



December
Area Service Committee Minutes
December 7, 2025

Call To Order @

Meeting open by Sean F (Facilitator)
Reading of service prayer, traditions and concepts.

Roll Call

Executive Body	Servants	
Facilitator	Sean F	Y
Co-facilitator		
Recorder	Toby	Y
Co-recorder		
Treasurer	Joey G	Y
Assistant Treasurer	Sydney	Y
RCMI	Karla L	Y
RCMII	Cecilia	Y
<u>Subcommittees</u>		
Activities	Allen E.	Y
Common Welfare	Anel	Y
H&I	Tasha	Y
Literature Bank	Sarah P.	Y
Assistant Literature Bank	Kathryn	Y
Policy	Robin	Y
Public Relations		

Groups	Attendance
1. Another Chance	Y
2. Breakfast Club	N
3. Choices	N



4. Clean and Free	N
5. Clean House	Y
6. Courage to Change	N
7. DesencadeNAdos	N
8. Eastside	Y
9. El Nuevo Camino	Y
10. Far Out	N
11. Freedom Group	Y
12. Here and Now	Y
13. Hill Country	Y
14. Just for Today	Y
15. Just for Tonight	Y
16. Manor Meeting Makers	Y
17. Men at Work	N
18. Miracles and Solutions	Y
19. More Will Be Revealed	Y
20. Never Alone	Y
21. New Beginnings	Y
22. New Hope	Y
23. New Way of Living	N
24. Non-Fiction Addiction	Y
25. Our Gift	Y
26. Out and About	Y
27. Primary Purpose	Y
28. Regeneration X	Y
29. Right Stuff	N
30. Searching and Fearless Women	Y
31. Serenity First	Y
32. Serenity the NA Way	N



33. South Austin Recovery	Y
34. Spiritual Mechanics	Y
35. Spiritual Seekers	Y
36. Stay N Change	N
37. The Twelve Steps to Freedom	Y
38. Tuesday at Last	Y
39. Twisted Sisters	N
40. We Can	Y
41. Willingness to Try	Y
42. Young, Clean, and Free	Y
43. Get Lit	N

Groups Active in Area: 45

Groups Present: 31

Number of groups for a consensus: 25

Last Month Minutes Approved 2:17pm

I. OPEN FORUM

-No Discussion-

II. ADMINISTRATIVE BODY REPORTS

• Facilitator – Sean F

I was able to make most of the subcommittee meetings. I missed activities due to my daily timing, which is lacking sometimes. For example, my late report on the day of area. Yippee!

I facilitated the Public Relations meeting, and we had a great meeting. Now for the sappy reflection: When I was granted this position that I volunteered to withhold, I was greeted with open arms by this area, which is all the members that have been here before me and after me. I received many kind words of encouragement from so many.



For me it was hard to accept at times, but I knew it was right to say thank you and give a good hug. Personally, I did not think I was going to well, for I lost my mom just a few months prior to taking the position. I was afraid that I was going to break down at some point. I would even pull up to area and sit in my truck not wanting to walk in, for I was going to lose it. And every time I walked through the doors, everyone would be hugging with smiles on their faces, and I would get greeted with the same kindness that this area has to offer the still suffering addict. So, I started believing that everything was going to be ok. I would sit in my truck less before walking into area, I would sit down with my laptop open and loose the dread of completely falling apart in front of everyone. Because I knew that it was going to be ok. For me, hearing even once from one of you, that I am here for you made all the difference. I take that to my heart, because my heart was broken. Thank you

With this being said, and I have said it before, this is not about me doing well as a facilitator; it is about the area doing well as a whole. Even when we have poop starters within our midst, we as an area came together like the quilted picker upper and softened the load for a consensus. I am grateful to be a part of the Central Texas Area (I can hear the chant “four more years”).

Now let us have a great area!

Conduct During Area Service Committee Meetings

To ensure a productive and respectful environment during CTANA Area Service Committee (ASC) meetings, please observe the following principles outlined in Section Two of the CTANA Area Service Policy:

- Mutual respect is the expected standard of conduct throughout the ASC meeting.

Essential Concepts for Meeting Conduct

- Remarks must be focused on clarifying and understanding the proposal at hand.
- Do not repeat points that have already been discussed regarding the proposal.
- The Facilitator will close discussion on proposals when appropriate.
- It is not permitted to attack another member's motives.
- If you wish to speak, please raise your hand and wait for recognition from the Facilitator.
- Do not speak negatively about ideas that are not currently being considered.
- Refrain from arguing against your own ideas.
- If the Facilitator interrupts, you must yield to the floor immediately.
- Interruptions or disturbances to the body are not allowed.
- With consensus, the Facilitator may set a time limit for discussion on specific subjects.

Report Concluded at 2:14pm

- **Co-Facilitator – Vacant**



Report concluded at 2:15pm

- **Recorder – Toby T**

- Please speak clearly during the group reports
- Last month's meeting minutes

I just want to take a moment to thank CTANA for allowing me the opportunity to serve as Area Recorder. Being of service here has meant more to me than just fulfilling a position—it's become a necessary part of my own growth.

Showing up, being accountable, and contributing my time gives me purpose. It helps me stay connected, grounded, and clean. There are days when acting selflessly doesn't come easily on my own willpower, but having this responsibility—this duty—helps guide me back Narcotic Anonymous.

Thank you all for trusting me, supporting me, and allowing me to serve our area. I'm grateful to be part of this fellowship, and I'm grateful for each of you.

Report concluded at 2:27pm

- **Treasurer-Joey G**

CHECK BOOK RECONCILIATION:

Chase ending balance per bank statement as of 11/28/25 is 9427.86

(PER BANK ONLINE)

Pay Pal Balance as of 11/28/25 is 0.00

(PER STATEMENT ONLINE)

Of the 9427.86 reconciled ending balance, 1750.00 is set aside for prudent reserve plus the 75.00 donated to the book drive, and 350.00 check that is outstanding and 3 PayPal Transfers that didn't get sent to our bank until December totaling 198.43 the available amount to spend in the Chase account is 7451.29



TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 25 - 2957.57

CASH 7th Tradition -1061.31 Pay Pal 7th Tradition - 318.20 Lit Bank- 1217.06

Area 7th Tradition - 81.00 ASL Contribution - 40.00

Unity Day Return Funds - 240.00

TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE MONTH OF November 25 - 5413.50

NAWS Lit Order- 1249.01 Austin Chronicle - 379.00 Extra Space Storage - 171.00 Phone.com - 35.71

Hanami - 2.00

TWILO - 20.00

Network Solutions -19.99 Global Printing - 598.54

TBRNA Quarterly Donation - 828.25

CK 4598 - 210.00

CK 4594 - 250.00

CK 4597 - 1300.00

CK 4599 - 350.00

Hello All,

I can't believe we're already in December. There are a couple of receipts that I don't have at this time. Receipts that are needed are the 250.00 for Our Savior Lutheran for the Holiday Function, Extra Space Storage, Phone.com, and the Global Printing Solutions. Also I still haven't received a receipt for the Photo Booth.

I want to thank this area for trusting me to be the Treasurer for the past year. These past 2 years have been fun and interesting but very rewarding. Sydney has been an amazing co-treasurer this past year and is very ready to step into the Treasurer role, I have all the confidence in her.

I hope everyone has an amazing Holiday Season

JOEY G

Holiday Book Drive Donations

Holiday Book Drive 2025

Total Cash \$2,247.00

Money Order \$75.00

Check \$50.00

Square (minus fees) \$4,039.51

\$6,411.51

Total Auction Sales \$2,805.00



Total T shirt Sales \$700.00

Total Book Donations \$2,906.51

Questions and comments –

Tony – The money for the function will be used to purchase books for H&I

Joey - Yes

• **RCM 1 – Karla**

Hello family,

I was unable to attend the last regional gathering, but our RCM 2 represented our area, and I have full confidence they did so with dedication and care. Our area was in good hands. I want to express my gratitude for the opportunity to serve, and I hope I represented our area and home groups well. I am truly grateful for the trust and support.

As a reminder, the upcoming regional event is the South East Texas Area Convention 3 on Friday, April 10th. Unfortunately, I will need to leave the area early today. Again thank you for allowing me to be a trusted servant.





Question and Comments:

None

Report concluded at 2:35pm

• **RCM 2 – Ceci**

Hello all,

The next Regional Service Committee (RSC) for the Texas Bluebonnet Region of NA (TBRNA) will be on Feb 14th 9am-5pm on zoom. Here's the link:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/9945589344?pwd=ndVn99JHeqCCAYzTQbVtKoFEO3PK9m.1&omn=89653814761>

Meeting ID: 994 558 9344

Passcode: tbrna

The proposal that our area drafted regarding how voting works at the RSC was passed with 100% of areas in the region assenting. Thank you all for your hard work and input in that process. This means that the areas (represented by their RCMs) each have a voice under CBDM during final decision making. Anyone can participate in discussions, and anyone can bring proposals etc., but final decisions are made by the areas. There was some back and forth in new business regarding whether RCMs should be able to simultaneously serve in the regional administrative body or as a subcommittee chair at region. Proposals were made to prevent RCMs from serving in those positions simultaneously out of a concern that there may be conflicts of interest, but those proposals did not pass. The consensus was that RCMs should be able to serve at region (similar to how our area allows GSRs to serve in the area administrative body simultaneously), and that since there would be no 'double dipping' regarding voting, there was no conflict of interest.

An important note is that TBRNA is navigating some major financial struggles, so any donations are appreciated. There are several open positions at region: co-recorder, policy chair, and treasurer. Please come to the next RSC if you're interested in serving in any of those roles. Here's a link to the regional policy to review the requirements for those positions: <https://tbrna.org/file-types/policy>

There are a couple of quick surveys up from NA World Services (NAWS) to help guide decision making about what changes need to be prioritized. Individuals or groups can respond to the survey. Topics include how to support members going through drug replacement/medication assisted



therapy (DR/MAT), using gender-neutral and inclusive language in NA readings and literature, choosing which literature/pamphlets to update or make, etc. Follow this link and click on 'current surveys': <https://na.org/news-projects-and-surveys/>

Subcommittee Updates:

As many folks heard last night at the holiday party and H&I book drive, the Adopt an Inmate program and Sponsorship Behind the Walls are fantastic ways to make recovery accessible for those who are currently incarcerated. Please learn more here: <https://tbrna.org/adopt-an-inmate> and email sponsorship@tbrna.org if you're interested in sponsoring an inmate.

Texas Bluebonnet Regional Convention (TBRCNA) needs nominations for 2027 facilitator, co-facilitator, and treasurer. TBRCNA 2027 will be Feb. 12-14th at the Doubletree Hilton hotel here in Austin, so participation from CTANA would be especially handy. Please attend the next RSC if you're interested in serving in any of those roles. Here's the website to register: <https://tbrna.org/> and the link to regional policy to review the requirements for those positions: <https://tbrna.org/file-types/policy>

Anyone interested in improving public relations (PR) or fellowship development skills are invited to attend the regional PR subcommittee meeting and reach out to Patsy at natxservicegirl86@gmail.com to get her guidance on how to better support struggling meetings.

Texas (NATX) would appreciate it if folks would fill out the survey on the NATX website: <https://natexas.org/>

Events (in chronological order):

Esperanza area yearly convention January 15th-18th 2026. Please register and book rooms. Details here: <https://eacnasa.org/>

TBRCNA March 6-8th 2026 in San Antonio. Please register and book rooms. Details here: <https://tbrna.org/>

Southeast Texas area yearly convention in Beaumont April 10-12th 2026. Please register and book rooms. Details here: <https://setacna.org/>



Action items:

Our area needs to sign up for a hospitality time slot for TBRCNA 2026 where we provide food/coffee etc. This is the current sign up sheet:

Date	Time	Area
Friday, March 6th 2026	5:00pm - 8:00pm	
Friday, March 6th 2026	10:00pm - 12:00am	
Saturday, March 7th 2026	7:00am - 10:00am	
Saturday, March 7th 2026	10:00am - 12:00pm	Houston Area
Saturday, March 7th 2026	1:00pm - 4:00pm	
Saturday, March 7th 2026	4:00pm - 7:00pm	
Saturday, March 7th 2026	10:00pm - 12:00am	Hill Country Area

Thank you all!

Ceci F (they/them)

RCM II CTANA

Our area needs to sign up for a hospitality time slot for TBRCNA 2026 where we provide food/coffee etc. This is the current sign up sheet:

Questions and comments

Robert Mitchell – questions

Toby – Regeneration X, Proposal that the Area chooses Saturday, March 7th 1pm-4pm, secondary slot 4pm – 7pm.

Joey – Will be there to help

Thomas – Are the area or homegroups picking slot?

Anel – They used to have the homegroups provide slots. Anel can help coordinate.

Shane – This slot if chosen by area.



Report Concluded at 2:49pm

- **Policy – Robin**

There were no changes in policy this last month and one new GSR who did not need orientation. It has been a privilege to be your policy chair this year and I want to thank you for letting me be of service.

Question and comments

Toby – Thank you for showing up before the meeting and keeping the orientation open for new GSRs.

Report Concluded at 2:53pm

- **Literature Bank – Sarah**

Hello CTANA:

Monthly Report:

- Beginning Inventory: \$4085.00
- Please announce that the Area Literature Co-Facilitator position will be open at the beginning of the new year.
- Please pay by Money Order, or Cash under \$25 (Exact change).
- Lit Bank opens before Area begins (typically around 1:30 pm), and runs through the opening half of Area.
- Once Lit Bank is done processing all the orders, and turns money over to the Treasurer, Lit Bank is then closed - in order for Inventory may be taken.
- If you have not received your order by the end of Area please come pick up your filled order at the literature.
- Our goal is to simplify Lit Bank operations, therefore 70+% of the work will be carried out on the day of Area.
 - We will only fill orders first half of Area
 - We will typically process the NAWS order on the day of Area (or within a reasonable time frame).
 - Inventory will be conducted during Area (once money is turned over



to the Treasurer).

- We will not be accepting emergency orders. Any orders which are not in before close of Area will have to wait till the next Area meeting.

When ordering literature, please go to the CTANA.org website and go to “Downloads” at the top right hand of your screen. Then scroll down to “Service Area Group” files and choose “CTANA literature order form”. When you are done filling out your order, please send it to literature@ctana.org. If you need help with ordering, get with us during Area, or email us. Our email is at the bottom of this form.

NAWS ORDER

NET order	2337.94
Shipping	
Less Discount	140.53
TOTAL	2197.41

Request from area.

*H&I
Order(do
not need
right way)
Thanks for
letting me
be of
service.

Lit Chair Sarah P e-mail: literature@ctana.org

Questions and comments

-None-

Report Concluded at 2:50pm



➤ Subcommittee Reports

- Activities – Allen E

CTANA ACTIVITIES REPORT

Dec 7, 2025

Thank you to the Central Texas Area for allowing me to be of service!

The past year has been a good one in NA service thanks to all of the people who've helped at the events.

I spent a total of \$803.93 in supplies for the thanksgiving game day and the holiday book drive.

\$350.00 for venue rental for Holiday book drive(separate check from the event budget)

We need to pay RFATX \$75.00 for rent on Thanksgiving

I was given \$1300.00 for holiday events, spent \$803.93

I returned \$496.07 via PayPal to CTANA.

A special shout out to Tracy B who went above and beyond to make a great event! She will be spectacular as our next Activities Facilitator!!!

Thank you to the addicts that came early, stayed late and made it all happen!!!!

In service,

Allen E.

Questions and comments

Joey – How will the invoice for \$75 happen?



Allen – will reach out to RFATX

Report Concluded at 2:58pm

- **Common Welfare – Anel**

We met on Tuesday, Dec 2nd, with 5 people in attendance. We were joined by Lou, from PR Newsletter sub committee to discuss CW submissions moving forward. Submissions will surround tips and practical applications to keep building a culture of safety at home groups. We also discussed the transition to Leanne M. as Facilitator and Jim F. as Co-Facilitator, following today's vote at Area.

We received the My Safety, Our Responsibility pamphlets and will be handing those out to any meetings that want them at Area. If your group is unable to attend Area, and you would like copies of the pamphlet for your group, please message me directly, and we will figure out how to get them to you. Any leftover pamphlets will be given to the Lit Bank for meetings to request more in the future. Just a reminder, once these 500 copies run out, your group will be responsible for printing the pamphlets on your own, should you so choose.

I have had the honor of serving as Co-Facilitator—and later Facilitator—since CW's creation in 2022, and I am incredibly proud of what we have accomplished together. But our work is far from finished. As World has emphasized, predatory and disruptive behavior in our meetings remains the number one threat to our fellowship's future.

Around the globe, trusted servants are writing new literature and developing tools to address these issues. Much of this guidance is available on NA.org, and I've included a link below. Our Area was the first to be forward-thinking and courageous enough to form a subcommittee dedicated to this sensitive, but critically important, issue. Since then, areas across the country have reached out asking how we did it and expressing their own need for similar support.

Let me be clear: this is not about surveillance, judgment, or policing personal relationships. This is about ensuring that every member—newcomer or old-timer—feels safe, respected, and welcome in any meeting they attend. Our primary purpose is compromised the moment a newcomer witnesses or experiences a culture of silence in the face of harmful behavior.

I implore this Area to stay engaged in this conversation: attend the subcommittee meetings, bring your experience and voice, and speak up when you see behavior that threatens the safety of our spaces. We cannot afford to look the other way anymore.

Common Welfare meets on Zoom at 6 pm the Tuesday before Area. Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, December 30th. The link can be found in the calendar at ctana.org.

Thank you to this Area for the opportunity to be of service to the Area and the fellowship that saved my life.



Questions and comments

-None-

Report Concluded at 3:01pm

• **H&I – Tasha**

SERVICE PRAYER: "God, grant us knowledge that we may act according to your divine precepts. Instill in us a sense of your purpose. Make us servants of your will and grant us a bond of selflessness that this may truly be your work, not ours, in order that no addict anywhere, need die from the horrors of addiction."

1. H&I Facilities who need Co-Coordinators:

- Cenikor
- Halbert Unit
- Rocksprings
- TCCC Del Valle Jail

2. H&I still need a Co-Facilitator (The job description is in the Policy and the link to that is in the email) and also a Literature Coordinator.

○ Once we get approval from RFATX (Allen) then we will be purchasing a Locked cabinet that matches the current cabinets that Area has for their literature. We will be storing H&I's literature there to make it more accessible for someone to take the position. **3. We are always needing Volunteers:**

- Requirements to Volunteer for most Facilities are:
 - Minimum 6 months clean, working the steps with an NA sponsor and attending meetings
 - Must be orientated (only do once every 2 yrs)
 - Understand the NA clarity Statement
- Please Review: [H&I Orientation Packet](#)
- New Facilities information: [Map of CTANA H&I Facilities](#)

4. H&I Literature Order Report: \$1,191.07 this month.

5. We will be requesting from Area \$160 to purchase the Locking Cabinet.

6. Last month H&I Requested \$350.00 from the Area Treasurer to purchase 50 H&I designed T-Shirts, from a vendor that we use for NA, to sell at the H&I Bookdrive. We sold 35 at \$20 each. We will have the other 15 at the Area meeting if you still want one □□

7. Tomas S. was voted in as the 2026 H&I Facilitator.



8. H&I Subcommittee Meeting is the last Sunday of every month:

- Orientation is from 3:00pm to 3:30pm
- Next Subcommittee meeting, 11-30-2025 from 3:30pm to 4:30pm
- **H&I Subcommittee Info and Virtual Link:** [Hospitals and Institutions Subcommittee – Central Texas Area Narcotics Anonymous](#)

Questions and comments –

Report Concluded at 3:31pm

• **Public Relations – Sean Fo**

I have facilitated the Public Relations subcommittee. I have copied the reports from the internal PR positions. This was a short and sweet meeting. We did start talks about a possible billboard.

More will be revealed.

Here is the PR subcommittee Report:

-Web Servant report: Stephanie F is the coordinator.

Below is the list of monthly changes to ctana.org.

Please remind attendees at ASC to submit all website requests by email to webmaster@ctana.org.

Please remind attendees at ASC to submit all trusted servant changes and email address contact info changes to recorder@ctana.org.

Ask at ASC: Have any GSR / AGSR Contact changes been made since the last Area meeting? Please let the Recorder know.

Here is a summary of all our CTANA.org website changes since August Subcommittee Meeting:

- Added Jo M. to hivolunteer@ctana.org email forwarder, per Tasha C.
- Added Bill B. (new Co-Coordinator for New Entry) to hiadminbody@ctana.org and hivolunteer@ctana.org email forwarders, per Tasha C.
- Added flyer for Men At Work hosted Thanksgiving dinner and meeting event, per Tracy B.

<https://ctana.org/calendar/>



<https://ctana.org/event/giving-thanks-potluck-hosted-by-men-at-work/>

- Geo added a domain to our block list to prevent email spam, reported by Sean F.
- Added flyer to event for Holiday H&I Book Drive per Allen E. <https://ctana.org/event/ctana-holiday-potluck-hi-book-drive/>
- Added link to sign-up sheets for Holiday H&I Book Drive per Allen E. <https://ctana.org/event/ctana-holiday-potluck-hi-book-drive/> --> <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C044DAAAE2DA4F9C34-60133032-ctana>
- Added Thanksgiving Board Game Day event and flyer to calendar, per Tracy B. <https://ctana.org/event/thanksgiving-game-day/>
- Added Michael G. to H&I Volunteer list email forwarder. hivolunteer@ctana.org
- Geo updated the download links for NA Meeting Readings, Per Tracy B. <https://ctana.org/downloads/>
- Updated start times for Get Lit meetings, per Nicole W. <https://ctana.org/local-meetings-list/>
- Posted the Newsletter flyer to private CTANA Facebook Group, per Lou.
- Added the new Lockhart meeting to the list, per Sandy. <https://ctana.org/local-meetings-list/>
- Add Sandy (from Lockhart meeting) to the asc@ctana.org email forwarder.
- Geo completed the transition from phone.com to YAP (Yet Another Phoneline), provided to us by the same group of NA members who have provided our meeting list and meeting lookup services for many years. The only cost we will incur will be a minimal charge for the help line number (\$1.15/mo) and actual usage charges which are expected to average around \$5/mo to \$8/mo based on actual usage for November. Phone.Com billing has been around \$35/mo for some time. We have been using the new help line for several months; calls to 512-480-0004 (our traditional help line) have been forwarded from Phone.Com to YAP. Those calls are now going directly to YAP, bypassing Phone.Com. At the last ASC, I reported that we were experiencing significant issues moving the actual number to YAP, however those issues have been resolved and our help line number will stay the same in YAP. The Toll Free number, 866-792-8262, has been abandoned in order to make the best use of our resources, as previously discussed with the ASC. Until our current billing cycle ends on December 17th, callers will receive a forwarding message asking them to call the 512-480-0004 number. I feel that is a better option than



continuing to forward it to YAP and then have it just stop working on the 17th with no notice in case members are still using it. Note that we have been incurring charges ranging from \$0.19 to \$0.95 per minute for each call made through the 800 number, as well as a charge to have the number in service. All web site references to the toll free number have been removed. The forwarding message is: "Thank you for calling Central Texas Area of Narcotics Anonymous. This number is no longer in service. To reach our help line, please call 512-480-0004. Again, that number is 512-480-0004. We look forward to speaking with you soon." Now that the 512 number has been transferred to YAP, we are working to resolve regulatory issues to allow us to enable SMS (text messaging) for the YAP service, which will allow us to provide even more modern services to our callers. Current services include:

- o Connection to live helpline volunteers in both English and Spanish
- o A flexible scheduling system that allows our coordinator to assign hours based on volunteer availability rather than fixed time slots
- o Ability to leave voice mail which will be sent to the Phone Line coordinator and can be forwarded by him as needed.

- o Ability for callers to look up and receive schedule and location info for nearby meetings. Soon, request and receive that information via text message.
- o Integration with our Meeting Database. When the Webmaster updates meeting information, the same data available to the website is used by YAP.
- o Ability to hear the Just For Today or Spiritual Principle For The Day.
- o Reports and Analytic Tools to help the Coordinator better manage the help line.
- o Better ability to back up volunteer information and schedules to respond to system failures.

- This took tremendous effort and diligence! THANK YOU, GEO!
- Geo also configured a Spanish Welcome text for YAP after the language option.

Thanks,

Steph F.

512-689-3691

stepfar88@gmail.com

-Phoneline Report- Tony C is the coordinator.

PHONE LINE REPORT Nov 30, 2025

October 26 – November 25



VOLUNTEER CALLS - 26

MEETING LOOKUP CALLS - 23

VOLUNTEER LOOKUPS SMS - 0

MEETING LOOKUPS SMS - 0

MISSED CALLS – 8 (31%)

I posted on Facebook page asking for volunteers to assist with Spanish only callers. Juan

A & Jesus C have volunteered.

All shifts have at least 2 volunteers covering.

Missed calls have gone up

I have asked on the CTANA Facebook page for PHONELINE VOLUNTEERS, Flexible hours.

I can place them anywhere they are available.

Phone.com issue has been resolved as per George C.

Always can use volunteers for Helpline. Please announce at your meetings.

ILS

Tony C, Phone Line Facilitator

-Fellowship Development Report- Tracy B. is coordinator.

fellowship dev November:

*Donated prizes & decorations & setup /cleanup Activities Learning Day

*Suit up/show up & spread word for:

--clean&free Speaker /potluck (pumpkin cheesecake)

--another chance speaker/potluck

--CTANA Storage cleanup

--thanksgiving all day at RFATX for JFT mtg, games hosting, Potluck (made fish/fries/cheese sticks), Men at Work mtg, and been decorating there at RFATX n support of the festive holiday vibes we got goin on. thanks y'all. I almost forgot about the addicts that said they would show up, but didn't. all is forgiven! went out and bought 10 lil games to put under the RFATX tree so we always got something to play- lol. if u really KNOW addicts, we r never bored together. haha. nevertheless, was a great time on thanksgiving & im going to keep adding decor on and around Our Tree in the Spirits of Generosity, Joy, Fun & keeping alive the positive memories we can create Now!

also made several flyers. was not able to attend "12 steps to freedom" Mtg on Saturday night with their anniversary celebration, but did announce at meetings i attended to let others know about it.

will be supporting Dec 4 h&i book drive with donations to raffle and will also help



setup & decorate.

will be speaking at marble Falls new way of living holiday celebration on dec 19, so i hope as many as able will come out that night for fun food & fellowship.

-will contact Arnold C about what he will donate

-will make cards for a donation to the Book Drive/Raffle

-may still submit to the newsletter as we have time until dec 5.

thank u,

tracyB

-PI Report- The coordinator position is open.

-Newsletter Report- Louisa M and the Newsletter team

Winter Edition 2025 Status As of Sunday, November 30th, we have one submission for Creative Works and one submission for Step 10. Step 9 has been claimed and will have a submission submitted soon.

Steps 11 and 12 are still vacant, as are personal stories and reflections. The newsletter team will begin by asking people personally to write for the vacant categories.

The newsletter regrouped after the subcommittee meetings and decided it would be best to push back the publishing date from the 6th to the 9th. The reason for that is we're planning to put a section in for open service positions, and since elections are happening on the 7th, we didn't want to publish all service positions as open the day before a bunch of them (hopefully) get filled.

Newsletter Sub-Subcommittee Updates

The newsletter has a new team member, Andie, who will be helping with managing the emails, gathering content and learning design so he can help Lou with the newsletter design.

Questions and Comments

Micheal – Our Gift is always open on Christmas

Robert Mitchell – Questions on the PR facilitator role.

- **Welcome New GSRs**

New GSR



Mellissa – Willingness and Try on Wendsday will be closed on the 24th and the 25th. Celebration happening

Group Reports

Tony – Sernity the NA way, changing time to 6:30pm just Thursday

Diann – Tuesday at last we can use some trusted servants

Micheal – Our Gift, Jarrell, TX, 7-8pm 305 Exit 276 down 35 straight down a mile, at big white coffee, really good coffee, first Thursday month and lit meetings on the first week. One meeting a monthly literature study on the first Thursday of the month.

Noah – here and now, Wednesday, email sent, We at Here and Now are requesting help from the Area to help us reach out to the Deaf community. We have compiled a comprehensive list of facilities, businesses, and organizations where we need to gain permission to post a flyer to inform the public that we are an ASL interpreted meeting with the hopes of reaching the still suffering addict. We need to contact these places to get an up to date email and phone number of the person responsible for making these types of decisions. Attached below is our proposed flyer and monthly group report form.

Irene – Now the GSR, Far Out Group, Monday, Leander, come out

Amy – Searching and Fearless meeting, great stable meeting, 10-15 attendance a week. Would love to see more women support this women meeting along with the two others.

Dillion – non-fiction addiction, has a large group. Treatment centers visit. Good opportunity to get sponsees

Alex – Twister sisters, come out and support, can join on zoom

Max – taking over as GSR for young, clean and free, attendance is going down, candle light meeting at the end of the month.

Leonard-More will be revolve, new meeting format.



Old Business-

-none-

New Business –

Proposal for time slot sent to region

Elections and nominations

Facilitator –

- Nomination for Allen – no
- Sean nominated stays on until someone is elected

Co-Facilitator –

- Joey nominates Toby
- Accept nominations
- Election won

Recorder-

- Nominate Tasha
- Accept nominations
- Questions
- Election won

Co-recorder –

- Nomination Dylan
- Accepts nomination
- Wins nomination

Treasurer -

- Nomination Sydney P.
- Accept nomination



- Questions
- Wins nomination

Co-Treasurer –

- Nomination Joey S.
- Accepts Nomination
- Wins Nomination

RCM 1 –

- Nomination Ceci
- Accepts nomination
- Wins nomination

RCM 2 –

- No nomination
- Vacant

Policy –

- No nomination

Subcommittees –

Activities –

- Nomination – Tracy B
- Accepts nomination
- Wins nomination

Common Welfare

- Nomination Leann
- Accept Nomination
- Wins nomination

H&I –

- Nomination Thomas



- Accept Nomination
- Wins nomination

Public Relations –

- Nomination Robert Mitchell
- Does not accept
- Vacant

Literature Bank

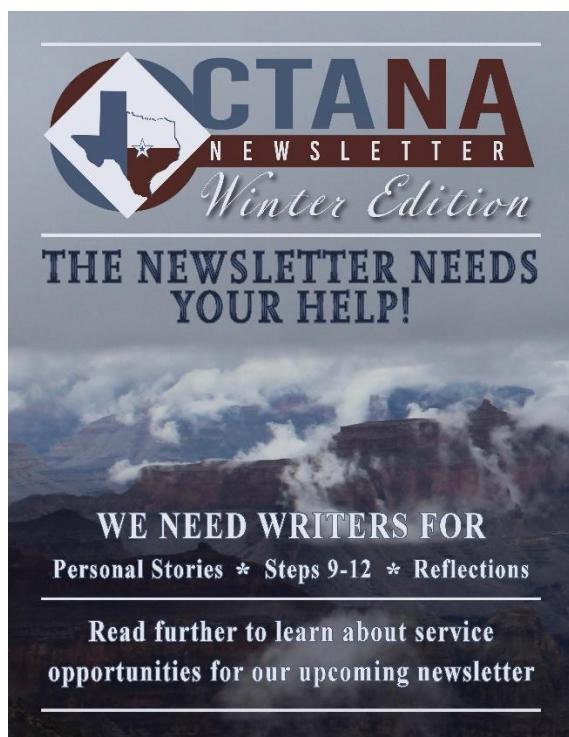
- Nomination Katherine P.
- Accepts nomination
- Wins nomination

Co-Literature bank facilitator

- Nomination Emily
- Accepts Nomination, but needs to speak to sponsor
- Vacant

Next ASC Meeting January 4th , 2025

Meeting concluded at 4:28pm



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Winter Edition

THE NEWSLETTER NEEDS YOUR HELP!

WE NEED WRITERS FOR
Personal Stories * Steps 9-12 * Reflections

Read further to learn about service opportunities for our upcoming newsletter

Service Opportunities

PERSONAL STORIES WRITERS

In 700 words or less, share on an aspect of your recovery that is important to you. Whether you're new to NA or have years in the program, we'd love to hear your experience.

STEPS 9, 10, 11, AND 12 WRITERS

Share your experience in 700 words or less on one of the above steps. Email the newsletter first to ensure the step you'd like to write on is still available. Contact information is available below.



REFLECTIONS

Up to 400 words of your experience on the prompt. Email the newsletter with your submission.

Prompt:
"Recovery begins when we start to apply the spiritual principles contained in the Twelve Steps of NA to all areas of our lives."

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