

Siouxland Area Narcotics Anonymous ASM Minutes
Sunday December 13th 2009
Unity Club 2101 Court Street
Sioux City, Iowa

I Opened with a moment of silence and the Serenity Prayer

II The Twelve Traditions were read by Don B.

III The Twelve Concepts were read by Amanda D.

IV Roll call-18 voting members

V Reports

A. Area officers

Secretary-present-November minutes were read and approved

Chair-Rennie L.-present-oral report given

Vice Chair-Don B.-present-oral report given

Treasurer-Roger H-present-report given – beginning balance 791.08

Regional Committee Member-Don B.-present-oral report given

Alternate Regional Committee Member-Minerva H.-present-oral report

B.Subcommittee Chairs

H&I Chair-position open

P I Chair-position open

Literature Chair-Ross W.-present-report **given**

Newsletter-Shannon T.-present-oral report given

Activities-Sara T.-**present**-report given

Website-Rob H.-present-report given

C. Groups

S.C .Monday Guardian Angels IV-Melissa present-report given

S.C. Monday **Oxford** House 7pm-Kim N-present-report given

S. C. Monday Freedom and Surrender 8:30pm-Rick B.-present-report given

LeMars Tuesday –**Jesse K.-present-report given**

S.C. Tuesday Unity Club 8pm-Ross W.-present-report given

S.C. Wednesday Guardian Angels III Hawkeye Club-Melissa-present-report given

S.C.Thursday Crescent Park 8pm Laura W.-present-report given

LeMars Thursday 7pm-james-present-report given

S.C. Friday Guardian Angels II-Melissa-present-report given

S.C. Saturday 3pm Keepin it Real-Carol A.-present-report given

S.C. Saturday 7pm Keepin it Simple-Don B.-present-report given
S.C. Saturday WCAA 10pm-Roger H.-present-report given
S.C. Sunday Guardian Angels I-Jason P-present-report given
S.C. Living Free-Bill B.-present report given
S.C. Misfits-Craig A.-present-report given

VI Old Service

- A. Shannon T. was voted in as Newsletter Chair**
- B. Roger H. was re-elected as Treasurer**
- C. Amanda D. and Mark W. were nominees for Vice Chair. Amanda D. rescinded her nomination. Mark W. was voted in as Vice Chair.**
- D. It was discussed the importance of communication with Sara T. the Activities Chair when scheduling individual group events.**
- E. Discussed that the donations to Area have been down. GSR's need to go back to groups and inform them of the importance of the 7th Tradition and what it is used for. Sara T. made a flyer for this purpose.**

VII New Service

- A. Canned Ads-It was voted on to table this discussion until next month.**
- B. Winnebago Tuesday night 7pm meeting has requested to join Sana. It was voted on and accepted . The meeting will be added to the meeting list.**
- C. Discussion on supporting stuggling groups in our Area. Carol A. volunteered get something going so as a group we can attend and support various meetings. She will try to select a meeting a week and inform members.**
- D. The H&I flat white meeting lists need to be updated.**
- E. Nominations for H&I Chair are open. David B was nominated and accepted. Jason P. was nominated and he accepted. Jason P. does not meet clean time requirements and that would have to be waived. (find nominee's qualifications below) GSRs please take this back to groups as we will be voting in January.**
- F. Nominations for P I Chair are open. Amanda D. was nominated and accepted. GSRs please take this back to groups as we will be voting in January**
- G. Spanish meeting to be put on website**

VIII Next ASC meeting to be January 10,2010 at the Unity Club

IX No financial requests

X No RSC or WSC donation at this time

XI Closed with the Serenity Prayer

Qualifications of nominees

David B-H&I

5yrs clean

head panel leader

prior H&I Chair

willingness

ability to delegate and lead

I would like to thank those individuals who considered me a good nomination for the position of Public Information Committee Chair. I will respectfully accept the nomination. My qualifications include:

- I have over 7 years clean.
- I have a sponsor and sponsees.
- I have worked all 12 steps.
- I have a working knowledge of the 12 steps, traditions, concepts, etc.
- I have held other area and trusted servant positions.
- I have access to computer, internet, phone, vehicle, etc.
- I have a willingness to serve.

This has been my area of interest for a very long time. If there were any position I could fill this would be it. The only problem I could see is that I work fulltime plus many hours from January till April. I will be able to make area meetings and other obligations; however, I would not be able to make regional meetings out of town during this time. I will put many hours into productively putting the Narcotics Anonymous in the public mind.

In Loving Service,
Amanda D.

Area report Dec. 09

Expenses last month
H&I for book from lit 8.00
H&I gas 15.00
Canned ads 50.00
Verizon wireless 56.95

Incoming last month

Area donations 151.00
Activities net returned 69.00

Bills on hand to be paid today
Canned ads 50.00
For a working balance today of 791.08

Saturday night basic text study group
Average attendance the last month 8
With one chip gave out for 17 years
Donation of 44.47

ILS Roger H
Area treasurer and SNBTS GSR

December 13, 2009

Greetings SANA

from Thursday night Crescent Park Anything Goes. Our meetings have still been small(struggling) with an average attendance of 35___ members and 0 new members and 1 birthday for the month of November. We are still asking for some support to build our attendance up and to help keep our meetings going. Although our meetings have still been small we still have a very strong support group.

We had 0___ newcomers this month.

We have a donation of \$_10.00_____ to give to area. I am pleased to say our speaker meetings have built up our attendance and we are going to continue them on the first Thursday of every month. We invite everyone to come and listen. We could really use your support.

In Loving Service,

-Laura W _GSR_____

SANA Activities Chairperson Report to Area

December 13th, 2009

My name is Sarah and I am an addict

Greetings SANA,

The activities committee is teeming with life. We have lots of willingness and ideas to fill 2010 with fun events. We will have plenty of opportunities for service work and building friendships with members of the fellowship. Our subcommittee meeting went well and another will be announced soon. The Game Night held at Bankshot this month had a nice turnout of about 30 addicts and a good time was had by all. Next month we are holding a SANA Snow Day here at the Unity Club. This takes place on Sat. Jan 16 from 11-5 with a caravan to sled at Grandview Park, potluck food and games here all day, and "Keeping It Real" meeting at 3:00. Flyers are on the pool table. Thank you everyone for your support.

In Loving Service,

Sarah T.

December 13, 2009

GSR Report: Tuesday Night Candlelight

Greetings SANA,

The Tuesday Night Candlelight Meeting of Narcotics is alive and well, averaging around twelve people in attendance per meeting.

We had 3 newcomers this month.

We have a \$15 donation to give to area this month.

In loving service,

Ross W.

PI Chair Report 11-2009

Greetings Sana,

I regret to inform you that I am resigning as the SANA PI chair. My heart obviously is not into full participation at this time and I am having trouble finding the time needed to effectively serve as PI Chair. I feel someone else who has the desire will do a much better job than I will at this time. I am sorry for the inconvenience that this will cause.

In loving service

Jesse K Former PI Chair

December 13, 2009

SANA Literature Report: December

Greetings SANA:

Things are going smoothly at the Literature Department. The Spanish-speaking meeting has their literature and are up and running. I'm going to place another order early this week, probably tomorrow. I don't have much to tell you other than business has been good. Thanks to all who have helped me and continue to make my job as Literature Chair an enjoyable experience.

In loving service,
Ross W.
Tuesday Na 6pm

Greetings Sana,

Things are going well with the Lemars Tuesday meeting. We are having a lot of involvement with members associated with the Lemars' Drug Court and local parole officers. We have an average attendance of 12 per meeting. We have had 3 newcomers.

In loving Service,

Jesse K GSR

Siouxland Area Narcotics Anonymous Webservant Monthly Report to Area

Date: December 13th, 2009

Total Hits: 2344

Hits since last month: 155

Events posted during month:

Nice Shot at the Bank Shot
GA3 Thanksgiving
LF Thanksgiving
LF Trusted Servant learning day
PI learning day

News Items Added:

Changes Made:

Added 7th tradition flyer to the area services page
Added Winnebago and Women's only meetings

Emails Received:

San Diego convention is looking for speakers.

Reminder to GSR's and anyone who might be planning an event. If you want your event on the calendar, please email the details to me. If you have a flyer you want posted, email that also. I can't post the event if you don't send me the info.

Please remember to type your report and email it to Carol if you can. This saves here having to scan it into the minutes.

ILS,
Rob H.

09 annual report for area
balance on 12-01-08 was 803.44

information from the subcommittees the last year

	expenses	income	
Activities	521.00	597.15	+ of 76.15
Canned ads	600.00		
Verizon wireless	691.30		
H&I	484.98	200.00	- of 284.98
PI for Website	96.00		
Sana area	312.90	39.00	- of 273.90
RCM	62.43		
Literature	91.20		
Newsletter	00.00		
Iowa region donation	200.00		
WSO donation	200.00		
Donations from groups		2475.82	
Grand totals	3259.81	3311.97	+ of (37.64) corrected

Bank balance on 11-30-09 was 841.08

My input for the year. First thing activities had something every month and I only had partial information for four events.

Canned ads I for one will be glad to see this end as the yearly contract is up in January.

Did PI do anything last year? All I have is for the website. Great job Webmaster.

What happened to getting the phone number back in the phone book?

Also what ever happened to getting a monthly report from the phone line?

Did the RCM go to more than one meeting this expense was way down?

Newsletter' thank you for the donation.

Donations from the groups it has been discussed that this is down, it is compared to 08 but its up compared to 07.

This said prudent reserve would still be at the current level of 775.00.

ILS area treasurer since 4-2000

Roger H