N.A. OZARK AREA MINUTES

January 20, 2019 Hosted by A New Way

Meeting opened with Serenity Prayer; Read 12 Traditions; Read 12 Concepts. December minutes were approved.

Administrative Assistants Treasurer: Suzanne S. RCM: Tina PT. RCM Alt: Meri H. Secretary: Robyn C. <u>Vacant Chairs</u> Literature Chair

Subcommittee Chairs AASC Chair: Kim S. H&I Chair: Ivy B. (interim) PR Chair: Jerry F. Website Coordinator: Shelly W.

in Attendance	Groups Absent
*Against All Odds	A New Way
*But Do It	Together We Can
*Fifth Tradition	Straightline
*Living Clean	
*Native American	
*Never Alone	
*Onward	Inactive Groups
*Point of Turning	Clean & Serene
*Stray Katz	Spiritual Principles
*Survivors	
*Traditional Recovery	
*We Do Recover	
**Second Chances-New Group in Weir, KS	

<u>REPORTS</u>

RCM: 1/20/18 Hello Ozark Area, My name is Tina, serving as RCM. I did not attend region last weekend as it was cancelled due to weather. They had rescheduled it for this weekend, but I was unable to attend due to prior commitments. I still have the check for donation, we need to decide today if you would like this check mailed or if you want me to bring it with me to the next region. Meri checked with Scott our AD and there were not enough areas present to conduct business, so there is no new information that can be presented at this time for region. I will like to take votes next month in February, for the following motions that were due this time which I have listed below that have to do with insurance certificates and guideline changes MOTIONS 10/20/18 - #102018-01/Heartland Area/ Seconded The motion reads as follows: Guideline Change 5.22 RCM duties add to q. RCM's are responsible to provide the regional chair, updated group information for annual insurance certificate updates for any of their areas groups that require them. Intent: To clarify processes of updating insurance renewal and insurance does not lapse. 10/20/18-#102018-02 / Heartland/Seconded The motion reads as follows: Guideline Change 5.6 Regional Chair duties m. Regional Chair is accountable for annual liability updates/ RCM will be responsible for providing updated information for groups receiving updated certificates. Intent: To clarify process of updating insurance renewal and insure it doesn't lapse. 10/20/18 - #102018-03 / Heartland/Seconded The motion reads as follows: Guideline Change 5.6 Regional Chair duties m. Regional Chair is accountable for annual liability updates/RCM will be responsible for providing updated information for groups receiving updated certificates. Intent: To clarify process of updating insurance renewal and insure it doesn't lapse. BUDGETS Budgets were discussed, adjusted, and Approved by RCM's for Regional NEXT RSC April 13&14,2019 (a) Jefferson City / Capitol Plaza Hotel. In Loving Service, Tina, tinapellegrin@yahoo.com, 417-296-1382

<u>RCM Alt</u>: Hello Ozark Area: I'm an addict named Meri. My apologies to the Area as I didn't make it to the regional meeting this weekend in Jefferson City. It was rescheduled from last weekend due to the winter storm. The forecast showed snow both here and in Jefferson City, so I decided not to risk driving in potentially dangerous weather. I did chat with our AD, Scott. M., and was told that out of 18 areas, only 9 showed up, so they couldn't make quorum. This meeting will not be rescheduled. The Region will have their next business on April 13-14. There is also a Regional Assembly on March 16 from 10-4 pm in Columbia at the American Legion Hall for anyone who would like to attend. For your information: The Region has moved all of its business from Yahoo Groups. All of its business is now being conducted in Google. You may find the group in the Google Plus Community group called Show Me Region of Narcotics Anonymous. It is open to anyone in the region. Thanks for allowing me to be of service. Meri H., inhisgrace2009@yahoo.com, (417) 439-0276.

Treasurer: OASC Account

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	Beginning balance	\$8501.13		
	A New Way (donation) 12/16/18	\$21.00		
	Traditional Recovery (donation) 12/16/18	\$5.00		
	5th Tradition (donation) 12/16/18	\$25.00		
	Point of Turning (donation) 12/16/18	\$10.00		
	Straightline (donation) 12/16/18	\$100.00		
	We Do Recover (donation) 12/16/18	\$15.00 (cash r	received, \$0, \$15.00 meeting	
	expense)			
	AASC donation, New Years Eve function (1/20/19) \$71.19			
	OASC meeting fee (expense) 12/16/18		(\$15.00)	
	Pro Print Schedules/Copies (expense) 12/10	/18	(\$59.44)	
	Freedom Voice 1/17/19, expense		(\$42.41)	
	Total Expenses		(\$116.85)	
	Total Deposits	\$247.00		
	Ending Balance	\$8631.47		
	AASC Account			
	Beginning Balance	\$2715.27		
	Dollar Tree NYE function expense, 12/31/18	8	(\$21.58)	
	Party City NYE function expense, 12/31/18		(\$105.69)	
	Sam's Club NYE function expense, 12/31/1	8	(\$285.15)	
	Walmart NYE function expense, 12/31/18		(\$14.68)	
	Start Up Cash for NYE function, 12/31/18		(\$60.00)	
	NYE function donation back to OASC, 1/20	/19	(\$71.79)	
	Pro Print HOLP flyers, 1/11/19		(\$70.25)	
	Check #1094, Rental for NYE function		(\$50.00)	
	HOLP Merchandise sales deposit, 1/16/19	\$540.00 (\$40	needs to be deposited)	
	NYE function revenue	\$608.20		
	Total Expenses		(\$618.54)	
	Total Deposits	\$1148.20		
	Ending Balance	\$3174.93 (nee	ed to deposit \$40 in cash and	
	\$30.00 check from the function has not cleared yet)			

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

<u>AASC:</u> Hello Area my name is Kimmy S serving as AASC Chair for Ozark Area . The committee met on January 14th . We want to thank everyone who came out and supported the area for New Years . The committee will be donating back \$71.10 to the area . We also discussed the upcoming Area Birthday, which will be held on May 18th at Leonard Park . Our next meeting will be held on February 10 at 6:30 at Laura T house . Her address is 517 S Quarter Ln . Thanks for allowing me to serve Kim S

<u>H&I:</u> Hello, Area. I'm Ivy B., an addict serving as H&I interim. We opened with Serenity Prayer, traditions and concepts. Jasper County, all met. City Jail, all met. Lafayette House 2 met, 2 wasn't. New Directions, absent. Women's House is still vacant. We discussed asking for \$250.00 for budget for our 9th Annual Speaker Jam. We agreed on Mexican food, and Jocelyn B. and Brandi L. offered to help prepare. Ali is helping prepare a game. Brandi L. and I are going to go look at a venue. Jocelyn B. and Brandi L. are Meri H. are looking for the 4th speaker. More will be revealed. In loving service, Ivy B.

<u>PR Chair:</u> Hello Ozark. I'm Jerry, the Public Relations for the Ozark Area. Was looking forward to going to (Area)-*corrected as Regional* which was cancelled due to weather. Nothing to report at this time. In loving service, Jerry F.

GROUP REPORTS

<u>Against All Odds:</u> Hello. My name is Frank G. I'm GSR for Against All Odds. We meet on Sunday evening at 6:30p. We average around 25 every meeting. ATC and the women's attend regularly. We have a speaker the last Sunday every month, and we celebrate birthdays the last Sunday of the month as well. We are located at 3003 N. Joplin St. Pittsburg, KS. Our speaker this month is Suzanne on Jan. 27. All meeting where meet. Thank you for letting me serve. <u>frankgillespie310@gmail.com</u>.

<u>But Do It</u>: Hello Ozark Area my name is Kimmy S serving as Alt. GSR for the But Do It meeting of Narcotics Anonymous . We meet on Wednesday's at 6:30 at 414 Virgina Ave . We are celebrating Sheri E this month with 12 years . We have a donation of \$15 this month . ILS , Kim S justinp1388@gmail.com

<u>Fifth Tradition:</u> Hello Area, I'm Don C. GSR of 5th Tradition Group. We meet at 1901 Pearl in the basement of the church on Mondays and Tuesdays at 6:30p. We have a new Alt GSR Ed H. Our meeting attendance is about the same, 15-30 on Mondays and 4-10 on Tuesdays. We have some birthdays this month in January, and our birthday meeting will be on the 28th the last

Monday of the month. We do not have a donacdtion for Area this month. In loving service, Don Crockett. <u>don_crockett@hotmail.com</u>, 1918 S. Connor Ave. Joplin, MO 64804. 417-540-1168.

<u>Living Clean:</u> My name is Zach S. I'm GSR for Living Clean. We meet Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday at 6:30p and on Saturdays we meet at 9:30a. We average 9-20 addicts and our big mighty are Monday up to 45 addicts. We have a \$40 donation. Thanks for letting me serve. <u>Zachstapelcamp92@icloud.com</u>. 3111 N. Michigan, Pittsburg, KS.

<u>Native American:</u> Hello Ozark Area. My name is Bobbie an addict serving as GSR for Native American. We are a non-smoking/non-vaping meeting that meets Mondays at 8p at the Alano Club in Joplin. Our meeting attendance is up and we are starting to get more home group members. We have no birthdays this month and no donation at this time. In loving service, Bobbie S.

<u>Never Alone:</u> My name is Daniel, an addict serving as GSR for the Never Alone group of Lamar, MO. We hold meetings on Saturday and Monday nights at 7p located at 900 Poplar St. Lamar, MO with entrance in back. Our attendance has been dismal as of late, but we are holding on. We do not have a donation at this time. Thank you for letting me be of service, Daniel A.

<u>Onward:</u> Dear Ozark Area, this is Doug S. GSR for the Onward group of Lamar which meets on Thursdays at 6p at 900 Poplar St. Lamar, MO. 3-6 attend on average. I have no donation at this time. Any support would be appreciated. In loving service, Doug.

<u>Point of Turning</u>: Hello Ozark Area. I'm an addict named Debbie serving as Alt GSR for Point of Turning of El Dorado Springs, MO. We meet 6 days a week downtown in the park. Kim S. is celebrating 3y this month. We have a \$10 donation today. Thank you for letting me be of service, Debbie-El Dorado Springs, MO. <u>martyaucoinjr@gmail.com</u>.

<u>Stray Katz</u>: Hello Area. My name is David, an addict serving as GSR for Stray Katz. We meet at 6p Saturdays at House, Inc. Average attendance is 30-50. Speaker meeting 3rd Saturday of the month. Anthony L. Feb 16th. No donation-thank you for letting me serve. refinedbyfire66@gmail.com.

<u>Survivors:</u> Hello Ozark Area. My name is Angel, GSR for Survivors. We are located on 23rd and Anne Baxter at Impact Church. We have meetings at noon Monday-Saturday. We average bertween 5-10 addicts. We have no donation today. In loving service, Angel H.

<u>Traditional Recovery</u>: Hello Ozark Family. My name is Rick T, serving as GSR of Traditional Recovery in El Dorado Springs, MO. We currently host 1 meeting on Sundays at 7p at 300 S.

Main in the basement of First Christian Church. Meetings are growing and message is being carried. We have a \$10 donation. In loving service, Rick T.

<u>We Do Recover</u>: Hello Ozark Area. I'm Dan, an addict serving as GSR for We Do Recover. We have a meeting every evening at 8p, a Noon smoking meeting Monday-Saturday. The 2nd Friday of the month is a non-smoking speaker meeting. The speaker this month is Jacob C. The last Friday of the month is non-smoking birthday meeting. This month's birthdays are Don C., 19y, Brienna B., 3y, Ivy B., 2y, Chanler B., 2y, and Caroline J., 1y. We approved Shelly W. to hold 2 positions until someone steps up as Website Coordinator. We have a \$15 donation for Area. In loving service, Dan H.

SHARING SESSION

 Doug B. asks for help for their new group in Weir, KS, Second Chances. Suzanne will give check to try to help with order of new group material. There was much discussion and assistance for Doug to direct/get group started. Group info as follows: Weir Coffee and Recover, 8-9a Saturday. First Baptist Churc of Weir (Kansas). Downtown Weir, 103 Hwy. dougbakerink@gmail.com, 775-232-9854.

Old Business

- Doug B. was voted upon for Area Vice Chair. He was approved.
- Website coordinator position discussed. Daniel A. asked many questions regarding position requirements and duties.
- Matt L. nominated for Website Coordinator. Groups must vote this month on his nomination. Area Chair and previous Website Coordinator Shelly will meet with him and show him how some of the website is operated and some routine tasks he would have to be responsible for and ask any questions he may have. Verbal resume given, as well as written, which is as follows: My name is Matt L. My clean date is 11/6/17. I have a sponsor and work steps. I have a home pc with internet access. I have a technical mind and am knowledgeable in computers/internet. I am willing to learn the position and fulfill the responsibilities of the position. Matt L. <u>mattrlang@hotmail.com</u>, 417-609-1623.
- Ozarkasc.com has no more Yahoo group.

New Business

- Phone lists for Area members? PR would need to take this over. Upon discussion, group decided "no" on this. But, we suggest putting blank spaces on meeting schedules so that phone numbers may be written on them for newcomers.

**NEXT AREA - Sunday, February 17, 2019 at 3:00pm - 1330 Wall Ave in Joplin, MO Hosted by Living Clean & Against All Odds **

IMPORTANT LINKS

Ozark Area Website: NA World Services Show Me Regional Website www.ozarkasc.com www.na.org *coming soon!*

