

## **RCM Report to ASC March 2023**

RCM: Ben G

Alt RCM: (Vacant)

Ben G attended both days 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Mar 2023 in Swansea

**Next Region:** May: Leeds

**Service prayer read by Neil**

**12 Concepts read**

**Share on Concept 1 read out and share backs from the floor.**

**Vacant Positions:**

Secretary: Willow-Rose put herself forward. Concept 4 read out. Responsibilities of position described. Questions asked and answered.

**Opening balance:** £22,514.62

Proposal. Per diem payments for Regional delegates to be increased to £30. This was later approved.

**RCM reports:**

Fair amount of discussion around disruptive behaviour

Discussion around specific representation of online meetings is available on some discussion boards.

## **F.D Report & Environmental Scan: Steve and Rachel**

Helps build structures within NA

Environmental Scan, a snapshot of the state of the Fellowship.

Was taken over a year during covid.

Only 59 respondents.

Strengths: Meetings have recovered well. Good adaption to COVID.

Weaknesses: Communication gaps, Service positions unfilled.

Opportunities: Making service attractive. Workshop including concept 8 (Inventory of communications)

Threats: Losing sight of traditions/primary purpose??

**UKPI: Will**

**UKPI need PEOPLE, they have a lot of projects and not enough people to serve.**

HMP: Vision...2 meetings a day in every prison.

UKSO can provide ASCs with a PI account which will give them 30% off.

Audio basic text nearing completion,

Discussion around Polish languages and representation.

Day 2:

**UKH&I: Micky**

Monthly meetings well attended, committee functioning well.

Unity Day in Bournemouth coming up

Funds requested £1000 to put on new leaning days.

**Archive: Ian**

Looking to reform the committee.

The archive is in good condition, documenting and cataloguing taking place.

They have 200 audio cassette tapes to digitise. A lot of work to do and it is expensive to travel to the office. They would like to bring the materials down south to work on. Working out of storage units far from ideal.

**Prison Sponsorship: Ellis:** ([ps@ukna.ork](mailto:ps@ukna.ork))

Going since 2005. Sponsors assigned and approved by the committee. Literature is sent to prisoners.

**Regional Delegate: Craig:**

Report on Winter 2023 EDM – Cascais, Portugal

[region.ukna.org](http://region.ukna.org), RD folder, Winter EDM (European Delegates Meeting):

Day 1 was 'community reports'

ZD: Zonal Delegates represent 'unseated regions' (i.e. no seat at WSC).

EDM based in Brussels.

Extend into Africa?

ECCNA in Budapest this year, Helsinki next year.

There is a Learning Day in Berlin ESLD. If anyone interested?

Work in Romania going on.

Young Addicts in Recovery is the fits bit of literature produced by EDM.

**UKSO: Lisa**

Full keyring delivery, UKSO has sourced a different supplier for keyrings – they will be a very slightly different shape.

Still some supply chain issues.

Feed to ASC....receipts won't say UKSO, they will show 'Service limited'. This has caused problems and some have requested payment holds/requests for refunds via PayPal.

There are some slight issues with PayPal in certain situations. Try refreshing the page.

**UKCNA:**

Shaping up well

There will be a creche (included in ticket price).

There will be a GSR assembly.

**UKNA Comms: Tanya**

1377 meetings listed. Increase of 35.

Receives 100,000 hits a month.

Acceptable use policy and archiving of unused email addresses discussed.

Aggressive emails being received still.

Chair standing down, Tanya stepping down soon. Team working very hard, doing an amazing job.

On website there will be an **urgent info** box for each meeting that can be completed, now back on there

Concerns over web developer position, it involves a *lot* of work.

**Per diem vote:**

Approved to increase the per diem for RSC committee members to £30, this usually trickles down to ASCs.

**Treasurers Report:**

A company have been employed to assess the legality of our trading considering the type of legal entity that we are.

**Inappropriate Behaviour in NA meetings:**

Looking for people.