

## SWINA ASC MINUTES DECEMBER 10, 2023

**NOTE: WE TOOK A CONSENSUS TO NOT HAVE AREA DUE TO NOT HAVING ENOUGH COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND GSR'S BUT I DID MAKE THESE MINUTES WITH REPORTS THAT WERE GIVEN.....**

1. Open: Moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer 2:30 pm- consensus was to close area due to not enough people to conduct business and make decisions

2. Readings:

- a. Twelve Traditions-NA
- b. Twelve Concepts-NA
- c. Service Motivation-NA

3. Sharing Session Open 0 pm Closed at 0 pm.

4. Roll Call

Executive Committee-

Facilitator -Gary R

Recorder - Stacy J

RCM – Absent

Co-Facilitator –Casey W

Treasurer – OPEN

RCM-ALT –Absent

Sub-Committees:

Lit-Chair – Mike VP

H&I-Chair – Absent with report

Activities Chair -Amber W

Phone line Liaison- Absent with report

PR-Chair -Absent with report

PI-Chair –OPEN

Activities Co Chair – OPEN

Web Servant –Absent with report

Ad Hoc Committee- - Amber W filled in with report

Groups:

- 1. Recharge Group- Carter Lake-Mike VP
- 2. New Way – Council Bluffs-Sam M Absent
- 3. Vision of Hope – Council Bluffs-Stacy H Absent
- 4. Harlan GSF- Harlan- Stacy J
- 5. Wednesday Atlantic Meeting-Brad B
- 6. Let It Be - Council Bluffs-Dave R Absent
- 7. New Freedom – Creston-Absent
- 8. Friday Night Live- Atlantic-Absent
- 9. Against all odds- Shenandoah- Absent With Report
- 10. Stairway to Freedom - Clarinda-Amber W
- 11. Red Oak Messengers- Absent
- 12. New Beginnings- Absent

Vote= 0

# of groups present= 4

Visitors: Mark C

## 5. Reports

### A. Executive Committee-

Facilitator- NO REPORT

Co Facilitator- NO REPORT

Recorder- NO REPORT

Treasurer- OPEN

RCM- ABSENT- NO REPORT

RCM ALT- ABSENT NO REPORT

### B. Sub Committee-

#### Lit Chair-

Greetings Area from the literature subcommittee,

Report for November 2023 Submitted for Minutes December 10th 2023

November 19th 2023 I withdrew \$300.00 For the ENNA Lit Order \$382.81 of which \$82.81 I still need to reimburse myself. Lit orders 217959-217962 cash receipt, \$217.00 cash, and a Check for Lit orders 217957, 217958, 217963 totaling \$306.68 for total deposited 11172023 \$523.68 The balance in the checkbook is \$693.87 Checkbook and bank balance agree.

In loving Service,

Mike VP

#### PR Chair-

Greetings area my name is Mike I'm an addict. So I'm still doing mundane tasks that don't really need to be mentioned as far as PR stuff goes I'm making contacts and preparing to distribute the gel packets that I still have and also anxiously awaiting the materials for the next batch of jail packets. I believe I'm going to receive those materials today and when I get them in my possession I will put everything together get with my h&i person and we will figure out exactly who gets what and where they're going to go other than that I apologize for not being an area today I've been sick for a couple of weeks and I'm just Not With it today Period More to be revealed thank you for letting me serving this capacity and I promise I'm always paying attention to my duties, In loving service Mike H.

#### H & I

Greetings Area,

I think of you all there whole i sit her so very comfortable in my recliner. This last month before surgery I was able to deliver jail packets to Adair, Union, and Taylor counties. I called Freemont 3 times with no response.

In loving survive Wendy

## PI Chair- OPEN

### Activities Chair-

Good Day ASC,

We have had a busy month with region, the Gratitude Dance, and the Holiday Bash. I want to thank everyone who showed up from our Area to Region that helped out and came to see what region was all about. We also had a good turn out for the Gratitude dance even though it was snowing. We averaged 25 addicts plus their families. We made \$53.00 in raffles, \$16.75 in pop and \$114.00 in donations. We did close early after the meeting due to the weather so everyone could travel home safely. Total \$ 183.75

We had the holiday bash last night. Harlan did an AMAZING job hosting it and we had a great turnout. We had \$158.00 in Donations at the door and sold \$24.40 in pop totaling \$182.40. Attendance was 40 to 50 people. I think that going forward we need to not have an activity the same weekend as area. Bids are due for the Chili Cook Off. We are trying to come up with a mid winter game day activity. Sometime before the Chili Cook Off. I gave money to Gary R.

ILS  
AMBER W

### Activities Co Chair- OPEN

### Phone Line-

All is going well. Thank you to all who are keeping this working

ILS  
DAVE R

### Web Servant-

The website seems to be operating well. If you have any concerns or additions to make please get ahold of me. Remember this is your website and not mine so if you have any constructive criticism please make it.

ILS  
DAVE R

### Ad Hoc Committee-

Page County Conservation did call me back and the board approved Pioneer Park reservation from Monday to Monday Labor Day Weekend for SWINA.

ILS  
AMBER W

## B. Groups

### 1. Recharge Group- Carter Lake-

Greetings SWINA from the Recharge Group Carter Lake,

Our total attendance for November 2023 was 63 addicts and 9 children and or supporters. We welcomed 2 newcomers, and celebrated 1 ninety days clean. Our beginning balance was \$97.00, income of \$46.00, expenses of \$114.00, and ending balance of \$29.00. We have an area donation of \$10 and a \$15 Lit order.

Our topics have been coming out of the Basic Text. The coffee is hot, the hugs are warm, and the recovery journey continues at Recharge Mondays, 7-8pm. 3025 Maybrey Ln, Carter Lake Iowa.

In Loving Service                      MIKE VP   Recharge Group

2. New Way – Council Bluffs-

Greetings Area from The New Way Group.

We are doing great at this time. We are a Step Working Guide Group currently on Step Nine. We had 47 addicts attend. We celebrated Birthdays with keytags and medallions for 1-30 days. Our beginning balance was \$42.00. Our total income was \$34.00. Our expenses were \$60.00. Thus leaving us with an ending balance of \$16.00. Our lit order is for \$2.00. Our area donation is \$5.00. Come join us Sunday Nights at 6:45 p.m.at Broadway United Methodist Church located at 11 South First Street Room 205.

ILS,  
Sam M

3. Vision of Hope – Council Bluffs- NO REPORT

4. Harlan GSF- Harlan

Greetings ASC from Harlan GSF,

Meetings are going well with a clear message of recovery being shared. We have averaged 15 addicts in attendance each week. We have welcomed out of towners and have celebrated various amounts of clean time. We celebrated two -4 years and several marbles for in between birthdays. We do not have a lit order or area donation at this time. Region was a big hit. Thank you to all who showed up and gave a hand. We did have some concerns about region within our home group. We know that it is freedom of speech but, with that also being said how can we be spiritual with all the profanity that was being shared during the meeting? It was a turn off for the members of our groups and for the newcomers.

ILS  
KIM B

5. Wednesday Atlantic Meeting-

Greetings Area from Wednesdays Atlantic Group,

I am Brad and I am an addict. Wednesday night meetings have been going well with an average of 13 in attendance. We celebrated three-1 year keytags, one- 23 year medallion, and one- 60 day keytag. We also have an area donation of \$75.00 at this time.

ILS  
BRAD B

6. Let It Be - Council Bluffs-

All is well. Many many key tags given out. About 10 to 15 addicts at every meeting. I am sorry I didnt make it to area today. Will make a donation at the next area. Please stop by.

ILS  
DAVE R

7. New Freedom – Creston- NO REPORT

8. Friday Night Live- Atlantic- NO REPORT

9. Against all odds- Shenandoah-

We averaged 10 to 12 members per meeting. We have handed out several key tags. I forgot to take down that information last week.

ILS

AMBER W

10. Stairway to Freedom - Clarinda-

We averaged 8 to 10 members this month. We have had several newcomers and handed out several key tags.

ILS  
AMBER W

11. Red Oak Messengers- NO REPORT

12. Living Clean- NO REPORT

6. Correction and approval of minutes – NA

7. Financial Request: Stacy J- recorder ink \$ 20.13

8. Old Service

A. Open positions

a. Treasurer= OPEN

b.. PI= OPEN

c . Activities Co Chair= OPEN

B. Activities Prudent Reserve Proposal- It was proposed by Samantha C to keep activities at \$2,000.00 and give the remainder of the money to the area This would leave \$2,000 in Activities and \$3,009.04.

C. Who will get mail next month-

D.

9. New Service

A. Flood Meetings

B-

11. 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition

12, Next Area in Griswold January 14, 2024