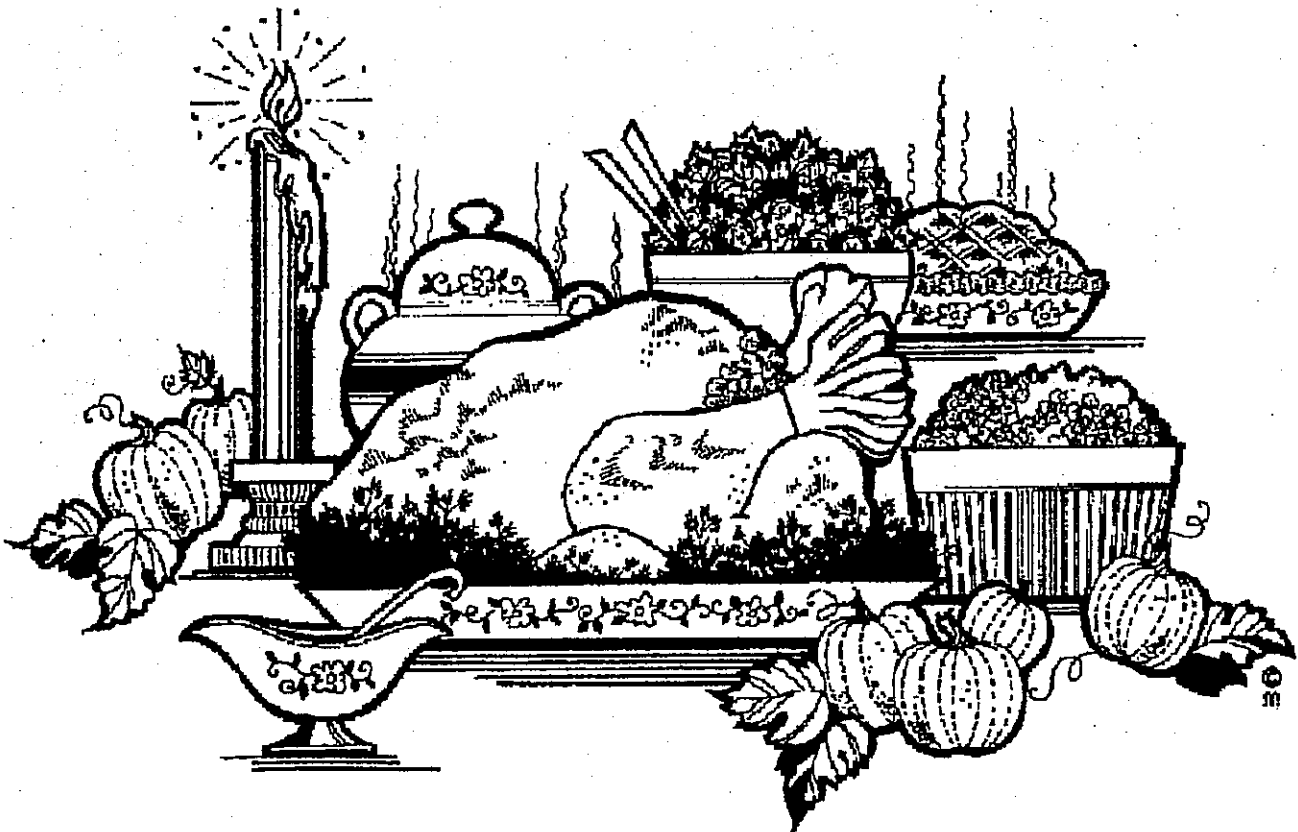


NEW FRONTIERS

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

NOVEMBER IS GRATITUDE MONTH

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

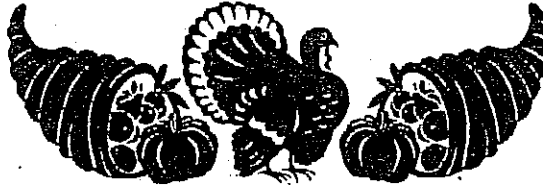


WHAT AN OPPORTUNITY!



What a unique opportunity to "pass it on". There are a number of hearing impaired members of this Fellowship who would like to attend the Fall Convention, November 20, 21, and 22. They

are particularly interested in attending the Banquet Dinner, to 'hear' Clancy, the main speaker. If you would like to take advantage of this champion opportunity to extend your hand and volunteer as a signer, please call Cindy N. at 883-5079. What a way to give it away!!!



EXPERIENCE

Experience is the thing that enables you to recognize a mistake when you make it again.



BE UNAFRAID

WE CAN DO ANYTHING FOR JUST ONE DAY. SO, JUST FOR TODAY, LET US BE UNAFRAID OF LIFE, UNAFRAID OF DEATH, WHICH IS THE SHADOW OF LIFE; UNAFRAID TO BE HAPPY, TO ENJOY THE BEAUTIFUL, TO BELIEVE THE BEST.

JUST FOR TODAY LET US LIVE ONE DAY ONLY, FORGETTING YESTERDAY AND TOMORROW, AND NOT TRYING TO SOLVE THEM WHOLE PROBLEM OF LIFE AT ONCE.



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 CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE NIAGARA FRONTIER
 PRESENTS
 THE 57TH BUFFALO AA FALL
 CONVENTION



THE JOY OF GOOD LIVING

FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY
 NOVEMBER 20, 21 & 22, 1998

Al-Anon — Panels — Fellowship — Dances — Alateen

Speakers Will Include:

Dennis N. - S. Carolina

Ernie "the Attorney" R. - Del

Clancy J. - LA

Clara S. - LA

	AA / Al-Anon	Alateen
Registration	\$12.00	\$ 5.00
Registration Banquet	\$38.00	\$30.00

For more detailed information please write to:
 Or call: Registration Chairman
 Mike K. (716) 836-8638

57TH Buffalo Fall Convention
 PO Box 1552
 Amherst, NY 14226-7552

EXPERIENCE, STRENGTH AND HOPE

By Cindy N., Staff Reporter

Step 11: "Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscious contact with God as we understood Him, praying only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry that out."

I love watching this step in action, to see sober people in seemingly bad situations react with a grace that you just know is higher powered. To know that you do not have to know why something is, can be quite comforting. To have a non-judgmental power guiding you, no rights, no wrongs, no preconceived notions of good and evil. My knowledge of His will for me is to do the best that I can, whenever I can. When opportunities

present themselves, if I have been with my HP, generally there is no real quandary of what to do. To know your HP is behind you in every right endeavor strengthens us. Gut level instincts for doing the next right action comes from constant mediation for a God consciousness that will carry us through the darkest moments to a world of calm serenity, and we really see the promises come through.

Tradition 11: "Our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than promotion; we need always maintain personal anonymity at the level of press, radio, and films." Long form: "Our relations with the general public should be characterized by personal anonymity. We think A.A. ought to avoid sensational advertising. Our names and pictures as A.A. members ought not be broadcast, filmed, or publicly printed. Our public relations should be guided by the principle of attraction rather than promotion. There is never need to praise ourselves. We feel it better to let our friends recommend us."

Not to rely on friends recommending us, if we carry ourselves in a manner befitting a sober alcoholic; that manner will speak for us. In the beginning sometimes we want to shout it from the rooftops: "Look what A.A. has done for me." So elated are we with this new found life, we feel fit to burst. But that light shines

in your behavior, and if you really want to shout it, bring it to a low rumble and use that voice for carrying the message into the treatment centers, correctional facilities, your leads - somewhere it will be most effective for A.A. as a whole.

THE DIFFERENCE

Alcoholics Anonymous has made such a major difference in my life, of course it has taken quite a lot of hard work. The steps are very simple and easy, yet for me to "work and live" them has taken more than a few 24 hours. "One Day At A Time." The committee in my head (sometimes all talking or yelling at the same time) that had a few hundred members at one time, has now dwindled down to only a few! I grew up hating and blaming myself for everything that could and did go wrong and everyone's problems. Today, I own my own "stuff" and allow everything and everyone else to do the same. I take care of me, so I can hopefully help others. I have self-respect for the first time in my life instead of contempt.

I no longer believe or feel that I am sinking into that deep, dark, black hole of depression and despair. I now have a strong belief and faith in a Higher Power that I choose to call God. With this faith and belief in God comes *knowing* that I am now, and always will be *safe, happy, healthy and secure*, because that is what God wants for all of us here on earth. My courage and strength also come from knowing God, instead of trying to hide my fear and weaknesses in a bottle. I slowly

gained back the love and respect of my children, my family and friends. Today I have true friends in my life, but more importantly I know (and am still learning) how to be a friend, first to myself, then family and the rest of the world.

I owe my life to working and living the Program of Alcoholics Anonymous and the people in the Fellowship of Alcoholics Anonymous (the two are very different). How can anyone put a price on that? I surely can't. How do I repay my debt? By doing service work, Twelfth Step work and by simply helping whomever, wherever and whenever I can.

The difference today is that I no longer resemble that scared, shaky, hateful, hard and broken girl; nor have I forgotten where I came from. I do not need to remember who, what and where I once was because I **KNOW** and I'll be grateful to Alcoholics Anonymous and all of you for the rest of my life. "One Day At A Time." God Bless Us One & All.

Dianne H., Eastwood Group
From the *Twelve Step Times*
September 1998



5 STAGES OF DRUNKENNESS



Stage 1 - **SMART**

This is when you suddenly become an expert on every subject in the known universe. You know you know everything and you want to pass on your knowledge to anyone who will listen. At this stage you are always **RIGHT**. And of course, the person you are talking to is very **WRONG**. This makes for an interesting argument when both parties are **SMART**.

Stage 2 - **GOOD LOOKING**

This is when you realize that you are the **BEST LOOKING** person in the entire bar and that people fancy you. You can go up to a perfect stranger knowing they fancy you and really want to talk to you. Bear in mind that you are still **SMART**, so you can talk to this person about any subject under the sun.

Stage 3 - **RICH**

This is when you suddenly become the richest person in the world. You can buy drinks for the entire bar because you have an armored truck full of money parked behind the bar. You can also make bets at this stage, because of course you're still **SMART**, so naturally, you will win all your bets. It doesn't matter how much you bet 'cuz you are **RICH**. You will also buy drinks for everyone that you fancy, because you are now the **BEST LOOKING** person in the world.

Stage 4 - **BULLET PROOF**

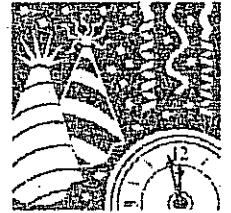
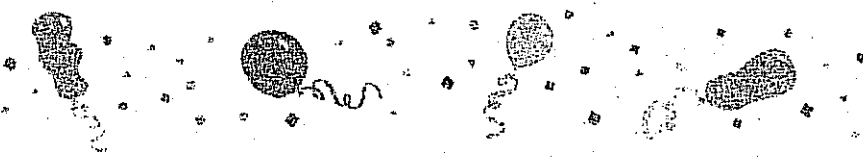
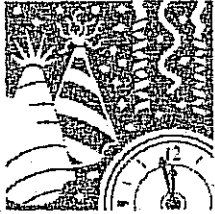
You are now ready to pick fights with anyone and everyone, especially those with whom you have been betting or arguing. This is because nothing can hurt you. At this point you can also go up to the partners of the people who you fancy and challenge them to a battle of the wits or money. You have no fear of losing this battle, because you are **SMART**, you're **RICH** and you're **BETTER LOOKING** than them anyway.

Stage 5 - **INVISIBLE**

This is the final stage of Drunkenness; at this point you can do anything because **NO ONE CAN SEE YOU**. You dance on a table to impress the people who you fancy because the rest of the people in the room cannot see you. You can also snag the face off them because the rest of the people in the room cannot see you. You are also invisible to the person who wants to fight you. You can walk through the street singing at the top of your lungs because no one can see or hear you and because you're still **SMART** - you know **ALL** the words.



**IF YOU'RE TOO BUSY TO LAUGH...
YOU'RE TOO BUSY!**



ONE NIGHT...

AT A TIME

NEW YEARS EVE PARTY

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THE THRUWAY AA GROUP

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31ST, 1998

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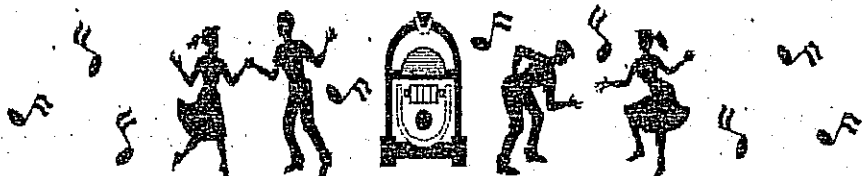
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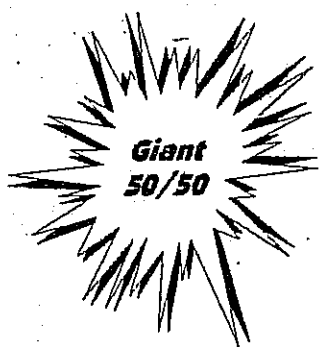
DOORS OPEN 7:00 pm

BUFFET 8:00 pm

DANCING 9:30 PM to 1:30 AM



For tickets call:
Mickey G. - 684-4945
or
Rich M. - 688-5044



ADMISSION \$12.00 PER PERSON

Tables of 10 available

Limited to 300 people

JOIN US FOR A GREAT TIME

ALL ARE WELCOME

AMHERST/SHYDER

Gary W. 3 mos.
 Chuck N. 3 mos.
 Dave Z. 9 mos.
 Carol K. 1 yr.
 Mark W. 2 yrs.
 Lester S. 3 yrs.
 Kathy O. 7 yrs.
 Rick G. 8 yrs.
 David W. 9 yrs.
 Pat K. 15 yrs.
 Sr. Mark 17 yrs.
 Jane A. 18 yrs.
 Bus R. 42 yrs.

ANY LENGTHS

Stan B. 2 yrs.
 Joe K. 3 yrs.
 Dave J. 4 yrs.

COLD SPRING

Jennell A. 6 mos.
 Harvey A. 6 mos.
 Kenneth K. 2 yrs.
 Blaine H. 8 yrs.
 Major A. 13 yrs.

COURAGE

Susie G. 1 yr.
 Judy K. 2 yrs.
 Maggle P. 3 yrs.

ELLICOTT

Richard M. 10 mos.
 Doris J. 6 yrs.
 Jimmy J. 7 yrs.

GIVING

Dave B. 3 yrs.
 Rudy T. 6 yrs.
 Linda H. 15 yrs.

HAPPY HOUR

Mike S. 6 mos.
 David O. 9 mos.
 Victor C. 1 yr.
 Antjuan D. 1 yr.
 Charles M. 1 yr.

HAPPY HOUR (CONT)

Leeha R. 1 yr.
 Steve W. 2 yrs.
 Zenaida G. 2 yrs.
 Harry G. 2yrs.
 Michael A. 3 yrs.
 Wanda I. 3 yrs.
 Dick S. 3 yrs.
 Cynthia W. 3 yrs.
 Maria L. 6 yrs.

HONESTY

David C. 18 yrs.

INNER CITY

Dederline B. 3 mos.
 Terry C. 2 yrs.
 James C. 2 yrs.
 Quent R. 8 yrs.
 Dorothy H. 12 yrs.
 Edward W. 15 yrs.
 Elenore A. 18 yrs.
 John Y. 29 yrs.

LET GO & LET GOD

Terry G. 1 yr.

MATT TALBOT

Jim B. 6 mos.
 Susan R. 6 mos.
 Carmen S. 1 yr.
 John Z. 1 yr.
 Pat M. 2 yrs.
 David W. 3 yrs.
 Dave J. 4 yrs.
 Irene E.B. 5 yrs.
 Karl A. 5 yrs.
 Jerry M. 5 yrs.
 Jerry H. 6 yrs.
 Mike S. 7 yrs.
 Jodi A. 8 yrs.
 Pat M. 8 yrs.
 Frank E. 11 yrs.
 Susie W. 11 yrs.

NORTH BUFFALO

Darryl A. 3 mos.
 Ann G. 3 mos.

NORTH BUFFALO (CONT)

David G. 3 mos.
 Mike G. 6 mos.
 Amy G. 6 mos.
 Vanessa S. 3 yrs.
 Ted H. 3 yrs.
 Jay H. 4 yrs.
 Anthony B. 5 yrs.
 Kathleen F. 5 yrs.
 Bill G. 7 yrs.
 18 yrs.

POWERLESS

Linda S. 8 yrs.
 Jim R. 8 yrs.
 Tom H. 9 yrs.

REFORMERS(COLLINS)

Rob R. 1 yr.
 Al O. 2 yrs.
 Cliff Z. 15 yrs.

REMEMBER WHEN

John J. 6 mos.
 Thomas K. 1 yr.
 Ricky S. 1 yr.
 Yvonne S. 1 yr.
 Doug G. 3 yrs.
 Joyce E. 4 yrs.
 Kenneth R. 4 yrs.
 Henry F. 6 yrs.
 Joyce B. 7 yrs.
 Andrew G. 8 yrs.
 9 yrs.

RISE & SHINE

Harold L. 6 mos.
 Mark K. 9 mos.
 Otis B. 9 mos.
 Robert F. 1 yr.
 James J. 1 yr.
 Willie B. 2 yrs.
 James M. 2 yrs.
 Ben W. 2 yrs.
 Robin H. 3 yrs.
 Darlene T. 4 yrs.
 Michael R. 4 yrs.
 Greg W. 4 yrs.
 Linda S. 6 yrs.

SPIRIT OF HOPE

Danny C. 6 yrs.
 Edwin C. 7 yrs.
 Jim R. 8 yrs.
 Charles L. 9 yrs.

SUN. MORN. BREAKFAST

Heide S. 3 mos.
 Roy G. 1 yr.
 Dawn L. 5 yrs.
 Rich M. 6 yrs.
 Jan C. 7 yrs.
 Ed Pepe 7 yrs.
 14 yrs.

SUNRISE COURT

Mathew W. 3 mos.
 Charlana M. 3 mos.
 Don B. 3 yrs.
 Greg 6 yrs.
 Charles L. 6 yrs.
 Ernie 9 yrs.
 Cindy 10 yrs.
 Leon S. 12 yrs.
 Marie T. 14 yrs.
 Ralph K. 20 yrs.
 34 yrs.

WE CARE

George N. 1 yr.
 Kathy H. 9 yrs.
 Rich M. 13 yrs.
 Shirley McC. 17 yrs.

**REMEMBER:
 DECEMBER 1998
 ANNIVERSARIES MUST
 BE IN THE CENTRAL
 OFFICE IN WRITING BY
 NOVEMBER 10, 1998.**



DECEMBER 4 - FRIDAY - CHRISTMAS VIGIL COMMITTEE (sponsored by the Remember When Group) is giving a Dance at the C.A.O. Building, 735 Humboldt Parkway at the corner of East Ferry Street.

DECEMBER 7 - SUNDAY - CENTRAL COMMITTEE - 80 GOODRICH - 7:00PM
VOTING FOR 1999 CENTRAL COMMITTEE OFFICERS

DECEMBER 24 - THURSDAY - CHRISTMAS VIGIL - sponsored by the Remember When Group, will take place at 6:00pm at the Kensington United Methodist Church at 440 Leroy Street at the corner of Grider Street, one block from Kensington Avenue. Use the basement entrance. Parking in the rear. Santa will be there with "Toys for the children". There will be various panels & speakers. Christmas Dinner will be served continuously beginning at 8:30pm.

COME ON OUT AND SPEND CHRISTMAS AT THE VIGIL.

The doors will be open till 6:00am Christmas Day. For further information call Dave W - 835-3751 or Mona W - 882-3253.

DECEMBER 31 - THURSDAY - NEW YEARS EVE PARTY sponsored by the Thruway Group, Infant of Prague Hennesey Hall, 921 Cleveland Drive in Cheektowaga. Doors will open at 7:00PM, Buffet at 8:00pm and Dancing from 9:30pm to 1:30am. Admission \$12.00 per person. Tables of 10 are available. There is a limit of 300 people.

DECEMBER 31 - THURSDAY - NEW YEARS EVE GET TOGETHER - The Gowanda Groups of Alcoholics Anonymous invite you and your family to the New Years Eve Get to gether Thursday, December 31, 1998. This is an OPEN speaker meeting. Doors open at 7:00pm, speaker at 8:00pm food, music, 50/50 and socializing from 9:00pm to "1999" Please bring a dish to share and please join us for a safe and sober New Years Eve at St Joseph's basement, East Main Street in Gowanda, New York.

11th MONTH - 11th STEP " *SOUGHT THROUGH PRAYER ND MEDITATION TO IMPROVE OUR CONCIOUS CONTACT WITH GOD AS WE UNDERSTOOD HIM. PRAYING ONLY FOR KNOWLEDGE OF HIS WILL AND THE POWER TO CARRY IT OUT.* "

11th MONTH - 11th TRADITION " *OUR PUBLIC RELATIONS POLICY IS BASED ON ATTRACTION RATHER THAN PROMOTION; WE NEED ALWAYS MAINTAIN PERSONAL ANONYMITY THE LEVEL OF PRESS, RADIO AND FILMS.* "

YOURS IN THE SPIRIT OF A. A.
DELPHINE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

SUPPORT THE ENVELOPE SYSTEM

AS AN INDIVIDUAL MEMBER, SUPPORT YOUR CENTRAL OFFICE BY DONATING TO IT DIRECTLY THROUGH THE **ENVELOPE SYSTEM** IF YOU DO NOT KNOW HOW IT WORKS CALL THE OFFICE AT 853-0388

John H, Chairperson opened the meeting at 7:00PM with a moment of silence followed with the Serenity Prayer Jay H of North Buffalo read the Preamble. Rich F of Iron Horse, read the Purpose of the Central Committee and the Traditions were read by Pete of Courage.

Motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes was made by Kevin C North Buffalo and second by Charles of Spirit of Hope.

36 GROUPS ATTENDED - DISTRICT #1 - Giving, Main & High, Sunday Neters, Sunrise Court, Working DISTRICT #2 - Grand, North Buffalo, University DISTRICT#3 - Abbott Men's, Courage, Iron Horse, Matt Talbot, Rainbow, Ridge, Victory, We Care DISTRICTS #4 - Action DISTRICT#5 Golden Slipper, Wilson - DISTRICT #6, DISTRICT #7 - Cold Springs, Ellicott, Faith, Let Go and Let God, Lovejoy, Powerless, Remember When, Spirit of Hope - DISTRICT #8 -Amherst -Snyder, Attitude Adjustment, Renewal, Williamsville - DISTRICT #9 - Everybody's, Rur-al is Plural - DISTRICT #10

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

ENVELOPE SYSTEM - Cindy N of Sunrise Court

	<u>1998</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1996</u>		<u>1998</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1996</u>
January	1795.00	920.00	692.00	June	134.00	521.00	477.60
February	580.00	635.00	652.00	July	772.00	463.00	503.00
March	592.00	335.00	825.00	August	540.00	598.00	522.00
April	540.00	793.00	374.00	September	373.00	545.00	722.00
May	388.00	976.00	588.00	October	356.00	442.00	270.00
				TOTAL to date	6,070.00	6,228.00	5,625.00

STEERING COMMITTEE - Pat M, Rainbow, District #3

Meeting opened at 6:00PM by Dick L, from Everybody's Group, District #9 with the Serenity Prayer. Those present were Michael E, Amherst Snyder, District #8 and Convention Chairman, Kevin C, North Buffalo, Central Committee Financial Chairman, Charles L, Central Committee Co-Chairman, David W, Giving District #1, Leon S, University District#2, Pat M, Rainbow, District#3, Jerry B, District #5,#10, Delphine H, Executive Secretary, Cindy N '99 Executive Secretary.

Intergroups in the area were represented by Walt C, Chautauqua Lake, Harold W, Olean, Paddie M, NY- Penn, Bonnie S, Vickie L, and Todd S, Bradford, Pa. Terry W from Allegany, Lucy L from Niagara Falls. Jeanie A, North Buffalo, Guest.

Cindy passed around the reports as to the number of meetings that would be added to the our present Buffalo-Niagara Frontier schedule and examples of how the booklet would appear (without print). The list contained the prices for the quantity purchase for the printing only. Getting the material camera ready would be voluntarily done or if there becomes a need for it to be done by the printer the cost is around \$45 an hour

Much discussion went on. There are many things to be decided before and action may be taken. We will have to have a format and guidelines for carrying on business at an Area #50 Intergroups meeting Each Intergroup or Central Committee Steering Committee is responsible to the groups they represent and may act only in accordance with that Group Conscience decision. Meeting closed at 6:55pm with the Lord's Prayer

FINANCIAL REPORT - Kevin C. Financial Secretary, North Buffalo

TREATMENT FACILITIES COMMITTEE - Richard F, Iron Horse 881-3974

Minutes from TFC meeting on October 16th at 7:30pm

Attending was Mike L, Larry N, Frank S, Eric B, Paul A and Rich F

Erie County Medical Ctr - Larry N appointed new liasion

291 Elm Street, okay - *Sheehan Hospital*, okay - *Salvation Army*, okay.

VA Hospital - people are needed to man the Tuesday 1:00pm and the Wednesday 8:00pm meetings

BryLin Hospital: No one is covering the meeting. Need someone for 3:30pm Wednesdays.

Lockport Memorial - no report

Hopevale - need women for Wednesdays at 6:00pm.

New business: Ed K stepped down as Chairman. Rich F has been appointed as the new Chairman. Frank S is recording Secretary.

Literature and Big Books for the VA and ECMC has been taken care of

Anyone wishing to become involved should attend the TFC meeting at 7:30pm on the third Friday of the month, St Simon's, 200 Cazenovia or call Rich at 881-3974

SCREENERS - Jim K, Powerless (891-9059)

Going well.

CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES COMMITTEE - Jim B - Ridge Grp (822-9295)

Meeting was held on November 1st at 5:30pm

Buffalo Work Release, Going well, but still need volunteers to cover meetings..

Erie County Correctional Facility for Women, Needs a sponsor, possibly Leah B.

Erie County Correctional Facility for Men, Dick S, sponsor. Picked up literature.

Brocton Women's - meeting November 2nd. *Brocton Men's*, 2 meetings scheduled in November, pending a meeting with the new inside contact.

Erie County Holding Ctr - Phamplets and little Big Books to be delivered this month.

Old business: New Frontiers subscriptions - re-edited editions to be sent out soon

New business: Chairperson??? CFC may need a new Chair as present one may be going to GSA.

GSA Report - Looking for people to man the CFC table at the Fall Convention Meeting close at 6:00PM with the Lord's Prayer

CENTRAL OFFICE - Delphine H.

OCTOBER '98

AA Information	341	12 Step	
PIC		Literature requests	48
CPC		Referred to other agency	23
Al Anon	9	Referred from other agency	16
Ala Teen	1	<i>CENTRAL OFFICE</i>	
ACOA		Outgoing Calls	84
<i>ANSWERING SERVICE</i>		Mailing cost	\$ 397.35 (664 pieces)
Incoming Calls 387 outgoing 39		Visitors	75

NEW FRONTIER - Dave W - Giving -Assistant Editor

Everything is going well at the "New Frontiers". As always, we encourage everyone to send in his or her articles to be considered for printing.

The topic for December will be on how you "Came to Believe"

Reminder: Inform your group's secretary to send in anniversaries by the 10th of the month. **See-you at the-Fall-Convention.**

57TH FALL CONVENTION - Mike E., Chairman (no notes)

COURTESY REPORTS - GENERAL SERVICE ASSEMBLY

CPC - Elvester McR, (891-4837) Cold Springs - no notes

RECAP - Rep from the Grand group wanted to know how he could find out what his group's contributions were in passed years? Ans: The lists are available at the Central Office for the passed 20 years.

Clarification for Bilingual meetings.

Clarification of "Bridging the Gap".

Question on who should suicide calls be refered to. Ans: The Answering Service will refer them to Crisis Services if they are aware of this kind of call.

Questions on the tickets for the Fall Convention. Ans: They will go out when printed. Tables are assigned according to date of receiving full payment.

OLD BUSINESS: none

NEW BUSINESS:

Nominations for the officers of Central Committee in 1999 The qualifications were read for each.

Central Committee Co-Chairman: Mike E, Sunday Niters

Financial Chairman: John H, We Care

Mel L. Renewal

Recording Secretary: Christine F, Cold Springs

Steering Committee nominations will be the order of business next month along with the vote for Financial Chairperson

Motion to adjourn was made and second by meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer at 7:40pm

Yours in AA,

Christine F, Cold Springs

Central Committee Secretary

pg 1	Correctional Fund				Treatment Fund	
GROUP	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.
1110 Group						
12 Step - Holiday Village						
1st Step						
4th Step Stumblers						
6th Step						
A Day At A Time						
A Vision for You						
Lunchtime						
Abbott Mens Disc	20.00	105.00	20.00	105.00	20.00	105.00
Acceptance/Welcome		400.00		60.00		60.00
Achievement		450.00				
Action		100.00				
Age Doesn't Matter		174.00				
Albion						
Alexander						
Amherst Snyder	217.00	999.50				
Amsdell Lakeshore		150.00				
Any Age						
Any Length	30.00	250.00				
Anybody's Group	60.00	60.00				
As Bill Sees It	30.00	80.00				
Attitude Adjustmen	8.50	88.50				
Attraction		200.00				
Recovery Effect						
Beginner's Table						
Beginning in Sobriety II						
Beginnings-Women's		125.00		75.00		25.00
Bidwell Monday Disc		75.00		75.00		75.00
Big Book - Lockport						
Big Book Workshop						
Blasdell						
Blasdell Monday Nite						
Boulevard Women's		300.00				
Brass		100.00				
Broadway-Bailey						
Brocton Discussion		50.00				
But for the Grace of God		80.00				
Came To Believe	12.00	27.35				
Cassadaga						
Casting		75.00		20.00		20.00
Cathedral Park		129.45		25.00		25.00

pg 2	Correctional Fund		Treatment Fund			
GROUP	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.
Caz Manor						
Cazenovia		75.00				
Central Park						
Chapter IX		40.00		40.00		40.00
Cheektowaga		150.00				
Chevy #1						
Clarence Men's Disc II						
Clarence Men's Disc		200.00				
Cold Springs		215.00				
Common Problem		50.00				
Community Center						
Cornplanters Again						
Courage		280.00		20.00		20.00
Crossroads	10.00	10.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
Daily Reflection		61.33				
Decision, Choices, Changes						
Derby		150.75				
Desire						
DeVeaux Discussion						
Downtown Men's Discussion						
Dunkirk						
Early Bird						
Easier Softer Way						
East Amherst						
East Aurora		100.00				
Easy Does It		170.00				
Eden-North Collins	120.00	120.00				
Elliott		95.00		20.00		
Elliottville						
Emergency						
Eternal Vigilance		300.00				
Everybody's		190.00				
Experience, Strength, & Hope						
Express		346.20		42.00		42.00
Eye Opener		1321.75		105.00		75.00
F.U.N.						
Faith						
Father Baker	100.00	225.00				
Feelings						
Fireside	124.63	1639.06		25.00	25.00	250.00
Fireside P.M.						
First Things First		250.00				

pg 3 GROUP	Correctional Fund		Treatment Fund	
	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.
Fredonia Discussion		75.00		
Freedom		400.00		
Freedom Now		20.00		
Fresh Start				
Friendly		100.00		
Frontier	125.00	330.00		
Gardenville		90.00		
Gay, Lesbian, Sober & Proud				
Georgetown		525.00		
Getting Better		22.30		
Giving		150.00		
Go to Any Length		450.00		
Golden Slipper		140.00		
Good Life				
Grand	20.00	65.00		
Grand II Joy Of Living				
Grateful		60.00		
Guiding Light				
H.A.N.D.	60.00	340.25		
H.O.W.				
Half & Half				
Hamburg		23.46		
Hamburg Literature Study Group				
Handicappers Sat. Nite				
Happy Hour	20.00	60.50		
Harmony		95.00	23.15	10.00
Helping Hand		60.00		
High Noon				
High View				
Higher Powered				
Hill Billy		150.00	41.00	25.00
Holiday Village		1050.00	75.00	75.00
Holland				
Honesty	30.00	330.00	10.00	110.00
Hope - Big Book Study				
Horizon Sunset				
How It Works		401.50	45.00	45.00
In the Solution				
Inner City		20.00		
Inspiration		160.00	20.00	20.00

pg 4	Correctional Fund		Treatment Fund	
GROUP	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.
Intoxicated on Life		30.00		
Iron Horse	38.00	641.00	4.00	61.00
IT				
Franklinville Disc (It's About Time)				
Just for Today		100.00		
Keep It Simple, Sister		125.00		25.00
Kenmore	100.00	100.00	50.00	50.00
Kensington		50.00		
Lake Shore	20.00	85.00	55.00	132.00
Lake View		25.00		
Last Days Fellowship				
Let Go & Let God		40.00		
Leunam Women's AA				
Lew-port				
Liberty Women's				
Life Today		142.00		
Lighten Up		590.00		
Live and Let Live		150.00		
Living Sober		130.00		
Lock City				
Lockport #1		75.00		
Lockport Discussion	20.00	20.00		
Lockport Ladies		100.00		
Lockview		220.00		50.00
Lovejoy		260.00		270.00
Lower River				
Main & High		10.00	8.00	27.00
Main Street				
Marilla		125.00		
Matt Talbot	50.00	500.00		45.00
Mc Kinley Winners		100.00		50.00
Medina New Life				
Mercy				
Mid-day		50.00		
Midnight				
Miracle				
MOD/Living in the Solution		1025.00		
Morning After				
New Awakening				
New Beginnings				
New Life		20.00		5.00
New Life - New Beginning				
New Westside		50.00		33.20
Niagara Frontier Men's		60.00		

pg 5		Correctional Fund		Treatment Fund		
GROUP	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.
North Buffalo		1480.00		450.00		350.00
North Java-Monday						
North Java-Mornin	5.00	11.00				
North Java-Sunday		50.00				
One Day at a Time (ODAT)		120.00				
Open Arms						
Open Mind		250.00		130.00		
Orchard Park Step		200.00				
Pass It On		50.00				
Patchin						
Pathway to Peace		11.00				
Pendleton-Chapter V						
Perry		15.00				
Pioneer		15.00				
Positively Living III						
Powerless		100.00		50.00		
Primary Purpose						
Progress		20.00				
Purpose						
Rainbow		75.00		50.00		50.00
Ray of Hope		200.00				
Reformer's		15.00		20.00		
Remember When		25.00				
Renaissance/PostLiv		1500.00				
Renewal						
Ridge		356.81		34.47		25.00
Ripley's "Believe It Or Not"						
Rise & Shine						
Rochester Meeting						
Rur-al is Plural		40.00		10.00		10.00
Sally						
Saratoga		33.00				
Saturday Night Alive						
Schiller		10.00				
Searching for Serenity						
Seneca 12 & 12		25.00		12.50		12.50
Serenity	50.00	50.00				
Serenity Circle	20.00	20.00				
Serenity Trail						
Set Aside		40.00				
Sheridan		180.00				
Silver Creek Friendship		50.00				

pg 6 GROUP	Correctional Fund		Treatment Fund	
	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.
Sober Trail				
Sober Winners		125.00		
Sobriety Men's Disc				
Sobriety on Saturday Night		20.00		
Sobriety on the Lake				
Somerset				
South Buffalo		206.81	150.00	150.00
South Town				
South Town Women's				
Southgate		20.00	20.00	20.00
Southwestern		204.00	35.00	15.00
Spirit of H.O.P.E.				
Spiritual Progress (women's)		200.00		
Springville		120.00		
Springville Saturday Afternoon				
Springville Wednesday Noon				
St. Barnabas		210.00		
St. Mark's		390.00		
Starting Over		218.33	38.00	38.00
Step				
Stepping Stones-Gowanda		40.00		
Stepping Stones-Wlve				
Suburban				
Sunday Morning Bkft.		450.00	150.00	150.00
Sunday Niters				
Sunday Third		25.00		
Sunrise Court		275.85	25.00	20.00
SUNY-Amherst Campus				
Surrender & Hope				
Survivors	50.00	50.00		
T'n'T		130.00		
T.P.H.				
TGIF		100.00		
Thankful		100.00		
The Book Meeting		25.00		
The Journey		120.00	9.10	
The Present II				
There's A Solution				
Thruway		2233.00	14.00	140.00
Thurs Afternoon Disc		500.00		
Today				
Today's Woman		5.00		

pg 7		Correctional Fund		Treatment Fund		
GROUP	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.	NOV '98	Accum.
Trail's End		50.00				
Tri-County	10.00	110.00				
Tri-Step Beginners						
Try Again	50.00	70.00		20.00		20.00
Tuesday Men's Disc.		145.00				
Tuesday Women's Disc.		50.00				
Turning Point		11.10				
Twin Cities		25.00				
Unity	100.00	200.00				
University	120.00	700.00			20.00	50.00
Urban		30.00				
Valley		50.00				
Varieties of Spiritu.	20.00	80.00				
Varysburg		55.00				
VIP		72.61				
Victory		10.00		10.00		10.00
Vision of Hope (women's)						
Wake Up Call		170.81				
We Are Not Saints		32.00				
We Care	30.00	330.00	10.00	110.00	20.00	220.00
We Choose Life						
Wehrle		65.00				
Westfield						
Westminster						
WHY		105.00		17.50		17.50
Williamsville		1325.00				
Willing To Grow		100.00				
Wilson		90.00				
Wilson Smith University Alumni		30.00				
Women's Westside Disc.		100.00		50.00		25.00
Working		160.00				
You'll Never Walk Alone						
Youngstown		10.00				
Anonymous				120.00		
Tom F		43.00				
Gary S		126.00				
Dana		50.00				
		refund/TFC				43.80
31 Grps contri:	1670.13	35054.22	177.00	3209.92	199.00	2512.80
		-1670.13		-177.00		-199.00
It mo accum total		33384.09		3032.92		2313.80

CENTRAL COMMITTEE #504-771-7		10/25/98-11/25/98
31 Groups contributed		1670.13
Joint Meeting		41.25
New Frontiers subscriptions		58.00
Envelope System		817.00
Literature		3732.39
Misc	25.00 mailing, 20.00 hospitality	45.00
	Receipts	6363.77
#10 Ellicott Court Corporation	rent	598.00
Community Mental Health Center	rent	35.00
World Services Inc	books	1226.00
M & T Bank	fed with tax	784.10
Vermont Pure Springs		27.40
Secrephone		138.45
World Services Inc	books & pamphlets	1582.80
Bell Atlantic		177.04
World Services Inc	big bks	984.00
Salaries		1837.24
cash		50.00
Bank Charges		65.05
	Disbursements	7505.08
Balance pr checkbook 10/25/98		6486.65
Add Receipts 10/25/98-11/25/98		6363.77
		12850.42
Deduct expenses 10/25/98-11/25/98		-7505.08
Balance per checkbook 11/25/98		5345.34
Operating debit for 11/25/98	(-1141.31)	
MONEY MARKET	4912.46	11690.40 savings
CERT OF DEPOSIT	6787.75	5345.34 checking
	11700.21	17035.74

RE-CAP		10/25/98-11/25/98	
CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES ACCOUNT #484-185-4			
	ck#	Am't	
Central Office	1192	16.50	
Deposit returned		10.00	
		26.50	
Balance pr checkbook 10/25/98			69.22
Add Receipts 10/25/98-11/25/98			177.00
			246.22
Deduct expenses 10/25/98-11/25/98			-26.50
Balance per checkbook 11/25/98			219.72
Operating credit for 11/25/98	50.50		

TREATMENT FACILITIES ACCOUNT		#602-089-5	
	Ch#	am't	
Central Office	TFC	374	248.85
Central Office	TFC	375	182.75
			431.60
Balance per checkbook 10/25/98			626.69 per fg
Add receipts 10/25/98-11/25/98			199.00
			825.69
Deduct expenses 10/25/98-11/25/98			-431.60
Balance per checkbook 11/25/98			394.09
Operating debit for 11/25/98	(-232.60)		