

CRSC Meeting

September 8, 2002, 10:00 a.m.

I. Roll Call: (*=Present)

*Chair = Mike M.
*Vice Chair = Jim
*Secretary = Greg M.
*Treasurer = Brenda E.
*CRCNA Chair = Steve (substitute was Charlie R.)
CRCNA Vice-Chair
CRCNA Treasurer
*RD = Ryan
RDA = Chuck
*Boulder = Don T.
*Denver = Linda L.
*Foothills = Jeanne R.
Mountain West
*Off the Wall = Larry
Pikes Peak =
*Serenity Unlimited = Mike

II. Introductions:

III. Approval of Minutes:

MSC: July minutes approved by committee. Linda has agreed to amend the schedule for the regional assemblies as there will be some addendum after Southern Area of NA being abolished. There was a letter from Nigeria asking that Colorado endorse 6 Nigerian citizens so they may come to experience our convention. Mike agreed to call world the next day to be sure these people are not scamming us. They still may be whether WSO knows it or not but it is thought that WSO may know something.

IV. Reports:

Chair:

Chair Report for September RSC

Welcome everyone to the September RSC. First, I screwed up and this meeting should have been next week. By the time I realized that I felt it was too late to turn back. Sorry if this caused problems for anyone. If I'm reading the calendar correctly our next meeting should be November 17th. I'll be out of town that day. If you want to make it the week before I'll be here.

Our web site was hacked a couple months ago. I choose really easy passwords and someone figured it out. Fortunately they didn't do much to the site but they filled up the hard drive or our provider. We got it fixed and now the passwords are not so easy.

I'm looking forward to handing over the Web resource position to Don T. from Boulder. Hopefully he is still willing.

I have looked into the World's meeting database and I'll cover that during the meeting.

I didn't make it to any of the area meetings since we last met. I'm still trying to get to all of them. I'll be attending the last couple CRCNA meetings.

April seems like along ways away but I think we need to start the planning for the April Regional Assembly. I would like for it to be in Canon City or La Junta.

I'm sure I'm forgetting something. If that's the case I'll cover it during the meeting.

Thanks for letting me be of service

Mike M.

CRSC TREASURER'S REPORT

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Beginning Balance:	\$4,449.08		
Expenses:			
Off The Wall Area(Reissue)	\$ 300.00	147	
W.S.O. (Delta Lit.)	\$ 113.42	148	
Expense Totals:	\$ 413.42		
Receipts:	Amount	Check #	YTD
Boulder Area	\$ 50.00		\$ 175.00
Denver Area	\$ 100.00	0967	\$ 800.00
Foothills Area			
Mountain West Area			
Off The Wall Area	\$ 100.28		
Pikes Peak Area	\$ 439.51	M/O	\$1195.30
Southern Area			
Clean and Serene	\$ 27.54	1012	\$ 263.74
Newcomers in Recovery	\$ 50.00		
CRCNA XV			
Off The Wall Area (Bal. Of #139)	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	

Receipts Totals:	\$ 938.96	YTD Totals:	\$ 5336.16
Less Expenses:	\$ 413.42		
Ending Balance:	\$ 4974.62		

Brenda E., CRSC Treasurer

CRCNA XVI

Chair Report to CRSCNA

September 8, 2002

First of all, my calendar had this Regional meeting for next Sunday, and I had a prior commitment for today (I am opening a new business today), so I apologize that I could not deliver this report in person. All CRCNA XVI Committees and Subcommittees are doing a great job to make this another great convention.

As of September 1st, we had received 131 pre-registrations, which is right in line with where we were last year at this time.

The hotel had reported as of September 3rd, that we have booked 7 rooms for Thursday, 72 rooms for Friday and 73 rooms for Saturday for a total of 152 room nights. We have a commitment of 300 room nights, but we only have to use 90% or 270 rooms to defray all meeting room and banquet room rental costs. Our block is only held until September 19th at which time they will be released to the public. However, as long as there are rooms available, we can still reserve and have it count towards our total. Please continue to encourage people to pre-book as soon as possible to guarantee they will get a room at the hotel.

There is one more F&E event for CRCNA XVI. It is September Nights being co-sponsored with the Denver area. A great evening is planned with prime rib, shrimp, a live band, and oh yeah, a speaker and plenty of fellowship. Tickets are available.

We currently have \$10,934.92 in our treasury. A treasurer's report is available.

The next CRCNA committee meeting will be held on September 14th at 10AM, right here in this room.

In loving service,

Steve K

CRCNA XVI Chair

There was a financial report provided to the Secretary from Steve. The Secretary was unable to sufficiently PASTE all of the information to the minutes so they will be available upon request. Thank you.

Boulder Area:

Good Morning Fellow Committee Members,

The BASC met last met September 1, 2002 and had a productive meeting. Currently our Area lacks a Vice Chair, an Activities Chair, H & I Chair, and a RCM2. We seem to have problems in attracting and retaining members of the fellowship to fill our trusted service positions on the Area level.

Due to higher than usual expenses and lower than usual 7th tradition donations from the groups, the

Boulder Area is unable to make a 7th tradition donation to region at this time.

Planning for the January 12, 2003 CRSC meeting is complete. Flyers with maps and directions are available today. We are still hopeful of planning an event to coincide with the meeting. Members of the Boulder fellowship have graciously expressed an interest in providing overnight accommodations to those members of this body who desire it. Please contact Don T before Dec 31st, 2002 to make arrangements.

Submitted in Loving Service,
Don T RCM

Denver Area:

TO: COLORADO REGIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

DATE: September 8, 2002

SUBJECT: DENVER ASC REPORT - LINDA L., RCM

DASC is moving its location to 8085 Hampton Ave starting October 1, 2002. This site will also be the location for the March CRSC that Denver is going to host. Further details will be at the November CRSC Meeting. DASC approved and is getting a storage unit for Archives, etc.

Administrative Committee:

DASC elected Tom C. as Chair of Denver Area. Tom will serve out the term until December, 2002. We still need a Secretary and a 2nd RCM.

Subcommittees:

Electronic Communications - Next 832-DRUG Phonenumber Volunteer Training Session will be held Saturday, September 14, 2002 @ Craig Hospital in Denver. See me for details.

GSR Training and PI - looking for a new chair.

Literature + H & I - doing well. H & I looking for volunteers

Activities - The scheduled Volley Ball Tournament became a BBQ due to lack of teams to play. Mary C. says next year this committee will know how to handle this type of event and will repeat it...Next scheduled event will be in Octo-ber - Dinner/Speaker/Halloween Dance. Activities has also put out a survey for all groups - the survey is good and is trying to assess the needs/wants of DASC groups as far as activities go.

W.S.U.C. - Plugging along and is looking for people to chair the various sub- committes (merchandise, registration, etc. - just like CRCNA). This committee meets the 3rd Monday of the month @ Wild Oats Market - 1111 S. Washington St - Denver. Brain S, (303-356-2248) is Chair.

Groups:

Generally doing well. Like always, there are some who need support and/or trusted servants. DASC has a new meeting: Night Owls II. meeting Saturdays @ 12:25 to 1:30am at 2200 W. Alameda.

Donations:

\$ 100 of DASC donations to CRSC.

Submitted lovin' service,

Foothills Area:

Foothills Area Report to Colorado Region of NA 9-8-02

Things are going well here, there is not a lot to report this time. We are having a Hacky-Sac tournament coming up - see the flyers.

We're still investigating whether our area will take on a new effort, corresponding with inmates around our state. Possibly we could have an ad hoc committee, or have groups or individuals correspond with inmates. We are currently researching through WSO, and the past experience of AA, a possible way to do this.

Our open positions are H&I chair, Literature chair, and webmaster. Our next meeting is this afternoon, 3PM, at Villa Del Sol, Alameda and Harlan, in Lakewood.

In Loving Service,
Jeanne R. and John M.

OFF THE WALL AREA REPORT TO R.S.C. - 9/1/02

The Colorado Regional Service Committee last met on July 20 in Castle Rock at the Village Inn at 10 AM. A replacement check for \$300 was issued to us to replace one that was lost. Business included approving a list of workshop topics and marathon meeting topics for the Colorado Regional Convention (CRCNA). CRCNA is coming together quite well. It will be held at Millenium Harvest House in Boulder on October 11-13.

In January, the RSC begins a rotation for where it meets - it will be hosted by participating Areas. The January RSC will be held in Boulder at Mapleton Center for Rehabilitation. It was approved to donate \$75 in literature in exchange for rent.

Several Areas announced summertime campouts, picnics, and fun, but they have already happened.

Flyers were circulated. One event that's still left is the "September Nights" prime rib and shrimp dinner and dance in Denver. This is a CRCNA fundraiser. Tickets for the dinner must be purchased before the event - see the flyer.

Ned has compiled a list of state and federal prisons in Colorado. There are 4 federal and 22 state correctional facilities. RD Report The final Regional Delegate and Regional Delegate-Alternate's report from the World Service Conference (WSC) was heard. The theme for WSC 2002 was "Coming Together: The Voice of NA." Things that came out of WSC 2002 included:

1. China is working on translations of literature.
2. Groups are urged to register or update registrations with the World Service Office database. Also ASC's.
3. The Sponsorship Project is progressing, and we should have a draft copy of the new sponsorship literature for approval in 2004.
4. Elections were held. Jim B. from Chicago was elected to the World Board. Mark H. from Wisconsin and Tim S. from Australia were elected as WSC Coordinators. Tali McC. from Hawaii and Francine (from ?) were elected to the Human Resource Panel.

The Rocky Mountain Zonal Forum will be held September 27-28 in Heber City, UT. This will be attended by the Regional Delegates.

The next RSC is scheduled on September 8 in Castle Rock. A last-minute decision was made to furnish \$120 of literature to a prison facility in Delta.

In loving service --

Serenity Unlimited

Next serenity unlimited area meeting is October 19, 1pm at the meeting hall 1st and orchard in Grand Junction. Potluck theme is Chili. Proud to present our first ever donation to region! Need P&I chair. Jim H. area chair 970 856 4534 for questions.

Literature from region to delta prison meeting still not arrived. H&I chair investigating, but officer mailed to is on vacation, more will be revealed.

Loving service,

Mike C.

V. Resource Positions

Don T. has agreed to be the new web-site resource person.

VI. Rocky Mountain Forum

The forum will be September 27 & 28.

Plains State Zonal Forum has sent CRSC the following document:

Plains States Zonal

Dear Family,

With Motion #6 from the last CAR and discussions outside the formal settings at WSC 2002, the Plains States Zonal believes there is a need for an assembly of US regions. We believe that US issues might be better addressed in an arena other than the WSC floor. The WSC could then address the issues involving the entire world wide fellowship more effectively without taking up valuable time, financial, and human resources, with issues directly effecting only the US.

We are inviting you to participate in a US Regional Assembly.

Tentative Date: Oct. 1-5, 2003.

Tentative Location: Oklahoma City, OK.

Tentative Agenda: * Structure

* Purpose

* Vision statement

* Assembly guidelines

Please respond to the following questions before before Jan. 1 st, 2003.

1. Is your region for or against US Regional Assembly, and why?
2. Please list topics for the agenda ranked in order of their importance.
3. Please discuss your region's ideas about the possible structure, purpose, function, etc. of the

Assembly.

In order for us to facilitate this event, planning will need to be formalized by spring of 2003. The input received by the regions will determine the length of the event. We cannot emphasize enough how important your input and timely response is. Please send your responses to:

Plains States Zonal Forum CIO Gary DeBerg
13305 Hwy. 34 Malcolm NE. 68402

Thank you Plains States Zonal

MSC: Approval of \$900.00 being disbursed to Ryan C. for attending the Rocky Mountain Forum.

RD Report: Ryan reports that he will come back from the forum with a full report on all that takes place.

VII. Old Business:

Basic Text books in Colorado Motion from March meeting. The motion read: **MST:** to place one Basic Text book at every state and federal correctional institute.

MSC: The motion that was tabled above shall be approved putting one Basic Text book in every correctional institute in the state of Colorado.

MSC: A \$362.50 disbursement has been approved to give to Ned, H&I resource person for purpose of placing the Basic Text books in the prisons and for postage and envelopes.

There was a letter from a guy in Mesa County Jail who needs a Basic Text and a sponsor. Serenity Unlimited Area will deal with this issue.

VIII. New Business: Southern Area Business

Linda will dig deeper into the Southern Area business and report back to the region on it.

MSC: the CRSC donate \$1000.00 to the WSC for proper dissemination of 7th tradition funds.

IX. Adjourned at 12:00 p.m.