



WEST VALLEY AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE NEWSLETTER

July 16th, 2011

UPCOMING EVENTS		MEETING CHANGE
<p><u>JULY</u> 1st-4th Festival of Recovery</p> <p>16th Phoenix Area Talent Show</p> <p>23rd Skyline Serenity Hike</p> <p><u>AUGUST</u> 6th East Valley Bowling</p> <p>13th East Valley Jumpstreet</p> <p>13th West Valley Dance</p> <p>20th WVASC Elections</p>	<p><u>AUGUST cont'd</u> 20th East Valley Bluesfest Dance</p> <p><u>SEPTEMBER</u> 1st-4th 34th Anniversary World Convention of Narcotics Anonymous</p> <p>4th World Unity Day</p> <p>10th West Valley Dance</p> <p>16th-18th Mt. Lemmon Bash</p>	<p><i>"Tersus Victus"</i> Has moved their meeting time and room. They will now meet at 9am in Room #12 in Building "B" at Dove of the Desert Church 7201 W. Beardsley Rd. Glendale, AZ</p> <p><i>PLEASE NOTE:</i> <i>The price for all literature items (EXCEPT THE BASIC TEXT) increased by 5% on July 1st. The new literature purchase form is available in the Area minutes for June which can be found online at arizona-na.org</i></p>

WVASC & SUB-COMMITTEE MEETINGS

<p><u>WEST VALLEY AREA SERVICE SUB-COMMITTEE:</u> 10am on the third Saturday (8/20) in the Maryvale Hospital cafeteria at 5102 W. Campbell Ave. in Phoenix.</p> <p><u>HOSPITALS & INSTITUTIONS:</u> 8:30am on the third Saturday (8/20) in the Maryvale Hospital cafeteria at 5102 W. Campbell Ave. in Phoenix.</p> <p><u>ACTIVITIES:</u> 7pm on the Tuesday following the second Saturday (8/16) at Denny's at 3456 W. Bethany Home Rd. in Phoenix.</p>	<p><u>LITERATURE:</u> 10am on the third Saturday (8/20) in the Maryvale Hospital cafeteria at 5102 W. Campbell Ave. in Phoenix.</p> <p><u>OUTREACH:</u> 11am on the fourth Saturday (7/23, 8/27) at It's a Grind coffee shop at 9230 W. Northern Ave. in Glendale.</p> <p><u>NEWSLETTER:</u> No formal meeting time. All activity is done by phone and online. See "Service Positions Available" on the next page for contact information.</p> <p><u>PUBLIC RELATIONS:</u> 12pm on the first Saturday of the month (8/6) at Harvest Church at 8340 W. Northern Ave. in Glendale.</p>
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SERVICE POSITIONS AVAILABLE

WVASC: Elections will be held at the August meeting on 8/20. Statements of Willingness (available online at arizona-na.org) are being accepted for all positions. Those include Chair, Vice-chair, Secretary, Alternate Secretary, Policies & Procedures Chair, Helpline Liaison, Narathon Liaison, Regional Committee Member I & II, Activities, H & I, Literature, Public Relations, Outreach, and the Newsletter. *Cleantime:* varies with position. Please attend the WVASC meeting (see previous page).

Activities: Homegroups to sponsor dances and help with food set-up and clean-up. Please attend the committee meeting (see previous page) if your homegroup would like to sponsor a dance. *Cleantime:* none to help clean.

H & I: Chairs and co-chairs for meetings in jails and institutions. There is a particular need for volunteers to get cleared to start a new meeting at the Towers jail. Training will be provided as they rotate out the current members. Please attend the committee meeting (see previous page) or call John H. at 623-849-0975. *Cleantime:* six months to co-chair and a year to chair at treatment centers. Other facilities vary.

Helpline: Vice-chair, Helpline Liaison and shift volunteers. There is a particular need for volunteers on Thursdays at noon. Shift openings change frequently. If you are interested in getting involved, please call the Helpline 480-897-5102 and leave a message with your contact information. The monthly business meeting has been moved to the 2nd Wednesday of the month (8/10) at 7:00pm Paradise Bakery at 1125 E. Glendale Ave. in Phoenix. Attendance at the monthly business meeting is not necessary for shift volunteers. *Cleantime:* One year each for Vice-chair and Helpline Liaison and six months for volunteers.

Literature: One volunteer. Please attend the committee meeting (see previous page). *Cleantime:* none.

Outreach: Vice-chair, treasurer, secretary and committee members. Please attend the committee meeting (see previous page).

Public Relations: Volunteers to give PowerPoint presentations to schools. Please attend the committee meeting (see previous page) or for more information or to receive the presentation by email, please call Lamont W. at 623-498-0031. *Cleantime:* Six months to make presentations.

Newsletter: Vice-chair and editor. All activity is currently being done by phone and online. Please email wvascnews@aol.com. *Cleantime:* One year for vice-chair and two for editor.

PLEASE NOTE:

*All flyers should include a
conference-approved*

*NA logo for easy identification that it is a
Narcotics Anonymous event.*

*If you are interested in receiving the WVASC
newsletter online, please email:
jcristy4@mindspring.com*

WEST VALLEY DANCE

Saturday, August 13th

(2nd Saturday of the month)

Trinity United Methodist Church

3104 W. Glendale Ave. in Phoenix

(31st Ave. & Glendale Ave.)

Speaker meeting (Jim B.) at 7:30pm

Dance to follow

(Suggested donation: \$5.00)

13TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S ORIENTED

SPIRITUAL RETREAT

Friday, September 23rd to

Sunday, September 25th

“Camp Tontozona”

239 S. Camp Tontozona Rd.

Payson, AZ 85541

Registration includes:

- * meetings, activities and entertainment
- * Friday dinner, Saturday breakfast, lunch, & dinner, and Sunday breakfast
- * a bunk in a furnished, shared cabin with a bathroom (most cabins have a full kitchen)

Early registration (before 8/15): \$95.00

Late registration (before 9/15): \$105.00

On-site registration: \$120.00

If you would like to nominate a newcomer with a clean date on or after 3/23/11 for a newcomer scholarship registration packet, please fill out the registration form and mail it in. The drawing will be held on July 30th. You will be contacted if you've won.

Mail registration form to: *Productive Members of Society, PO Box 86852, Phoenix, AZ 85080*

PHOENIX AREA TALENT SHOW

Saturday, July 16th

1407 N. 2nd St. from 3pm to 9pm

(On the corner of 2nd St. & Willetta St.

on the north side of the building)

Mexican Feast served around 6pm

(choice of tostadas or tacos, beans & rice

\$5.00 per plate)

\$10 entry fee per contestant

WORLD UNITY DAY

Sunday, September 4th

Individual members, groups, areas/regional functions, and institutions can join in the celebration of NA World Unity Day. This is a two-hour telephone hookup to the Sunday morning Closing Meeting of WCNA 34. We will come together on a worldwide conference call between 10:30am and 12:30pm Pacific time. To plan the time of your own event, go to: www.timezoneconverter.com to determine the exact time for your area.

The registration form can be faxed or mailed to NA World Services with your payment. The cost is \$50.00 for calls within the United States and Canada. To plan and register your event, download a registration form, or to get more details, go to:

www.na.org/wcna34/unityday

<p align="center">24TH ANNUAL</p> <p align="center">WORLD CONVENTION OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS</p> <p align="center">Thursday, September 1st to Sunday, September 4th</p> <p align="center">San Diego Convention Center</p> <p align="center"><i>Registration: \$89 until July 28th</i> <i>\$99 for on-site registration</i></p> <p align="center">See www.na.org for more info</p>	<p align="center">EAST VALLEY DANCE</p> <p align="center">Friday, August 20th</p> <p align="center">1701 S. College Ave. in Tempe <i>(Just north of Broadway Rd. Between Mill Rd. & Rural Rd.)</i></p> <p align="center">Speaker meeting at 7:30pm</p> <p align="center">Dance at 9pm</p> <p align="center"><i>Suggested donation: \$5.00</i></p> <p align="center">Live blues band</p>
<p align="center">SKYLINE SERENITY HIKE</p> <p align="center">Saturday, July 23rd</p> <p align="center">Horton Creek <i>(20 miles north of Payson)</i></p> <p align="center">Meet at Evergreen Park at 9am <i>(5th St. & Country Club Rd. in Mesa)</i></p>	<p align="center">JUMPSTEET</p> <p align="center">Indoor Trampoline Park</p> <p align="center">Saturday, August 13th at 1pm</p> <p align="center">455 W. Warner Rd. <i>(Warner Blvd. and Arizona Ave. in Chandler Blvd.)</i></p> <p align="center">No meeting, just jumping</p> <p align="center">\$10.50 for the first hour \$6.50 for every hour after the first hour</p>
<p align="center">EAST VALLEY BOWLING</p> <p align="center">Saturday, August 6th at 7pm</p> <p align="center">Brunswick Zone Mesa</p> <p align="center">1754 W. Southern Ave. in Mesa <i>(Southern Rd. and Dobson Rd.)</i></p> <p align="center">\$12.00 for 3 hours of bowling & all you can drink soda</p>	<p align="center">MT. LEMMON BASH</p> <p align="center">Friday, September 16th to Sunday, September 18th</p> <p align="center"><i>More info to come</i></p>