

NEW FRONTIERS

A.A. of the Niagara Frontier

August 2018

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



Humility Inscription

from a Plaque on Dr. Bob's Desk

"Perpetual quietness of heart. It is to have no trouble. It is never to be fretted or vexed, irritable or sore; to wonder at nothing that is done to me, to feel nothing done against me.

"It is to be at rest when nobody praises me, and when I am blamed or despised, it is to have a blessed home in myself where I can go in and shut the door and pray to my Father in secret and be at peace, as in a deep sea of calmness, when all around and about is seeming trouble."

Taking Positive Action & Examining Motives

In my early weeks of sobriety, I began to awaken to the mess I had made of my life and to the hard fact I had caused pain to those immediately around me.

There was one person in particular that I felt an immediate need to "make amends" to. The way that I treated this person and destroyed our relationship felt unbearable. I shared these feelings at a meeting and mentioned that I wanted to do something- even though I was nowhere near Steps Eight and Nine. A woman that I always listened closely to and greatly admired, caught me after the meeting. She stressed the importance of taking the Steps in order and not jumping ahead. She also explained that my motives were not in the nature of the Steps that I so wanted to be ready to take.

I came to understand my motives in that moment were not far from the motives of any active or non-recovering drunk. I wanted to feel better. I did not want to attempt to repair or take heartfelt honest action to amend the harms that I had done this person or for what I had taken from their life. I wanted off the hook.

Part of the reason that I did not have the correct motives was simply that I did not yet know how to be that person. I was lacking the building blocks beyond the first one or two Steps and the gradual spiritual awakening that occurred and reshaped me as I continued to rigorously work this program. I listened to and followed the suggestions from my sponsor and others in the program, stayed active in service, and used the Steps more and more in my daily life. I was growing and changing (and still am) into the person I am supposed to be.

In Step Seven, we humbly ask our Higher Power to remove our shortcomings. A time came in my sobriety that I had taken a thorough inventory, shared it with my sponsor, and examined many of my character defects. Only by asking my Higher Power to remove them and then taking positive action to continue to live rightly, did I become that person who was able to make true amends. I believe a true amends cannot be ego driven and therefore could only have been done once I had the ability to honestly look at the nature of my wrongs. This would be impossible for me to have accomplish without the humility that comes from Step Seven.

The names of persons that I had harmed may not have differed much from a list I would have written in the beginning, but the nature of the damages done surely had- along with my reasons to make amends to these people. Only through a clear heart with far fewer self-serving motives could I begin to carry out Step Eight and see what it meant by becoming willing to make amends to those I had harmed. Without Seven, the meaning of ability to execute Eight is nonexistent.



AA Nazi...I don't think so.

However, most old timers would have no problem with the new comer thinking of them as their AA Boot Camp...Drill Instructors!

We may never like the old timers or end up being buddies with them, but they will teach us the basics about how to keep ourselves alive! We don't have to like it. We don't have to agree with it. Heck, we don't even have to understand it. We just have to do what we are told!

Most drunks in early sobriety are just one big exposed raw nerve. We are so sensitive about EVERYTHING. We think the world owes us all we ever wanted without working for a darn thing. We think we are these unique rebellious rugged individualists. Even in this we are just like the rest of our fellows...just a run of the mill typical alcoholic. The reality when we are new is that we don't know the first thing about how to live and function in a sober polite society.

AA is a microcosm of Society. (If you don't know what microcosm means, open up a dictionary.) If we can learn to function in here, we can learn to function out there! It's a simple truth...if we knew how to live and function in a healthy manner in society, we sure as heck wouldn't have ended up here. After we put the drink down, the greatest challenge the newly recovering alcoholic has is learning how to have healthy relationships in all areas of life with healthy boundaries!

A good place to start is with basic AA etiquette:

et-i-quette

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noun

the customary code of polite behavior in society or among members of a particular profession or group.

synonyms: protocol, manners, accepted behavior, rules of conduct, decorum, good form; More

- Get to the meeting early, so that you are in your seat when the meeting begins.

-When you walk into a meeting ...fix your coffee, then go around, introduce yourself to every person in the meeting and then sit down. After that every person who walks into the meeting should do the same thing and it's then their job to shake your hand. This will help you get to know the other members and them to get to know you.

-Fill your coffee and go to the bathroom before the meeting starts. It's rude and disrespectful to get up and roam around during the meeting. Sit yourself down and stay in your seat until the meeting is over.

-Look each person in the eye as they are speaking, whether they are looking at you or not. This will keep you focused on what they are saying and not obsessing about what you are going to say.

- A discussion table is not a psychotherapy group to talk about how we feel. A topic is brought up and the members share their experience, strength and hope with how they have dealt with, overcame or grew from the experience. This gives the member bringing up the topic real world useful

ideas to apply in their life. If you have no experience...pass. Don't de-focus the group or hijack the meeting.

-Wait to be called on at a discussion meeting. What you have to say is no more and no less important than what anyone else has to say. You'll get your turn.

-Do not speak for more than three(3) minutes at a discussion meeting. If we go any longer, it is either ego or bullpuckey and nobody needs to hear that. If there is time at the end, there may be an opportunity to speak again or double dip.

-Don't talk or text at the table. That's just rude and disrespectful as well. People have given you their full attention while you spoke and now you owe the same courtesy to them. Your whispers to the person next to you and cross talking are a distraction to the rest of us and will be called out. Leave the room if you must, but remember you may miss hearing the one thing that will save your life!

-You're at an AA meeting...only introduce yourself as an Alcoholic or a person who has a desire to stop drinking. If you can't respect the primary purpose and traditions of AA...don't come to the meeting. There are other places where you can get what help you need.

- Keep your hands to yourself. Groping your sexual partner is not something any of us want or need to see you do. If you can't do that...go get a hotel room. PDA(public display of affection) has no place at a meeting.

- Please remember that when you walk into a meeting, you are walking into a group of members home. A place that has literally saved their lives. A place they maintain, pay for and keep open for the next new person to get the same help that they have received. It may not end up being the right place for you. Those folks may not have what you want. That particular meeting may never be home to you. But please, no matter what, be respectful of the home they have built.

Doing these things shows respect for yourself and respect for the members you share the meeting with. If you want to have a healthy give and take relationship with your fellow AA members...mutual respect is a great place to start!!!

In general, if we can follow the same rules we followed in kindergarten...

- Share everything.
- Play fair.
- Don't hit people.
- Put things back where you found them.
- Clean up your own mess.
- Don't take things that aren't yours.
- Say you're sorry when you hurt somebody.
- Wash your hands before you eat.
- Flush and wash your hands after you use the toilet.

And so on...

in AA...we will all be okay

Respectfully, Kurt K.; Golden Slipper Group

archives



August 2018's New Frontiers article might be a little left-field from our usual fare, but today we're going with that is actually happening in the Area 50 archives committee work at this time, since a lot of praying went into "what to write" and two 'topics' seem the outcome of those prayers.

What August has been to me for these past 7 years: I'd like to give thanks for our archives committee member Joanne M. who **wrote** the August 25th page of Daily Reflections and has shown me BY EXAMPLE the meaning true "veracity" of recovery rather than just sobriety. She has no problem irritating me to force me to see the truth, and I hope those who don't know her are somehow given the opportunity. Joanne shows me that truth that **"it implies agreement with the status quo when I choose to not show up."**

What is happening now in my "archives life" regarding August is the reading of a Saturday, August 9th, 1941 Buffalo Evening News article that gives me such appreciation for my usually peaceful existence thanks to this program and the fact that as much as things change, the more remains the same. Entitled: **"Liquor Business Seen Destroying Itself"**, it reads:

"Walking along Allen Street the other afternoon two young, strong, robust fellows hopelessly drunk, mauling each other around on the sidewalk. Occupants of saloon grinning out of the window, shopping housewives step off the curb and walk around the disgusting spectacle. In an adjoining grocery, a young woman with a half-emptied bottle of beer in one hand, cigarette in the other, profanely proclaiming the grocer a cheat.

I am reminded that Dr. Thomas J. Meyers, president of the American College of Neuropsychiatrists, says there are a million chronic alcoholics in the United States, and that we are making 60,000 additional each year. He estimates the annual cost of alcoholism in this country at more than \$5,000,000,000, plus the actual expenditures for the liquor itself, which in 1940 was \$3,343,848,987.

We are doing a lot for the health and well-being of mankind in the United States, plus our unparalleled effort to help Britain defend "our way of living." In Buffalo we are much concerned, too, about the growing rat population. And there is righteous alarm about the divorce mill's prevalent activities.

Fell to wondering if anything is being done about this saloon evil. Got my answer within an hour, and guess where!

Met a member of a well-known brewery family. Asked him what the liquor manufacturers are doing to keep the traffic in less disreputable bounds, He said: **"We are doing nothing at all. Can't regulate it. Every saloonkeeper and every brewer knows this harvest can't last, and they want to make all the jack they can while it is still tolerated. The liquor business is killing itself, and very rapidly."** J.K.W.

To all the readers in our fellowship, Thank You for keeping these rooms available and for providing my access to this program that has given me far more of a life than anything I ever had before AA.

In Love and Service, Lila Mc., WNY Area 50 Archives Committee chair with research assistance by Patrick N. of North Buffalo Group, Buffalo NY

8th STEP:

"Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all."

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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or mail to:
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Heard @ a Meeting

**You don't have to get drunk
to start over here.**

IN MEMORIAM Things We Can Not Change

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

Jay M. ~ University Men's

Chuck D.; 42 years ~ Eyeopener Group

Joe R. ~ Achievement Group

Dr. Barry H.; 29y ~ Attitude Adjustment Group

Our thoughts and prayers are with you

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

Acceptance/Welcome

Lucky W. 42y

All Is Well

Danny T. 37y

Amherst Snyder

Lynn L. 28y

Tom C. 36y

Any Lengths

Aaron L. 3y

Big Book Lockport

Bob V. 3y

John M. 13y

Boulevard Women

Judy S. 3y

Margaret K. 5y

Marie G. 17y

Donna F. 30y

Casting

Eddie D. 48y

Courage

Dave D. 2y

Mike B. 11y

Marge B. 29y

Derby

Mary S. 2y

Mark F. 5y

Bob O. 45y

Easy Does It

Miraya V. 2y

Mande M. 2y

Meg O. 2y

Todd S. 3y

Stephen H. 4y

Melynie 9y

Jeanne L. 11y

Barbara C. 21y

Lisa Y. 27y

Kathy M. 35y

Eyeopener

Matthew B. 1y

Roe 1y

Cathy N. 2y

Rob W. 2y

George U. 2y

Harold F. 3y

Mike M. 3y

Danielle 4y

EJ 5y

Claire K. 8y

Sean H. 8y

Kim D. 9y

Don M. 24y

Scott S. 26y

Tom T. 29y

Bob A. 33y

John L. 35y

Eyeopener South

Ken A. 2y

Colleen O. 4y

Gregg C. 23y

Fireside

Al 9m

Alex 9m

Chris R. 9m

Karen M. 9m

Olivia C. 1y

Rob W. 2y

Barbara H. 7y

Todd P. 12y

Connie D. 20y

Maria F. 22y

Pete W. 29y

Fresh Start

Roosevelt M. 11y

Tina C. 17y

Golden Slipper

Pattie S. 9y

Bob S. 32y

H.A.N.D.

Kevin C. 35y

Harmony

Brian T. 11y

Loretta W. 26y

Neil F. 26y

Theresa D. 27y

Holland

Mike C. 2y

Rich W. 3y

How It Works

Karl R. 3y

Steve V. 8y

Chuck B. 29y

David N. 30y

John K. 43y

Ironhorse

Amanda S. 6y

Jan B. 8y

Rich T. 25y

Frank M. 31y

Kate K. 36y

Just For Today

Greg 6y

Kensington

Ellie M. 40y

Lakeshore

Tom T. 25y

Lewport

Cody G. 5y

Lenny B. 14y

Pat H. 21y

Lockport #1

John H. 2y

Steve T. 2y

Marching Forth

Maria G. 3m

Bill H. 9m

Renee K. 1y

Marrilla

Ron 34y

New Life

Adam 2y

Heidi 2y

North Buffalo

Storme 3m

Andrew S. 3m

Michael M. 3m

Jessica R. 6m

Courtney S. 1y

Eddie K. 3y

Daemian D. 3y

Matt B. 5y

Chuck H. 8y

Gordon M. 10y

Lisa Jo S. 15y

Lisa G. 24y

Kathy T. 28y

Susan O. 30y

Orchard Park Step

Brandon M. 3m

Al A. 6m

Amy P. 3y

Katie R. 3y

Colleen O. 4y

Karen G. 8y

Nancy L. 38y

Purpose

Kelly E. 5y

Julie B. 7y

Tim T. 19y

Sue G. 23y

Pat K. 39y

Bobbie M. 39y

Lucky W. 42y

Q & A

Maggie S. 9m

Debbie S. 2y

Frank S. 4y

Pat G. 10y

Remember When

Stefan S. 6y

Valerie H. 14y

Debbie B. 18y

Jerome M. 20y

Renaissance

Barb K. 8y

Lisa Jo S. 15y

Melissa D. 15y

Fran K. 23y

Randy G. 31y

Mike M. 31y

Rise & Shine

Stevie S. 3m

Renee M. 3m

Ann M. 3y

Danni B. 3y

Rick T. 3y

Teresa C. 4y

Ronita J. 6y

Bryan F. 7y

Dave H. 7y

Elaine E. 8y

Kevin M. 12y

Marion S. 23y

Bernie P. 23y

Sheridan

Christie R. 6y

Lisa C.(M) 31y

Springville New Life

Suzu S. 8y

Sunday Morning Breal

Lucy D. 9m

Ryan R. 9m

The Grove

Ray S. 1y

Cheryl M. 1y

Dillon S. 1y

Jay S. 1y

Gordon W. 2y

Vinny B. 2y

Michele C. 2y

Mark S. 3y

Mike G. 3y

Mike M. 5y

David B. 6y

John R. 7y

Art H. 7y

Kevin G. 8y

Larry L. 11y

Thruway

Scott S. 26y

Elizabeth B. 33y

Lee R. 38y

Dave B. 40y

Williamsville

Adam C. 1y

George V. 2y

Larry S. 4y

Alan D. 39y



Group Anniversaries

Age Doesn't Matter: 39y

Alden New Life: 43y

As Bill Sees It: 29y

Big Book-Lockport: 38y

Commitment: 15y

Derby: 44y

Fresh Start: 35y

Grand: 48y

Ironhorse: 43y

Lockport Ladies: 29y

Marilla: 30y

Point of No Return: 12y

St. Barnabas: 38y

Sunday's Best: 19y

Three Legacies: 18y

We Care

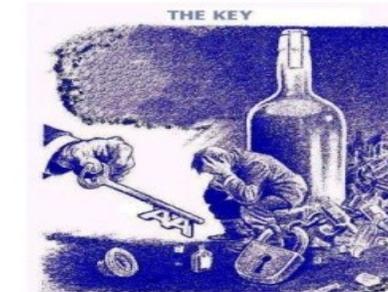
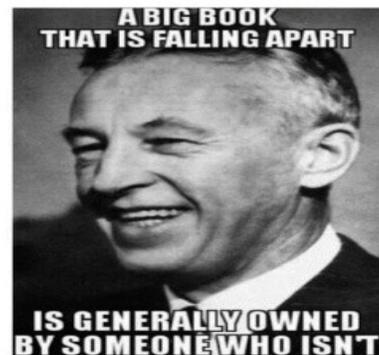
Youngstown: 34y

Please remember to have the anniversaries submitted by the 12th

END OF BUSINESS

DAY; 4:30 PM

of the month previous



Newcomer:
How long do I have to work the program?



Sponsor:
...until you die from something else.

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

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August 2018

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

- **New Group; Central Park, Monday's, 6:00 PM. Closed Discussion.** Central Park United Methodist Church, 218 Beard Ave, Buffalo 14214
- **Absolutes Group, No Longer has a 12 Noon meeting Monday thru Friday.**
- **Lockport Ladies Group** will now be **OPEN** the last Saturday of the Month.
- **Grateful Group**, Sunday's 7:30 PM, **NO LONGER MEETS.** Church of the Nativity, 1530 Colvin Boulevard, Tonawanda 14223
- **Grateful (New) New on Friday, 10:00 PM, address above^^^**
- **New Group: Serenity Sandwich;** Friday's at 12Noon. Trinity Episcopal Church Office Bldg, 371 Delaware Ave, Buffalo 14202
- **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.
- **Sunday In Cattaraugus** has moved to 17 South St. Cattaraugus 14719.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES: COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Aug 5, Committee Meeting that meet prior to Central Committee 5:30 PM

St. Andrew's Church Parish, 111 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)

HOT DOGS BEING SERVED BETWEEN MEETING THIS MONTH

Followed By Central Committee 7:00 PM: (Hosted by Brass Group)

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

COMING EVENTS

- ~ Sept. 3, **Matt Talbot Labor Day Picnic**, (Monday) 11am-?. 2PM speaker. Kids & Families Welcome. Bring a Dish to pass. Stiglmeier Park, Shelter 1 A & B. 810 Losson Rd., Cheektowaga 14227
- ~ 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.
- ~ Aug. 28; **Derby Group 44th Anniversary**. Food at 7:00 followed by Speaker at 8:00 PM.
- ~ Sept 23, **Action Group 50th Anniversary**. 10:30 AM. Speaker with food to follow. Bring a dish if you wish. Orchard Park Village Hall, 4295 S. Buffalo S
- ~ 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, **ESCYPAA 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.

We Now Have a Donate Button on our Website!!!

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

8th STEP: "Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all."

8th TRADITION: "Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever non-professional, but our service centers may employ special workers."

8th CONCEPT: The trustees are the principal planners and administrators of overall policy and finance. They have custodial oversight of the separately incorporated and constantly active services, exercising this through their ability to elect all the directors of these entities

General Service Assembly

- ~ Aug. 4, **GSA Area 50**, 12 Noon, Central Park United Methodist Church, 216 Beard Ave, Buffalo
- ~ Aug. 13 & 27, **2nd & 4th MONDAY** 6:30PM. Buffalo Central Office, **Archives Work night's**.
- ~ Aug. 18, **Archives Committee Meeting**; (3rd Saturday) 10 Am @ Buffalo Central Office, 17 Gierlach St., Sloan 14212. WORKNIGHTS; 2nd & 4th Monday's, 7pm.
- ~ Aug. 22, , **GSA District 16 (Southtown's) Meeting**. 7:00 PM(4th Wednesday), at 2063 Southcreek Rd., Eden 14057.

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



Celebrate 1 year in Unity
at our New location!!! (CO)
Hot Dogs served between the
committee Meetings &
Central Committee!!!
(August 5th)
Come out and join the Spiritual



Group
Conscious
of our
Buffalo/
Niagara
Intergroup

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 July 1, 2018

I am Responsible When anyone, anywhere reaches out for help
I want the hand of AA to be there,
And for that, I Am Responsible

The meeting was opened at 7 PM by our committee chair Tina D. Everybody then joined in with the responsibility statement and after a moment of silence the meeting started the serenity prayer. 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, Dianne spoke on Tradition 7. Come on out to join us next month to hear Tony T speak on Tradition 8.

25 groups were represented

Groups in attendance break down by zones as follows. Zone 1- Buffalo, Main and High Zone 2 – Acceptance, Brass, Daily Reflections, Depth & weight, How It Works, North Buffalo, Step Action Group, Three Legacies, Welcome Group Zone 3 – Iron Horse, Matt Talbot, Ridge, South Gate, Thruway, Try Again, Tuesday Women's Discussion, Valley Zone 4 – Tuesday Men's Discussion, Zone 5- Lockport #1 Group, Lockport Ladies Zone 6 - WE-Women's Zone 7 – Zone 8 – Amherst Snyder, Step It Up.

Committee reports

Envelope System-Verbal report given

Steering committee - "Met on 7-1-2018 at 5:30 pm. Nine People in attendance. All Zones were represented except for zone Seven. We need a Rep for zone 7. Discussed the need for a 2019 Convention co-chair. (Someone stood during the main meeting.) Discussed the Executive secretary annual review and recommendations to present to the body.

Yours in Service – Dan D

Financial – See detailed report within this publication

Treatment – Treatment facility committee met tonight at 5: 30 pm. with amazing attendance and enthusiasm!

We are currently carrying meetings into; Terrace House, ECMC, Reflections (Lockport), Salvation Army, The VA, and Stutzman.

We are in need of speakers for two week commitments at Terrace House on Thursday & Sunday.

We ask that all groups with commitments through TFC join us each month at 5:30pm right before Central Committee, at same location.

We also would like to ask for prayers for our chairperson Sean's speedy recovery to good health!

Bobby B

Corrections – Area 50 & Area 47 met yesterday to discuss how we can build a closer relationship and learn from each other. We discussed who is supposed to be responsible for which facilities (a lot of them are on the border). Buying a lot of big books and 12 n 12's for facilities this upcoming month. - Shannon

Central office - July 1, 2018,

TOTAL CALL'S INCLUDING AFTER-HOUR'S ; AA Call's: 216, 12-STEP:9, ALANON: 4,VISITORS: 208, VOL-UNTEERS: 5, Email's:834, Website Hit's as of the 29th; 634,432 / of them 54,776 Unique Visitors, Total number of visits: 114,926. All Numbers are up from last month.

Number of forms received to add to our 12th Step List: 0.

GROUPS WE ARE IN NEED OF CONTACTS FROM ARE: AMHERST SNYDER -8,

Repeat from last month...we finally have a "Donate Button" on our website

We have made arrangements to have **Hot Dogs between the Committee meetings and Central Committee** in honor of our 1 year anniversary of meeting in this facility...come on out and get involved :)

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

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(Central Committee Minutes Continued...)

Night watch – Verbal report given

PIC/CPC – Still working on labor union (UAW, TEACHERS UNIONS) reaching out to districts. Communicat-
ing with community centers to give them information. Email: BuffaloPICPC@gmail.com

Education/Participation - The E&P committee met at 5:30 today with four members in attendance. We be-
gan planning for a fall workshop with date, location, and details to be finalized next month. If you are inter-
ested in being part of the planning process or helping increase participation in service in the buffalo region,
please come to our next committee meeting on August 5th at 5:30 pm in this room, or email me at
buffaloepc@gmail.com.

Yours in Service,

Hannah W.

Buffalo AA Fall Convention 2018 – No Report

Archives - Thank You for my recovery. Archives reported to 3 of the 4 intergroups last month, had work
nights on the 2nd & 4th Monday eves @archives office, attended both conventions planning meetings. Two
projects are in process this month hopefully with a couple newcomers coming on board to assist in our work.
The monthly archives meeting was held on 3rd Sat@10am.

The most amazing thing to happen this month regarding archives was being entrusted to bringing the 50 year
medallion of a woman who died about a year ago to our archives office. I hadn't met her but I'd sure heard a
lot about her and attended her funeral - which was amazing because she died with over 62 years sober.
Many long time sober members of AA from the period where Canada was part of our area have died recently
- a actual rash of loss, it seems.

Contributions were received from Ironhorse, SobrietyMensDisc, OrchardParkStep & Main&High. 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 2 displays on July14 (HowItWorksMensMtg) AND (Main&High's Day of Sharing). Sept
14&15 will see us at the Day of Learning and I very much look forward to the fun of that event where archives
displays alongside the only other archives committee in WNY!!

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 -- to
do our best to keep the record straight!

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

Accessibility - No Report Given

General Service Liaison - No report

Old Business:

CO Chair for 2019 convention zone 1

New Business :

Maurine from north buffalo makes a motion to accept Larry for co chair for 2019 convention zone 1~ Motion
was seconded ~ Motion passes

Motion made by steering committee meeting for 5% raise for Terry B. ~ Motion was seconded, ~ Motion
passes

Motion to Close

New Frontiers ~ August 2018

Cash Flow Statement	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18
Beg Bal Cash on hand	24,125.19	26,240.64	18,559.37	18,189.47	21,246.45	21,154.67
Contributions						
Groups	6,610.45	3,717.11	4,182.57	5,162.01	6,778.07	5,273.13
Central Committee 7th tradition	86.00	80.66	91.00	101.95	47.75	84.02
Envelope System	1,779.66	1,395.66	820.66	1,090.66	798.66	845.66
New Frontiers Subs	64.00		78.00	43.00	80.00	10.00
Literature/Medalions/Pins	4,504.75	2,559.88	3,215.96	4,099.82	3,424.25	3,519.60
Literature Sales Tax	276.27	221.09	204.13	283.58	232.40	244.39
Literature Postage	24.17	10.47	3.95	12.23	20.05	12.54
Sales +/-	288.33	(6.36)	46.99		(203.00)	
Archives Room Rent:	300.00				300.00	
Committee Meetings	24.00	26.00	22.00	37.00	34.00	36.25
Misc				0.50		
Transfer from PR						
Gratitude Month (NOV)						
Conventions/Day of Sharing						
Monthly Income	13,967.63	8,004.51	8,865.26	10,830.75	11,512.18	10,025.59
Expenses						
Building Rent/Utilities	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Central Com. Rent	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00
Payroll Gross	2,909.36	2,909.36	2,909.36	2,909.36	2,909.36	4,364.04
Employment Taxes	260.38	260.38	254.56	214.82	222.56	333.84
Unemployment Surchar	(6.06)	(6.06)	(6.06)	(6.06)	(6.06)	115.47
NYS Sales Tax	278.27		713.30			
Insurance						
State Ins Fund(Travelers)		309.00				
Health	612.63	612.63	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	204.84	620.00
Phone/Internet	137.17	137.17	137.19	136.81	138.07	138.07
Accounting			1,200.00			
Paychex	258.19	145.46	145.46	156.46	166.18	249.27
Advt						
Dex YP	372.70	186.35	187.65	187.65	187.65	187.65
website						
Local Edge			561.00			
Literature Expenses						
Grapevine	577.35	1,094.70			541.50	
World Services Inc	3,021.67	1,300.00	589.48	1,645.40	2,106.45	2,344.00
Hazeldon						598.50
Printers					2,930.00	
Medalions	187.00	334.62	10.15	164.49		
Office Supplies	257.66	521.33	401.15	308.93	165.08	88.40
Copies/ service contract	161.00	161.00	161.00	161.00	161.00	161.00
Copier Lease	129.00	129.00	129.00	129.00	129.00	129.00
Bank Fee's including credit c	266.12	109.36	82.79	87.04	100.70	87.71
GSA Host	130.00	200.00	(300.00)			
Prudent Reserve		5,000.00				
CO Seminar						
Monthly Expenses	11,842.18	16,985.78	9,065.16	7,743.77	11,603.96	11,064.58
Monthly Income (Loss)	2,115.45	(7,981.27)	(389.90)	3,086.98	(91.78)	(1,038.99)
End Balance	26,240.64	18,559.37	18,189.47	21,246.45	21,154.67	20,115.68
Petty Cash	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Total Balance	29,240.64	21,559.37	21,189.47	24,246.45	24,154.67	23,115.68
PRUDENT RESERVE	23,147.65	28,148.07	28,148.55	28,149.01	28,149.49	28,149.95
Assets: Literature& Medalions	15,339.87	16,457.24	14,575.03	13,795.70	16,359.91	16,951.56
Literature Receivable (outstanding)	433.49	245.90	600.04	360.28	654.95	221.90
Removed from Stock	167.12					
Corrections Facilities	1,375.02	1,406.02	1,512.02	1,359.02	1,730.62	1,882.62
Contributions	354.00	109.00	130.00	674.60	155.00	200.00
Bank Fee's	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
Expenses	320.00		280.00	300.00		280.00
Balance	1,406.02	1,512.02	1,359.02	1,730.62	1,882.62	1,799.62
Treatment Facilities	1,145.45	1,043.45	1,150.45	1,358.45	1,574.45	1,794.45
Contributions	181.00	110.00	211.00	499.00	223.00	415.00
Expenses	280.00			280.00		
Bank Fee's	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
Balance	1,043.45	1,150.45	1,358.45	1,574.45	1,794.45	2,206.45

YTD: 2018

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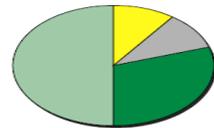
Intergroup wants to express our appreciation for those groups and individuals who have made generous financial contributions, and give a special thank you to all the members who have volunteered their time this year to help the sick and suffering alcoholic.

Bill W. wrote of Intergroup Offices, "Though not costly, these agencies are absolutely essential to our continued expansion—to our survival as a Fellowship. Their costs are a collective obligation that rests squarely upon all of us. Our support of services actually amounts to a recognition on our part that A.A. must everywhere function in full strength—and that, under our Tradition of self-support, we are all going to foot the bill."

"Self-Support: Where Money and Spirituality Mix" pamphlet

Examples of Group Contributions to A.A. Service Entities

Distribution of funds from groups that support four service entities



10% to district
10% to area committee
30% to G.S.O.
50% to intergroup or central office

50% to Intergroup or Central Office

my creator
I AM NOW WILLING THAT YOU SHOULD HAVE ALL OF ME, good & bad.
I PRAY THAT YOU NOW REMOVE FROM ME EVERY SINGLE defect OF CHARACTER WHICH STANDS IN THE WAY OF MY usefulness TO YOU & MY FELLOWS.
GRANT ME strength, AS I GO OUT FROM HERE TO DO YOUR BIDDING.

Concept VIII: The trustees are the principal planners and administrators of overall policy and finance. They have custodial oversight of the separately incorporated and constantly active services, exercising this through their ability to elect all the directors of these entities.

- Do we understand the relationship between the two corporate service entities (A.A. World Services, Inc., the A.A. Grapevine) and the General Service Board?
- How can the business term "custodial oversight" apply to the trustees' relationship to the two corporate service entities?
- Does my home group subscribe to G.S.O.'s bimonthly newsletter Box 4-5-9? The A.A. Grapevine? Do I?

New Frontiers ~ August 2018

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2018

Zones	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		JUNE	YEAR	JUNE	YEAR	JUNE	YEAR
5	7 Clans		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	12 Steps/12 Traditions	160.00	330.00		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	70.00	110.00	70.00	110.00
2	Acceptance/Welcome		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Achievement		75.00		75.00		75.00
4	Action		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		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		0.00		0.00
3	Any Length	30.00	260.00		0.00		0.00
4	Arcade		200.00		50.00		0.00
6	As Bill Sees It		130.00		0.00		0.00
8	Attitude Adjustment(Williamsville)		150.00		75.00		75.00
6	Attraction		200.00		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		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	50.00	110.00		0.00		0.00
3	Blasdell Monday		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Bodhisattva		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Boulevard Helping Hand		110.00		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		25.00		0.00		0.00
3	By the Wayside		0.00		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		11.52		0.00		0.00
8	Cayuga Wake- Up Call		330.00		0.00		0.00
3	Caz Manor	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
3	Caz Manor Sunday		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Central City Café	50.00	172.00		0.00		0.00
6	Changing Our Way's		225.00		0.00		45.00
2	Chapter IX		100.00		25.00		25.00
3	Cheektowaga	150.00	200.00		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		100.00		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	175.00	345.00		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		50.00		50.00		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		180.00		120.00		110.00
6	Eden		75.00		0.00		0.00
4	Ellicottville		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Everybody's	39.00	181.00		0.00		0.00
1	Express		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Eyeopener	535.40	2605.81		0.00		0.00
4	Eyeopener South		1083.99		433.60		0.00
8	Fireside	160.93	323.39		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	31.67	31.67		0.00		0.00
6	Fredonia Discussion		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Freedom		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Fresh Start	14.00	175.00		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	
		JUNE	YEAR	JUNE	YEAR	JUNE	YEAR
3	Gardenville		440.00		0.00		0.00
8	Georgetown	50.00	50.00		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
6	Go to Any Length		600.00		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		0.00		0.00
2	Grateful		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Hamburg		50.00		0.00		0.00
8	H.A.N.D.	20.00	20.00	10.00	10.00	20.00	20.00
7	Harmony	10.82	93.47		0.00		0.00
4	Helping Hand		100.00		75.00		75.00
8	High Noon	300.00	300.00		0.00		0.00
8	High View		300.00		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		450.00		0.00		0.00
	I Am Responsible	21.20	136.15		0.00		0.00
3	IF HE WERE SOUGHT		75.00		0.00		0.00
	Independence (NF)		50.00		0.00		0.00
3	Inspiration		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Intoxicated on Life		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Ironhorse	74.00	438.05	4.00	5.00	34.00	34.00
8	IT	50.00	50.00		0.00		0.00
3	Just For Today/ Cheektowaga		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		975.00		0.00		0.00
6	Lakeview		75.00		0.00		0.00
3	Lancaster Dailey Reprieve		100.00		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		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
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	200.00		0.00		0.00
7	Love		10.00		0.00		0.00
7	Lovejoy		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lower River		50.00		0.00		0.00
1	Main and High		50.00		0.00		0.00
4	Main Street		50.00		0.00		0.00
8	Maple		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Marching Forth	50.00	209.00		0.00		0.00
4	Marilla	40.00	250.00		0.00		0.00
3	Matt Talbot		250.00		0.00		100.00
6	McKinley Winners	30.00	30.00		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	100.00		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	600.00		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	231.00		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

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GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2018							
Zones	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		JUNE	YEAR	JUNE	YEAR	JUNE	YEAR
2	North Buffalo	98.00	588.00		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		1337.84		0.00		100.00
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		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		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
1	Serendipity		10.00		0.00		0.00
2	Serenity		100.00		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		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	150.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sober Trails		51.39		0.00		0.00
2	Sober Train		180.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sober Winners		100.00		50.00		0.00
6	Sobriety Men's Disc.	90.00	340.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sobriety On The Canal	75.00	135.00		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	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	20.00	45.00		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	50.00	50.00		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	268.00	560.11		0.00		0.00
8	Step it Up (Wehrle)	200.00	200.00		0.00		0.00
5	Steps 1, 2 & 3	130.00	265.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sunday @ 8:00		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sunday Grapevine		10.00		0.00		0.00
1	Sunday's Best		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sunday in Cattaraugus		160.60		0.00		0.00
3	Sunday Morning Breakfast		350.00		0.00		0.00
1	Sunrise Court		390.00		0.00		0.00
8	SUNY Amherst Campus	15.65	190.17		0.00		0.00
2	Surrender and Hope		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	TGIF		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Thankful		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	The Absoluties		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	TheBeginnings Of Recovery		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	The Derby Lunch		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	The Grove		200.00		200.00		400.00
3	The Herd	25.00	200.00		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 COLLINS		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	THE YORKSHIRE		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Three Legacies	47.96	134.12		0.00		0.00
3	Thruway		0.00		0.00		0.00

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2018							
Zones	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		JUNE	YEAR	JUNE	YEAR	JUNE	YEAR
8	TriT	60.00	240.00		0.00		0.00
5	Today		50.00		0.00		0.00
6	Tri County		20.00		0.00		0.00
3	Try Again		150.00		30.00		30.00
4	Tuesday Men's AM	1000.00	1000.00		0.00		0.00
3	Tuesday Women's		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Turning Point		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Twin Cities		200.00		0.00		0.00
6	TWO PONDS		58.00		0.00		0.00
8	Unity		50.00		0.00		0.00
	Unity New Hope		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		222.00		0.00		0.00
	VIP		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Wake Up Call		253.00		0.00		0.00
6	WE(Women's Experience)		100.00		0.00		0.00
2	WE BELIEVE		50.00		0.00		0.00
3	We Care		1050.00		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	125.00	125.00		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	300.00	20.00	40.00	20.00	40.00
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		0.00		0.00
	Mark L.		5.00		0.00		0.00
	Anonymous	200.00	350.00		0.00		0.00
	Bill H.		20.00		0.00		0.00
	Mary M.		10.00		0.00		0.00
	Terry B.	2.00	2.00		0.00		0.00
	Karen S.	1.00	1.00		0.00		0.00
	Donna F.	35.00	85.00		0.00		0.00
	Sally Ann S.		19.00		0.00		0.00
	TOTALS	5273.13	31723.34	200.00	1622.60	415.00	1639.00

Tradition Eight:
Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers.

- Is my own behavior accurately described by the Traditions? If not, what needs changing?
- When I chafe about any particular Tradition, do I realize how it affects others?
- Do I sometimes try to get some reward – even if not money – for my personal AA efforts?
- Do I try to sound in AA like an expert on alcoholism? On recovery? On medicine? On sociology? On AA itself? On psychology? On spiritual matters? Or, heaven help me, even on humility?
- Do I make an effort to understand what AA employees do? What workers in other alcoholism agencies do? Can I distinguish clearly among them?
- In my own AA life, have I any experiences which illustrate the wisdom of this Tradition.
- Have I paid enough attention to the book Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions? To the pamphlet AA Tradition – How It Developed?

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