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Central Vancouver Island	1.800.494.2404
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Pitch & Putt Learn Dance Moves Críb Níght **BBQ Beach Party** Walk Westwood Flower Arranging Come Pizza Night PickleBall IKE RIDE TO Clean a Beac Frisbee Golf **Board Games Ice Cream Social** DI av, Mountain Baseball Swimming Open Mike Nite Mandala Rocks Have a Passion? Paint Ball Got a Talent? Good at So me EE

Do You Want to Have some FUN??? Make Connections? Find your creativity? Share a Talent? Come ORGANIZE SOME AWESOME activities for our NA Family & Friends!! Bring your IDEAS!! Let's make this an Incredibly FUN 2025!! ~ Come join your activities committee ~ We'd love your input ~ We'd love to see you Call / Text Shannon 778-269-1477 NEXT MEETING: Saturday January 18, 10:30 AM Quality Foods in Harewood - Upstairs

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SERVICE CENTRAL

Group Service Representatives Meeting 9:30a.m.

followed by

Area Service Committee Meeting 10:00 - 11:30a.m.

Rotary Field House, 850 Third St, Nanaimo, Next Meeting February 9, 2025

YOUR CENTRAL VANCOUVER ISLAND AREA of NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS SERVICE COMMITTEE

Facilitator: Andrea T Co-Facilitator: Alison A Secretary: Laci S Alternate Secretary: Jen W Treasurer: Johann H Alternate Treasurer: **OPEN** RCM: Trevor B RCM Alternate: Claire B Activities Chair: Shannon D Communications: John M Newsletter: Elissa B Public Relations: **OPEN** Service Guidelines: Laci S

<u>Newsletter</u>

Elissa B, Chair <u>Newsletter@cviana.ca</u> or text: 604.315.5263 PLEASE SUBMIT BY 6:00 p.m. THURSDAY FEBRUARY 6TH

<u>Literature</u>

Amber K, Chair Send orders to:

Literature@cviana.ca

Please include:

Name of items, how many, payment type (*Cash, Cheques, e-transfer* [prefer])

and where you will pick up your order

- No Matter What Friday
- New Beginnings Sunday
- Area 2nd Sunday, February 9TH
 ORDERS MUST BE IN BY
 5:00pm THURSDAY FEBRUARY 6TH

Public Relations

CHAIR POSITION: OPEN Edgewood Panels Monday 7:30pm Detox Panels

Thursday 6:30pm

Phonelines

Please email

PublicRelations@cviana.ca

with your name & number for info

Jail Panels

Amber K & David M TH Every Wed 5:00pm-6:00pm <u>CarryTheMessageNanaimo@gmail.com</u>

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2023-2026 CYCLE: SURVEY ON STEP WORKING MATERIAL

We are embarking on this survey so that the World Board can hear from the wide world of NA about what members want, need, and don't want in new or revised Step working material. If the *Step Working Guide* were edited and simplified, it could satisfy three of the prioritized Ideas [from the *CAR* survey].

These are:

- ◊ Step working guide aimed at members not new to working the Steps
- Step working booklet focused mainly on Steps 1–3, aimed primarily at new members and those in treatment and drug courts
- Revise and simplify the Step Working Guides

Please go to: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/step_working_material

2024 MEMBERSHIP SURVEY

Some may wonder why we want this information and how we use it. One of the aims of "A Vision for NA Service" is that NA is viewed as a "viable program of recovery." With members from several countries attending the world convention in 2024 and members around the world participating from their homes, we have an opportunity to demonstrate that we are, indeed, a viable and respected recovery community resource. Presenting ourselves in this way helps us offer hope to others that they, too, can recover. We encourage each member to spread the word of the Membership Survey to their friends. We would like as many members throughout NA worldwide to participate. Our last fellowship wide survey was in 2018.

Please go to: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/membership_survey_2024

Please complete by 31 January 2025