

SEAZNA Area Service Committee Meeting
March 13 , 2016

Call To Order:

Bodhi A. read the Serenity Prayer to open the meeting.
Cathy N. read the Service Prayer and the Statement of Purpose.
Bodhi A. read the 12 concepts.

Minutes/Agenda Approval:

The February minutes were approved by consensus. February Meeting Agenda approved by consensus.

Welcome New Groups and New GSR's and Alternate GSR's:

- Taylor C *** Twilight
- Fred C *** No Matter What
- Adam K *** Sahuarita Serenity
- Margo W *** I Can't We Can

Question and Answer / Open Forum / Group Announcements:

Miracles in the Hood reported that they are in need of men and women that are willing to sponsor.

Executive Committee Reports:

Chair Report: Sheryl W. no report given- See attached
Vice-Chair Report: Bodhi A. no report given- No report submitted
RCM Report: Jody P. no report given – No report submitted

Subcommittee Reports:

Activities: Open position– No report submitted
H&I: Michelle G gave verbal report – See attached
Literature: Rick L gave verbal report -- See attached
Mt. Lemmon Bash: Marque W gave verbal report -- See attached
Newsletter: Kati M gave verbal report – No report submitted
Outreach: Corey gave verbal report – See attached
Phone Line: Stephanie W gave no report – No report submitted
Public Relations/Webmaster: Gary gave verbal report – See attached
Treasurer: Leslea J. gave verbal report – See attached
Convention Committee: Don B gave verbal report – No report submitted

Roll Call:

Roll call taken by Rita M. Active Groups =45. GSR's present =26.
Required for a Quorum=28.

Old Business:

Special Elections/ Vice Treasurer
No old business what discussed.

New Business / Idea Requests (IDR):

Newsletter submitted an IDR to request an extra \$10 a month beginning in April, with the intent of purchasing a new computer and cover the monthly cost of Microsoft Office. IRD was left to be tabled and discussed at the next AREA

REPORTS:

CHAIR REPORT:

Addict named Sheryl. Thank you all for your service. I will be back to area next month. If I can be of service to anyone please do not hesitate to contact me.

Hello, the meeting list has received several changes in April and quite a few at the last minute. I am recommending home group dispose of old meeting lists this month and pick up NEW list at Area on April 10th. I will order extra as I see fit to stock. I do not have a list of all GSRs here so I'm asking you pass the news along and I will announce this at Area

VICE CHAIR:

No report submitted.

RCM REPORT:

No report submitted.

ACTIVITIES:

No report submitted.

H & I:

H&I has openings for Panel Coordinators (coordinates the members bringing in the weekly meetings), Panel Leaders (brings in the weekly meetings), and of course, Panel Members (speakers). There is a minimum of 1 year clean for the PC's and PL's and 6 months for the PM's. Some facilities may require longer clean time.

Applications for the Pima County Adult Detention Center are no longer available on line. For the women's jail contact Mari B at 520-405-9782 and for the men's jail contact Tom H 520-302-3802. Applications may also be picked up at the monthly H&I meeting. Please do not turn in the application until you've gone over it with the Panel Coordinator as the jail will reject incomplete or improperly filled out applications.

ALL of the Basic Texts allocated by the SEAZNAC ad hoc committee have been mailed directly the designated facilities. This was done after two appointed NA members coordinated with each facility to ensure proper distribution and acceptance.

Behind The Walls needs members to work the steps with addicts who will be incarcerated for one year or longer and have requested a sponsor. The clean time requirement is 2 years. The form for inmates to fill out to request a sponsor are available on our website. Please feel free to send these to those you may know who are in jails and prisons who want to hear the message. To become a BTW sponsor come to H&I to express your interest. You do not need to come to H&I every month after that, only three times per year. It's an amazing way to be of service and give addicts a chance to live a productive, clean life when they get out, and to hopefully not end up back in that hell!!

H&I is having a Learning/Fun Day on Saturday April 23rd at La Madera Park, Ramada 1, from 10:00 to 3:00. There will be food, games, and a bouncy castle. Hear speakers who

heard the message through H&I. Learn what we're about and discover more ways of being of service and giving away what has freely been given to you. The flyer is on our website. Please contact Michelle G 623-980-1744, Emily S 520-405-0076, or Amy K 847-345-5487 for further information and let us know if you'd like to be of service at this event. Even if you do not meet some of the clean time requirements for being of service right now, you will at some point. Come check us out and start learning now, this is a wonderfully rewarding experience.

LITERATURE:

- On February 14, 2016 the literature sales to Area GSR,s was \$1,507.20
- This month we spent 1,565.03 to maintain our inventory of approximately \$2,500.00.
- The cost this month to support H & I Literature was \$280.05
- Our freight charge this month from NA World was \$115.93, after receiving our Less discount of \$92.50 that reduced our freight charge to only \$27.43

MT LEMON BASH:

Thank you for all the support at the MLB Chili Cook Off 2016

This years' event was a great success!!

The Mt. Lemmon Bash Sub Committee would like to thank this years' speaker, Dave B. We would also like to give a big shout out to everyone that participated in the chili cook off and this years' logo contest. There were no bad logos or pots of chili on display this year. Any one of them could have won.

We had approximately 50 people in attendance at the start of the speaker meeting, and many more stopped in throughout the day to vote for their favorite logo and chili.

The winner of this years' Chili Cook Off was Marti G., who's Chili with an extra special kick took 1st prize.

The Winner of our Logo contest was Chris M. whose cool rendition of an Arizona Cactus in sunglasses got the most votes. His logo will become our theme this year and will also be displayed on all our fliers and t-shirts.

The winner of the bingo was Justin.

All three of the aforementioned winners won free full registration to this years' Mt Lemmon Bash.

A financial report for this event is listed below, and after expenses, we raised a total of

Expenses

Church Rental	\$50.00
Supplies	\$48.00
Total	\$98.00
Money Collected	\$354.00
Expenses	\$98.00
Funds Raised	\$256.00

GSR's, please announce that MLB is collecting Auction items for the 2016 Bash. Auction items can be given to our Auction Chair Amy K. or Me.

MLB 2016 is currently looking for a Food Chair for the 2016 Bash. This has a 1 year clean time requirement so please announce this at your home group meetings.

MLB 2016 is looking for someone to run kids activities up on the Mt. Please announce at home group meetings.

NEWSLETTER:

No report Submitted

OUTREACH:

Outreach traveled to Benson on February 24. There was a good turnout for the meeting. March's visit will be to the Just for Today is meeting in Sierra Vista. We will be attending the meeting on March 21st. The meeting is at 6:30PM. we will be leaving from the Starbucks on the corner of Broadway and Campbell at 4:45 PM

PHONE LINE:

No report Submitted

PUBLIC RELATIONS:

The ongoing topics discussed were getting our basic text into the public and county libraries in Tucson and the outlying areas. We also discussed getting a public service announcement into newspapers that service rural/outlying towns & cities in our area. Committee members will be doing the research on these two items before the next committee meeting to determine feasibility. We have created and ordered new business cards for Outreach and PR events and we were able to add a QR code reader that links to the website to the business cards. We discussed the possibility of creating flyers with the same QR code to distribute to community organizations such as drug courts and the behavioral health community. The committee is currently looking for members who meet the current clean time requirement to join the SEAZNA-PR subcommittee. The committee has another Homeless Connect event scheduled on March 18' 2016 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Trinity Presbyterian Church, 400 E. University Blvd. We are looking for a couple of members with 6 months or more clean time, to host a table offering meeting lists and IPs, as well as carrying the message to the public.

SEAZNAC II:

No report submitted

SEAZNA TREASURER:

The Vice Treasurer stepped down before being of service because I asked him to leave his gun at home and not bring it to area. He felt he should be able to take it where ever he wants. This is a matter that will probably come up again in the future and we will have to decide how to deal with members bringing weapons to meetings and to ASC meetings. I am not comfortable with weapons being brought in but there is nothing in our guidelines specifically on the topic. SEAZNA spent \$3115.38 towards literature for institution libraries on 7 March. This leaves \$3586.82 left for special projects.

Meeting adjourned at 3:00pm. Next meeting will be April 10, 2016, 2:00pm at Streams in the Desert.