

Arizona Regional Service Committee of N.A
Agenda for May 17, 2009

- Call to order
- Serenity prayer
- 12 traditions
- 12 concepts
- Service prayer
- 1st Roll call
- Approve minutes and agenda
- Open Forum
- Announcements

Executive Committee Reports

1. Chair's report
2. Vice-Chair's report
3. RD's report
4. RD alt's report
5. BOD liaison's report, including site committee report
6. Treasurer's report
7. Vice-treasurer's report
8. Secretary's report

RCM Reports

- CAN
- East Valley
- Lake Havasu
- Mohave East
- Navapache
- Phoenix
- South Central
- Southeastern
- Southwestern
- Verde Valley
- West Valley
- Yavapai

Second Roll Call:

Subcommittee reports

- ARCNA
- Activities
- H&I
- Literature Review
- Public Relations
- Web Servant
- Ad Hoc: Bethany on Meeting Lists; Jeff on History of NA in AZ.

Old Business: Create Meeting List Update subcommittee.

New Business:

Distribution of funds

Closing Prayer

Next ARSC meeting: July 19, 2009

Arizona Regional Service Committee of N.A
Minutes from March 15, 2009

Secretary's Report;

March 15, 2009

Arizona Regional Service Committee Meeting

Opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer and members read the 12 Traditions, the 12 Concepts and the Service Prayer.

We had a Quorum with 16 Areas represented when the Temporary Secretary took the first roll call.

Northern Arizona has not been attending and Sherwood stated he would follow up. Other members mentioned that they are having their first Area meeting today and we had a moment of silence for them.

The minutes were approved from January's meeting and a member asked that we update the 'date' on the Roll Call list. It still stated November.

We moved the BOD report to Open Forum so that members could present their reports and recommendations. They stated that they needed 4 members and that Jim, the CEO and Mike, the Insurance Liaison are both due to roll off the committee. However, the committee is already short members and these two members stated their willingness to remain members and are willing to serve. They made an appeal to the Region to extend their service commitments.

Announcements:

Announced a Convention in the SE Area.

Executive Committee Reports were read and are attached.

Sherwood introduced Dana H. who is willing to serve and has been appointed the Vice-Treasurer. Dana H needs to send in his Statement of Willingness.

RCM Reports were read and are attached.

3 areas will mail their reports

There is a new RCM for Yuma, welcome Rodney.

Second Quorum was taken, 15 Areas represented.

Sub-Committee Reports

There was much discussion on the ARCNA elections. Two members are very willing to serve next year but due to the Sports Day, they could not attend. There were 2 objections because they needed to be here in order to be elected. Those 2 members need to show up and bring their Resume's to our next meeting and can be appointed until they are elected.

Much discussion on the Narathon group attending and/ or getting cooperation or affiliation between us and this group. The Chair directed the ARCNA Chair to take the issue back to her committee. She agreed, and stated that she has no problem telling them

they are welcome to attend; but we cannot get a room for them or put them on our meeting agenda. We can cooperate but not endorse, finance or lend our name to any other outside group.

Old Business

Create a Directory Committee to organize our meeting lists. This has been done and is considered very successful.

New Business

Nominate Greg W to the NA World position for the Human Resource Panel.

There were 3 ideas from P.I. Please review them, they are included in the minutes. Our guidelines state to let the BOD review the ideas and get back to us.

Action Items:

Please add the Service Resume to the minutes.

Add Statement of Willingness to the minutes.

Penny F. took notes for me this month and did a GREAT job. Thank you very much Penny.
Jerry H.

ARSCNA March 15, 2009 Roll Call

Executive Committee	Status	Name	July '08	Sept '08	Nov '08	Jan 09	Mar 09
Chair	In Service	Sherwood T		Present	Present	Present	Present
Vice-Chair							
RD	In Service	VINCE G		Present		Present	Present
RDA	In Service	KEN F		Present	Present	Present	Present
Treasurer	In Service	Deb W		Present	Present		Present
Vice-treasurer	In Service						
Secretary	In Service	Jerry H		Present	Present	Present	
Areas							
CAN RCM 1	Active	Laura G	Present	Present			
CAN RCM 2	Active	Doug Grasse	Present	Present			
East Valley RCM 1	Active	Angie K	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
East Valley RCM 2	Active	Cheryl		Present	Present	Present	Present
Lake Havasu RCM 1	Active	Ryan E	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
Lake Havasu RCM 2	Active	Rick H			Present	Present	Present
Mohave East RCM 1	Active	Robert P	Present	Present	Present	Present	
Mohave East RCM 2						Present	
Navapache RCM 1	Active	Carolyn G			Present	Present	Present
Navapache RCM 2							
Northern AZ RCM 1	Inactive						
Northern AZ RCM 2	Inactive						
Phoenix RCM 1	Active	Bethany H	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
Phoenix RCM 2	Active	Jim B	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
South Central RCM 1	Active	Jeff D	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
South Central RCM 2	Active						
Southeastern RCM 1	Active	Crystal B.	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
Southeastern RCM 2	Active	Craig H.	Present		Present		Present
Southwestern RCM 1	Active	Danny B	Present	Present			Present
Southwestern RCM 2				Present			
Verde Valley RCM 1	Active	Jimmie R	Present	Present		Present	Present
Verde Valley RCM 2	Active	Cece S	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
West Valley RCM 1	Active	Trish S		Present	Present	Present	Present
West Valley RCM 2			Present				
Yavapai RCM 1	Active	Cathy	Present	Present	Present		Present
Yavapai RCM 2		Vickie				Present	Present
Committees							
ARCNA Chair	In Service	Ellen S		Present	Present	Present	Present
ARCNA Vice Chair	In Service	Dana G		Present	Present		
Activities	In Service	Kevin U		Present		Present	
H&I	In Service	Jason S		Present	Present	Present	Present
Literature Review	Vacant						
Public Relations	In Service	GREG W		Present	Present		Present
Web Servant	In Service	KEN M		Present	Present	Present	Present
BOD liaison	In Service	Michael C		Present	Present	Present	Present
Directory Meeting	In Service	Bethany		Present	Present	Present	Present
History of NA in AZ.	In Service	Jeff T.		Present			

Arizona Regional Service Committee March 2009

Chair Report

There are several items which need to be discussed today that are not on the agenda. Since NA is not insulated from the world economy we need to take a look at our budgets, spending income and fund raising. We need to focus on what is important for us and not just what sounds important. I have asked the ARSC treasurer to review our spending trends and advise this body on any actions that could help us remain capable of carrying out our responsibilities to the areas in the Arizona Region. The bottom line is what kind of bang are we getting for our buck.

Next I would like to say for the record, the regional tax ID number is not for general use by the fellowship or its sub-committees, it may only be used after a review by the BOD and approval of the ARSC. As a matter of fact, the only reason we have a tax ID number is to meet state and federal requirements for the corporation.

Today we will be deciding if we are going to accept or reject the newly revised Regional and BOD guidelines. Also today is when nominations are due to be accepted for the Regional Convention (ARCNA) Chairperson, Vice- Chair, and Treasurer, see page 10 in Regional guidelines. These nominees should be present today and the elections will take place in May.

Our current secretary, Jerry H., is out of town so I have asked Penny F. if she would sit in and serve this body for our meeting today. Penny is experienced, qualified and willing. It is my intention that with her help it will free up all of our regular members to fully participate in our process and give full attention to their present tasks.

I was also contacted by Dennis H. of Yuma to help clarify some issues that the Yuma area was having in their effort to put on a combined area convention. After talking over some technical items, I did commit the support and cooperation of the Arizona region to their cause, just as we would support and cooperate with any other NA convention.

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Always at your service

Sherwood T.

All, here is the Treasury report for March. As you can see, I included the BOD withdrawl in this month's report because we will not likely be recieving any further donations before the end of April. If the insurance is due in March or April and the money is needed...then waiting until there is "enough" is moot. =) The region will be left with a balance of \$1500 for April and May business (noting that budgeted out-going funds for May are estimated at \$5K and we average only \$3K income each region now). There was no donation made to world (for obvious reasons). The chair asked all sub-committees to seriously review thier budgets for next region and re-submit them with the appropriate modifications (keeping only the necessary expenses in thier budgets).

Let me know if you have any questions.

Deb

<u>ARSC INC. CASH ACCOUNT SUMMARY</u>					
BANK ACCOUNT	9956754	MONTH OF	March		
Balance at beginning of the month:				----->	\$4,903.01
Checks written during this month:					
DATE	CHECK #	PAYEE	REASON		AMOUNT
3/15/09	1674	CeCe Saimo	mileage		67.20
3/15/09	1675	Ryan Eckhardt	mileage		118.80
3/15/09	1676	Robert P	mileage		128.00
3/15/09	1677	Arizonal Correctional Industries	regional meeting lists		1,719.58
3/15/09	1678	Jason	lit and shipping from Jan recon		22.07
3/15/09	1679	Bethany H	postage to deliver directories		39.40
					void (she returned it as a donation to region)
3/15/09	1680	valerie daPonty	food for reg assy		145.79
3/15/09	1681	Greg Williams	lit reimbursement from Jan		122.40
3/15/09	1682	Vince Glisson	per diem for workshop in Oakland		150.00
3/15/09	1683	Ken Farabee	Printing and supply		222.99
3/15/09	1684	Ken Farabee	expense report recon		115.78
3/15/09	1685	Carolyn Gonzales	seed money for festival of recovery		1,000.00
3/15/09	EFT	EFT	BOD Budget		2,267.79
3/15/09	1686	Rodney helland	mileage		109.20
3/15/09	1687	Cathy Mance	mileage		56.40
3/15/09	1688	Crystal Bethea	mileage		70.20
3/15/09	1689	Craig Hamilton	mileage		70.20
3/15/09	1690	Jeff DiGiulio	mileage		33.00
TOTAL CHECKS WRITTEN				----->	6,456.80
Deposits made during this month:					
DATE		SOURCE			AMOUNT
3/15/09		PASC			1,476.66
3/15/09		? (source not on Money order)			340.00
3/15/09		EVNA			175.00
3/15/09		Mohave County East			100.00
3/15/09		AJNA			31.14
3/15/09		EVNA			458.18
3/15/09		AJNA			49.36
3/15/09		CANNA			299.35
3/15/09		Verde Valley			100.00
3/15/09		Navapache			50.00
3/15/09		Bethany H (returned check 1679 to region as donation)			39.40

All, here is the budget analysis YTD (fiscal). If you are a subcommittee chair, please review and revise as necessary. Thanks. Deb

Arizona Region Budget 2008-2009

Expense	Sept	Nov	Jan	March	May	July	Total
Admin	\$1,072.00	\$200.00	\$800.00	\$949.52	\$800.00	\$200.00	\$4,021.52
<i>Admin Actual</i>	\$15.18	\$106.00	\$0.00	\$2,985.19	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,106.37
Admin Difference	\$1,056.82	\$94.00	\$800.00	(\$2,035.67)	\$800.00	\$200.00	\$1,915.15
RD's	\$1,000.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,200.00	\$8,200.00
<i>RD's Actual</i>	\$289.84	\$1,582.01	\$230.60	\$634.56	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,737.01
RD's Diffence	\$710.16	(\$1,382.01)	(\$30.60)	\$365.44	\$2,000.00	\$2,200.00	\$3,462.99
H & I	\$2,407.40	\$707.40	\$707.40	\$707.40	\$1,607.40	\$707.40	\$6,844.40
<i>H & I Actual</i>	\$400.00	\$100.00	\$800.00	\$22.07	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,322.07
H & I Difference	\$2,007.40	\$607.40	(\$92.60)	\$685.33	\$1,607.40	\$707.40	\$5,522.33
BOD	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,600.00
<i>BOD Actual</i>	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,267.79	\$2,267.79	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,535.58
BOD Difference	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,332.21	(\$2,267.79)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,064.42
PR	\$3,030.00	\$300.00	\$410.00	\$1,068.00	\$1,118.00	\$1,818.00	\$6,826.00
<i>PR actual</i>	\$1,755.78	\$600.00	\$0.00	(\$103.81)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,375.97
PR Difference	\$1,274.22	(\$300.00)	\$410.00	\$1,171.81	\$1,118.00	\$1,818.00	\$5,450.03
Milage	\$1,373.86	\$1,373.86	\$1,373.86	\$1,373.86	\$1,373.86	\$1,373.86	\$8,243.16
<i>Milage ACTUAL</i>	\$598.20	\$678.60	\$587.40	\$651.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,515.20
Milage Difference	\$775.66	\$695.26	\$786.46	\$722.86	\$1,373.86	\$1,373.86	\$5,727.96
Budgeted for Period	\$3,845.86	\$1,873.86	\$9,681.26	\$4,030.78	\$5,781.26	\$4,481.26	\$33,909.08
<i>Actual for Period</i>	\$3,059.00	\$3,066.61	\$3,885.79	\$6,456.80	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$15,216.23
Difference for Period	\$2,942.64	\$14.65	\$5,795.47	(\$2,923.97)	\$5,781.26	\$4,481.26	\$18,692.85

Sunday, March 15, 2009

RD-Alt report

- Attended the meeting of the Flagstaff and Williams home groups meeting about reforming the Northern Area after the January region
- Worked with the Directory Committee
- Helped put on a workshop for the PASC on CDBM area
- Attended the World Wide Workshop in Oakland at the end of February.
 - Naws Upde on Friday night
 - Building Strong Home. This is a older workshop but is a reminder that this will help home groups in handling issues as they may arise
 - Our Freedom / Our Responsibility
 - Leadership in Na session 1
 - Leadership in Na session 2
 - Wrap up meeting on what we learned and a Q/A session with Naws staff and World BOD members
- Regional Assembly
 - Thanks to South Central Area for hosting the event. South Central Rocks
 - Had 5 RCM's, 36 other member. At breaks the RCMS were talking about how to get better attendance. I am asking that all the RCM's get ideas from the areas for one hour slot that the GSR's want to bring up and work on. The RCM's will pick the topic for the next assembly.
 - As soon as the notes are typed up we will sending them out the RCM's and to NAWS.
- Updates from NAWS
 - The new webpage is up and is in use. Hint if you cannot find what you are looking for go to the site map.
 - Review and Input cycle for the following Keeping it and Giving it away proposed revision to In times of Illness are out for fellowship input until May 30. The RCM's have received copies for their areas.
 - New input for the leaving clean project has been passed out to the RCM's for use in their areas. South east area has asked or help with doing this.
 - Pre registration for WCNA-33 is down from past world conventions. If you are going please register. This will help NAWS with contracts for convention space.
 - The Human resource panel will be distributing new form in March to completed by a regions, zones, and the World Board to submit interested members who want to server on the World Board. We had two members from Arizona at the last conference who were interested in serving on the World Board. The submission are due bu October 31. Individuals who wish to be considered need to submit or update their World Pool form by August 31.

In Service

Ken F.

RDA

rda@arizona-na.org

602-616-7182

March 13, 2009

Regional Activities Report

Good morning family,

I am out of town for both business and pleasure. My flight lands tonight at 8:30 pm tonight. This is my seconded absent in this term, not sure what this means, all thou I wanted to let you know. The web site was up to date when I left on March 6. I just checked it and there are two events to post. I will get these posted this Monday.

Please send all info to Webservant@Arizona-NA.org or click To Post an Event email the [Webservant](#) on the calendar page. Please send me all activities information and service meeting information in your area that you would like to be posted on the calendar. I am here to serve and help your activities chair for your area, please give them my info.

Today is the ARCNA regional sports day and you all are here so when this is done, go to the park, eat great food, and play!

Thank you for letting me be of service,
Kevin U. – Regional Activities Chair
623-203-5090 24/7

Hello Family,

We are getting excited and working hard as ARCNA 23 approaches! As you know, we have Sports Day today – our last of three fundraising events. Dana, the ARCNA 23 Vice-Chair is leading this event and we appreciate the help of Kevin U with all the arrangements.

Hotel Update

Rooms Still Available at the \$119 Rate!

We sold our room block and have asked the board to sign an addendum for additional rooms. Room block has been raised to 395.

As of yesterday we have 369 room nights reserved – yeah! –so we will be probably be coming back to the board soon requesting another addition. We will continue to request additional rooms as our numbers go up. We should be able to keep raising that block until May 1st, unless the rooms in the hotel run out. So, if you are told that are room block has sold out – either by phone or online – then you can call the hotel directly. See the contact information below. Or feel free to call me. (Ellen 520-907-4093)

Suites Now Available!

Although the contract does not call for suites, the hotel agreed to provide us with these options.

The Executive Suites upgrade is \$100 + group rate= \$219

The Luxury Suites upgrade is \$150+ group rate= \$269.

- These suites can only be reserved by calling Starr Pass in Tucson directly. The 800 number does not have this information. The website does not have this information.
- The hotel is providing this option only by calling the property directly.
- Call Joanie Upham at (520)791-6153 or Alejandra Tormey at (520)791-6151.
- The suites are not on our contract so we will not be charged if we do not use them but we do get credit for them.

Motorcycle parking update

There will be an area in the underground parking roped off for motorcycles!

Coffee

We do have a Starbucks on the premises at this hotel. In addition, the hotel may also put up a coffee cart. We have asked them for prices of items on that coffee cart. We'll keep you posted.

Nar-anon

I have been contacted by a member of Nar-anon. It's a bit late to try and get an additional space for them to have a meeting – but we have asked the hotel and will hear back soon.

Registration Update

We really need more pre-registrations! Please remind the groups in your area to spread the word. You can save 10 dollars by pre-registering. You can also purchase a unique and cool visor. The discounted pre-registration ends on April 15th! Currently, we have received 69 Registrations. We hope you will start encouraging folks to register. Remember that Registration helps pay for the meeting space, AV needs, banner hanging, as well as the cool stuff you will get in your registration packets. Thanks for helping us spread the word!

Program Update

Our Program committee really wants to involve the whole region in ARCNA 23. We haven't got much response from our flyers or emails. I am asking you today to provide a few recommended speakers with contact information for Workshops from your areas. Workshop speakers should have at least 3 years clean, have not shared at ARCNA for at least 3 years, and carry a strong NA message. In addition, I'll take names and contact information on folks that can lead/read at the workshops. I'm passing around a signup sheet today. I did get some names and numbers from Casa Grande, Yuma, and Tucson. Thanks!

We have quite a few workshops this year including a few interactive and a couple of Spanish meetings. Our main speakers will be Cathy M from Prescott, Bob Mc from Pennsylvania, and Dan T from Sacramento.

Alternative Merchandise

All interested in selling Alternative Merchandise can let me know. We are asking that people do not sell jewelry since this will conflict with our jewelry vendor. The tables will be set up for Alternative Merchandise on Sunday morning only, as usual.

Financial Summary

Jacki, our treasurer has submitted the financial details to the Board. Here is a summary:

Income:

Fundraising 1640.88

Registration 6117.89

Total: 7758.77

Expense: 9478.26

Restaurants and Hotels Nearby

A list of alternate hotels and restaurants are attached on the next page. The region asked me for this information and our Registration chair provided this list. We will have this available at the Convention Information desk as well.

**Let me know if you have any questions. In loving fellowship,
Ellen S**

Nearby Restaurants and Hotel

NEARBY HOTELS

Days Inn

222 S. Freeway Rd.
(520) 791-7511

Howard Johnson

1010 S. Freeway Rd.
(520) 622-5871

Inn Suites Hotel

475 S. Granada Ave.
(520) 622-3000

La Quinta Inn

750 W. Starr Pass Blvd.
(520) 624-4455

Motel 6

1222 S. Freeway Blvd.
(520) 624-2516

Radisson-City Center

181 W. Broadway Blvd.
(520) 624-8711

Ramada Inn

665 N. Freeway Rd.
(520) 622-6491

Riverpark Inn

350 S. Feeway Rd.
(520) 239-2300

NEARBY RESTAURANTS

DOWNTOWN AREA**Cafe Milano (Italian)**

46 W Congress St 85701
(520) 628.1601

Cafe Poca Cosa (Mexican)

110 E Pennington St 85701
(520) 622-6400

El Minuto Cafe (Mexican)

354 S Main Ave 85701
(520) 882-4145

Barrio Grill (Continental)

135 S. 6th Ave 85701
(520) 629-0191

FRONTAGE & ST. MARY'S AREA**Subway**

1503 W. St. Marys Rd. 85745
(520) 791-7827

Waffle House

709 W. Starr Pass Blvd 85713
(520) 792-9393

St. Mary's Mexican Food

1030 W. St. Marys Road 85745
(520) 882-1629

Dragon View Restaurant

400 N. Bonita Ave. 85745
(520) 623-9855

came to believe *made direct amends*

became willing **WE** *admitted* humbly asked

were entirely ready

sought *carried the message*

Personal Recovery Depends On NA Unity
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Please indicate any special needs:

Have special needs?

Hospitality Room

I would like to help in the

Marathon Meeting

I would like to chair a

Want to get involved?

Tucson, AZ 85732-2746

PO Box 12746

ARCNA XXIII

“WE”

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Why do we register?

Registration fees pay for the hotel facilities that we use for our convention. These fees are also used to help carry the message of NA in our region and worldwide, including providing for newcomers at this convention. As our fellowship grows, so does the demand for meeting space. This means we need to look for bigger facilities, at an increased cost. Our 7th Tradition states, “We should be fully self-supporting through our own contributions...”

Hotel Information

IW Marriott Star Pass Resort
3800 W Starr Pass Blvd
Tucson, AZ 85745-5115

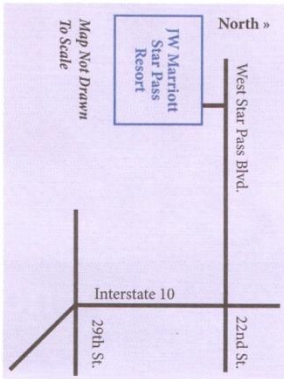
Room Rates

\$119.00 single or double

Reservations

Telephone: 888-527-8989

Website: <http://iwmarriottstarpass.com>



To get special convention room rates, you must mention “ARCARCA” when calling or using the website.

Please Note: There are exit restrictions on Interstate 10 due to construction. Those arriving on I-10 southbound must exit at Pryor Rd and continue south on the frontage road to Starr Pass Blvd. Those arriving on I-10 northbound must exit at the 29th Street exit and continue north on the frontage road to 22nd Street/Starr Pass Blvd.

Convention Committee

Chair: Ellen S. 520-907-4093 ARCNA_Chair@arizona-na.org
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Program: Michael M. 520-820-8004 ARCNA_Program@arizona-na.org
Arts & Graphics: John B. 520-870-0355 ARCNA_Graphics@arizona-na.org

Additional copies of this registration flyer can be downloaded from the ARCNA XXIII website:

<http://www.arizona-na.org/arcna/>

ARCNA XXIII Event Registration

Item	Quantity	Price	Sub Total
Full Pre-Registration Package (Before April 15, 2009) - Save \$10 **Includes registration & Friday night dance, Saturday Banquet and Comedy Show, Sunday Breakfast. Beef ____ Chick ____ Veg ____		x \$105 = **Save \$10**	
Pre-Registration (Before April 15, 2009) Includes Friday night dance.		x \$25 =	
Registration (After April 15, 2009) Includes Friday night dance.		x \$35 =	
Saturday Evening Banquet Beef ____ Chick ____ Veg ____		x \$40 =	
Saturday Evening Comedy Show		x \$12 =	
Sunday Morning Breakfast		x \$28 =	
Pre-Registration Convention Visitor - This special back view will be available for purchase for those who register for this event and attend only through pre-registration. It's perfect for those who are unable to attend on the main event, paying gold, or raising or points and ticks. Quantities are limited!!		x \$8 =	
Gifts 'n' Back/Newcomer Donation - Items collected will be used for purchase of Registration, Banquet Meal, Comedy Show and Dance Tickets for the Newcomer!		\$10 suggested We give you the call	
Total Amount Enclosed:			

Your registration packet will be available for pick up at the registration table at the event. Please complete the following information so that we may identify you at the event or contact you if we have any questions or information about your registration.

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone: () _____ Email: _____

Charge my registration to this credit card:

Name on Card _____
Card No. _____
Exp. Date _____
Visa _____ Mastercard _____
Signature _____

Complete and mail this form to:

ARCNA XXIII, PO Box 12746, Tucson, AZ 85732-2746

Make checks payable to ARCNA • ALL PRE-REGISTRATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY APRIL 15, 2009

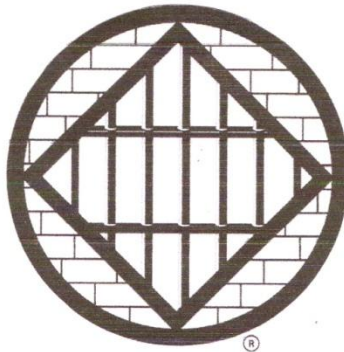
ARSC H&I REPORT FOR MARCH 15, 2009

Hello to everyone in the Arizona Region! Today is a momentous day in the development of the H&I subcommittee. I feel confident that today we will approve amendments regarding Sponsorship behind the walls to the ARSC H&I Guidelines. We have not fulfilled our mission to carry the message in this way before and we have been wrong to ignore it. Today, we as a Region get to amend our behavior and change for the better! Think of it as a Ninth Step on a Regional level. The important thing to remember when reviewing the new addendum is that this is only one method of Sponsorship for addicts incarcerated in an institution. This method, however, has proven to be successful in other Regions.

It was a very busy two months. I ordered \$793.14 worth of literature and distributed it, as requested, to ASPC Perryville, ASPC Kingman, Yavapai Jail and South Central Area H&I. I answered four letters from inmates, two of which were requesting Sponsorship. Finally, I wrote guidelines mostly based on the model provided by the Central California Regional Sponsorship Behind the Walls Subcommittee. The biggest difference is that ours will not be an independent Subcommittee. It will be a part of the H&I Subcommittee and all decisions regarding Sponsorship will be addressed by the Subcommittee. Sponsors will not have previously known their sponsees and no arrangements for rides, visits, loans, phone calls, correspondence material, photos, books, drawings, tapes, etc. will be made between the sponsor and sponsee. Sponsorship is the heartbeat of NA and now the addict behind the walls will have a heartbeat.

Love and Service,

Jason Smith



These will be added to current guidelines ~

II. Function of the subcommittee

- L. Provide Sponsors to those addicts who are incarcerated for at least 1 year in an institution.
 1. All interaction will be through the mail.
 2. All mail will be sent via the ARSC P.O. Box, with no last names, addresses, phone numbers or email addresses given to the inmates.
 3. Sponsors will use first names only, as decided by the sponsor. "Correspondence only agreements" with these signatures will be filed with the H&I subcommittee.
 4. The sponsor will have an individual sponsee assigned to him/her by the subcommittee in the order that the sponsor has qualified for participation and an addict of the same sex becomes available.
 5. The sponsor must have had no prior knowledge of his/her assigned sponsee. He/she cannot have met the person he/she will be assigned to for sponsorship at any time during his/her life.
 6. After the chairperson or the subcommittee reads the first letter, all correspondence between the sponsor and sponsee is confidential.
 7. The Sponsorship Coordinator will log all incoming and outgoing letters by date, with the name and facility of the inmate, sponsor, and phone number so we can make inquiries of the status between the sponsor and sponsee.
 8. NO ARRANGEMENTS FOR RIDES, VISITS, LOANS, PHONE CALLS, MATERIALS FOR CORRESPONDENCE, PHOTOS, BOOKS, DRAWINGS, TAPES, FAMILY MEMBER CONTACT, ETC. WILL BE MADE BETWEEN THE SPONSOR AND SPONSEE.
 9. The 12 Traditions of Narcotics Anonymous will be strictly upheld.
 10. All rules and regulations of the facility will be strictly upheld.
 11. Only women will write women and only men will write men.
 12. All members of the H&I subcommittee are required to attend our meetings. Loss of clean time, non-fulfillment of duties, or missing 2 consecutive meetings without prior notification may result in removal from service position by a simple majority vote of the subcommittee.

III. Subcommittee Membership

Membership on the ARSC subcommittee shall consist of...Regional literature disbursement coordinator, Sponsorship coordinator, Sponsors. Chairpersons of the recognized...

VI. Qualifications and Responsibilities

H. Regional Sponsorship Coordinator

1. Three year clean time requirement.
2. Elected by the ARSC H&I Subcommittee
3. Must have previously worked all 12 steps with an NA sponsor, ~~using the NA Step Working Guides.~~
4. Must have at least 1 year experience doing NA H&I work.
5. It is the Regional Sponsorship Coordinator's responsibility to see that sponsorship is conducted in accordance with the policies of the ARSC H&I subcommittee and the rules of the facilities.
6. Keep an updated list of ARSC H&I sponsors and potential sponsors.
7. Assign sponsors to inmates (same sex only).
8. Attend all regional H&I meetings and submit a report at each meeting.
9. Help solve problems that arise in sponsor/sponsee relations.

I. Sponsors

1. Two year clean time requirement.
2. Must be off probation/ parole.
3. Must have previously worked all 12 steps with an NA sponsor.
4. Must meet all requirements of facilities.
5. Must always keep in mind that they are representing the ARSC H&I subcommittee of NA when interacting with sponsees.
6. Must carry a clear NA message, using NA language consistent with that message.
7. Must reply to letters from sponsees within 2 weeks from date received. Must report resignation to Sponsorship Coordinator or Regional H&I Chair when unable to continue a sponsorship relationship.
8. Must abide by the 12 Traditions of NA, the ARSC H&I guidelines and the rules of the facilities. Failure to do so may result in termination of sponsorship privileges.
9. Must attend Regional H&I meetings. May be removed by a simple majority vote of the subcommittee.



Arizona Regional Service Literature Committee | jimbservant@me.com

March 15, 2009

Arizona Regional Service Literature Committee

Dear Fellow Members,

In Narcotics Anonymous we write our own literature. It isn't written for us by doctors, lawyers or clergy, as is done in many other fellowships. From the newest newcomer to the longest predecessor, we write it.

It isn't that often that we come together to contribute on an entirely new book, this is one of those times. The Books name will be, **Living Clean** and here is how you can contribute;

Narcotics Anonymous World Services (NAWS) is requesting that members fill out the living clean survey. Here are the Questions:

Think about a time when it didn't seem to make sense to stay in NA. What made you recommit? What did someone say that clicked? What happened that made going to meetings, or working a program feel meaningful again? How did another addict get in when the walls were up?

What obstacles along the path have you overcome? What warnings would you caution others in recovery? What was the closest call to a relapse you have encountered?

Tell us about the things you've heard or experiences you've had that have stuck with you throughout your recovery. What are the experiences that deepened your recovery? What gems have you heard shared that made an old message seem new? What lessons have you learned in recovery that changed your perspective and caused you to appreciate your recovery on a deeper level?

Please give your email address so we can contact you if we need some clarification.

Include this statement along with your signature with your submission;
I agree NAWS may use my experience as needed in the development of the Living Clean Project.
Members may fill out the form on line or send them to NAWS, Living Clean: PO Box 9999 Van Nuys Ca 91409.
You may also submit the information directly to me at the e-mail address below.

If you would like to be a part of a literature work group on our subcommittee please email me at: jimbservant@me.com, or call and leave a message at: 602-435-5747.

It isn't necessary to write perfectly, just do your best and it will be cleaned up by a literature work group.

In Loving Service,

Jim B.

EVANA MARCH RCM REPORT

Hello family,

East valley area is doing well. Here is what has been happening in our area:

*At the request of our GSR's we are currently having a GSR forum before each EVA Committee meeting.*Our H & I subcommittee mentioned they have 4 facilities that could use more help,
*PI is in the process of possible changing they're committee name to PR instead of PI,*At our last area meeting our bluesfest chair did resign from his position as the chair and the logo for the bluesfest tshirts was voted on at the assembly *Starting next month we will begin the process of elections in our area,*Over the last few months an ad-hoc committee was started to go over our area budget. And most of all the East Valley wanted to express that they appreciate all the work the regional directory committee has done on the meeting list and is still doing to be of service.Regional directory YOU ROCK!!!

Next is a list of events coming up within our area:

- 1.) A.J.N.A campfire meeting 03/21/09 at lost dutchmans park 7:00pm.
- 2.)Home Sweet Home is hosting spring fling on 04/18/09 at Tempe Daley Park 11am - 7pm
- 3.)Skyline serenity hike is on March 28th at Pastewa Park and the next one is on April 25th at Bryce Thompson arborteum.
- 4.) Cosmic Bowling on April 4th 10:00pm to 1:00 am
- 5.) March dance Friday March 20th (See Flyer)
- 6.) Sock Hop dance April 17th(See Flyer)

That is all we have to report at this time

Thanks for letting us be of service,

Angie K & Cheryl W

* East Valley is making a donation of \$175.00 today

Mohamud

RCM1 Robert P. 3-15-09

We have 8 meetings a week and a
800 number for our area for over 6 months
also, \$100.00 for AZ Region

Thanks for letting me serve

Robert P.



REGIONAL COMMITTEE MEMBER II
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March 15, 2009

ARIZONA REGIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

P.O. BOX 1351
PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85001

Service Resume for Literature Chairperson

Name: Jim B.

Address: 4225 N. 36th St no 17 Phoenix, Arizona 85018

Phone: 602-435-5747 Fax; 602-956-8703

Clean Time: 29 years 11 months Home Group: Options for Us, Phoenix Area

ARSC Position sought; Literature Chairperson

Current Service Positions; Treasurer, Options for Us Group, Regional Committee Member II, Phoenix Area Service Committee.

Previous Service Positions Relevant to Literature Committee; Review & Input NA Basic Text, College Group, Fayetteville Ark 1981. Review & Input It Works, How and Why (12 Traditions) San Diego Area Literature Committee, 1982. World Literature Workshop It Works, How and Why 1984. Helped author Newsletter Handbook, Phone-line Handbook, Hospitals and Institutions Handbook. 1984-1987. Newsletter Chairperson San Diego Area 1982 Newsletter Chairperson San Diego / Imperial Region 1984-1986.

Relevant professional positions held: Technical Illustrator / Writer Clark Equipment Company 1979. Illustrator NA Way Magazine, WSO Inc. 1985-1988.

What can you offer this position if elected? I am passionate about carrying a consistent NA message of recovery through our literature, and believe that I can help Arizona Region become directly involved in this process.

What are some of your goals for this position if elected? I hope to promote and nurture a passion to be a part of our literature in every addict in the same way it was nurtured in me by my predecessors. We have an important opportunity to be a part of a new book in NA "Living Clean", and I don't want Arizona Region to miss out on the chance to be a major contributor to this piece of literature.

In Loving Service,

Jim B.

South Central Arizona Regional Report

YESTERDAY, SOUTH CENTRAL HOSTED THE REGIONAL ASSEMBLY. ALL WHO ATTENDED WERE WELL INFORMED AND WELL FED.

EARLIER THIS MONTH WE HELD OUR ANNUAL SPONSORSHIP APPRECIATION LUAU. THE FLYER FOR THIS EVENT DIDN'T MAKE IT TO OUR WEBSITE, BUT THE EVENT WAS ATTENDED BY MANY. WE WERE TREATED TO LIVE HULA DANCING.

OUR AREA MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR NEXT WEEK, SO NOT MUCH ELSE TO REPORT. SOUTH CENTRAL ROCKS!

**THANKS,
JEFF D. SCAZ RCM1**

Hello Family,
Well long time no see, our area has just completed our election process, and I am the RCM1 for our area, so we'll be here for the next 2 yrs! sorry! We are doing big things in yuma and we are gearing up for our first Annual M.A.C.C.N.A. 1, Kathy K. (Jimmy K's daughter) has agreed to speak at our convention so were really excited about that! California and Mexico have come on board. We are currently are in the process of Inc. And from this point forward our area will be represented at this body, we got a little distracted due to the Convention, If you have a desire to speak or know someone who wishes to please Contact us
@ MACCNA1@GMAIL.com or the convention website @ [HTTP://sites.google.com/site/maccn1](http://sites.google.com/site/maccn1) for Loving Service

Andy H.
RCM1 SWAZ

RCM I Report to the Arizona Region from the SEASC

3-15-09

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Crystal B.

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VERDE VALLEY AREA

MARCH 15, 2009

RCM 1

CECES.

VERDE VALLEY IS DOING WELL.
EVERYBODIES HIGHER POWER WAS WITH
THEM AT OUR LAST AREA MEETING AND
IT WAS OUR BEST MEETING IN MONTHES.
WE ALL AGREED ON OUR MONEY
MATTERS & OUR PROPOSED BUDGETS
WERE ACCEPTED BY OUR AREA MEMBERS.

MARCH 25 IS OUR SPRING PICNIC
AT RIVERFRONT PARK IN COTTONWOOD AT
1PM. MARCH 28 IS OUR MARCH AGAINST
METH IN COTTONWOOD. PHONE LINE IS
STILL WAITING FOR DEBIT CARD SO
THEY CAN GET PHONE LINE UP AND
RUNNING. OUR AREA IS SWITCHING
BANKS SO WE CAN GET A DEBIT CARD.
THANKYOU BETHANY FOR HAND
DELIVERING OUR REGIONAL MEETING LISTS
TO A SEDONA MEETING.

WE HAVE A 100th DONATION TO
REGION -

- LOVING SERVICE, CECES.

West Valley AREA

March 15, 2009

The West Valley currently has all but one of our positions filled. We are still looking for a vice chair. The West Valley is implementing guidelines that will create a set of checks + balances that will ensure fiscal responsibility and transparency in our monetary expenditures. Due to the timing of Region and our area meeting the West Valley does not have a donation at this time. We do have a new RCM II Chuck W. ~~W.~~ He was unable to attend this meeting due to a prior commitment.

Yours in Service

Trish S

YAVAPAI AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
RCM REPORT MARCH 15, 2009

Our Area is doing great. Addicts are staying clean and the NA message is being carried.

Our H&I subcommittee held its annual H&I orientation after our Area meeting on March 1, 2009. H&I panel members are required to have at least one year of clean time and attend an H&I orientation before going into local facilities. Addicts who serve on NA panels in jails or juvenile detention centers must meet additional requirements established by those facilities. The "Do's and Don'ts" for H&I panel members are reviewed every three months during our regular H&I meetings.

The Yavapai County Jail in Prescott is shutting down on April 1, 2009. Inmates are already being transferred to the Yavapai County Jail in Camp Verde. (No panel meetings were allowed in the Prescott jail after February 28, 2009.) Some addicts have shown an interest in being cleared to go into the Camp Verde jail with members of the Verde Valley H&I subcommittee.

We discussed the possibility of carrying more NA panel meetings into other facilities in our Area. (There are numerous half way houses in Prescott.) One of the issues raised was whether to carry NA panel meetings into facilities that only allow their clients to attend outside meetings of another 12 step fellowship.

Our Public Relations subcommittee keeps several racks filled with meeting lists and information about Narcotics Anonymous in places where this information can be accessed by the public. The PR Chair gathered a

list of NA members who are interested in being part of PR panels. Our Area has requested that Regional Meeting lists be mailed to our PR Chair:

Rick M.

7220 E. Alto Desierto Road

Prescott Valley, AZ 86314

The Yavapai Area is hosting an NA barbecue (carne asada) at Granite Creek Park in Prescott on March 28, 2009. The event starts at 12:00 PM. A speaker meeting is scheduled for 2:00 PM.

We have a \$340⁰⁰ donation for Region this month.

Thank you for letting us be of service.

Together in NA,

Cathy M

Yavapai Aea RCM 1

Vickie W.

Yavapia Area RCM 2

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#1 New Business

3/15/09

SUGGESTION:

THAT THE ARIZONA REGIONAL SERVICE
COMMITTEE NOMINATE GREG
WILLIAMS FOR A WORLD BOARD
POSITION

INTENT:

to allow GREG WILLIAMS to
BE CONSIDERED FOR A NOMINATION
BY THE WORLD HUMAN RESOURCE PANEL

Submitted by Bethany H /

IDEA _____ 3/15/09 _____

TO ADD THE FOLLOWING TO THE
ARSC H+I GUIDELINES:

II. FUNCTION OF SUBCOMMITTEE

L. PROVIDE SPONSORS...

MAKER: JASON (H+I)

SECONDED BY: *Bethany H*

IDEA _____ 3/15/09 _____

TO ADD THE FOLLOWING TO THE ARSC
H+I GUIDELINES:

III. SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP
MEMBERSHIP ON THE ARSC...

... SPONSORSHIP COORDINATOR, SPONSOR.
CHAIRPERSONS OF THE RECOGNIZED...

MAKER: JASON (H+I)

SECONDED BY: *Bethany H*

IDEA _____

3/15/09

TO ADD THE FOLLOWING TO THE
ARSC H+I GUIDELINES:

VI. QUALIFICATIONS + RESPONSIBILITIES
H. REGIONAL SPONSORSHIP COORDINATOR

I. SPONSORS

MAKER = JASON (H+I)

SECONDED BY: *Bethany H*

STATEMENT OF WILLINGNESS AND QUALIFICATION

Before completing your ARSC resume form, we would like to let you know a little more about service at the Regional level.

The position that you have been nominated for will require you to make a commitment of at least one year. This means that you may be asked to make a considerable investment of your time. Certainly you will have tasks to do at home in your spare time, such as writing reports and discussing plans and objectives of your service work.

As well as attending your Sub-committee meetings, Sub-committee Chairpersons are expected to attend the ARSC meeting every two months. ASRs, ASR Alternates and ARSC officers are expected to attend the ARSC meeting every two months. All members are expected to stay until the close of the ARSC meeting, sometimes as long as seven hours. In order to provide our fellowship with the very best service possible, we ask you to consider carefully the responsibilities that go with the elected position for which you may be nominated. You may wish to consult your family and or your sponsor.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS ARIZONA REGIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE (ARSC) RESUME

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ WORK # (if available): _____

CLEAN TIME: _____ HOME GROUP: _____

ARSC Position you are seeking: _____

Please list your previous Service Commitments in NA: _____

What can you offer to this Position or Committee if you are elected? _____

What are some of your goals for this Position or Committee if you are elected? _____

Bluesfest back of t-shirt Logo





Narcotics anonymous Spring cookout

Carne asada, rice, beans, salad \$ 6.00 p/p
Sodas & water available for \$ 1.00 each
Saturday, march 28th, 2009 - noon to ??
At granite creek park, Prescott
Under the ramada

Speaker meeting at 2:00 pm

Come and enjoy the fun of fellowshipping
And support your area

Bring your own chairs

(928)

Any questions call ryan 713-7880