our area to consider as the body sees fit. Our budget is ready for submission, as well.

We still have assorted items from sales cycle 1 and 2 to sell and to donate upon request to activities for prizes. Merchandise made \$1431 total from January thru May. Just \$255 over the invested money. We are glad, as we wanted not to make money so much as to drum up some excitement. We feel we did a good job getting some fun items out there and infusing some unity into OTW with the gear. As always, feel free to correspond with any of the members of the merchandise subcommittee at

[otwmerch@gmail.com](mailto:otwmerch@gmail.com). Let us know what you'd like!

Merchandise Budget:

\$600 earmarked funds in September and March is sufficient. We require no additional supplies.

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Merch

**Literature:** Dana I. reporting –

Dave A report - Met with Dana and she showed me her process for ordering Lit. Very helpful. I gathered up the inventory and materials. I filled an order for Earned my Seat and delivered it to Patrick. I also filled an order for JFT and need to meet up with Shanna. Got an order from Hope Shot but ran out of Basic Texts. Got a huge order from Solutions group for over \$600 so I will be making a large order this month. Also, NAWs is doing an inventory from the 18<sup>th</sup> through first of July so no orders will be filled during that time. So, I need all orders by Wed the 9<sup>th</sup> to make sure we get it to them in time so that we don't have to wait the extra 2 weeks. I made a small order through Paypal and it worked great. I will be using that in the future because when I am done as treasurer the card issued to me will no longer be valid. Paypal will allow us to have a continuous method of payment not reliant on check signators.



Even though we do not have a July ASC I can go ahead and make an order as more groups are going to in person meetings and more lit will be needed. If we meet in person in August those orders will be ready but if not I will make sure groups get what they are paying for.

Dave A.

[da8654@gmail.com](mailto:da8654@gmail.com)

970-682-0437

Break

**Elections:**

**ASC Chair:** Shane Nominated and accepts nomination – **Shane elected!!**

**ASC Vice Chair:** No nominations

**ASC Secretary:** Lyndsay nominates Dana I – declines – has another position in mind, Dave nominates Jim M. – Jim declines. Shane Nominates Eric I – declines for now but will discuss with sponsor and will get back to us

**ASC Treasurer:** Dave nominates Trino and accepts nomination – **Trino elected!!**

**ASC Assistant Treasurer:** Dave nominates Dana and she accepts – **Dana Elected!!**

**Public Information:** No nomination

**Unfinished Business: None**

**Ad-hoc for service body inventory:** Last status was to table until we can meet in person. Shane R. is chair of inventory ad-hoc.

**New Business:**

- \$400 to activities for event in August and September – This motion is approved.
- Motion to send \$1000 to region – Seconded by Jim – Passes
- Dave brings up “cross-pollination” of groups, to support addicts and need for sponsors
- Plan to meet in August by Zoom consider then to meet at Oddfellows in September – will discuss at August ASC

**Proposals:**

- Proposal #1  
June 6/6  
Would AREA consider adding liaisons for WRCNA and the camp out in addition to CRCNA?

This serves to acknowledge all 3 Regional Events meant to fund raise and promote fellowship.

Made by Amy K. Merch chair

- Discussion –
  - Dave asks if any other areas have these open positions
  - Trino concerned with how many open positions we have.
  - Jim – Sees the point of these positions, **would be a guideline change so would need to take this back to groups**
- Proposal #2  
June 6, 2021  
Have the body consider adding web master/servant roles and duties to OTWASC guidelines.  
To promote adherence to 2nd Tradition and 9th Concept.  
Made by Amy K.
  - Discussion –
    - Dave states that since it is a function of the subcommittee, he doesn't have them in front of him
    - Amy would like to amend the proposal to add Webservant as it's own subcommittee that is included in our area

#### **Disbursements:**

Per Dave –

- Region \$1000
- Activities \$400
- Closing balance \$1972.53
  - Upcoming is \$600 to merchandise and then H&I will need money too
  - Large literature order
  - Leaves appx \$900 in account

#### **Announcements:**

Please take back to groups

H&I requests budget of \$250

PI Chair and Vice Chair are open

Merch Budget \$600 in September and March

Possible guideline changes – See Proposal 1 &2

**Next meeting August 8th, 2021 - 9AM - No ASC Meeting In July**

**Closed @ 11:16**