

SDCA REPORT FOR THE 2018-2019 FISCAL YEAR

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Name of Person Reporting and Position: Julie Nelson, 2018-19 SDSCA President

Goals/Objectives for the 2018-2019 Fiscal Year: Strategic Plan is located on the SDSCA website

Accomplishments from Board retreat (7/31/19) to...

First Quarter (Oct/Nov meeting): monthly PIC newsletter, ASCA partnered newsletter, Partnerships forming (Focus Group w/ ASBSD), advocacy at HS Fall School Counselor Workshops, Counselor Connections Planning & collaboration with SDSU, outreach to graduate students forthcoming, pre-conference planning, new member packets, providing mentoring for newer members requesting services.

Second Quarter (Jan/Feb meeting): Monthly PIC newsletter, ASCA partnered newsletter, graduate student outreach coordinated effort in November (SDCA/WRCA/SDSCA) at SDSU-West River, SDSU & USD programs, letter of support written for streamlined licensure, NSCW planning, ASCA/LDI pre-planning,

Third Quarter (Conference meeting): ASCA partnered newsletter, Awards Nomination & Selection completed by President Elect Yolanda Price (awards announced at Conference), Luncheon Powerpoint (recognitions, announcements, state of association), Book sales at conference, updated bylaws & SCA form to ASCA by May 1st deadline, organizing for ASCA/LDI representation, Counselor Connections Planning & collaboration with SDSU.

End of Year Report: We had an excellent noon luncheon in Sioux Falls during conference (see PPT for award winners, new board members, retiring members, etc.). We have a delegation of about 8 attending ASCA Leadership Development Institute (LDI) in Boston, MA June 26-July 2. Our charter will be renewed at LDI! We are going forward with planning for 11th Annual Counselor Connections Conference in Brookings October 24 & 25 in collaboration with SDSU. ASCA is planning to attend this conference--they would like to be an exhibitor (will bring ASCA publications & merchandise) and offer membership & trainings at a special conference rate! Locally, our summer board retreat is scheduled for July 31-August 1st in Presho & President Elect Yolanda Price will have more details if needed.

**Plan to Accomplish Goals/Objectives to be accomplished by next board retreat (6/30/19)
Continue with Strategic Plan**

Items you would like added to the agenda for the upcoming board meeting: timeline for selecting Pre-Conference Speaker, members adopted bylaws in November 2018 (does SDCA need a copy and/or approve?), newsletter issues with Publisher format of PIC (does SDCA offer online membership newsletter help?). Yolanda & Amanda may be interested in pursuing a different newsletter format than Publisher, as I've found it tricky for membership to access and difficult to use. Note: ASCA online newsletters are available for 6 issues.