

## SWINA ASC AGENDA June 14th, 2020

1. Open- 2:12PM
2. Reading of:
  - a. Twelve Traditions- Gary R.
  - b. Twelve Concepts- Alex T.
  - c. Service Motivation- Mike V.P.
3. Sharing Session- Start- 2:17PM, End- 2
  - a. Alex T.- How is reopening going? Any concerns?
    - i. Mike H. FNL is cleaning before and after, social distancing, wearing masks, taking all necessary precautions.
    - ii. Mike V.P. Never shut down, continued a live Facebook group, trying to stay within guidelines, no masks required, discourage those who are feeling sick. New Way is opening up tonight and has new guidelines.
    - iii. Gary R. Wednesday Atlantic doing zoom with live meeting, working on hearing problems, outside meetings
    - iv. Stacy J. Can't start meeting due to church but Saturday is now open with guidelines. Other meetings are on zoom still.
    - v. Bart W. Reopened Monday, all precautions taken with masks and cleaning.

- vi. Laura W. Never shut down but has kept up cleaning and social distancing, has been hosting outside lately.
  - b. Mike H. wondering factors of when to ease up guidelines and restrictions.
    - i. Mike VP Church is requiring masks now
    - ii. Barry is still being asked for masks to still be used in social gatherings by the governor.
    - iii. Alex and Gary agreed with Barry. We are productive members of society who follow rules and guidelines.
- 4. Roll Call/Visitors
  - a. Executive Committee:
    - i. Facilitator- Stacy H.
    - ii. Co-Facilitator- Absent
    - iii. Recorder- Alex T.
    - iv. Treasurer- Gary R
    - v. RCM- Bart W.
    - vi. RCM-ALT- Open
  - b. Sub-Committees:
    - i. Lit-Chair- Absent with report
    - ii. PR-Chair- Open
    - iii. H&I-Chair- Absent
    - iv. PI-Chair- Sari M.
    - v. Activities Chair- Laura W.
    - vi. Activities Co Chair- Open
  - c. Groups:
    - i. Discovery Group- Absent
    - ii. Just For Today- Absent
    - iii. Recharge Group- Absent with report
    - iv. New Way- Mike VP

- v. Vision of Hope- Bart W.
- vi. Straight Friends- Laura W.
- vii. Harlan GSF- Stacy J.
- viii. Atlantic Meeting- Alex T.
- ix. Let It Be- Absent
- x. New Freedom- Absent
- xi. Straight Edge- Absent
- xii. Friday Night Live- Mike H.

d. Groups present- 6, 5 to pass

e. Visitors: Barry B.

5. Reports:

- i. Facilitator-
- ii. Co-Facilitator- Open
- iii. Recorder- Greetings Area, please let me know if you are giving a verbal report and if not, please have your report sent to me by next Sunday. Thank you all so much. ILS, Alex T.
- iv. Treasurer- Bank balance is 1063.40. Checkbook balance is 1013.40. \$50 check to Bart outstanding. Bart is going to void it out so they are the same balances. ILS, Gary
- v. RCM-

Greetings Area:

The next RSC will be Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 this will be a two day Zoom conference. Like the one we just had on June 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>.

We started out Sat. the work groups then after lunch we heard the report on the WSC, then finished with PR completing their Service agenda.

On Sun. we started with Open floor, long discussion on the state of donations and its break down. How we could benefit with the use of apps Like Cash app which was approved for the region in new service. The problem with donations didn't

develop overnight and was just intensified because of COVID 19.

The next discussion was on the need to update Insurance Guidelines moved to the agenda where we setup a Zoom meeting for the work group to work on the guidelines. Next we talked about removing the number form IRCNA this year sense it's going to be a virtual convention was voted on in unfinished service and passed. The last discussion in open floor was on if we should extend the terms of the RD and RDA because there was no opportunity for our RDA to gain the experience needed do this year's virtual conference. This was added to new service on the agenda.

#### Unfinished Service

Nominations: Co-recorder, Sponsorship behind the Walls liaison for Zonal, and many other Zonal positions well be opening up for nominations.

#### New Service:

Regional planning cycle survey will be available at [www.iowa-na.org](http://www.iowa-na.org) by June 15th and needs to be filled out by August 1, 2020. Areas need to submit a survey but any addict can submit a survey individually

Review draft guidelines (emailed to RCMs) & submit input prior to August Region where they well be up for approval. We also decided that at this time we will not expand the use of our Facebook page.

For Area Consideration:

- To schedule a ZOOM Meeting: Email [info@pszfna.org](mailto:info@pszfna.org)
- Spiritual Principle a Day Book Project (SPAD): There are 10 spiritual principles to write on by June 30, 2020. Review & input for the third batch of spiritual principles is due August 10, 2020.
- Send updated H&I meeting information to [dennyvdw@gmail.com](mailto:dennyvdw@gmail.com).
- Complete a COVID 19 research survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Covid19-NA> or go to [www.na.org](http://www.na.org) "For Members" drop down & select "Projects & surveys"

In Loving Service,

*Bart W*

vi. RCM-ALT- Open

b. Sub-Committees:

- i. Lit-Chair- Greetings Area, My apologies for not attending Area Zoom today. We had plans then they were canceled, then the family decided to go back to the original plan. The bank balance for the month of June was at \$681.80, however I was finally able to order in bulk last week (WOOHOO). I placed an order in the amount of \$507.53 which takes the balance to \$174.27 and \$100.00 of this is the prudent reserve. I am hoping to hear that we will finally be meeting LIVE next month and hope to have some orders from the GSR's? Especially now that some groups have started to open back up. I am pretty well stocked on key tags & medallions, so as always Do Not Forget to get those orders to me 1-2 weeks prior to the next Area. I would also like to mention, if no-one has the willingness to step up for co-chair of Activities, I will be honored to help Laura in any way that I can for all upcoming events (IF THERE WILL BE ANY). Please note, I am not saying I will co-chair but I will absolutely help out & volunteer for subcommittee meetings, ideas, running errands, setting up stuff like that WHEN I CAN.

IF anyone has any questions during area today please don't hesitate to call me 712-571-0610.

ILS, Holly G.

- ii. PR-Chair- Absent
- iii. H&I-Chair- Absent
- iv. PI-Chair- Verbal, waiting for more from region
- v. Activities Chair- Greetings AREA,  
As you are all aware of, Covid 19 has put a damper on a lot of the activities around and SWINA activities

is also affected as well. I am please to announce that the restrictions have allowed us to at least thro a Luau! (flier attached). It will be July 18th and camping is available to those who wish to do so. I am having a guideline geared planning process here , so I am not 'planning' much! The only thing that will be required from attendees is their 6ft presence and maybe some tiki torches! I want to line the drive up to the circle and the circle with tiki torches and really give the camp a luau feel! This will allow the campers to attend all of the meeting and hear the entertainment right from the comfort of their own campsite! (so, if there are any non-NA members camping, well, we'll just plant a seed!) I'm not forseeing too much of the \$435.00 in the acct being used , there will be no potluck or hog, no dj dance, maybe pop will be for sale, but I will leave that up to the committees that serve. I wish to have some type of meeting to where the addicts that are there will be recognized for any clean time they have celebrated during the quarantine. And be able to offer them a keytag or coin. So in essence, I would love to have the lit chair on site too , and maybe a tiki hut to get them from?! I WILL be accepting raffle items too. We do need to try to make money during this event, so that will be a plan. SWINA subcommittees will be (hopefully) forming next ASC in July and I wish to plan one hell of a SWINA!...we deserve it! As you all are aware, I am serviing this committee all by myself, and would just be asking for your patience as we try to get things going and maybe a little assist from the willing parties . thank you all for allowing me to serve.

ILS,

Laura W.

Activities Chair

vi. Activities Co Chair- Open

c. Groups:

i. Discovery Group- Absent

ii. Just For Today- Absent

iii. Recharge Group- Absent with report, Greetings SWINA from the Recharge Group Carter Lake, Our total attendance for May 2020 was 41 addicts. We celebrated 1 Thirty Days, 1 Six Months, 1 Fourteen Years clean, and welcomed 1 Newcomer. Our beginning balance was \$36.00, income of \$33.00, expenses of \$10.00, and ending balance of \$59.00. The recovery journey continues at Recharge. We are supposed to keep our attendance limited to 10 or less however we do live stream our meetings on the Iserve NA Facebook page. If you are not a friend currently just send a friend request and once accepted not only can you view the live stream but all the recovery content is accessible for friends. Tamra sends her regards. She would be here but she is out of town. In Loving Service, Mike VP, Recharge Group

iv. New Way- Greetings Area from The New Way Group NA. Our meetings have been shut down the last three months due to the church closing to in person gatherings. However we have been live streaming on the Iserve NA Facebook page at the regular meeting time using the Step Working Guide per normal as a topic. We are currently on Step 4. Starting today we are doing a limited reopening starting today with guidelines as follows: Sunday New Way will be open. No children, no coffee provided, no food, outside drinks come in a sealed container, if you bring it in you take it out, mask required upon entering and exiting the building, and limited to ten people. Please be on time 6:45 p.m. The doors will remain locked so attendees will be greeted and let in. I should note barring technical

issues New Way will continue to stream live on Facebook and encourage all who are able to join us on Facebook. We won't turn anyone away and can split the group if need be but want to avoid it if we can. ILS, Mike VP

- v. Vision of Hope-
  - vi. Straight Friends- Verbal, doing good, enjoying outside
  - vii. Harlan GSF-
  - viii. Atlantic Meeting- Greetings Area, Atlantic Wednesday Meeting is now back open with some guidelines! We are doing outside meetings as weather permits for the month of June. We ask you to bring your own chair. We will have a business meeting about outside meetings or moving inside and will get a group conscious for the next month. We are continuing our zoom meetings and they are incorporated into our live meetings. We have had some bugs to figure out but are well on our way! We have averaged about 10 addicts in person per meeting since reopening with about 2 or 3 on our zoom. We are requiring masks at this time. Hand Sanatizer available. Everything cleaned before and after. Gloves to be worn when handling money or cards. Coffee not being served. Social distancing observed. Readings not being passed around. Will circle up but no touching. No hugging. 7th tradition basket stationary. We are grateful for all the volunteers that have made reopening safely a possibility. ILS, Alex
  - ix. Let It Be- Absent
  - x. New Freedom- Absent
  - xi. Straight Edge- Absent
  - xii. Friday Night Live-
- 6. Correction and Approval of the minutes: 6 approved
  - 7. Financial Requests? None
  - 8. Old Service:
    - a. Nominations for ASC positions:
      - i. RCM Alt

- ii. H&I?
  - iii. No nominations, Tabled
- 9. New Service:
  - a. Planning support for SWINA campout & Luau
    - i. Sari M, Alex T, Gary R, Mike H, Holly G, willing to help Laura
    - ii. Each campsite do SWINA play / dance while social distancing?
    - iii. Where at?
    - iv. 18th or 25th of July? 5 approve of 18th.
    - v. Luau: Where at? Arrowhead? Coclands? Pioneer?  
Laura will get an answer of where by then end of this week if not it will be postponed.
    - vi. Keep it cheap
    - vii. Food? Bring your own, no potluck!
    - viii. Capture the flag event?
  - b. Activities co chair
    - i. Activities co chair resigned
    - ii. open for nominations
- 10. Announcements & Flood Meeting: Updates on if in person or on zoom to come.
- 11. Next ASC to be held on the 07/12/2020, in Griswold, IA
- 12. Close Meeting- 3:39PM