

December2017

December RCM Report

I have received several e-mails that I am reading regarding many things happening in our Region and world. I am not prepared to report on the e-mails at this meeting as I figured that we would be busy enough with the tasks at hand- the elections and all but will put together a detailed report for next month's meeting along with all the motions that our area will need to vote on. How do you want me to proceed? Do you all want me to forward the e-mails or just report on the information I learn. I do have IT Guideline changes that our area will need to vote on and would like to get them distributed before next meeting so that you have time to look over the guidelines in advance. If I could get a list of e-mails that would be great and I can at least get those forwarded to the different meetings.

I will not print copies out unless this body wants to pay for the printing of them as some are over 80 pages. Let me know which way you want me to go and I will do it. I will report on the Motions and important facts as I get them.

Thank you,

In Loving Service Judy L

## Literature news and updates

\*Last month we heard about the planned increase to literature prices in July 2018. This was announced as a 7.5% increase to all lit except the Basic Text, which would increase 5%. The 5% has not changed, but the 7.5% has been reduced to 6%.

\*And there are some special reduced prices on some literature. Some until the end of December and some until stock is depleted. I believe we will be selling lit at Clean and Free again. Do we want to take advantage of this price reduction?

30th ANNIVERSARY BASIC TEXT \$30.50 (reg price \$36.75)

30th ANNIVERSARY BASIC TEXT & JFT JOURNAL \$36.00 (reg price \$36.75 & \$14)

COMMEMORATIVE LIVING CLEAN & 2018 CALENDAR \$30.00 (reg price \$33 & \$11.75)

There are also bundles of

JUST FOR TODAY NUMBERED EDITION & 2017 CALENDAR \$33 (reg price \$33 & \$11.75)

JUST FOR TODAY NUMBERED EDITION & JOURNAL \$39 (reg price \$33 & \$14)

SPECIAL BUNDLE WILL BE DISCONTINUED ONCE NUMBERED EDITION STOCK IS DEPLETED

and

COMMEMORATIVE LIVING CLEAN LIMITED EDITION \$27.50 (reg price \$33)

REDUCED PRICE WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

These are all NAWS price without shipping.

## Public Information Report November 2017

12-3-2017

Hello ASC. The current budget is \$262.95. I will have spoken to the PI committee about purchasing another 8 pocket lit rack and a small stockpile of IP's. I am also looking at reducing our attendance at The Service Entry Event on Thursdays to 2-3 times per month. If/when more people are willing to join PI, we could return to every week.

\*The CCAP folks are gearing up for the next Project Homeless Connect. There was a planning session on November 28th. Bill J went with me. Unfortunately, there isn't much NA can do at this point without compromising our Traditions. We will be at the event in January. And I will be looking for volunteers to work the table.

\*GHA-NA PI was invited to the First Annual Opiate Symposium last month. As promised, some details.

This event was put on by Harbor Crest as a way to get various agencies together to share information and resources to deal with the increased opiate abuse situation. There was a lot of focus on and presentations about suboxone.

There was also the intent to give various agencies and organisations the opportunity to network. However, the agenda was quite full, so this didn't happen. At the end of the event those attending were asked to fill out a short survey and offer suggestions. I filled out my survey anonymously to allow me to express some personal opinions. But on the record, I spoke with Coleen Chapin and offered to do an NA PI presentation next year if she wants.

In loving service,

John C

## WSC 2018 and CAR online

\*It is almost that time again. The 2018 World Service Conference of Narcotics Anonymous will be April 29th-May 5th.

\*The Convergence Agenda Report is available online. Paper copies are available for purchase for \$7.50. If you purchase one yourself, there will not be a shipping charge. But because of NAWS' online shopping cart, a shipping fee may appear until the order is actually processed.

World Services will be posting videos and power points about each motion again. These are not up yet.

\*Prior to WSC 2016, I offered to hold workshops to help explain the motions we were voting on. One Home Group asked me to come to their business meeting an hour early. But no one from that group showed up. So I will not be making that offer again. However, Recovery in Progress will be workshopping the motions before one of our regular meetings. If anyone would like to attend, they are welcome. I will announce time and date next ASC. I'm pretty sure there will be workshops on the CAR motions at Clean and Free.

There is also a literature survey again this conference cycle. It is included in the CAR and can also be taken online.

Yes the CAR is long and boring. But I believe we all have the responsibility to put in the effort before we cast votes on matters that effect the whole Worldwide Fellowship of Narcotics Anonymous.



Sunday, Dec 3, 2017

Month Reported: **NOVEMBER**

## Grays Harbor Area of Narcotics Anonymous

### *Sub-Committee Service Report*

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**Report:** All is running well. Currently working on our Area's global meeting schedule database update at NAWS and the 2018 H&I calendar. I love and miss everyone.

**Personal Update:** Nerve damage to my legs and feet have slowly spread to portions of both hands. Doctors have diagnosed me with *paralytic abasia*. I will never enjoy unassisted mobility again. Additionally, heart disease/complications have severely limited my ability to leave the house. Dedicated to my personal atmosphere of recovery, I am truly grateful for my recovery, family, healthcare workers and their daily assistance.

**Notes:** Please make sure all data to be posted online are emailed to me (preferably as pdf file format). Immediately notify me of any meeting schedule changes. Please allow 24 hrs for any digital/electronic data to be posted and/or updates on the meeting schedule. Thank You for your trust and allowing me to be of service.

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