

Narcotics Anonymous - Boulder Area Service Committee Meeting Minutes

Date – 12-7-14

The meeting opened with a moment of silence and the Serenity Prayer.

12 Traditions read by - Vanessa

12 Concepts read by- Tracy

Approve Previous Month's Minutes:

Approved.

Old Business:

CRCNA Liaison position is open- Vanessa & Gina nominated. Gina declined due to only 9 mo clean. Vanessa qualified herself and Vanessa was voted in

Activities Chair is open- Ben S. nominated. Ben has decided to decline nomination, no other nominations.

Subcommittee Reports

REGIONAL COMMITTEE - RCM – Vanessa RCM2 – Greg

Next Meeting Date: Jan 18

Time: 10:00 am

Next Meeting Location: 1212 Mariposa

NOTES:

RCM report from Nov 16th Regional Meeting.

Elections

PI Chair: Patti I.

Campout Chair: Mike H.

Campout Treasurer: OPEN

CRCNA Chair: Mike P.

CRCNA Vice Chair: Bruce

CRCNA Treasurer: Greg K.

CRCNA Secretary: Ray

World NA is asking for members to share there experience/imput on the traditions book.

- www.na.org/traditions
- www.na.org/subscribe

Lots of discussion of DOC/H&I needs; panel members, literature and a Outreach program(pen pal idea for addicts in prison to work with a recovery addict)

2014 CRCNA 28 discussion of the good and bad, where to improve.

Main points: Against CRCNA guidelines to pass the basket during a meeting or speaker meeting. Plus putting together a questioner for RCM to take back to there area on detailed areas to continue the success and insure the primary purpose is always first!

CRCNA 29 Planning Meeting: January 10,2015 (Subcommittee Elections)

Englewood Public Library (Perrion Room)

1000 Englewood PKWY,Englewood CO

NEXT MEETING: 01-18-15 1212 Mariposa Denver

*****PHONE LINE - Chairperson: Kristin, Aaron reporting**

Next Meeting Date:

Time:

Next Meeting Location:

NOTES: Bill \$98, all calls being answered

*****PUBLIC INFORMATION - Chairperson: Dana**

Next Meeting Date: 2nd Thursday of month

Time: 6 pm

Next Meeting Location: Ziggy's coffee

NOTES:

Date: Sunday December 7, 2014

Subcommittee: Public Information Committee

Chair: Dayna H. Email address: boulderpisec@gmail.com

Meeting Location & Time: 1st Sunday of Every Month 9:30 am 617 Barberry Drive, Longmont, Fire Station # 2

Hello Boulder Area Narcotics Anonymous, My name is Dayna H. and I am an addict. Thank you for allowing me to be of service. This months notes are just a bit longer as I ease in.

November, 2014 Public Information of the Boulder Area Completed Actions

- Newly elected PI chair (Dayna H.) Attended the PI workshop at CRCNA, additionally, met with Mile High Area NA PI Chair Dan M on Wednesday Nov. 18, 2014 for four hour overview on best practices and Intro to Service Training. Additionally in contact with NA Colorado Regional PI Chair Patti.

- Delivery of Basic Eight to Jae Taylor, Program Assistant, CU Collegiate Recovery Center, UMC 102, 303.492.9642 , jae.taylor@colorado.edu - In attendance Dayna H./Joseph D. - The Center already had a generic rack however, After PI chair has a better understanding of PI budgets, it would be prudent to put an NA rack. (the other fellowships represented were well branded and it would be best if there was a more distinct profile of NA lit vs. AA lit. Two Basic Texts were on the premises that were donated to the Center. F/U in January

- Responded to one request for times and locations of meetings to a family relocating to Colorado.

- Responded, and edited request for update to bouldercountyhelp.org representative of the ADRC - Aging and Disability Resources for Colorado (Neal Waite,) information will land Boulder County Network of Care Resource Guide; Edits were shared and approved with three existing BASC members prior to response to Mr. Waite. (strike throughs represent how it looked, and highlight indicate how it will look once loaded by the Mr. Waite.

Agency Name: Boulder Area Narcotics Anonymous (NA)

Full Agency Description:

Boulder Area Narcotics Anonymous is a nonprofit organization of men and women for whom drugs have become a major problem. Recovering addicts meet regularly to help each other stay drug free.

Boulder Area Narcotics Anonymous is a nonprofit fellowship or society of men and women for whom drugs had become a major problem. We are recovering addicts who meet regularly to help each other stay clean. This is a program of complete abstinence from all drugs. There is only one requirement for membership, the desire to stop using.

Area: Boulder County residents only.

1 of 4 BOULDER AREA IS PART OF THE
COLORADO REGION OF NA WITH MEETINGS IN
BOULDER, BRIGHTON, LONGMONT, LOUISVILLE, LAFAYETTE, BROOMFIELD, AND
WESTMINSTER.

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Webmaster - boulderwebservernt@gmail.com

Phone: 24-Hour Helpline

Number: (303) 412-2884

Web Address 1: www.naboulder.org

Web Address 2: www.nacolorado.org

Address: P.O. Box 481

Boulder, CO 80306

- \$13 Collected for One Basic Text

New Business:

- RMOMS Longmont will be serviced Monday Dec 8, after Lit order completed. December PI will source out RMOMS in Boulder, Westminster.
- Discussion: Bus Advertising has expired. Contacting Sharon Kay Gordon Finance Administrator at Univ. Of Colorado Regarding Non-profit price break. Only discounts for now are if we Place 20 or more ads and receive a 10% Discount!(For example 3 ads on each of their 60 foot buses would equal 21 ads so we would receive the discount)

University affiliated Non-university affiliated

of Buses Bus Size Year / Semester / Month Year / Semester / Month

5 30' Bus \$265 \$106 \$53 \$445 \$178 \$ 89

8 40' Bus \$430 \$172 \$86 \$665 \$266 \$133

7 60' Bus \$375 \$150 \$75 \$625 \$250 \$125

- Opportunities for sub-committee and people to serve

→ Sub-committee Announcement Please spread the word;

→ The more folks we have involved, the more we can carry the N.A. message to the still suffering addict.

Please spread the word that every N.A. member has a place in the Public Information committee and we would be delighted to serve along with you; carrying our primary purpose to those that may not be aware of our life-saving Fellowship.

→ Sub-committee meeting not confirmed. Need to set time and place.

Finally, here is an up to date PI LIT Inventory.

In Loving Humble service,

Dayna H. 303-435-3805

Literature Inventory as of December 6, 2014

Can someone Clarify, what the PI Budget is and how much is left for PI Chair to spend after H and I?

-Public Information Desires; 5 pocket Size Basic Text, 10 IP #7; 25 IP # 22

-PI has approximately 100 flyers in inventory for posting

-For Discussion IP Racks for RMOMS Boulder and Westminster SET UP

Books & Booklets: In Stock Desired Order

Narcotics Anonymous Basic Text – 6th Edition* 3

Pocket Size Basic Text – 6th Edition 5 5

Living Clean - The Journey Continues* 0

It Works: How and Why* 0

Pocket Size It Works: How and Why 0

The Narcotics Anonymous Step Working Guides 0

Just For Today – Daily Meditations 0

Pocket Size Just For Today – Daily Meditations 0

Sponsorship 0

An Introductory Guide to Narcotics Anonymous 0

Narcotics Anonymous White Booklet 0

Fourth Step Guide 0

Twelve Concepts of NA Service 0

The Group Booklet 0

In Times of Illness 0

Behind the Walls 0

NA: A Resource in Your Community 0

Handbooks & Guides:

Group Treasurer's Workbook 0

A Guide to Local Services in NA 0

A Guide to Phone line Service 0

Institutional Group Guide 0

A Guide to Public Information 0

Pamphlets:

IP#1 – Who, What, How, and Why 80

IP#2 – The Group 2

IP#5 – Another Look 7

IP#6 – Recovery and Relapse 45

IP#7 – Am I An Addict? 15 30

IP#8 – Just For Today 100

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IP#11 – Sponsorship 45

IP#12 – The Triangle of Self-Obsession 15

IP#13 – By Young Addicts, For Young Addicts 11

IP#14 – One Addict’s Experience 14

IP#15 – PI and the NA Member 010

IP#16 – For the Newcomer 405

IP#17 – For Those in Treatment 0

IP#19 – Self-Acceptance 1

Infomational Pamphlets:

IP#20 – H & I and the NA Member 8

IP#21 – The Loner 0

IP#22 – Welcome to NA 0 45

IP#23 – Staying Clean on the Outside 18

IP#24 – Money Matters Self Support in NA 0

IP#26 – Accessibility For Those With Additional Needs 8

IP#27 – For the Parents or Guardians of Young People in

N/A

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IP #28 - Funding NA Services 0

IP #29 An Intro to NA Meetings 0

Group Infomational Pamphlets:

Disruptive and Violent Behavior 1

Group Business Meetings 2

Group Trusted Servants “Roles and Responsibilities” 2

Principles and Leadership in NA Service 2

Social Media and Our Guiding Principles 0

Other Stuff:

Group Readings (Set of 7) 0

Literature Rack (8 Pocket) 0

Literature Rack (16 Pocket) 0

Literature Rack (20 Pocket) 0

Literature Rack (25 Pocket) 0

Poster Sets 0

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*****HOSPITALS & INSTITUTIONS – Chairperson: Jack**

Next Meeting Date: Jan 13th

Time: 6:30 pm

Next Meeting Location: room 208 Mtn View UMC Ponca Place, Boulder (Surviving Saturday Church)

NOTES:

-Lit order \$200, \$50 PI to stock lit racks BCTC, ARC, Centennial Peaks

- 21 meetings per month in 7 facilities, Broomfield Women’s meeting back up and going, Boulder Men’s meeting back

up and running (need one more panel member to do meeting weekly)

-Several meetings in need of panel member support (ARC, BCTC, Women's Jail, & Centennial Peaks), talk with Jack, Cathy, or Don T.

-Continue to announce Centennial Peaks and ARC are open meetings

-Will be nominating next H&I Chair to discuss at next BASC, 2 years clean, 1 year commitment, preferred 6 months prior H&I experience, see website for duties

*****ACTIVITIES- Chairperson: Open**

Next Meeting Date: **Time:**

Location:

Notes: Ben has 10 more banquet tickets for New Year's Eve dinner, in communications with ARC for patients to attend dance and speaker meeting

*****CRCNA LIASON – Open**

Next Meeting Date: **Jan 10th** **Time: 11:00 am**

Next Meeting Location: Englewood Public Library

NOTES:

See attached report

*****WEB-SERVANT – Tracy**

- Minutes updated

Ad-Hoc Committees:

none

Open Discussion:

John C- Next CRCNA in Westminster, would be great if Boulder Area had strong support

10 Minute Break

Serenity Prayer to re-open meeting.

Group Reports

Barrel Full of Recovery – Boulder – GSR: Aaron

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$ 0.00

Area Donation = \$ 80.69

Finding the Solution- Longmont- GSR: TJ reporting

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: only closed meeting in area

Literature Order \$0.00

Area Donation: \$0.00 forgot \$\$

Free Today Group – Brighton – GSR: Mindy reporting for Ken M.

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$ 0.00

Area Donation = \$ 100.00

Re-tune at Noon – Boulder – GSR: Jack

Open Positions: Monday chair, GSR, coffee makers

Support Needed:

Notes: Friday format changed to reading out of Living Clean and speaker last Friday of month

Literature Order = \$ 180.50

Area Donation = \$ 96.50

Welcome Home Group- Boulder – GSR: absent

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$

Area Donation = \$

Start Your Week Off Right Group – Longmont – GSR: Wayne

Open Positions: GSR, Alt GSR, Treasurer

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$ 6.75

Area Donation = \$ 9.63

Primary Purpose – Westminster – GSR: John

Open Positions: all filled

Support Needed:

Notes: 6:30 Mondays; Tag meeting!

Literature Order = \$ 62.00

Area Donation = \$ 5.67

So Fresh and So Clean- Boulder – GSR: Ben

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: 20-30 ppl avg, lots of newcomers

Literature Order = \$ 0.00

Area Donation = \$ 0.00

Circle of Friends – Longmont – GSR: Amber

Open Positions: Treasurer

Support Needed:

Notes: 15 ppl avg, 1-3 newcomers

Literature Order = \$ 11.75

Area Donation = \$ 44.25

Candlelight – Boulder – GSR: Bill

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: 20-2ppl avg, 2 newcomers

Literature Order = \$ 54.50

Area Donation = \$ 14.04

Clean for Today – Longmont – GSR: Gina

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: Sat noon needs support at New Beginnings

Literature Order = \$ 82.50

Area Donation = \$ 119.85

Living Clean: The Meeting – Lafayette – GSR: John

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: pot luck 2nd Tuesday every month

Literature Order = \$ 10.25

Area Donation = \$ 80.69

Why Are We Here – Boulder – GSR: absent

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$

Area Donation = \$

Recovering Women – Boulder – GSR: Amy

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$ 10.50

Area Donation = \$ 13.50

Storytellers – Longmont – GSR: Tracy

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: 30 ppl avg

Literature Order = \$0.00

Area Donation = \$ 0.00 forgot to have group conscience

It Works – Boulder – GSR: Ava

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: 15 ppl/ 2 newcomer avg

Literature Order = \$ 5.00

Area Donation = \$7.90

Progress Not Perfection – Boulder – GSR: Ava reporting

Open Positions: GSR

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$98.25
Area Donation = \$ 0.00

Ties That Bind – GSR: Albert

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$ 26.25

Area Donation = \$ 28.75

Kings of Recovery – Boulder – GSR: Scott

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$ 0.00

Area Donation = \$ 22.00

Surviving Saturday Night – Boulder – GSR: Ava

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: strong 20-30 ppl 2-3 newcomers avg

Literature Order = \$ 44.00

Area Donation = \$ 55.25

Burning Bright Saturday Night (formerly Stepping Stones) – Longmont – GSR: Derek

Open Positions:

Support Needed:

Notes: 15 ppl avg

Literature Order = \$14.00

Area Donation = \$ 4.00

Weekend Warriors – Boulder – GSR: Mindy reporting

Open Positions: GSR

Support Needed:

Notes:

Literature Order = \$

Area Donation = \$

NEW MEETINGS – Not on Schedule Yet

Area Treasurer's Report

Previous Balance

\$182.35

Tradition 7 Income from Groups:

Amount

Primary Purpose	\$5.67
Barrell Full of Recovery	\$82.23
Circle of Friends – Longmont	\$44.25
Clean for Today Group - Longmont	\$119.85
Finding the Solution	\$0.00
Free Today – Brighton	\$100.00
It Works - Thursday Boulder	\$7.90
Kings of Recovery	\$22.00
Living Clean	\$80.69
Progress Not Perfection - Boulder	\$0.00
Recovering Women – Boulder	\$13.50
Retune at Noon – Boulder	\$96.50
So Fresh & So Clean – Boulder	\$0.00
Spoons are for Coffee	\$0.00
Start Your Week off Right – Longmont	\$9.63
BURNING BRIGHT-LONGMONT	\$3.00
Storytellers – Longmont	\$0.00
Surviving Saturday Night – Boulder	\$55.25
The Ties that Bind	\$28.75
Tuesday Night by Candlelight – Boulder	\$14.04
Weekend Warriors – Boulder	\$61.00
Welcome Home Group – Boulder	\$0.00
Why are We Here - Boulder	\$0.00
Total Income from Groups:	\$744.26

Other income:

Income from Literature Sales:	\$777.80
Income from Activities Committee:	\$0.00
Income from other sources:	\$0.00
Total Income from all Sources:	\$1,522.06

Adjustment if necessary	\$0.00
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TOTAL NEW MONEY AND OLD MONEY	\$1,704.41
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Monthly Expenses:

Website (Yahoo)	\$0.00
Phoneline (AlphaPage)	\$98.00
Public Information (PI)	\$0.00
Hospitals and Institutions Rent (H&I)	\$0.00
Activities Committee	\$0.00
Misc. Area-GSR sheets, etc.	\$96.74
CRCNA	\$0.00
WSO (Literature Order)	\$1,077.80
BASC Rent/ Cleaning fee	\$25.00

Total Monthly Expenses:	\$1,297.54
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TOTAL MONEY LESS Expenses:

\$406.87

Available to Donate to Region

\$156.87

Regional Donation

\$156.87

Bank Account Balance

\$250.00

Area Service Positions Open

Open Position: CRCNA Liaison

Clean Time Required: 1 year

Length of Commitment: 1 year

Duties include: see website

Open Position: Activities Chair

Clean Time Required: 1 year

Length of Commitment: 1 year

Duties include: see website

Open Position: H&I Chair

Clean Time Required: 2 year

Length of Commitment: 1 year

Duties include: see website

Nominations & Elections

CRCNA Liaison position is open- Vanessa & Gina nominated. Gina declined due to only 9 mo clean. Vanessa qualified herself and Vanessa was voted in

Activities Chair is open- Ben S. nominated. Ben has decided to decline nomination, no other nominations.

New Business:

Upcoming Activities:

NEXT BASC Meeting – @ 617 Barberry St. Longmont

