



NARCONON MEMBERS learn the basics of communicating with other people for it's the lack of communication with parents and family that opens the way for drug addiction, as these two Narconon members learned, the hard way. Jack Sellner (left) is state director of the prison based organization and Steve Brown, (right) has been a Scientology course instructor.

The Phoenix Gazette

PHOENIX, ARIZONA, TUESDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 19, 1970

Narcotic-Rehabilitation Efforts To Be Rewarded

Two Arizona State Prison officials will receive special awards Friday for their efforts with a narcotic-rehabilitation program at the prison.

Dale F. Brandfas, assistant superintendent of custody, and John Russell, construction foreman, will receive awards from Arthur J. Maren, nationwide supervisor of Narconon. Narconon is a rehabilita-

tive program for prisoners who are addicted to drugs, and is based on a body of philosophy known as scientology.

The prison officials are receiving the awards for their contributions of "support, time and effort" to the program, said Danny Dorosky, senior Narconon chairman. Dorosky, a former addict, is scheduled to leave the prison Saturday.

Russell was Narconon's first sponsor, from February 1966 to February 1969.

A new senior chairman, Don Mesaros, will be installed. Mesaros, a member of Narconon two years, is serving sentences of 25 years to life and 8 to 10 years.

NARCONON to give awards

A former mayor and police commissioner, Scientology representatives, and former inmates will be participating in a special awards event at the Arizona State Prison on May 22. The event is sponsored by NARCONON, Scientology-based rehabilitation program, which is also active in California and Illinois.

The awards will be presented to prison officials by NARCONON's nationwide supervisor, Arthur J. Maren. Recipients of the awards will be the Assistant Superintendent of Custody, Dale F. Brandfas, and John Russell, Construction Foreman, NARCONON's first sponsor.

"The awards are being given to these prison officials because of their contributions of support, time and effort to the NARCONON program," said Danny Dorosky, senior chairman. A former addict, Dorosky leaves the prison May 23.

Russell was NARCONON's sponsor from February, 1966, to February 1969, and devoted fifty hours a month to NARCONON and other rehabilitation programs.

In addition to the presentation of awards at the event will be the installation of the new senior chairman, Don Mesaros, a member of NARCONON for two years, serving sentences of 25 years to life and eight years to 10 years.

General information regarding the technology of Scientology, upon which NARCONON is based, can be secured from the Institute of Applied Philosophy, 1722 E. Indian School, Phoenix, Arizona 85016. Anyone wishing further information regarding NARCONON should contact Jack Sellner, state administrator, 72 W. Holly, Phoenix, Arizona 85003.

Selner has been a panel member for a Starlight Community Association panel and was guest speaker last Thursday at the Maryvale Kiwanis Club.