

NEW FRONTIERS

A.A. of the Niagara Frontier

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THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE NEWSLETTER FOR ALL A.A. MEMBERS OF WESTERN NEW YORK AND THE NIAGARA FRONTIER



The Unselfish Spirit

Let there be no misunderstanding that our primary purpose is to stay sober and to help other alcoholics to achieve sobriety. The degree that the individual carries out these two goals is not mandated by the AA body and the only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking.

The AA program offers suggestions on how to overcome the difficulties brought about by the disease of alcoholism and not simply the act of drinking. These difficulties come in the form of spiritual damage and material wreckage. It seems that our spiritual damage lies in the unseen part of our makeup such as, our thinking, our motive, our fears, our conscience, our ego, guilt, shame, self esteem, and like. Our material wreckage often comes as the result of our spiritual damage and is the residue of our spiritual condition.

The outside world cannot visually see the spiritual part of our makeup and can only judge us on the actions that we take and the wreckage brought about by those actions thus rendering the consequences of that judgment, such as, loss of jobs, jail, divorce, loss of family, etc. The solutions to these spiritual and material maladies start with understanding the cause and effect of our thoughts and actions. Our defects of character lie within our thoughts and our motives. Our shortcomings are the behavior and the actions that stem from those motives and thoughts.

Selfishness-self-centeredness! That, we think is the root of our trouble. (pg. 62 BB.) That, being said, isn't it apparent that selflessness, unselfishness would be the solution to our trouble? That seems to over simplify the solution but in my experience it is so simple that it is usually overlooked or dismissed.

Most alcoholics have spent their whole lives taking advantage of everything and everyone around them and as the result, have been plagued by the guilt and shame that only a drink could mask. The program of Alcoholics Anonymous suggests that we live by principles and I cannot find one selfish principle in the Big Book or the 12×12.

I believe that most of the people that truly have a desire to stop drinking and embrace the program of Alcoholics Anonymous start to change much of the behaviors that they recognize as counterproductive simply because they can hear these things that we all share at meetings and they change the most obvious shortcomings in their day to day activities.

This is a good start and with time it starts to erode much of the shameful habits of past that had become commonplace. Talk of inventories and amends cause us to think at a different level about those material matters. That is usually the only thing that we are aware of in the beginning.

When we talk about spiritual matters, it seems that we all have different perceptions of exactly what we mean by "spiritual". If, for the sake of simplicity, we think of it as our innermost self such as our ego, conscience, our mind, our heart or soul, if you like, and realize that this is where our spirit resides and where our emotions live, and that is also where the pain of our past thrives.

If we want to achieve the peace of mind that is promised in step nine, we will have to come to terms with the process of acceptance of the world as it is and of the people in that world. If we want to be accepted and forgiven for our past mistakes, we must be willing to accept all of the people that we find fault with and give them the same latitude that we are seeking.

To accomplish this we can stop being judgmental and replace that with an understanding spirit. We will have to replace gossip and character assassination with compassion and empathy. If we can't do that, then how can we expect the world around us to accept us and forgive us for our past mistakes? This is no time to rest on our laurels, so to speak. It's time to begin cleaning out the attic.

This is where we begin to free up that space in our minds that has been keeping us awake at night. This is truly the path to developing the unselfish spirit, and with it come a peace of mind that's hard to imagine while we were still playing God ourselves. It costs me nothing to be kind. My wish for those other people is that they can someday find the same peace of mind for themselves that this process has provided for me. What more can I say.



New Spin on the 12th Step?

There was a time in A. A. when folks often came to meetings drunk, beat up and with the shakes. Old timers would get up and greet them. If they were belligerently intoxicated, they would leave the room with the prospect and have a private conversation, so as to not disturb the rest of the meeting. If they were shaking only a half cup of coffee was offered so that they wouldn't burn or spill it all over themselves. Members would tell of stopping at a bar on the way to the hospital with a prospect to get them a couple drinks out of fear of the DT's killing them before they got there. The slogan, "But For The Grace Of God...There Go I", was said much more often and carried much more weight.

Traditional 12th step calls over the years have gone down as the alcoholism treatment system has expanded. This is an aspect of recovery, that has for the most part, abdicated to or co-opted by professionals. Experiences, as a recovering alcoholic and a previous treatment professional, have had given me the perspective that detox and treatment do a great job at giving the alcoholic the time to distance themselves from the last drink and let the fog clear.

I have no quarrel with detox, Bill and Bob established that as a starting point in Akron with A.A. #3 and the work done by Sister Ignatius at St. Thomas Hospital in early A.A. history. At least today we don't have to follow the regimen of tomato juice, sauerkraut and Karo Syrup!

The new spin on the 12th Step Call, that we all need to decide if we will answer or not, is when the rehab/detox/halfway house transport arrives at the meeting. It is so easy to stay seated in apathy and comfort. These are moments through which, today, we can make that connection with new comer. This connection keeps us sober and may very well change and save their lives.

It is often complained that these new comers have no idea of A.A. Etiquette. That they have no idea of what our primary purpose is. And that they are just a plain old distraction at the meetings, with their talking, fidgeting and walking around. Someone recently reminded me of what I was like when I first got here. And I was not so very different.

Someone had to take the time, with each us individual A.A.'s, to connect and to share these concepts with us. Someone had to help us to understand how these ideals protect the Fellowship as a whole and protect each of us as individuals.

If older A.A. members, never reach across the divide and connect...the chances of a person settling in and having a psychic change are greatly reduced.

For most individuals, the real work of personal change and spiritual awakening never happens in treatment settings. And just like each of us, upon arriving in the rooms, the new prospect desperately needs the program of change as outlined in the first 164 pages of the Big Book. Without connection, the new comer will surly fail to embark on this journey. Connection gives the new comer the courage and strength to take the steps that will unshackle themselves from the alcohol...so that they are free to to enter into a spiritual awakening as described in the 12th step.

In order for a willing A.A. to go through the steps and attain the first part of the 12th step, another A.A. member is required who is really willing to practice the second part 12th step...carrying the message. It is easy to blame the treatment centers for the lower rates of success among new comers over the years. What if it's not treatment that has caused this, but our own individual unwillingness to engage and connect with the new comer?

The next time the treatment transport shows up, let's walk over together, shake some hands and make a connection.

The results of a little bit of service will pay big dividends as time passes for us as individuals, the newcomer and the fellowship as a whole.

Respectfully, Kurt K. ; Golden Slipper Group

archives



In researching what had NOT been written about June for the historical article for this New Frontiers June article, I read through a number of old June New Frontier newsletters. The one that struck my heart was written by a Paul R. from the "Freedom Group" which I've attended on many Saturday nights since I've come into recovery here in Buffalo.

His article reminded me of something that I rather take for granted – our June Founder's Day happening in Akron, Ohio - our huge gathering of former drunks that celebrate being delivered from pitiful and incomprehensible demoralization to this sunshine of the spirit most of us find ourselves living in now.

It is worth remembering how Bill and Bob found our AA#3 IN A HOSPITAL in June of 1935 – and his reaction to them, which Bill D. details in his chapter "ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS NUMBER THREE" right after Bob's chapter. He states that his wife told him about these two drunks she'd been talking to that didn't drink and they were looking to tell it to another drunk which could help THEM stay sober.

His words have stayed with me all through my recovery ---- how he knew he "would be a real stinker if I did not listen to a couple of fellows for a short time, if that would cure them." (Big Book page 185)

In my life those words have replayed when I was in trouble spiritually – to just find a drunk to help even for just a few moments – like Bill and Bob KNEW THEY HAD TO – and that maybe people would be willing to JUST READ THE BOOK WITH ME so that I can stay sober. They **went** TO FIND A DRUNK TO HELP **now** - they did NOT wait for the drunk to call them daily for 30 days to prove an interest in reading the book with them.

Also worth remembering is how Bob ends his "DOCTOR BOB'S NIGHTMARE" chapter, which those of us working with drunks can take to heart if a drunk doesn't seem interested in recovery: **"If you still think you are strong enough to beat the game alone, that is your affair. But if you really and truly want to quit drinking liquor for good and all, and sincerely feel that you must have some help, we know that we have an answer for you. It never fails, if you go about it with one half the zeal you have been in the habit of showing when you were getting another drink."** (Big Book page 181)

With gratitude for this book and a life where somehow the peace outweighs all the problems,
Lila M. Area 50 Archives Committee chair

6th STEP

"Were entirely ready to have God remove all these defects of character."

Share your Experience, Strength and Hope

Please submit your announcements by the **12th**
for next month's issue
Articles can be submitted at any time

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Heard @ a Meeting

My sponsor pointed out that now that I've been
around the program for awhile there is no denial . .
there is only refusal.

IN MEMORIAM Things We Can Not Change

To all of our members who have lost family and loved ones

Virgil D.: 21y~ Remember When Group

Mark L.: 27 years ~ North Buffalo Group

Tony S.: Renaissance Group

Jim K. ~ Westminster Group

Kim E.: 18years ~ We Care Group

Bob K.: 37 years ~ Early Beginnings Group

Ron W.: 40 years ~ Kensington Discussion

Scotty S.: 33 years, ~ Ironhorse Group

Allan R.: 20+ years ~ As Bill See's It & Desires

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

Acceptance/Welcome

Kevin B. 1y
Bob D. 7y
Joan D. 39y
Mary Jo 47y

Alexander

Rob A. 1y
Jose O. 15y
Sam F. 25y
Marty C. 26y

All Is Well

Joe G. 2y
Alan Y. 4y
John Mc 15y

Amherst/Snyder

Doc C. 4y
Marty P. 23y
Dave L. 29y
Whitey D. 35y

Any Lengths

Ric S. 3m
Jeromy O. 3m
Zack C. 9m
David L. 9m
Kyle K. 9m
Chris F. 1y
Mary Jo S. 35y
Bob H. 36y

Big Book-Lockport

Amber B. 5y

Boulavard Women

Eileen S. 4y
Donna F. 35y

Coldsprings

Christina D. 24y

Courage Group

Erik 6m
Erin 9m
Pete 30y
Roger H. 34y
MaryJo S. 35y
Donna F. 35y

Derby

Ryanne S. 2y
Michael S. 4y
Dakota S. 6y

Easy Does It

Natalie g. 1y
Paul R. 3y
Meghan M. 5y
Bob D. 7y
Corey M. 11y
Jose G. 28y
Marbara M. 33y
Harriet G. 35y

Eyeopener

Dave B. 2y
Mike B. 2y
Jeff S. 3y
Andy S. 3y
Stevie B. 4y
Jim K. 5y
Nisha P. 7y
Julie M. 11y
David V. 15y
Peter S. 15y
Mike T. 21y
Iron John 22y
Peter M 23y
Bernie B. 24y
Michael W. 31y
Bob 31y
Sandy S. 35y
Tim W. 42y

Eyeopener South

John G. 6m
Brian H. 6m
Sandy M. 6m
Gail D. 6m
Nancy D. 6m
Stan K. 1y
John Y. 1y
Lance S. 1y
Maureen S. 2y
Kipp M. 5y
Peter F. 6y
Charlie H. 11y
John O. 29y
Alan H. 38y

First Step

Ebony E. 4y

Fireside

Kelly G. 3m
Lydia C. 1y
Robin G. 4y
John S. 30y

Fresh Start

Renee B. 1y

Golden Slipper

Scott W. 7y
Dave B. 27y

H.A.N.D.

Mike T. 21y
Al K. 24y

Helping Hand

Joe K. 3y
John M. 15y
Diane S. 24y

Holland

Mark S. 1y
Paul S. 29y
John O. 30y

How It Works- Men's

Tim M. 12y
Jim G. 12y
Brian A. 14y

Ironhorse

Jim P. 2y

Lakeshore

Jenny C. 5y
Angie E. 13y

Lockport #1

Darren C. 1y

New Life

Jeff 4y

North Buffalo

Suleiman 2y
Kevin R. 3y
Matthew K. 4y
Nikolai S. 5y
Eric H. 6y
Dan H. 6y
Rachel C. 7y
Chuck S. 8y
Jennifer R. 12y
Wayne T. 17y
Bernie B. 24y
Patricia T. 33y
Tom C. 35y

Orchard Park Step

John G. 6m
Jackie B. 9m
Rachel P. 1y
Mark J. 3y
Kathleen S. 28y
Gerry S. 29y

Q & A

Cheryl 3m
Ed 5y

Remember When

James M. 8y
Virgil D. 21y

Renaissance

Patrice P. 3m
Fred I. 8y
Jennifer R. 12y
Neal M. 15y
Wayne T. 17y
John J. 37y

Rise & Shine

Eli M. 2y
Gary Z. 2y
Garrett A. 2y
Lisa N. 5y
Anne K. 6y
Bill S. 6y
Kim D. 8y
Kathy J. 10y
Sharon Z. 10y
Wanda W. 12y
Johnathan D 13y
Virgil D. 21y
Walter C. 25y

Spiritual Progress

Maggie M. 3y
Terri G. 10y

Sun. Morning Br.

Cheryl P. 13y
Cookie L. 33y

The Grove

Phillip M. 1y
Jason Q. 1y
Collette R. 1y
Kim L. 1y
Jason W. 2y
Luis S. 2y
Megan B. 3y
Will Y. 3y
Nora P. 3y
Walter R. 6y
Bill T. 7y
Michael M 8y
John J. 37y

Tri-County

Barry H. 31y

Thruway

Andre K. 6m
Steve B. 9m
Bob F. 4y
Megan 5y
Donna F. 35y

Williamsville

Dave P. 9m
Rob S. 9m
Jeannie 9y
Sandra 21y
Debra 30y



Group Anniversaries

Any Age: 40y
Beginnings Women's: 32y
Downtown Men's: 42y
Helping Hand: 43y
High Noon: 23y
Kenmore: 51y
Lockport Tuesday PM
Lovejoy: 34y
Matt Talbot
Mercy: 31y
Questions & Answers: 15y
Spiritual Progress: 29y
Springville Tues Night: 51y
Starting Over (pm)
Sunrise Court: 64y
Victory: 29y

Please remember to have the anniversaries submitted by the **12th**

END OF BUSINESS DAY 4:30 PM of the month



PLEASE READ AT YOUR MEETING...HELP KEEP EVERYONE INFORMED :-)

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IF YOUR GROUP IS NOT MEETING, PLEASE INFORM THE CENTRAL OFFICE. THIS INCLUDES THOSE MEETING DAYS WHEN YOUR SITE IS CLOSED FOR A HOLIDAY.

MEETING CHANGES

- **Living in the Solution Group** is in need of support. 8:00pm Wed. 12&12 study, 8:00 Thurs Big Book Study & 7:00 Sat open discussion at 340 Military Rd., Buffalo 14207. Also **updating** our home group **membership list**. Please get in touch with a home group member.
- **Contemporary Women**, Tuesday's 6:30 PM, **has moved** to Central Park United Methodist Church. 216 Beard Ave, Buffalo 14214
- **New Group: Sparks Of Hope**; Sparks of Hope Recovery Center, 107 Main St., Hamburg 14075. Open Discussion, Handicap access. Thursday's 12:30 PM.
- **Step It Up group** is changing it's start time to 12:30 PM. St. Stephen-Bethlehem Church, 750 Wehrle Dr., Cheektowaga. Effective June 6, 2018
- **New Group: Happy Hour**, Mon-Fri. 6:00 PM. Nickel City Clubhouse, 371 Delaware, Bflo West 14282. Open Discussion.
- **Grateful (New) Group on Friday, No Longer Meets**. Wed & Sun Do meet.
- **Sunday In Cattaraugus** has moved to 17 South St. Cattaraugus 14719.
- **Step 1,2 &3, (Wed) Now starts @ 10am**, Horizon Health Center, 637 Davison Rd, Lockport 14094
- **12&12, (Fri.) Now starts @ 10am**, Horizon Health Center, 637 Davison Rd, Lockport 14094

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES: COMMITTEE MEETINGS

~ Jun 3; **Committee Meeting that meet prior to Central Committee 5:30 PM**
St. Andrew's Church Parish, (Corner of Crocker & Reiman) , Sloan, 14212,
Steering Committee (5:30 PM) in CO
Public Information Committee meeting
Treatment Facilities Committee
Corrections Committee
Education & Participation
Nightwatch Committee
Envelope System (6:30 PM)
Followed By Central Committee 7:00 PM:
(Hosted by Easy Does It)

~ Jun 4, Convention Committee Meeting, 6:00PM, St. Andrew's Church Parish, (Corner of Crocker & Reiman) , Sloan, 14212,

COMING EVENTS

- ~ Jun 28, **Questions and Answers** will celebrate their **15th year group anniversary**. 6pm free buffet. (Bring a dish to share if you can). 7pm speaker St Martin-in-the-Fields Church 2587 Baseline Road Grand Island
- ~ Jul 13-15, "**When the Spiritual Malady is Overcome... " Men's Retreat**. Christ the King Seminary, 711 Knox Rd., East Aurora, 14052. Registration \$150.00. Flyer on the website.
- ~ July 14, **Main & High Day of Sharing**, "Pass It On". 9:30- 3:45PM. Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, 1080 Main Street, Buffalo (across from Anchor Bar) Registration; \$7.00, Alateen \$6. 50/50, Hot Meal & Refreshments.
- ~ Jul 15, **Tri County Group annual summer picnic**, Sunday, starts at 12:00 until dark, speakers@ 2 PM & 5 PM, family fun, bring a dish dinner to share. Gowanda Firemen's park Rt. 62 Gowanda. Bring the Family :)
- ~ Aug. 4, ~ Aug 2, **Zone 7 Annual Picnic**. Noon -?, Speaker at 2:00 pm. LaSalle Park (waterfront), Shelter 3. Bring a dish to share. 50/50.PS, also in need of donations from the groups) For More info call Central Office for contacts.
- ~ Sep 28-30, **Tri-State Assembly**. Bellinger Hall Retreat & Conference Center, Chautauqua, NY 14722. Flyer is available on the website
- ~Oct. 6-8, Save the Date; **32nd Annual Women in AA Fall Spiritual Weekend**. Stella Niagara Center for Renewal. More info in the near future :)
- ~ Oct. 19- 21, **ESCPAA V Empire State Convention**. Adams Mark Hotel, Buffalo, NY Flyer on our website & <http://www.escypaa5.org>
- ~ Nov. 2-4, **77th Buffalo Fall Convention**. Millennium Hotel, 2040 Walden Ave, Cheektowaga 14225. Flyers & info will be posted when they become available.

Yours in the Fellowship of the Spirit...Terry B..... Executive Secretary

6th STEP: "Were entirely ready to have God remove all these defects of character."

6th TRADITION: "An A.A. group ought never endorse, finance or lend the A.A. name to any related facility or outside enterprise, lest problems of money, property and prestige divert us from our primary purpose."

6th CONCEPT; The Conference recognizes that chief initiative and active responsibility in most world service matters should be exercised by the trustee members of the Conference acting as the General Service Board.

General Service Assembly

- ~ Jun 2 , **GSA Area 50**. Topic: Post-Conference Report. 12 Noon. First Baptist church of Olean, 133 S. Union st., Olean 14760. (Hosted by NY-Penn Intergroup)
- ~ Jun 11 & 25, **2nd & 4th MONDAY** 6:30PM. Buffalo Central Office, **Archives Work night's**.
- ~ Jun 16, **Archives Committee Meeting**;(3rd Saturday)10 Am @ Buffalo Central Office, 17 Gierlach St., Sloan 14212. WORKNIGHTS; 2nd & 4th Monday's, 7pm.
- ~ Jun 27, **GSA District 16 (Southtown's) Meeting**. 7:00 PM(4th Wednesday), at 2063 Southcreek Rd., Eden 14057.
- ~ Jun 24; **GSA District 8 Meeting**, 5:00 PM, Brothers of Mercy 4240 Ransom Rd., Clarence.. Use Rear entrance.



ARE YOU A NEW REP FOR
CENTRAL COMMITTEE
THERE IS A NEW
PRESENTATION ORIENTATION
FOR YOUR FIRST MEETING
PLEASE COME AT 6:15 PM
BEFORE
CENTRAL COMMITTEE



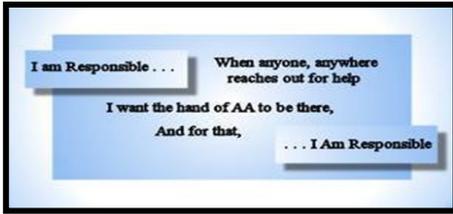
Envelope System

“personally helping to ensure AA for the future”

“Every A.A. wants to make sure of his survival from alcoholism, and his spiritual well-being afterward. This is just as it should be. He also wants to do what he can for the survival and well-being of his fellow alcoholics. Therefore he is bound to have a vital interest in the permanence and well-being of A.A. itself.”

Bill W., *Language of the Heart*, p. 166

Central Committee Minutes May 6th, 2018



The meeting was opened at 7 pm by our committee co- chair Raeanne F. Everybody then joined in with the responsibility statement and after a moment of silence the meeting started the serenity prayer, recited by all . The AA preamble, the purpose of central committee and the 12 traditions were all read.. A motion to accept last month's minutes was made and seconded. After the readings, The Education & Participation Committee gave a presentation of New Rep Presentation and Bob on tradition 5. Come on out to join us next month to hear Jessica speak on tradition 6.

30 groups were represented

Groups in attendance break down by zones as follows. Zone 1- Buffalo Group, Main and High, Zone 2 – Acceptance, Brass, Daily Reflections, Depth & Weight, Easy Does It, North Buffalo, , Sheridan, Three Legacies, Welcome Group Zone 3 – Abbott Men's Discussion, Any Lengths, Iron Horse, South Buffalo, Sprout into Sobriety, Sunday Morning Breakfast, Thruway, Tuesday Womens Discussion Zone 4 – Orchard Park Step, Southwestern, Tuesday Men's Discussion, Zone 5- Not represented. Zone 6 – Lakeshore, Sobriety Men's Discussion Zone 7 – Not represented, Zone 8 – Amherst Snyder, High View Lighten up Step It Up, Williamsville, Women Making the Effort.

Committee reports

Envelope System- The envelope committee met May 6th 2018 1. The envelope system was developed to allow individual AA members to DIRECTLY contribute money to Buffalo central office to ensure that it can continue to carry the message. 2. We continue to inform AA groups about the financial needs of central office and how to use the envelope system purple brochure to contribute financially. We do so during business meetings or an announcement times. 3. Please do service work in your home group: keep a supply of purple brochures in your literature rack. There are available free at central office. Also when a member of your home group celebrates an anniversary please give them a purple brochure and suggest they give to central office according to their years of sobriety. They could do this for a one-time payment or every monthly. It is tax deductible. Use check or credit card.

The committee will meet June 3rd 6:30 p.m. prior to the central office meeting in the same location. Yours and service Pat G.

Steering committee - No Written Report Submitted

Financial – See detailed report within this publication

Treatment – Treatment Committee met at 5:30 tonight with 11 people in attendance. Set up to re-visit home groups with commitment CMT's at ECMC during business meetings, Update contacts, encourage attendance. Discussed ways to save money on literature, Discussed lending libraries within facilities. No missed CMT's reported. Again discussed update on Bridging the Gap verification, not complete. Open Client meeting at 291 did not launch on 4/15 as scheduled. Exploring new date.

Corrections – Met at 5:30. We finally got some names cleared for the Alden Facility and the Erie County Holding Center. Sending another batch tomorrow. We are trying not to overload them with names because we think that is why they got cut the last time. Just the amount of people it built up to. Sending about 25 names a batch. Shannon (Chair)

Central office - TOTAL CALL'S INCLUDING AFTER-HOUR'S ; AA Call's: 362, 12-STEP:13, ALANON: 4, VISITORS: 217, VOLUNTEERS: 6 volunteers Email's:552, Website Hit's; 108,577 / of them 8,535 Unique Visitors, Total number of visits: 18,622. All Numbers are down from last month. Number of forms received to add to our 12th Step List: 1. GROUPS WE ARE IN NEED OF CONTACTS FROM ARE: What's Going On-2,

- Again comparing Group contributions to 2017 at this time we are over \$3,000 less than last year. Our expenses have increased from last year :(

Yours in the fellowship of the Spirit...Terry B.

Night watch – No report submitted

PIC/CPC – Met at 5:30 with 3 people present. UB and NFTA presentations went well. Reached out to a few unions, open to suggestions for more and possible leads. Ford Stamping Plant Substance Abuse/Mental Health Education Fair May 16th. Buffalo Stand Down Thursday, June 16th (Eyecare/Employment Services/Housing Assistance for Veterans and their families) Trying to make contact with PI in other districts. Email: BuffaloPICPC@gmail.com

Education/Participation - The Education and Participation committee met today at 5:30 pm and there were 4 members in attendance. We discussed and voted on materials to be included in the New IR Orientation packets. We also discussed our goals and focus for the future as a committee. Next month, we will be finalizing the remainder of the orientation materials.

Our first New Intergroup/Central Committee Representative Orientation will take place on Sunday, July 1st at 6:15 pm immediately before this meeting and will occur each month thereafter at that time. We will be encouraging all new representatives to attend as well as anyone looking to learn more about Intergroup.

Our next committee meeting will be held at 5:30 on June 3rd. We are actively seeking new members to help fulfill our outreach and orientation purposes so please spread the word or show up at our next committee meeting! The committee can be reached via email at buffaloepc@gmail.com. Yours in service , Hannah W.

Buffalo AA Fall Convention 2018 – No written report submitted

Yours in service, Brian Barry

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(Central Committee Minutes Continued...)

Archives - Thank You for my recovery & I'll try to be brief. Archives reported to 2 of the 4 intergroups last month due to conflicts! Work nights on the 2nd & 4th Monday evenings each month are at 6:30 in the archives office. The monthly archives meeting is held on 3rd Sat each month@10am @17 Gierlach in Buffalo NY though last month was late due to a personal problem.

The 2018 8th annual Archives Breakfast yesterday was a success even with the smallest intergroup in our area hosting this year. Over 260 people heard the speaker, with the countdown counting 161 people with approx 910,107 days 2493yrs5mo12days. Two big books were signed by the only member with over 50 years of sobriety - Louie from South Buffalo group. Attendees from all 4 Intergroups worked on the breakfast. HUGE PERSONAL THANK YOU to Depth & Weight's David Melody and Jeff Barber, as well as our hard-working committee members and those ESCYPAA volunteers that joined in to help out on need for kitchen volunteers. Big thanks to those attendees that contributed to the Memorial Mention.

Over 50 Pass It On plants went out into the world with alcoholics. Thank You Tom Bator for being willing to do that thankless chore. A number of newcomers never having encountered a sobriety countdown spoke to me afterwards and thanked us for how included they felt. Three ladies stepped up re service and I hope were serious about helping us.

My grandmother's "many hands make light work" seemed to be the refrain in my head - and the 2hrs as usual went FAST. Much thanks to Terry of Buffalo Central Office for the donation of 2 copies of the latest 2015 International Convention book as the door prizes! A woman newcomer I met 2 weekends ago won the grand prize of a one year subscription of Grapevine, choosing the digital subscription that includes the entire Grapevine archives!

We completed 2 displays in Niagara Falls Apr 24 (Lewport) & Apr 27 (Falls hospital's "First Step Group").

Contributions were received from Ironhorse, Helping Hands, WSeneca, Clear SkiesBatavia,& SobrietyMensDiscHamburg.

Thank you SO MUCH for your support of our efforts to maintain the history of this area that spans these 8 counties of western New York.

Upcoming displays are the June 28th (Questions&Answers of Grand Island's group anniversary) and 2 displays on July 14 (HowItWorksMens) AND (Main&High).

We'd love to display the archives at your group anniversary or special event.

And the usual reminder to all AA members of these 8 counties of Western New York – throw NOTHING group-related away without thinking of your unborn alcoholics yet to come, which is the purpose we work hard at keeping our area documented accurately and the reason for the existence of this ARCHIVES Committee.

Yours in service, Lila M., your grateful Area 50 Archives Committee Chair

Accessibility - No Report Given

General Service Liaison - The April general service assembly relayed the area 50 conscience on conference agenda items. There was primarily 3 issues reported on and discussed. 1 was literature 2nd was Internet and 3rd was censorship and restructure. Our delegate did attend and has returned and submitted a preliminary report. The June assembly will be briefed on the specifics of the conference. There's a GSA committee meeting scheduled for may 12th.

Old Business:

The Education and Participation Committee made a motion to make the new IR presentation to all of Central Committee at the next CC meeting before reports (15 minutes). All new Intergroup Representatives will be given this presentation from now on, insuring that we are all informed and on the same page. The presentation should be viewed by all standing members of the Central Committee Body. This would entail our executive secretary printing enough copies of the presentation for each representative/member present. Motion passed and was seconded. Put to a vote, with 32 in favor of the presentation and no opposition, the majority agreed and approved the presentation for next month's meeting at Central Committee

The AD HOC Committee for the sound system (Rich, Glenn, and Jeff) bought a sound system to trial today and it was used with success throughout this meeting. A motion was made to purchase this PA system and was seconded. It was put to a vote and 39 members voted in favor. The decision was made to approve motion and purchase the equipment.

New Business :

Lighthouse meeting that meets Tuesdays at Grove Street Christian Church, 85 Grove Street, Tonawanda at 7:30pm considered for the schedule and tabled.

Wednesdays 6:30 Keys To the Kingdom no longer offers Babysitting Services. Was voted to add to schedule.

Issues reported with the Absolute Group. Steering Committee to Check it out and look at their Website

Coffee Makers/Snacks : Thank you to the coffee maker (Terry) and the Group providing snacks for the meeting tonight (Sobriety Men's Group). Next month, we look forward to snacks provided by Easy Does It

Group Announcements :

Step It Up will be changing it's time

Yours in Service, Bob (Thanks Bob for filling in) and Guy R. (Central Committee Recording Secretary)

New Frontiers ~ June 2018

Cash Flow Statement	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18
Beg Bal Cash on hand	24,125.19	26,240.64	18,559.37	18,159.47
Contributions				
Groups	6,610.45	3,717.11	4,182.57	5,162.01
Central Committee 7th tradition	86.00	80.66	91.00	101.95
Envelope System	1,779.66	1,395.66	820.66	1,090.66
New Frontiers Subs	64.00		78.00	43.00
Literature/Medallions/Pins	4,504.75	2,559.88	3,215.96	4,099.82
Literature Sales Tax	276.27	221.09	204.13	283.58
Literature Postage	24.17	10.47	3.95	12.23
Sales+/-	288.33	(6.36)	46.99	
Archives Room Rent:	300.00			
Committee Meetings	24.00	26.00	22.00	37.00
Misc				0.50
Transfer from PR				-
Gratitude Month (NOV)				-
Conventions/Day of Sharing				-
Monthly Income	13,957.63	8,004.51	8,665.26	10,830.75
Expenses				
Building Rent/Utilities	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Central Com. Rent	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00
Payroll Gross	2,909.36	2,909.36	2,909.36	2,909.36
Employment Taxes	260.38	260.38	254.56	214.82
Unemployment Surcharge	(6.06)	(6.06)	(6.06)	(6.06)
NYS Sales Tax	278.27		713.30	
Insurance				
State Ins Fund(Travelers)		309.00		
Health	612.63	612.63	612.63	612.63
D&O Insurance	1,080.00			
Liability		841.98		
Postage	174.74	404.50	241.50	1.24
Phone/Internet	137.17	137.17	137.19	136.81
Accounting			1,200.00	
Paychex	258.19	145.46	145.46	156.46
Advt				
Dex YP	372.70	186.35	187.65	187.65
website				
Local Edge			561.00	
Literature Expenses				
Grapevine	577.35	1,094.70		
World Services Inc	3,021.67	1,300.00	589.48	1,645.40
Hazeldon				
Printers				
Medallions	187.00	334.62	10.15	164.49
Office Supplies	257.66	521.33	401.15	308.93
Copies/ service contract	161.00	161.00	161.00	161.00
Copier Lease	129.00	129.00	129.00	129.00
Bank Fee's including credit ca	266.12	109.36	82.79	87.04
GSA Host	130.00	200.00	(300.00)	
Prudent Reserve		5,000.00		
CO Seminar				
Monthly Expenses	11,842.18	15,685.78	9,065.16	7,743.77
Monthly Income (Loss)	2,115.45	(7,681.27)	(399.90)	3,086.98
End Balance	26,240.64	18,559.37	18,159.47	21,246.45
Petty Cash	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Total Balance	29,240.64	21,559.37	21,159.47	24,246.45
PRUDENT RESERVE	23,147.65	28,148.07	28,148.55	28,149.01
Assets: Literature & Medallions	15,339.87	16,457.24	14,575.03	13,795.70
Literature Receivable (outstanding)	433.49	245.90	600.04	360.28
Removed from Stock	167.12			
Corrections Facilities	1,375.02	1,406.02	1,512.02	1,359.02
Contributions	354.00	109.00	130.00	674.60
Bank Fee's	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
Expenses	320.00		280.00	300.00
Balance	1,406.02	1,512.02	1,359.02	1,730.62
Treatment Facilities	1,145.45	1,043.45	1,150.45	1,358.45
Contributions	181.00	110.00	211.00	499.00
Expenses	280.00			280.00
Bank Fee's	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
Balance	1,043.45	1,150.45	1,358.45	1,574.45

YTD: 2018

19,672.14

359.61

5,086.64

185.00

14,380.41

985.07

50.82

328.96

300.00

109.00

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41,458.15

4,000.00

140.00

11,637.44

990.14

(24.24)

991.57

309.00

2,450.52

1,080.00

841.98

821.98

548.34

1,200.00

705.57

934.35

561.00

1,672.05

6,556.55

696.26

1,488.07

64.00

516.00

545.31

649.99

30.00

5,000.00

44,336.89

(2,878.74)

Intergroup wants to express our appreciation for those groups and individuals who have made generous financial contributions, and give a **special thank you** to all the members who have volunteered their time this year to help the sick and suffering alcoholic.



Our 7th Tradition: A Perspective

THEN

VW Beetle \$1,465.00
Gas 25¢/gal.
Jeans \$4.50

NOW

VW Beetle \$19,000.00+
Gas \$3.65+/gal.
Jeans \$75.00*

Smokes 30¢

Smokes \$5.50*

Soda 15¢

Soda \$1.75*

AA BASKET \$1.00

AA BASKET \$1.00

This doesn't add up.
You can do something about it!

*Priced as an informational service by Hudson County Intergroup

Concept VI: The Conference recognizes that the chief initiative and active responsibility in most world service matters should be exercised by the trustee members of the Conference acting as the General Service Board.

- Are we familiar with how our General Service Board (G.S.B.) Class A and Class B trustees serve A.A.? Are we familiar with how our other trusted servants serve A.A.?
- Are we clear about the terms, "chief initiative" and "active responsibility"? Can we see a direct

New Frontiers ~ June 2018

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2018

Zones	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		APRIL	YEAR	APRIL	YEAR	APRIL	YEAR
5	7 Clans		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	12 Steps/12 Traditions		170.00		0.00		0.00
1	4th Step Stumblers/F.U.N.		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	6th Step		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	5th Tradition (Youngstown)		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	A Day At A Time		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Abbott Corners		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Abbott Men's		0.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
2	Acceptance/Welcome		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Achievement		75.00		75.00		75.00
4	Action	345.00	345.00		0.00		0.00
2	Age Doesn't Matter		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Albion Grapevine		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Albion New Beginnings		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Alexander		0.00		0.00		0.00
	All is Well	250.00	500.00		0.00		0.00
8	Amherst Snyder		138.47		0.00		0.00
6	Amsdell Step		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Any Age	50.00	50.00		0.00		0.00
3	Any Length	30.00	200.00		0.00		0.00
4	Arcade		200.00		50.00		0.00
6	As Bill Sees It	130.00	130.00		0.00		0.00
8	Attitude Adjustment(Williamsville)	50.00	150.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
6	Attraction	50.00	150.00		0.00		0.00
	Awareness		5.00		0.00		0.00
6	Backdoor		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Beginning In Sobriety II		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Beginning's Women	200.00	200.00		0.00		0.00
5	Big Book Lockport		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Big Book Study		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Blasdell		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Blasdell Saturday		60.00		0.00		0.00
3	Blasdell Monday		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Bodhisatva		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Boulevard Helping Hand		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Boulevard Women		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Brass		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Buffalo Group		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Buffalo Creek		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	By the Wayside	25.00	25.00		0.00		0.00
3	By the Book		79.00		0.00		0.00
6	Carry the Message		50.00		0.00		0.00
7	Casting		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Cathedral Park		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Cayuga Wake-Up Call		220.00		0.00		0.00
3	Caz Manor		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Caz Manor Sunday		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Central City Cafe'		122.00		0.00		0.00
6	Changing Our Way's		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Chapter IX		100.00		25.00		25.00
3	Cheektowaga		50.00		0.00		0.00
8	Clarence Men's		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Clarence Men's II		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Cold Spring		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Commitment		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Contemporary Women		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Complanters		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Courage		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Daily Reflections		427.00		25.00		25.00
2	Daily Reprieve		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Dawn of Hope		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Depth & Weight		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Derby		170.00		0.00		0.00
6	Desire		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Downtown Men's		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Dunkirk Monday Night		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Early Bird Step		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Early Rising Obliging		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	East Amherst	25.00	50.00	25.00	50.00	25.00	50.00
8	East Amherst Traditions		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	East Aurora		450.00		0.00		0.00
2	Easy Does It	30.00	120.00	30.00	90.00	30.00	90.00
6	Eden		75.00		0.00		0.00
4	Ellicottville		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Everybody's		75.00		0.00		0.00
1	Express		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Eyeopener		709.81		0.00		0.00
4	Eyeopener South	698.99	1083.99	279.60	433.60		0.00
8	Fireside	108.57	162.46		0.00		0.00
8	Fireside PM		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	First Step (NF)		108.14		0.00		0.00
	Forestville In The Solution		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Forestville Sunday Serenity		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Fredonia Discussion		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Freedom		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Fresh Start		100.00		0.00		0.00
1	Friday Night Lights		385.00		0.00		0.00
5	Friendly		0.00		0.00		0.00

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2018

Zones	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		APRIL	YEAR	APRIL	YEAR	APRIL	YEAR
3	Gardenville		440.00		0.00		0.00
8	Georgetown		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Getting Better		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Gettin With It		40.00		0.00		0.00
1	Giving		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Go to Any Length		400.00		0.00		0.00
5	Golden Slipper		158.00		0.00		0.00
2	Grand		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Grand II Joy of Living	125.00	125.00		0.00		0.00
2	Grateful		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Hamburg		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	H.A.N.D.		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Harmony	20.00	71.00		0.00		0.00
4	Helping Hand	25.00	75.00	25.00	50.00	25.00	75.00
8	High Noon		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	High View		150.00		0.00		0.00
4	Hillbilly		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	H.I.P.		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Holiday Village		500.00		0.00		0.00
4	Holland		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Honest Solutions		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Honesty		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Hope's Horizon		220.00		0.00		0.00
2	How It Works/Men's	75.00	300.00		0.00		0.00
	I Am Responsible	26.00	92.70		0.00		0.00
3	IF HE WERE SOUGHT		75.00		0.00		0.00
	Independence (NF)		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Inspiration		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Intoxicated on Life		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Ironhorse	58.00	282.05	4.00	4.00	21.00	21.00
8	IT		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Just For Today/ Cheektowaga	60.00	110.00		0.00		0.00
5	Just For Today/ Albion		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Keep It Simple Sister		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Keep On Coming		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Kenmore		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Kensington		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Lakeshore	225.00	675.00		0.00		0.00
6	Lakeview		75.00		0.00		0.00
3	Lancaster Dailey Reprieve	100.00	100.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
	Lasalle		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Lawyer's		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	LewPort		50.00		0.00		0.00
2	Liberty Women	25.00	25.00		0.00		0.00
4	Life Today		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Lighten UP		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Living Clean		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Living in the Solution		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Living Sober		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lock City		75.00		0.00		75.00
5	Lockport #1	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
5	Lockport Discussion		500.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lockport Ladies		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lockport Tuesday		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lockview	100.00	100.00		0.00		0.00
7	Love		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Lovejoy		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lower River		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Main and High		25.00		0.00		0.00
4	Main Street	50.00	50.00		0.00		0.00
8	Maple		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Marching Forth		114.00		0.00		0.00
4	Marilla	40.00	170.00		0.00		0.00
3	Matt Talbot	250.00	250.00		0.00	100.00	100.00
6	McKinley Winners		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Medina New Life		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	MEDINA STEP WORK/BIG BOOK		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Mercy		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Mid-day		50.00		0.00		0.00
8	Midnight Discussion		0.00		0.00		0.00
	More Friends Of Bill W.		118.00		0.00		0.00
2	Morning After		300.00		0.00		0.00
3	New Beginnings/St. Vincent		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Newfane Living Sober		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	New Freedom		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	New Life	38.50	154.00		0.00		0.00
5	New Outlook		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	New Westside		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Niagara Frontier Men's Disc.		97.50		0.00		0.00

New Frontiers ~ June 2018

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2018							
Zone	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		APRIL	YEAR	APRIL	YEAR	APRIL	YEAR
2	North Buffalo	98.00	392.00		0.00		0.00
6	North Evans Men's		50.00		0.00		0.00
4	North Java Monday		300.00		0.00		0.00
4	North Java Sunday		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	One Day At A Time		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Open Arms		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Orchard Park Step		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Our Meeting @ the VA		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Page 33		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	PERSEVERANCE		55.00		0.00		0.00
5	Point of No Return		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	POSITION OF NEUTRALITY		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Pride		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Primary Purpose		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Principles Bef. Personalities	25.00	25.00		0.00		0.00
2	Purpose/Tonawanda		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Questions & Answers		50.00		0.00		0.00
6	Quitting Time		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Ray of Hope		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Recovery Near the Gardens		10.00		0.00		0.00
1	Reflections		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Remember When		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Renaissance	400.00	400.00		0.00		0.00
3	Renaissance Women		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Renewal		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Ridge		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Rise and Shine		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Rochester		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Rural is Plural		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Sally		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Saratoga		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Saturday 12 & 12		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Saturday Night Alive		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sat. Nite Sober		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Searching For Serenity		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Second Chance		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Serendipity		10.00		0.00		0.00
2	Serenity		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Serenity on the Lake		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Serenity Trails		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Setaside		195.30		0.00		0.00
2	Sheridan	50.00	225.00		0.00		0.00
6	Silvercreek Friendship		100.00		0.00		0.00
5	Simplicity		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sister's & Brother's		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Sober Saturday	50.00	100.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sober Trails		34.93		0.00		0.00
2	Sober Train		140.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sober Winners	50.00	100.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sobriety Men's Disc.		100.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sobriety On The Canal		60.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sobriety on a Sat. Night		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sobriety on the Lake		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Sobriety Sisters		41.65		0.00		0.00
3	South Buffalo	644.00	644.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
3	South Town		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Southgate		30.00		0.00		0.00
4	Southwestern		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Spiritual Progress		50.00		0.00		0.00
4	Springville Sat. Afternoon		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Springville Tues. Night		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Springville Wed. Noon	15.00	25.00		0.00		0.00
4	Springville New Life		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Sprout into Sobriety		100.00		0.00		0.00
8	St. Barnabas		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	St. Mark's		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Starting Over/By The Book		72.00		0.00		0.00
2	Step Action Group		292.11		0.00		0.00
8	Step it Up (Wehrle)		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Steps 1, 2 & 3		135.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sunday @ 8:00		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sunday Grapevine	10.00	10.00		0.00		0.00
1	Sunday's Best		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sunday in Cattarugas		98.00		0.00		0.00
3	Sunday Morning Breakfast		200.00		0.00		0.00
1	Sunrise Court		190.00		0.00		0.00
8	SUNY Amherst Campus	54.87	158.87		0.00		0.00
2	Surrender and Hope		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	TGF		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Thankful		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	The Absolutes		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	The Beginnings Of Recovery		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	The Derby Lunch		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	The Grove	100.00	200.00	100.00	200.00	100.00	200.00
3	The Herd	100.00	175.00		0.00		0.00
1	The Journey		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	The New Group		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	The Noon Meeting		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	THE NORTH COLINS		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	THE YORKSHIRE		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Three Legacies	25.08	86.16		0.00		0.00
3	Thruway		0.00		0.00		0.00

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2018							
Zone	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		APRIL	YEAR	APRIL	YEAR	APRIL	YEAR
8	TnT		180.00		0.00		0.00
5	Today		50.00		0.00		0.00
6	Tri County		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Try Again		150.00		30.00		30.00
4	Tuesday Men's AM		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Tuesday Women's		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Tuning Point		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Twin Cities		100.00		0.00		0.00
6	TWO PONDS		35.00		0.00		0.00
8	Unity		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Unity New Hope	100.00	100.00		0.00		0.00
2	University Men's Disc.		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Valley		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Victory		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Victory Women's		0.00		0.00		0.00
	VIP		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Wake Up Call		145.00		0.00		0.00
6	WE(Women's Experience)		100.00		0.00		0.00
2	WE BELIEVE		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	We Care		450.00		0.00		0.00
	Westfield		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Westminster		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	What's Going On		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Why		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Williamsville		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Willing To Grow		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Wilson Group		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Wilson Smith Alumni		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Women Making the Effort		150.00		20.00		20.00
1	Women's West Side		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Working		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Youngstown		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Justin L.	100.00	100.00		0.00		0.00
	Mark L.	5.00	5.00		0.00		0.00
	Anonymous		150.00		0.00		0.00
	Bill H.		20.00		0.00		0.00
	Mary M.		10.00		0.00		0.00
	Donna F.	25.00	50.00		0.00		0.00
	Sally Ann S.		19.00		0.00		0.00
	TOTALS	5162.01	19672.14	674.60	1267.60	499.00	1001.00

Tradition Six: An AA group ought never endorse, finance, or lend the AA name to any related facility or outside enterprise, lest problems of money, property, and prestige divert us from our primary purpose.

- Should my fellow group members and I go out and raise money to endow several AA beds in our local hospital?
- Is it good for a group to lease a small building?
- Are all the officers and members of our local club for AAs familiar with "Guidelines on Clubs" (which is available free from GSO)?
- Should the secretary of our group serve on the mayor's advisory committee on alcoholism?
- Some alcoholics will stay around AA only if we have a TV and card room. If this is what is required to carry the message to them, should we have these facilities?

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