Area meeting minutes for 10.7.19

OPENING OF THE MEETING: 6:29 READINGS: Service Prayer- Dreana

Decorum Statement- Sasha Twelve Traditions- Mikal

12 Concepts- Tommy

Vision for NA Service- Marcy

APPROVAL OF LAST MONTH'S MINUTES: Maike, Alec ROLL CALL: 11 out of 15 groups ($\frac{1}{2}$ plus one = quorum)

NEW GROUPS TO BE RECOGNIZED: none

AMENDMENTS TO AGENDA: ARD And add Rob T Covention Chair 2021 Vote.

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS:

CHAIR: present/ no report sent

VICE CHAIR: absent/family emergency

SECRETARY: Marcy addict Hi area family. Thank you to everyone who got their reports into me last month Just a friendly reminder to have your reports in by the Friday following area at aascnasecretary3@gmail.com. for those of you that do not have personal access to email I would like to suggest having a friend, home group member, sponsee or sponsor assist you in emailing your report into me. Thank you everyone for all that you do.

In loving and inspired service. Marcy L

907 444 3992

TREASURER: Hi Marcy,

I included what was given at area, and the bills so far. I still need to pay Minute Men Press for schedules, and also need to collect the \$610 from Melissa. Hopefully we'll be able to meet up this month! I'll make a point to meet up with her so we can give that money to Joe next month, as planned. I'll make sure to send October's before November's meeting on the 4th.

ILS,

Dreana F. Taylor also See attached

RCM: not present/ nothing to report until next month.

ARD: Regional Meeting Sat 10/12 @ 2 at Sheraton. Tina R is flying up at the end of November from Vegas to teach workshops in Kenai. She is available the 24th after 2 pm Sunday (flies out Mon the 25th) and can is willing to do a workshop in Anchorage. This is a great opportunity at no cost to the Anchorage Area, Kenai is willing to share her with us. Need a group/place to host a work shop. (Building

Strong Home Groups, Collaborative Workshops) Please Contact Alan M. 907 764 0999.

GROUP REPORTS:

ROUNDABOUT: not present/no report sent

CLEAN & SERENE: Clean and Serene continues to meet at Holy Family Cathedral downtown, Sundays at 8pm. Lots of Recovery going on.

EAGLE RIVER GROUP:GSR REPORT

The Eagle River Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at Joy Lutheran Church, located at 10111 Eagle River Road in Eagle River. We have been meeting every Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 6:30 to 7:30 pm.

Recently our attendance has been averaging about 6 addicts. We generally have at least 2 newcomers at each meeting. We also have several addicts with multiple years of clean time at each meeting.

We have a speaker the first Friday of the month with pizza. Our Group Conscience Meeting is the last Monday of the month following our regular meeting.

Eagle River Group of NA has \$20.00 to donate to Area, and is prepared to vote on all motions.

In loving service, Alec Z

FROZEN CHOZEN: . I'm an addict named Chris

Frozen chosen meets Monday through Thursday from 730-830pm at the Dry Dock (Not affiliated with N.A) at 8141 Briarwood. We follow the 12 traditions of N.A and we are current with rent payments. Average meeting attendance is 35 addicts. We have an average of 2 newcomers and are regularly visited by several treatment centers. We have service positions available, and we always welcome new home group members. Our business meetings are held the last Monday of the month before area. We have \$50 to donate this month. Frozen is ready to vote on all issues.

Your humble servant Chris

VALLEY NOONER: present/no report sent HIGHER GROUND: present/no report sent

Out and About: present/no report sent

WALK YOUR TALK: GSR Report for Walk YourTalk

For September

We meet Monday through Friday from 12-1 and Saturday from 12-1:30 ish at First Baptist Church on 27th. Corner of Northern Lights and LaTouche. This is a change to our schedule as the group conscious voted to change our Saturday meeting to an hour and half at the discretion of the Chair.

We have a \$50 donation

We have no motions to bring

Ready to vote as a representative of our group conscious.

In grateful loving service

Maike M

907 RECOVERY: present/no report sent

LIFESAVERS: Hi Marcy,

Lifesavers Meets Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 2ish -3ish pm at Our Lady Of Guadalupe 3900 Wisconsin Street.

We are still attended by Treatment Centers, though less often.

Average attendees 16

Total Newcomers 7

Voting.

Debbie S - Unanimous

Marcy L - Unanimous

Dreana T - Unanimous

Rob T - Unanimous

Claim Your Seat: present/no report sent

SISTERS IN SOLUTION: Our home group Sisters in Solution: we meet at 2pm at the Alano club downstairs. We are stocked on supplies. Our attendance has been about 15 weekly. We are paid up on rent. We are not ready to vote on anything and we do not have \$20 to give to area.

Kaylen M Kelley

THE NA WAY: The NA Way is glad to report that the group conscience is well, with the average of 6 to 12 people attending the Saturday meeting from 7 to 8 pm. 1 to 2 newcomers and a few visitors here and there. Key tags and literature are ordered with the just for today on back order. The NA Way also has home group members who are active in various service positions for NA. The NA Way would like to thank everyone for their service. We are donating \$50 to Area.

THURSDAY NA LITERATURE GROUP: Hi, I'm Wayne W.

I'm the GSR for The Thurs. Night NA Literature Group. We meet Thurs. night, 615pm.-715pm. at St. Anthony's, off of 9th. & Kleven. We usually have 5-6 recovering addicts, with a new comer involved with that number. We are paid up on rent, & have all our supplies in order. We really appreciate the welcome, & support from Area NA, & Clean & Serene. Thank you everyone for letting me to be if service.

Sincerly, Wayne W.

EASTSIDE SOLUTIONS: absent/no report sent

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:

ILS Sasha T

CONVENTION CHAIR REPORT: Hellurrr! First I want to thank the committee members who were of service and available through this process! I am humbled by each members love of the newcomer, principles, concepts, traditions, compassion, and putting why we serve first through each vote and report out they have brought! We are here family Convention is Friday starting at 4:00pm and ends Sunday at 12pm. Heather is asking for narathon meetings to be chaired so please reach out to her to sign up. Be prepared to be picked on the spot to be of service by our programming committee to chair workshops or read at meetings. Agenda has been posted to the website and on Facebook in our private groups. Our final fundraiser/ kick off to the convention will be Thursday at frozen and be a speaker jam with out of town speakers to kick off OUR convention! Merchandising and registration times will be posted when you show up to the convention.

Let's have fun and remember why and who we serve!

Thank you,
Sasha Tsurnos

NEWSLETTER: absent/no report sent

PUBLIC RELATION: present/no report sent

HOSPITALS AND INSTITUTIONS: H&I Report,

H&I has a need for men and woman for various institutions. I would like to do an orientation and get people cleared who want to help. Let me know if you are interested. This month we meet next Monday after ERGNA in Eagle River at 7:40 pm after the meeting, report emailed.

In Lovin Service,

Frank Z

ACTIVITIES:Hello family Activities will be putting on the NA Spooktakular on Nov 1st. at the Alono club from 5pm to 12am. it's 25 an hour so it's 175 and we will have to split the door with them meeting is free but it's \$5 at the door Pot luck. it's a speaker Jam and we have two of the three speakers. There will be door prizes and 50/50. games for the kids and open mic 5 to 7. Costume contest also. dance starts at 845. The thanksgiving NArathon is Nov 28th 12 noon to Nov 29th 12noon at Saint Patrick's. speaker meeting at 7 sign up sheet will going around as will fliers for both events. Activities is asking for 514 of the 750 seed money that was used for the Picnic so we can fund the thanks giving and Christmas narithons we meet at 1pm every week at the village in off Latouche. we are asking all home groups to send there activities rep to sit in our meetings so they will know what's going on and have more participation. We have also will be discussing up coming events also in the near future. Thanks in loving service JOE R.

LITERATURE: absent/no report sent

Sharing Session: changes to area meeting schedule, pls see attachment.

Old Business: Executive Committee Votes: Susan for Chair Voted in YES, Marcy for Secretary Voted in YES, Dreana for Treasurer Voted in YES, Rob T for Convention Chair 2021 Voted in YES.

New Business: Anchorage Area Service Committee Of Narcotics Anonymous Guidelines,

Article XI AASC Meetings

Section 5

1. Agenda Items and motions shall be submitted in writing to the chairperson to the start of the meeting.

MOTION #1 Wayne, GSR for Thursday Night Literature Group Meeting would like to make a motion to waive clean time requirement for Alec Z for his nomination for Vice Chair. He has 3 years and 3 months and will meet the requirement if waived while serving term. (Joe C 2nd the motion)

****In order to conduct business in a timely fashion motions and items have been placed in order of voting. Clean time motion must be voted on first in order for Alec to meet the qualifications to be voted in as vice. If clean time is not waived, then vote for vice wont take place****

LIFE SAVERS GROUP Nominates Alec Z as Vice Chair. Qualifications are as follows: Hello family. My name is Alec and I'm an addict. I have a sponsor who has a sponsor, I have a home group, I sponsor others, and I have worked the 12 steps and traditions multiple times. My clean date is July 12, 2016 (3 years).

I chair an H&I meeting in the Anchorage Area at least twice a week for over two years.

At a group level, I have served as a greeter, coffee maker, treasurer, secretary, and chair.

At an Area level, I have served as GSR for over two years. With Region, I have served as Webservant for a year and a half.

I would be honored to serve the Area further, and would do my best to advocate for its Traditions, service and members.

Recap of action items: Take motion back to group to waive clean time for Alec Z, and nomination for Vice chair. Discuss Out state Speaker from Vegas and if your group can host workshop contact Alan M for information.

Next area meeting is 11.4.19 at 630pm at BP energy center

Announcements: Check Website for Current Na Events, 2019 Anchorage Area NA Spooktackular Nov 1st 5pm - 11 pm at the Alano Club. Speaker Jam, Dance, costume contest, fun and games for kids, door prizes

Motion to close: Maike, Alec