

Rural Nevada Area of Narcotics Anonymous ASC Minutes

July 1, 2017

The meeting began at 1:30pm at the Fallon Recovery Association (FRA) with a moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer. The 12 Traditions were read by Thom and the 12 Concepts read by Alfred. After all the readings, the 7th tradition was gathered in the amount of \$9.00.

ROLL CALL

Group GSRs

Dayton - Living for Today – Charles, GSR - absent - emailed report

Dayton - Saturday Night Special Meeting – Alfred, GSR – present- written report

Elko-I Choose Life Group of N.A – Gary, GSR– absent – no report

Fallon – Never Alone – Nicole, GSR – present - written report

Lovelock - Saturday Night Live – Tom, acting GSR – absent – emailed report

Silver Springs - What's the Solution – Thom, GSR – present– written report

Winnemucca –no GSR currently – absent – no report

Yerington - Groups – absent – no report

ASC Trusted Servants

Chair – Lou – present

Vice Chair – position vacant

Hotline Committee Chair – Chris – present

Secretary - Nicole – present

RCM – Abbey – present

RCM II – Alfred – present

Treasurer – Bill – present – report to be e-mailed

Activity Chair – Abbey - present

Region Website Liaison – Abbey – present

Visitors: Jimmie & Terri

Motion to approve, June's minutes, as amended, was made by Alfred and 2nd by Thom. 3-0-0

GSR Reports

Dayton Sunday, Living for Today Charles, GSR – absent – report below

Average Attendance – 1

Number of Newcomers – 0

7th Tradition collection - \$4.00

Literature (Books) - \$10.00

Rent – paid current (50% of 7th)

Area donation - \$0.00

Prudent Reserve Maintained

Thanks to Scott F. for filling in as Secretary while Charles B. is recuperating from shoulder surgery.

Meeting still needs support!!

Dayton Saturday Night Special Alfred, GSR – present – report below

The Saturday Night Special group is doing good. We have 3 meetings a week.

The Tuesday night bare bones book study, 6:30 pm.

Thursday night elevator meeting, 6:00 pm

Saturday night special meeting, 6:00 pm

These meetings are held at the Mark Twain Community Center at 500 Sam Clemens, Dayton, NV.

We are donation \$252, at this time.

I asked for a group conscience on three issues. The first issue was the purchasing of group starter kits, and the vote was yes, with the limitation of 5. Issue two was sending extra money to region, to fund sending members to Western Service Learning Days. That vote was no. Issue three was about funding RCM one & RCM two, to go to Western Service Learning Days. The initial vote was no. It could be revisited if we had a number. They want to know how much this would cost.

Your GSR, Alfred

Fallon Never Alone Group Nicole, GSR – absent - report below

June 2017 GSR Report for the Never Alone Group of Fallon, NV

Our meetings are held at the Fallon Recovery Association and meet at the following times. Sunday, 5:00pm, Monday at 7:00 pm, Tuesday at 7:00pm, Thursday at 5:00 pm, and Friday at 7:00pm

The issue about having a few meeting starter kits was voted yes. We think that the Area should have about 4 on hand.

We weren't too sure about sending extra money to Region to send a couple of RCMs to Western Service Learning Days, since we already donate to Region on a regular basis.

Our "Day at Lake Lahontan" event will be held on August 19th at Beach 3, starting at 10am. Please bring your favorite side dish to share and beach toys. I have flyers to hand out to bring back to the other groups.

We are currently looking for a GSR, Treasurer and secretaries for Monday and Tuesday nights.

We have a \$25 area donation this month

All of our bills are paid and we maintain a prudent reserve.

SILVER SPRINGS' "WHAT'S THE SOLUTION" & STAGECOACH'S "SILVER SAGE" – Thom – GSR – written report

Our meetings are as follows:

Wed., 6:30 pm at the Sr. Center in Silver Springs (book study), Fri. 6:30 pm at the Sr. Center in Silver Springs (JFT Topic), Sat, 7:00am at the Stagecoach Community Center (JFT Readings) and Sun, 7:00 pm at the Sr. Center in Silver Springs (book study/speaker).

We have an average attendance of 2-6 members. 7th Tradition \$-\$10 a mtg

The group needs an Alt. GSR, Alt. secretaries, greeters & coffee makers. 3 of 4 meetings could use an alternate secretary, and all meetings could use designated coffee makers & greeters.

Literature Order depends on donation from Region

All rents & bills are paid.

Lovelock- Sunday Serenity – Tom, acting GSR – absent – no report

Yerington - Groups – no current GSR, absent - no report

I Choose Life Group of N.A. – Elko – Gary, GSR – absent – no report

Winnemucca Group – Serenity Speakers – no current GSR – absent – no report

Trusted Servants Reports

Treasurer – Bill – absent – e-mailed report

This report will be attached in separate e-mail from Bill.

RCM I – Abbey – present – written report (same as last month)

Abbey B. got voted in as a board member to represent RNA at the RSO meetings.

H & I Behind the Walls & for the P.O. Box to be moved to Reno. The new address is P.O. Box 12932, Reno, NV 89510. If you have flyers, please cross out the old address & put the new one on it. We also need sponsors!!

Regular H & I has a new members, Rob E. from Dayton & possibly Mike C. will be taking an H and I position.

WEB/PR, Walter needs an updated contact list. We will have a list sent around at the next Region meeting. Also, Walter wants members to check out a new video concept called "Zoom". Perhaps we can use this to help people who can't make it to Region. He thinks it will be a good resource program.

Events Happening – Carson City is to hold their "Summer Fun Days" at the Mills Park on August 26th. North Lake Tahoe will be holding "Serenity at the River" on July 22nd at 10500 Brockway Rd., NLT.

Big Issue – Western Learning Days, in Monterey, CA on October 27 – 30th. Region wants to send like seven people but won't really have the funding for that due to the Convention deposits. Region tabled the vote on who should be paid for them to go. They are asking individual Area bodies if they could possibly send additional funding for this or perhaps pay for people to attend this?

In Loving Service, Abbey.

RCM II – Alfred - present

Activities Chair – Abbey – present– written report

RNA Campout went great. We all had a good time at our new location.

In loving Service, Abbey

Hotline – Chris – absent – e-mailed report

The helpline report will be attached in a separate e-mail from Chris.

Hotline # 1-866-760-2380

H&I – Alan – absent- no report

However, the Fallon Never Alone group are looking for members, who have completed the 12 steps, and are interested in volunteering to share their experience, strength and hope with the clients at New Frontier Treatment Center. The meeting takes place every Sunday at 4:00pm. Please contact Nicole or Chris if you would like to sign up. Thank you.

Silver Springs is looking for speakers for their Sunday night meeting at 7pm

RSC H & I Report – This report will be attached in separate e-mails

Secretary Report – Nicole – present – Please email reports if you are a GSR and are not attending. Send to Nicole at nicole.als@gmail.com. We are looking for a new Area Secretary.

Old Business

Region is asking for funding to send Regional Board Members to Western Learning Days or perhaps send Area RCMs to Western Learning Days and taking on that cost instead of Region. The vote came back to not send extra money to Region at this time, with the exceptions of our donations.

Also, it was voted in that we could purchase between 4 -5 meeting starter kits.

Lou communicated with Winnemucca to get them to send GSR reports thru e-mail. Lou will also communicate with Elko in the near future.

New Business

We need to take back to our groups of when we think the next Helpline Workshop should be held, possibly a weekend in September.

Yerington meetings are Sun. at 1pm, Mon, Wed & Fri at 5:30 pm. They are looking for a GSR.

Do we want to have supplied NA literature racks at places such as P.O. office, hospitals, treatment centers, etc.? RNA is willing to support literature racks in our towns at the expense of the Area.

This was also mentioned in old business, but we have further info to share on this matter. Region wants to send 7 people to Seaside, CA for Western Service Learning Days, Oct. 27th-29th. Our RCM 2 would like this area body to assist him in sending him to this function. We agreed to allow Alfred to bring back a proposal of how much he would like/need to be able to go to the Western Learning Days.

We have agreed to restart donations to Region & World and decided to send the past 5 months back donations in the amount of \$500 at 60%/40% split and then return to \$100 next month also at a 60/40 split.

Bills are to be paid.

Alfred made a motion to close and was also 2nd by Bill. 3-0-0