



# WEST VALLEY AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE NEWSLETTER

November 19th, 2011

UPCOMING EVENTS		NEW MEETINGS
<p><b><u>NOVEMBER</u></b></p> <p><b>19th</b> Skyline Serenity Hike</p> <p><b>23rd-24th</b> Thanksgiving Narathon</p> <p><b>26th</b> Putt-putt Golf</p> <p><b>26th</b> Phoenix Area Dance</p> <p><b><u>DECEMBER</u></b></p> <p><b>2nd</b> Bowling in Tucson</p> <p><b>3rd</b> Phoenix Area Speaker Jam</p>	<p><b><u>DECEMBER</u></b></p> <p><b>10th</b> Regional GSR Assembly</p> <p>Zoolights</p> <p>West Valley Dance Sponsored by WV H&amp;I Book Drive</p> <p><b>24th-25th</b> Holiday Narathon</p> <p><b>31st-1/1</b> New Year's Ball</p> <p><b><u>JANUARY 2012</u></b></p> <p><b>21ST</b> CAR Assembly</p>	<p><b><u>"Unloaded"</u></b> Fridays at 7pm Alleluia Lutheran Church 8444 W. Encanto Blvd. (83rd Ave &amp; Encanto Blvd.) Youth-oriented meeting</p> <p><b><u>"Young and Done"</u></b> Saturdays at 5pm NuHope Alano Club 12313 NW Grand Ave. (Grand Ave. &amp; El Mirage Rd.) Youth-oriented meeting</p> <p><b><i>PLEASE NOTE:</i></b> <i>Literature order forms can be found online</i> <a href="http://www.arizona-na.org/service/wvascdocs.php">http://www.arizona-na.org/service/wvascdocs.php</a></p>

## WVASC & SUB-COMMITTEE MEETINGS

<p><b><u>WEST VALLEY AREA SERVICE SUB-COMMITTEE:</u></b> 10am on the third Saturday (12/17) in the Maryvale Hospital cafeteria at 5102 W. Campbell Ave. in Phoenix.</p> <p><b><u>HOSPITALS &amp; INSTITUTIONS:</u></b> 8:30am on the third Saturday (12/17) in the Maryvale Hospital cafeteria at 5102 W. Campbell Ave. in Phoenix.</p> <p><b><u>ACTIVITIES:</u></b> 7pm on the Tuesday following the second Saturday (12/13) at Denny's at 3456 W. Bethany Home Rd. in Phoenix.</p>	<p><b><u>LITERATURE:</u></b> 10am on the third Saturday (12/17) in the Maryvale Hospital cafeteria at 5102 W. Campbell Ave. in Phoenix.</p> <p><b><u>OUTREACH:</u></b> 5pm on the last Saturday (11/26) at Denny's at 10614 W. Peoria Ave in Glendale.</p> <p><b><u>NEWSLETTER:</u></b> No formal meeting time, all activity is conducted via phone and online. See "Service Positions Available" on the next page for contact information.</p> <p><b><u>PUBLIC RELATIONS:</u></b> 12pm on the first Saturday of the month (12/3) at Harvest Church at 8340 W. Northern Ave. in Glendale.</p>
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## SERVICE POSITIONS AVAILABLE

**WVASC:** Statements of Willingness (available online at [arizona-na.org](http://arizona-na.org)) are being accepted for the following open positions: Alternate Secretary, Policies & Procedures Administrator, Helpline Liaison, Regional Committee Member II, Outreach, Treasurer, Alternate Treasurer and the Newsletter Chair.

*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. Campvention t-shirts available in large and x-large sizes. *Cleantime:* one year required each open position.

**H & I:** In need of a vice-chair and volunteers. Please attend the committee meeting (see previous page) or contact Irene W. 602-818-1789. *Cleantime:* six months to co-chair and a year to chair at treatment centers. Other facilities vary.

**Helpline:** Helpline Liaison needed and volunteers. If you are interested in getting involved, please call the Helpline at 480-897-4636 and leave a message with your contact information. We will be meeting the 2nd Wednesday of the month (12/14) from 7:00pm at Paradise Bakery at 1125 E. Glendale Ave. in Phoenix. Need a volunteer to manage the 12th Step list. *Cleantime:* six months for shift volunteers

**Literature:** Volunteers and vice-chair needed. Please attend the committee meeting (see previous page). *Cleantime:* none to help and one year for vice chair.

**Outreach:** Chair, vice-chair, secretary/treasurer, and committee members. Meeting at Denny's Restaurant 43rd Ave and Peoria at 5pm the 4th Saturday of each month. *Cleantime:* one year for each trusted servant position.

**Public Relations:** We are looking for volunteers to share their story at area high schools. Six months cleantime required to share but no cleantime requirement to be a part of this new project to reach out to area teenagers. Please attend the subcommittee meeting (see previous page) or contact Lamont W. at 623-498-0031.

**Narathon:** Meets every Monday at 7:30pm at Jerry's Restaurant at 2323 E. Thomas Rd. in Phoenix. In need of food donations. Volunteers needed. Please call Jerry at 602-487-4597 to sign up.

**Newsletter:** Chair and vice-chair needed. All activity is currently being done by phone and online. For more information, please email [wvascnews@aol.com](mailto:wvascnews@aol.com). Editor position filled. *Cleantime:* two years for chair and one year for vice-chair.

**PLEASE NOTE:** All flyers should include a conference-approved NA logo for easy identification that it is a Narcotics Anonymous event.

*For questions or comments concerning the Newsletter, please contact the WVASC Newsletter Editor, Don L. at (602) 579-8111*

If you are interested in having the WVASC newsletter emailed to you, please email: [jcristy4@mindspring.com](mailto:jcristy4@mindspring.com)  
The newsletter is also available online at [arizona-na.org](http://arizona-na.org)

**CADNA-IV**

Convencion Area Desiertos Narcotics  
Anonimos IV

Friday, November 18<sup>th</sup> to  
Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup>  
Rocky Point, Mexico

[www.bajason-na.org](http://www.bajason-na.org)

**PHOENIX AREA CLEANTIME & BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

Saturday, November 26th  
Faith United Methodist Church  
8640 N. 19th Ave. in Phoenix  
(19th Ave. & Butler Rd.)

**\*\*Meeting at 7pm \*\***

**\*\*Dance to follow\*\***

*(Suggested donation: \$5.00)*

We will be having cake and handing out  
keytags.

We recognize any and all cleantime.

Everyone welcome.

**SKYLINE SERENITY HIKE**

Saturday, November 19th at 2:30pm  
Cook-out at 5:00pm  
Raffle at 6:00pm

Campfire meeting at 7:00pm

Directions: Take US-60 east to Idaho Rd. Go  
north to 88 (Apache Trail Hwy). Turn right (NE).  
Continue until you see the sign for the  
"Lost Dutchman Park."

*\$7.00 fee per vehicle to enter the park*

**PUTT-PUTT GOLF**

Saturday, November 26th  
Golfland

155 W. Hampton Ave in Mesa  
(North of US 60 off Country Club Rd.)

2:00pm NA meeting

3:00pm *Unlimited Golf \$9.00*

Open till midnight

**THANKSGIVING NARATHON**

Wednesday, November 23rd at noon to  
Thursday, November 24th at midnight

Community Christian Church  
1701 S. College Ave. in Tempe

(North of Broadway Rd. between Mill Ave. & Rural Rd.)

7:00pm Speaker meeting on Wednesday and  
Thursday dance on Wednesday following  
speaker and Thanksgiving Dinner from  
12:00—4:00pm on Thursday.

**PHOENIX SPEAKER JAM**

Saturday, December 3rd  
7:00pm to 11:00pm  
Faith United Methodist Church  
8640 N. 19th Ave. in Phoenix  
(19th Ave. & Butler Rd.)

Food, auction, CD's, multiple speakers  
Sponsored by the ARCNA committee

### **ANNUAL ZOOLIGHTS**

Saturday, December 10th  
Papago Park Ramada #2  
625 N. Galvin Parkway in Phoenix  
4:30pm Meeting  
6:00pm Zoolights Admission  
*\$10.00 per person*  
Get to meeting early to purchase tickets.  
The ramada closes at 6:00pm.  
Cars cannot be left at the Ramada after the meeting. Go to Zoo Parking or park at Zoo and walk to the Ramada.

### **HOLIDAY NARATHON**

Saturday, December 24th at noon to  
Sunday, December 25th at midnight  
American Evangelical Lutheran Church  
1830 W. Glenrosa Ave. in Phoenix  
Round-the-clock meetings  
Speaker meeting at 7:00pm on the 24th  
Dance at 9:00pm on Christmas Eve  
Food donations gladly accepted  
Call Gerry A. to sign up:  
602-487-4597

### **ARIZONA REGIONAL ASSEMBLY**

Saturday, December 10th  
1:00pm to 5:00pm  
3104 W. Glendale Ave. in Phoenix  
(31st Ave. & Glendale Ave.)  
Dinner will be served from 5:30pm to 7:00pm  
as part of the regularly scheduled  
West Valley Dance  
*Price per plate to be announced*

### **NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL**

Saturday, December 31st at noon to  
Sunday, January 1st at noon  
Holiday Inn (Embassy Suites)  
1515 N. 44th St. in Phoenix  
New Year's Eve speaker meeting at  
7:30pm  
New Year's Day speaker meeting at  
10:00am  
\*\*Narathon meetings 24 hours\*\*  
\*\*Hospitality room 24 hours\*\*  
\*\*Banquet at 6pm\*\*  
*\*\*Banquet is \$45.00 per person\*\**  
*Rooms \$99 (Mention NA New Year's Ball)*  
Donations will be used to purchase  
banquet tickets for newcomers.  
Drawing will be held at Christmas Eve  
Narathon.

### **WEST VALLEY DANCE**

Saturday, December 10th  
(2nd Saturday of the month)  
3104 W. Glendale Ave. in Phoenix  
(31st Ave. & Glendale Ave.)  
\*\*Dinner after the Regional Assembly\*\*  
5:30pm to 7:00pm  
\*\*Speaker meeting at 7:30pm\*\*  
\*\*Dance to follow\*\*  
(Suggested dance donation: \$5.00)  
Book drive sponsored by H & I  
Bring your new or used books or donations  
Jail & Bail, Raffle & Auction. We will be  
auctioning off Gift editions of the Basic Text &  
JFT signed by inmates who are served by H & I  
*January dance 1/14: celebrating National Hat Day*

### **CONFERENCE AGENDA REPORT**

#### **ASSEMBLY**

Saturday, January 21st  
9:00am to 5:00pm  
United Methodist Church  
1515 N. Trekeil Rd.  
Casa Grande, AZ 85122