

NEXT AREA MEETING September 11, 2005

South Central Service Committee

Meeting August 7, 2005

Officers of SCANA

Robby E. 953-6334 Present.
Secretary Carrie B. 883-0142 Absent
RCM Jay F. 266-5766 Present

Vice Chair Kat O. 778-2136 Present
Treasurer Debi D. 953-4383 Present
RCM Alt. Lia B. 988-8897 Present

Subcommittee Chairs

Public Information Al L. Present
Literature Alicia E. 953-6334 Present

H&I Donna F. 287-1962 Present
Activities Jess F. 266-5766 Present
SCASO Steve M. Present

Ad-hoc inventory Al L. Present

Group service representatives

Sunday		Aug.	July	June
10:30am SCANAMOSA	Diane C.	xxx	ooo	xxx
5:30pm SMORES	Jose L.	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:00 pm Broadlawns	Jason	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:30pm Eastside recovery	Bryan	xxx	xxx	xxx
Monday				
12:00pm Our primary purpose	Toni	ooo	xxx	ooo
7:30pm Spiritual Hour	Tim D.	xxx	xxx	xxx
Tuesday				
1:00PM BYOC	Lance	xxx	xxx	xxx
5:30pm STAGS	Jeff McD	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:00pm Harbor of Serenity	Jody R.	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:30pm Unity in Action	Kayla S.	xxx	xxx	xxx
9:30pm Basic Meeting of NA	Dwayne	ooo	xxx	xxx
Wednesday				
12:00pm Just for Today	Jon	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:00pm Riverfront YMCA	Victoria	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:30pm We Came to Believe	Mike	xxx	xxx	xxx
Thursday				
7:00pm Fluer Step Study	Dawn M.	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:00pm The Uncut Group	Larry	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:00pm Thursday Night Salvation	Terry R	xxx	xxx	xxx
11:00 pm Midnight Miracles	Steve.	xxx	xxx	xxx
Friday				
12:00pm Found a Way Out	Paul T.	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:00pm Free Addicts Recovery	James C.	xxx	xxx	ooo
7:30pm New Beginnings	Pat N.	xxx	xxx	xxx
8:00pm Free on Friday	George M.	xxx	xxx	xxx
Saturday				
9:00am Morning Text	Jack	xxx	xxx	xxx
7:30pm Sat. Nite Salvation	Wanda P.	xxx	xxx	xxx
8:00pm Sat. Nite Live	Amy T.	xxx	xxx	xxx
Group Assemblies				
Mon/Thurs. Serenity JFT	Phil	xxx	xxx	xxx
Mon/Fri. Port of Entry	Emily WK	ooo	ooo	ooo
Mon/Fri. Truth of Consequences	Paul	xxx	xxx	xxx
Tues./Sat. Central City	Jerry	ooo	ooo	ooo
Wed./ Sat. Seekers of Serenity	Chuck	ooo	ooo	ooo
Marshalltown	Jeff G.	xxx	xxx	xxx
Tues./ Thurs. Courage to Change	Larry	xxx	ooo	xxx
Mon./ Thurs. Found a Way Out	Melissa	xxx	xxx	ooo

Visitors: Tom D., Jim S., Jim M., Dawn L., Jim C., Phil B., Cory U., Jon C., Desiree S., David L., Jason A.

Groups recognized by SCANA, not in voting status:

Knoxville, Newton, Port of Entry, Central City, Seekers of Serenity

Note to GSR's

Three consecutive absences will result in a group being removed from the roll call and the termination of voting privileges until the group attends 2 subsequent meetings. Voting privileges will be reinstated on the 2 attendance.

XXX= present OOO= absent

South Central Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous convened @ 3500 Kingman Blvd. @ 2:30pm.

Service Motion- 12 Traditions- 12 Concepts-

Officer's reports:

Chair- Thanks for being here! Please come back and please stay. As to some rumors I've been clean since November 10th 1998. My clean date has not changed if you have any inquiries please contact me at 953-6334 or 238-4630. I love NA I'm dedicated to being here. 4 ever grateful Robby

Vice chair- Greetings area, the Ad-Hoc Audit committee met as scheduled thank you to Jamie L., Victoria and Steve for your service. I will prepare a detailed report. Overall it appears that things are accounted for. As a committee we discussed some improvements. We were not able to locate bank statements for some months. Other general issues included difficulty matching receipts and lack of them. We will be auditing the office books unless otherwise instructed. I am asking for a commitment today. We will set a date and put at a flyers ILS Kat

Treasurer- Opening Balance \$ ILS Debi D.

Secretary-no report

RCM- Today is the day that I need the IRCNA service experience resources pool sheets that I gave you last area. Since I had low expectations of receiving these back, I'm going to let you know how you can get them to me. I will be at the Lutheran Wednesday, Thursday step study and Lutheran Friday meetings or give me a call. The IRSC will meet August 20th in Moline Illinois. We just found this out and I'm sure there will be some type of function. Nominations for Vice chair, Secretary, Treasurer and RD alt. will open the region and close in November. If there is anyone you would like to see nominated let me know. There is nothing on the agenda at the moment, but I'm sure there will be motions brought to the meeting. Lia will not be here today, so any concerns you would like to see brought to open forum, let me know. ILS. Jay F

RCM Alt- no report ILS Lia B.

Subcommittee Reports:

Public Information- Greetings SCANA ASC: PI went smoothly today, although attendance was sparse. We have an upcoming presentation, but I don't have the specific info at this time other than that it will be September 8&9. we also have a presentation coming up August 24th at the Marshalltown parole/probation office. Yesterday we had 4 addicts hang fliers in Newton. The phone line workers have been instructed to direct callers only to meetings found on the SCANA meetings schedule. We have no direct knowledge of meeting that aren't reporting regularly to this service body, and therefore can't in good conscience direct anyone to unlisted meetings. We hope that dealing with Newton calls in this manner will ease any concerns or misgivings about so called rouge meeting that might be taking place in Newton. Flier flood day September 17th in Indianola meet her at 10:30am. ILS Al

H&I- Greetings area we have 1 new member, 2 new coordinators. Learning day was a great success. We spent \$64.49 in lit. Thanks for letting me serve. ILS Donna F.

Literature & Archives- Check out the newsletter! We told you there were some major changes going on, and this is just the beginning. We had a great meeting this morning. The policy packet that has been in the works will be printed by next area. We really need to thank our editors Jeanie W. and Nancy WK for all the time and effort they have put into printing this quarters newsletter. Just to for warn the area when it is budget time we will be increasing our budget. Please sub-committee chairs, we need your brief input on what you are all about, and briefly what is going on. Also, we still need submissions for the next newsletter on "UNITY". GSR's please announce this in your meetings. If you are going to a function write up something about it. We all like to feel as though we are involved, even if we can't be there. I am sure we have some great reporters out there.

Caring though sharing is what it is all about. ILS Alicia E.

Activates SCANA, activities committee went rather well considering that I was the only committee member that was in attendance. We managed to resolve a few things on our agenda even though we did not have an agenda to follow. Very few people in attendance. Thank you to all who were in attendance and for the help in making sure things ran smoothly. ILS Whitney

Area Service Office- We met last month took care of normal housekeeping items-clean up, lit order, and discussed a few meeting items ie: what's up with regional schedules, PI restocking tub, keys situation ie Tres. Treasurer resigned and we will be electing a new treasurer this evening. ILS Steve M..

July

Open \$877.15

Deposits \$1423.42

Total \$2300.57

Expenses:

Check #1404 Rent \$290.00

Check #1405 Lit (NAWS) \$1154.28

Service Charges \$14.61

Total \$1458.89

Closing Balance \$841.68

June

Open \$27.40

Deposits \$1905.79

Debits

Service Charge \$14.54

Check #1401 Rent \$290.00

Check #1402 Copies \$71.26

Check #1403 Lit \$680.24

Closing Balance \$877.15

Ad-Hoc Inventory- Greetings SCANA ASC: here are some of the issues that were of chief concern:

Manipulation

Individual thinking

Trust

Showing up (commitment)

Not reinventing the process

Diversity

Change

Responsibility & Accountability

Leadership skills

Sponsorship

Availability

Motivation

Qualifications

Punctuality

Communication

Dedication

Willingness

Goals

Humility

God

These areas of concern rated highest as we prioritized from a much larger list. We had about 20 recovering addicts at widely varying stages of recovery involved in the process, both male and female. Our next step will be to service a method or means by which we can inventory these issues, so that we can offer more in depth information and recommendations to the SCANA AC service body. ILS AL L.

Group reports:

Sunday

10:30 am SCANAMOSA- Hello I'm Diane C. GSR elected alternate. This meeting is averaging 15-20 addicts each week with an average of 2 newcomers every week. We purchased literature and supported "Listen up for World Unity" after our meeting on Sunday September 4, 2005. so we have no money to donate to area this month. ILS Diane

5:30PM SMORES Greetings area, Smores is still hot! We are grateful for the core group of addicts who meet every week. Recovery is happening and NA's 5th tradition is being carried. I want to thank Jim S. for speaking last week and join us to hear Larry from Winterset speak tonight. ILS Jose

7:00pm Broadlawns- Greetings area. Sunday nite is alive with recovery, please some join us. We had 1-4 newcomers each week. We paid rent and bought supplies with our 7th tradition and donated the rest to area. ILS Jason B.

7:30pm Eastside recovery- Greetings SCANA, the Eastside Recovery Group is going well and thriving in an atmosphere of recovery. We had a total attendance of 198 people with 20 newcomers. Our 7th tradition collections totaled \$139.59. after paying for rent and supplies, we were able to contribute \$39.00 to area. A special thanks to Robin for chairing the meeting for the month of July. Eastside Recovery Group Rocks!! In loving service Bryan M.

Monday

Noon Our Primary Purpose- The Monday noon meeting is doing well. We sold one piece of literature and brought in \$33.81. gave \$15.31 to area. ILS Kelly M.

7:30pm Spiritual Hour- Greetings area from the Monday Night Spiritual Hour is doing well. We had an attendance of 20 per week with 3 newcomers per week. We had an income of \$70.05. we are spending \$50.45 for rent and supplies. Leaving a \$19.60 donation to ASC. ILS Tim D.

Tuesday

1:00 BYOC- The meeting at BYOC is struggling!! We have been averaging 5-6 addicts at this meeting, with no newcomers last month. We had a problem with a trusted servant not showing up. We had a group conscience and elected a new treasurer so the problem has been resolved. ILS Lance

5:30pm STAGS- We could use some support. We're averaging about 6 people each week. We had 2 newcomers this month. We paid rent. Each week a personal story from Book 2 of the Basic Text will be read and used as a topic for that meeting. Parking is available behind the building or on 8th St. Do not park in neighboring parking lots. Enter through the front door and proceed to the basement. In service Jeff McD.

7:00pm Harbor of Serenity- Hello area! I'm happy to announce total attendance for July at the Harbor was 78 with 11 newcomers! Yeah! We took in a total of \$54.58 spending \$20.00 on rent, \$10.90 on supplies and a donation to area of \$23.68. a special thanks to Tonia W. for chairing and Kim H. for keytagging.. We are a growing meeting and it's awesome to be a part of it! ILS Jody

7:30PM Unity in Action- Greetings SCANA, Unity in Action is going smoothly as always. 7th tradition took in \$73.16. We spent \$58.20 on supplies and donated \$15.96 to area. We just recently elected a new GSR into our group. Congratulations to Kayla S. the group has full confidence that she will serve proudly for the next year. We are still caring a great message of recovery to this meeting. ILS Whitney

9:30pm Basic meeting of NA- no report. In loving service Dwayne S.

Wednesday

Noon Just For Today- Everything going well with strong word of recovery. We average 10-15 people per meeting. We had 3 newcomers. 7th tradition was \$26.95 in supplies, \$20.00 in rent and \$42.00 to area. ILS John L.

7:00pm Recovery on the River- Thanks to all who served last month- chairperson, keytaggers and anyone else who served @ this meeting. Our group has decided to start stocking Spanish literature as a step towards welcoming Spanish-speaking addicts. We have been visited already by one and hope to welcome more. If you know of anyone who speaks Spanish and is in need of some recovery, tell them to come check us out. We spent \$15 in rent, \$10.20 in supplies and donated \$20.45 to area. ILS Victoria

7:30pm We Came to Believe- Wednesday we came to believe meeting is doing well. We had an average attendance of 63 addicts with 17 newcomers. Thanks to David L. for chairing this month. After purchasing \$109.50 worth of supplies we donated \$49.48 to area. ILS Michael W.

Thursday

7:00pm The Uncut Group Uncut is doing well a good message is being sent. We had 20 newcomers. Attendance is up do the House of Mercy. We took in \$80.25 this month. ILS Larry W.

7:00pm Fleur Step Study- Greetings Area- all is going well at the Step Study. We had an average of 18 with 9 newcomers for the month of July. Come share your experience, strength and hope with us on Thursday evenings form 7-8:30pm. We also elected a new secretary, thank you Dirk C. for stepping up. ILS Dawn M.

7:00pm Thursday Night Salvation- To SCANA the Salvation meeting is doing well. Attendance averaged 11 and newcomers averaged 2. Come share you experience, strength and hopes. ILS Terry R.

7:00pm Thurs. Found a Way Out Indianola- Greetings SCANA, my apologies for not being here today. The Thursday meeting We Found a Way Out is still struggling. We have an average of 3-4 addicts in attendance. However there is a good message of recovery being shared. We have taken in \$18.51 from the 7th tradition. We paid rent of \$10.00 and will use the rest to purchase supplies as needed. ILS Melissa

8:00pm Courage to Change- We are still showing up every Thursday night with the same 3-5 people. We will continue to do so, that we might draw off of each others experience, strength and hope. July 28th we had 8 people at one meeting an all time high. We are all excited about having our meeting show in the meeting schedule for the area, starting this month. We would also like to thank PI for having there flyer flood in our area. As we all know spreading the message of NA is first and foremost. ILS Larry

Midnight Miracles-no report. ILS Shane B.

Friday

Noon Found a Way Out- The Friday nooner has been running smoothly with a regular attendance of 18-30 people. We welcomed a few newcomers. Paid rent, bought supplies and donated to area. Thanks also to Steve for chairing. ILS Paul T.

7:00pm Free Addicts Recovery Together- greetings SCANA from FART. Friday nites@ Franklin Center is doing well. We are averaging 25 persons per meeting. We also had 2 newcomers for the month. We spent \$123.10 for supplies, we had area donation of \$4.00. ILS Barb D.

7:30pm New Beginnings- Attendance average had been around 35. Newcomers total has been 10. Paid 450.00 to rent, 450.00 to our babysitters, \$23.50 for keytags and we donated \$21.17 to area. Group conscience was we were for the conference and for making the SCASO it's own separate entity. ILS Chris & Pat N.

8:00pm Free on Friday- Greetings ASC members: Free on Friday continues to do well with no concerns that we have been unable to resolve on the group level. Over the past month we had an average weekly attendance of 73 with 20 newcomers for the month. Total donations-\$233.55. We spent \$99.85 for rent and supplies and donated \$133.70 to area. Our gratitude speaks when we care and when we share with others the NA way. Y'all come on down on a Friday night. Of service through recovery George M.

Saturday

9:00am Text Study- Greeting fellow addicts, we are doing OK. We're averaging about 10 people each week. We paid rent. We're purchasing \$23.00 in supplies. We're donating \$18.43 to area. Those interested in studying the literature, are welcomed to attend. Next week we'll be reading Chapter 2 What is the NA Program. In service to NA Jack H.

7:30pm Saturday Night Salvation- Greetings area: Saturday nite Salvation is going well. We have had 13 newcomers with an average attendance of 32. We are seeking a new treasurer, Phil has mention an interest. We will continue to pursue a committed treasurer. We took in \$104.00, paid rent \$35.00, \$52.75 in literature order and \$9.00 area donation. ILS Wanda P.

8:00pm Saturday Night Live- What's up area? Saturday night Live is still long and strong with a total attendance of 177 people, including 7 newcomers. Our 7th tradition collections totaled \$97.90 after paying rent and buying supplies we forwarded \$36.50 to area. Special thanks to Peter for helping Jon write this report. ILS Jon V. for Amy t. PS Robbie is not a Nazi!!!

Group assemblies

Mon. / Thurs. Serenity JFT- Hello area for the JFT group of NA. There is not much to report this month yet we had 4 newcomers lat month and 144 total attendance. Our Monday meeting grew to an amount of 7 or so people. The Thursday meeting has also grown to a large number. We have spent \$49.15 on supplies then forwarded \$8.45 to the area. More will be reveled for next month. ILS Phil L.

Mon./Fri. Port on Entry- no report In loving service Emily J W K.

Mon./Fri. Truth or Consequences The message is strong! We have had a few problems with guys from the Fort wandering around the mall instead of coming to the meeting, but I believe it is all under control now. We bought literature, paid rent and still building our reserve for when it is time to renew the insurance policy. We now have alternate positions filled for GSR ,secy, and treas. It has been brought up that a Wednesday meeting. We will keep you updated. ILS Dan M alt. GSR

Tues./Sat. Central City – no report

Wed./ Sat. Ames- no report

Marshalltown- Greetings from Marshalltown. Very little to report from the M'town group. Attendance in holding steady and varies per night. The one concern we had had to address in that while attendance remains the same 7th tradition had dropped off dramatically and a lot of literature seems to be going out the door without being paid for. We have addressed the issue at our lat business meeting and are taking step to correct it. ILS Jeff G.

Unfinished Service

1. Ad-hoc inventory

New Service

- 1. Bilingual mtg.- take it back to the groups-tables until next month.**
- 2. ASO-will remain part of the area as a subcommittee**
- 3. Audit- will proceed subcommittee is set.**

SUBCOMMITTEE TIMES

Outreach- Inactive

PI- 1st Sunday of the month @10:30

Activites-1st Sunday of the month @12:15

Literature- 1st Sunday of the month @9:30

H&I – 1st Sunday of the month @1:15

ASO- 1st Sunday of the month after area

South Central Area Committee Agenda

1. Open meeting Moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer
2. Reading:
 - Service Motivation 12 Traditions 12 Concept
3. Roll Call:
 - A. SCASC Officers C. GSR Reports (set quorum) /30
 - B. Sub-committee Chairs D Visitors
4. Officers Reports
 - A. Chair D. Treasurer Opening Balance
 - B. Vice Chair E. RCM
 - C. Secretary (approve minutes) F. RCM Alt.
5. Sub-Committee Reports
 - A. Public Information D. Activities
 - B. H&I E. SCASO
 - C. Literature G. Ad-Hoc Inventory
 - D. Activates
6. Clean Time Anniversaries
7. Group Reports- Group Concerns
8. Financial requests
9. 10 Minute Break
10. Reset Quorum /30
11. Unfinished Service
 - A. Bilingual mtg. C.
 - B. D.
12. New Service
 - A. C.
 - B. D.
13. Closing Treasurer Report
14. Close Meeting

NEXT AREA MEETING October 2, 2005 @ 2:30PM