

To: NA World Wide Fellowship  
From: The Journey Continues Committee  
Re: Final Report & Accounting  
Date: 11 September 2020

Greetings WOW! What a Whirlwind. Thank you for the opportunity to give back. The Washington Northern Idaho Regional motion to hold a 72 hour Video Conference Fundraising Event was grounded in a four (4) part mission.

- 1- To come together during this pandemic when we cannot physically come together & celebrate our recovery for Worldwide Unity Day.
- 2- To raise funds for NA World Services (to contribute in times of hardship).
- 3-To begin conversation about where to find accurate information rather than relying on the misinformation posted on social media;
- 4- To raise awareness that we cannot rely on events and product sales for service delivery, we must be self-supporting based on our individual contributions and recurring contributions is the way to make that transition.

The committee consisted of nine core members (deliberative body) and 36 technical support members. The core committee met weekly beginning 07/24/20 for seven (7) pre-event meetings and one post-event meeting 09/11/20. The total number of volunteer hours during the 72 hour event were 360; this included approximately 88 committed service members, many from outside our region. There were 126 scheduled speakers from twenty (20) countries. Time commitment was calculated at 1,680 hours committee prep time and 2,292 hours total production time. We have left the website up and converted the donation button to link directly with NAWS, who will track accounting.

We experienced many blessings and many lessons (at least one of each per hour). The committee was dedicated, cooperative, courteous, accommodating and fucking-fantastic. One member called us devoted, another said the membership embodied an unsurpassed fidelity. The finely tuned harmonies created a spiritual melody that supported our direction. What I know is there were very few complaints, there were significant recognitions, and there was a together we can do anything attitude. This is the final report – the committee has completed and concluded.

Total Event Contributions: \$52,694 from 561 members

Music Mania: \$1,410 from 28 requests

In Memory or Honor of: \$21,233.59 from 158 members

Recurring Contributions: New recurring 90 (from 4<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup>) \$2,583.73 monthly total.

Amount Directly Contributed to NAWS (from 4<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup>) \$9,793.52. (Total includes recurring)

With confidence we can report \$62,487 raised on behalf of NAWS.

Zoom Attendance (non-unique)	Live Stream Attendance (unique)
Friday 3689	Friday 812
Saturday 4426	Saturday 862
Sunday 2541	Sunday 561
Monday 947	Monday 251
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Total 11,603	Total 2487

49,104 minutes watched on zoom

Jimmy K. was a visionary when he set the groundwork for our vision and told us “It’s gonna take all of us and it’s gonna take all that we got to make it happen.”

Was The Journey Continues a success or a failure? We celebrated Recovery. We came together in Unity for Worldwide Unity Day. We carried a message of hope. We began to shift some of our membership-to giving back by way of recurring contributions. *We travel together as one in fellowship, and we pave the road as we walk it for all who may follow. No matter how far we have come or how far we know we have to go, the journey continues when we live clean. The Journey Continues.* It will take all of us.

I invite each of us to take inventory of our individual contributions. Contemplate what it means to be fully self-supporting. Can I pay back NA for the life I have been given. I invite our groups to contemplate what would it be like if our fellowship could let go of event and product sales dependence and become fully self-supporting on our own individual contributions. The way we can do this is through sponsorship, one on one with members, read *Money Matters* and *Supporting NA Services*, and speak up when I share, not just when the topic is the Seventh Tradition. In North America the NA membership is approximately 100,000 members if only half of us put in \$20 a month on a recurring contribution that would be \$12 million a year (\$20 a month is giving up one Starbucks a week). I invite each of us to consider a change. We have 75,000 meetings in the world; if each group contributed ten dollars (\$10) a month, that would be \$750,000 per month or \$9 million per year. Together we can!

There is no way that words can adequately express the thanks we have for all of the people who tirelessly supported the event through effort, energy, and enthusiasm. The contributions included finances, time, labor, initiative, creativity, collaboration, cooperation, information, technology, consideration, flexibility, joviality and compassion made this event a success. Here is a list of those who contributed their time (and other resources) to the success of the event.

Aaron I	Cary S.	Fern H.	Karen D.	Mary B.	Stacy M.	Vickie B.
Abdul Hamid R.	Catie H.	Filipe Da	Karl B.	Mary F.	Steve L.	Wayne M.
Alan B.	Caulda P	George J.	Karyn W.	Mary K.	Steven P.	Will M.
Alison K.	Charity S.	Hamish H.	Kathryn K.	Mary Kay B.	Stuart S.	Yoel G.
Amanda E.	Cheryl D.	Inigo C.	Katie P.	Matt C.	Susan B.	Yvette W.
Amanda M.	Cheryl T.	Irene C.	Kayleigh W.	Matt J.	Susan C.	Zamuraad B.
Amitabh S.	Chris B.	Ivy S.	Kelly M.	Matthew F.	Susan S.	Zuri C.
Ana D.	Chris C.	Jack B.	Kelly S.	Michael C.	Regina L.	
Ana Luisa B.	Chris L.	Jack H.	Kia K.	Michael M.	Renee H.	
Anindita B.	Christina B.	James D.	Kim B.	Mike F.	Richard T.	
Anthony C.	Chuck C.	Jane N.	Kim L.	Mike L.	Rob K.	
Anthony E.	Cindi B.	Janie I.	Kitty I.	Milo H.	Ron B.	
Archer K.	Claudio L.	Jay M.	Konstantine M.	Mukam H.	Ron H.	
Ari R.	Cory B.	Jeff W.	Kora C.	Nature G.	Ron M.	
Arne H G.	Cory M.	Jennefer B.	Kris R.	Nick E.	Roy B.	
Arnold M.	Craig R.	Jennette F.	Laurie R.	Norman S.	Ruthie G.	
Becca S.	Cynthia A.	Jennifer F.	Leah S.	Pat P.	Tali M.	
Becky M.	Cynthia Z.	Jess W.	Leanne B.	Patricia A-L.	Tammy P.	
Bella A.	Dan F.	Jesse S.	Lee P.	Patricia K.	Tana A.	
Betty R.	Daniel S.	Jessie N.	Lib E.	Patti B.	Tarwan L.	
Biff C.	Danny G.	Jim B.	Liliana M.	Paul C.	Tawni C.	
Big Mike F.	Darcy T.	Jim D.	Lorraine L.	Paul F.	Theo M.	
Billy R.	Dawn P.	Jim F.	Louanne M.	Peter S.	Theresa H.	
Bob J.	Dean H.	Jim W.	Louise G.	Piet D.	Tim A.	
Bob Mck.	Denise C.	Joanne H.	Luis L.	Sahil S.	Tim S.	
Bob S.	Dennis B.	Joedy S.	Lysa M.	Sam F.	Tina N.	
Bob W.	Derick G.	John G.-1	Maddy N.	Samantha C.	Tom M.	
Bobby B.	Dezzz G.	John G.-2	Marc G.	Samantha S.	Tonia N.	
Bonner S.	Dianne B.	Johnny C.	Marcelo A.	Sami A.	Tony W.	
Boyd P.	Domenick M.	Jonathan B.	Mardi M.	Sarah Q.	Tonya VL.	
Brenda W.	Dominique R.	Julia R-V.	Marisha Z.	Sarah W.	Traci P.	
Brian M.	Donna M.	Julie M.	Mark B.	Shane C.	Tracy L.	
Camilo O.	Donnie M.	Julie R.	Mark L.	Sian J.	Tracy M.	
Carlos P.	Emmett E.	Karen C.	Mark H.	Snoopy F.	Tyler L.	