

RCM Report November 2024

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Fellowship Development (Areas brings concerns or topics to the group. The body and admin team share experience, strength, and hope.)

- Can social media be used to request funds to assist with convention?
 - Concern about 7th tradition. Ensuring the post requesting funds are available only to addicts to participate.
 - NAWS website has a 'DONATE' button on the website. Maybe consider using a donate button on convention website.
 - Our area has so many convention that if we are willing to bend corners to get a convention going we need to reevaluate.
 - Change the name from Donate to Contribution.
- Area body is not repeatedly not following guide/policy and concepts when/how do we step in?
 - Region does not dictate to the areas. It's the other way around.
 - When we live by policy there could be blinders on. We see more and more areas moving to a guide vs policy to expand conversation and avoid conflicts.
 - Admin body is elected servants. If you feel they are not following 12 concepts, use elections to make a change.
 - Areas have removed the Admin Meeting prior to Area meetings to keep GSRs in the conversations.
 - To follow guidelines, they must read them, and ask questions for understanding. If you don't apply them they don't work.
- Are there any Area PRs that are reaching out to newcomers at the halfway houses? Can regional PR help acclimate this?
 - Found that Ockford houses are more difficult to get to NA in experience.
 - Younger crowd moving to other fellowships due to NA being 'rigid'.
 - If your area doesn't have PR maybe an Ad Hoc committee for one sole outreach purpose would work to do this.
 - You don't have to be a member of PR to do PR work.
 - PR host community meetings and invite servants of hospitals, rehabs, corrections, and halfways to attend for information and discussion.
 - Region PR will host a Zoom to collaborate with other areas to create a presentation.
- Can areas be added to the RCOs 501 c 3?
 - Not recommended because we are not a business, we are not selling anything. We should be a 501 c 6; a non profit of members.
 - Tim 352-494-6197: Treasure of the RSO - CPA - Available to answer area questions for the Areas.

- Bay Area Holds their own 501 c 3 - Ask their RCM/Treasure for questions bascna.org - menu - ASC Resources - Tax Except Packet and guidelines for us to use if we want to do that.
- If Area holds Tax Except 501 c 3 - it should not be used a group level - should only be used for Area, subcommittees of areas,
- If your area obtains 501 make sure your future trusted servants to will follow due diligence in paperwork.
- Area needs to ask itself what the motive is.
- Disaster Plan:
 - Was not sent out pre storm or on the site
 - Intended to assist the areas in how to prepare, during storm, and post storm.
 - Changes will be made to the plan for updated information.

RD Team (Regional Deligates represent the Region at the World level. These are note from their report.)

- CAR NAWs meeting November 7th. Zoom Workshop held December 21st
- Bay Area hosting in person and Zoom workshop regarding Interim CAR on December 8th and willing to partner with us. RCMs will take back questions to RDs on December 21st. We will bring answers to those questions back to the area on January Area meeting, then we will vote at January Region.
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Regional Business Meeting

- New Elected Positions
 - Corrections Coordinator - Angelo B, Bay Area
- Corrections
 - Help wanted flyer with anyone who wants to join the workshops.
- Public Relations
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- Regional Service Office
 - Paper key tags for corrections can be orders from RSO. Make sure that our literature doesn't have an outstanding balance.
- FRCNA
 - Room cut off June 22nd \$146 plus tax
 - Pre-register online
 - December 15th Virtual next support meeting
 - live entertainment at breakfast
 - If you want to get involved go to FRCNA.org
- Human Resource Panel
 - If you want to get involved in any workshop or be considered for any current or future open positions scan the QR code and fill out a Volunteer Form. Attached.
 - Newsletter Workgroup
 - Open Positions

- Alt Sec 3 Years Clean
- Tech Alt Resource 3 Years Clean
- 2 Tech Resource Panel Members
- 2 Human Resource Panel Members 8 Years Clean

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Events/Conference

- Bermuda Convention Sept 11-13 Partner with Uncoast to plan travel and reservations
- East Coast Convention Proceeds buy Lit for inmates Selling Tshirts June 20-22 College Dorms Dining Hall Registration \$50 Deposit Estimate \$300 a person. ECCNA.org.
- DACNA June 6-8 Theme ? Submissions DACNA.org

Other Mentions

- Region has 3 Zoom accounts that Area can use is we want to use it for our Area meeting.

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Date: 12/8/24 Subcommittee: H+I

Name: Eric M.

When & Where: Area @ 1:30 Attendance: 16

OLD BUSINESS: Kelly stepped down from Port Maria Hee
Harvest House wants to drop Friday
Brutchen stepped down from Kelly, Cassandra voted in
Ron voted in for centerstone
problems with bridges

NEW BUSINESS: Kelly will call Jess A about Bridges
Pam C will contact ED about Sarasota Jail
Ron C will contact NA member about Centerstone

SITUATIONS/CHANGES: Ashley nominated Shelby A
for parcel leader for mothers & infants
Jackie G voted in as secretary
Kot voted in as co-secretary

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Date: 12-8-24 Subcommittee: Phone Line

Name: Ryan W

When & Where: Everywhere Attendance: _____

OLD BUSINESS:

12 calls 9 missed

Volunteer missed calls, we removed from list
in the process of putting my email to get
notifications

NEW BUSINESS:

SITUATIONS/CHANGES:

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Date: 12/8/2024 Subcommittee: Area O, M

Name: Ron P.

When & Where: 833 Magellan Dr. Attendance: 4

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

<u>Glynn L</u>	<u>Now What</u>	<u>Alt GSR</u>
<u>Sierra B.</u>	<u>Get Hooked on Rec.</u>	<u>GSR</u>
<u>Tiffany V.</u>	<u>Progress not Perfection</u>	<u>GSR</u>
<u>Celeste N.</u>	<u>Women of spiritual principles</u>	<u>Alt Alt GSR</u>

SITUATIONS/CHANGES:

None

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Date: 12/8/24 Subcommittee: Literature

Name: Jay

When & Where: Here + Now Attendance: _____

OLD BUSINESS:

RSO for Dec was \$2461.61

Mileage reimburse for \$100.00

All backorders filled

NEW BUSINESS:

Distributing 2024 RSO order totals

H&I total for December — \$416.00

Ordering 6-SURVIVOR KITS 22.50

SITUATIONS/CHANGES:

Purchased folding push cart for \$49.49

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Date: 12/8/24 Subcommittee: Activities ★

Name: Bianca P.

When & Where: 2PM, 833 Magellan Dr. Attendance: _____

OLD BUSINESS:

Thanksgiving Marathon Meetings:

Sarasota: Attendance of 15 All Day
\$ 21 Donated to Church

Bradenton: Attendance of 53 for the Day
\$ 72 Donated to the Church

NEW BUSINESS:

Christmas Marathon Meetings
Flux approved, Gretchen and Army are finding
trusted servants to chair.

New Year's Eve Party - Flux sent to Policy, @ DLQM
on 12/31 7-10:30, \$5 suggested Donation

Work the Steps Workshop: In Progress to be first of
2025 in February

SITUATIONS/CHANGES:

~~Nominations~~ Elections
for 2025:

Bence P. for Activities Chair

Ricky J. for Activities Co-Chair

Bethi will be stepping down from labeled position

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Date: 12/8/24 Subcommittee: PUBLIC RELATIONS

Name: BRIAN P

When & Where: ZOOM (1ST WED) Attendance: 4

OLD BUSINESS:

~~NO BUSINESS~~ CONTACTING REGION PR FOR
HELP WITH SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT
LETTER / NON PROFIT STATUS

NEW BUSINESS:

~~NO BUSINESS~~ REQUESTING TO USE \$615.77 OF
OUR REMAINING \$959.80 BUDGET
TO PURCHASE PR TENT + CANOPY

SITUATIONS/CHANGES:

NONE