

NEW FRONTIERS

A.A. of the Niagara Frontier

January 2023

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



Amend To the Fellowship

Recently I have been increasingly bothered by the growing number of instances, at meetings, where people identifying themselves as something other than an alcoholic are allowed by the moderator or chairperson to both contribute to the 7th Tradition collection and to participate in the discussion. It pops up frequently in my nightly inventory.

When I looked at my part in this, I found:

I prefer to avoid conflict by avoiding the meetings where the Traditions are being broken, rather than speaking to the issue.

I am afraid of speaking up when the issue arises, not wanting to appear uncaring or start a ruckus.

My favorite, I want someone else to handle this, it's not my group

I am just worn down by the prevalence of the problem.

I am lax in grounding my sponsee in the Traditions and Concepts.

I have been lacking in all of these areas at one point or the other. Sometimes several at once.

Then I got to the part of my inventory about how to behave differently, hence this article. I guess I would prefer to be thought of as rigid by some and have A.A. survive than to not speak out and be momentarily comfortable. A.A. experience is the root of all of our Traditions and there is a procedure to amend them if many disagree. Until they are changed, it is every A.A.'s responsibility to abide by the group conscience decision.

These occurrences I mention at the beginning fly in the face of several Traditions.

The First Tradition states that "our common welfare should come first".

Even if I personally believe that we can help with other problems, the overall well-being of AA is more important than my opinion.

Tradition Two says we have One ultimate authority, a loving God expressed through our group conscience.

Tradition Three states: "The only requirement for A.A. membership is a desire to stop drinking". You may call yourselves an A.A. group *as long as you have no other affiliations*.

Tradition Four: "Each group should be autonomous except in matters affecting other groups or A.A. as a whole". Implying that we can help addicts, over-eaters, gamblers, etc., affects all of A.A.

Tradition Five: "Each group has but one primary purpose—to carry its message to the alcoholic who still suffers". We only have one message, that we have a spiritual solution that allows us to recover from alcoholism. We strive to carry this message to the *alcoholic* who still suffers.

Tradition Seven: "Every A.A. group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions". Non-AA's cannot contribute to the 7th Tradition basket. The General Service Office in NYC is bound by this as well and regularly returns contributions from non-AA sources.

Tradition Ten "Alcoholics Anonymous has no opinion on outside issues; hence the A.A. name ought never be drawn into public controversy". The other problems are all outside issues, so while I may have opinions about them, I cannot, especially while acting as a representative of AA, give even the impression that AA shares these views. The long form of the Tradition says: "*Concerning such matters they can express no views whatever.*"

Tradition Twelve asks that we place principles before personalities, that we practice a genuine humility.

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In a February 1958 Grapevine article, Bill W. wrote, "Many early A.A.s had the almost comical notion that they were pure alcoholics — guzzlers only, no other serious problems at all. When alcoholic ex-cons and drug users first turned up, there was much pious indignation. 'What will people think?' chanted the pure alcoholics. Happily, this foolishness has long since evaporated." The article was "Problems Other Than Alcohol" and nine years later the General Service Conference of the U.S. and Canada asked the A.A. Grapevine for permission to produce that article as a pamphlet. It is still widely circulated and translated. It stands the test of time as one of our more definitive pieces on singleness of purpose.

Also, in this pamphlet, there is a very clear definition of the purpose of an A.A. group and I quote Bill: "Sobriety, freedom from alcohol, through the teaching and practice of the Twelve Steps is the sole purpose of an A.A. group." The "sole" purpose — there is no equivocation indicating that the A.A. group has any other purpose. The phrase, "Sobriety — freedom from alcohol" is clear as to what A.A. addresses.

Because we concern ourselves with one problem there are no distractions, and we are free to work at carrying the message of recovery from alcoholism to the best of our ability. In another of our pamphlets, "The A.A. Group," it states that, "It is misleading to hint or give the impression that Alcoholics Anonymous solves other problems or knows what to do about addiction to drugs."

So that everyone is aware that our singleness of purpose is paramount, it is imperative that, even if the leader is aware that the person who did not identify as an alcoholic has a desire to stop drinking, that it be made clear to **all** at the table, particularly newcomers, that only those with a desire to stop drinking may participate. Asking someone who identifies as an addict, for example, if they have a desire to stop drinking would focus the discussion on alcoholism.

In his 1959 Grapevine article on leadership in A.A., Bill W. wrote:

"While this article was first thought of in connection with our world service leadership, it is possible that some of its suggestions can be useful to anyone who takes an active part in our Society.

This is true particularly in the area of Twelfth Step work, in which nearly all of us are actively engaged. Every sponsor is necessarily a leader. The stakes are about as big as they could be. A human life and usually the happiness of a whole family hang in the balance. What the sponsor does and says, how well he handles criticisms, and how well he leads his prospect on by personal spiritual example—these qualities of leadership can make all the difference, often the difference between life and death."

Anyone who may represent A.A., from the greeter at the door to the group chairman, to the table moderator, has a responsibility to adhere to the singleness of purpose endorsed by the group conscience of A.A. as a whole. If you disagree, we have a process to ensure your voice is heard. At all levels of service, a traditional right of appeal exists so that minority opinions are always given careful consideration. The flip side of that is that I am responsible to follow the group decision no matter my personal feelings. Our common welfare should always come first.

At the General Service Conference in April 2014, an advisory action was passed to try and make this issue clear. The pamphlets and Cooperation with the Professional Community literature are to be changed as shown below: It was recommended by the Conference that:

The current statement regarding "Singleness of Purpose" in C.P.C. literature which reads:

"Some professionals refer to alcoholism and drug addiction as 'substance abuse' or 'chemical dependency.' Non-alcoholics are, therefore, sometimes introduced to A.A. and encouraged to attend A.A. meetings. Anyone may attend open A.A. meetings, but only those with a drinking problem may attend closed meetings"

be revised to read as follows:

"Some professionals refer to alcoholism and drug addiction as 'substance abuse' or 'chemical dependency.' Non-alcoholics are, therefore, sometimes introduced to A.A. and encouraged to attend A.A. meetings. Non-alcoholics may attend open A.A. meetings as observers, but only those with a drinking problem may attend closed A.A. meetings."

The phrase "Non-alcoholics may attend as observers" was added to clarify that non-alcoholics should not participate at A.A. meetings.

Well-intentioned members, trying to be helpful to others, have allowed this situation to grow so that I often hear comments like: "She never said a word about drinking, God or the Steps" or "I never did drugs like him" or, most damning, "I wasn't sure I was at an AA meeting."

All of us, I am certain, want to pass on this lifesaving torch of hope and recovery to others who suffer. We want the doors of A.A. to be as wide open as possible; we want to be as inclusive as possible and as free as possible. To achieve this, each of us has a responsibility to do our best to keep the focus on our primary purpose — our single purpose.

This is the first part of my amends for letting fear overcome what I believe to be right. You can contact me with any comments or questions. Just email Panel62@area50wny.org.

Yours in service,

Mike D., Abbott Men's Group; Area 50, Panel 62 Delegate

*Portions are excerpted from, The AA Service Manual, AA Grapevine, 2011 Keynote Address to the 9th Asia-Oceania Service Meeting

January History

Jan-29	Bill W. wrote third promise in Bible to quit drinking
Jan-40	Akron group moves to new home at King School.
Jan-44	Dr. Harry Tiebout's first paper on the subject of "Alcoholics Anonymous".
Jan-44	onset of Bill's 11 years of depression.
Jan-46	Readers Digest does a story on AA.
Jan-48	1st A.A. meeting in Japan
Jan-51	AA Grapevine publishes memorial issue for Dr Bob.
Jan-58	Bill writes article for Grapevine on "Emotional Sobriety".
1-Jan-43	Columbus Dispatch reports 1st Anniversary of Columbus, Ohio Central Group.
Jan 2, 1889	Sister Ignatia born, Ballyhane Ireland.
3-Jan-39	First sale of Works Publishing Co stock is recorded.
4-Jan-40	1st AA group formed in Detroit, Michigan.
5-Jan-39	Dr Bob tells Ruth Hock in a letter that AA has "to get away from the Oxford Group atmosphere".
5-Jan-01	Chuck C. from Houston died sober in Texas at 38 years sober.
6-Jan-00	Stephen Poe, compiler of the Concordance to Alcoholics Anonymous, died.
8-Jan-38	New York AA splits from the Oxford Group.
10-Jan-40	1st AA meeting not in a home meets at King School, Akron, Ohio.
13-Jan-88	Dr Jack Norris Chairman/Trustee of AA for 27 years dies.
13-Jan-03	Dr Earle M sober for 49 years, author of "Physician Heal Thyself" died.
15-Jan-37	Fitz M brings AA meetings to Washington DC.
15-Jan-45	First AA meeting held in Springfield, Missouri.
19-Jan-43	1st discussion for starting AA group in Toronto.
19-Jan-44	Wilson's returned from 1st major A.A. tour started in Oct 24 1943.
19-Jan-99	Frank M., AA Archivist since 1983, died peacefully in his sleep.
21-Jan-54	Hank P who helped Bill start NY office dies in Pennington, New Jersey.
23-Jan-85	Bob B. died sober November 11, 2001.
24-Jan-18	Bill marries Lois Burnham in the Swedenborg Church in Brooklyn Heights.
24-Jan-45	1st black group St. Louis
Jan. 24, 1971	Bill W dies at Miami Beach, FL.
25-Jan-15	Dr. Bob marries Anne Ripley.
26-Jan-71	New York Times publishes Bill's obituary on page 1.
30-Jan-61	Dr Carl Jung answers Bill's letter with "Spiritus Contra Spiritum".
End of Jan 1939	400 copies of manuscript of Big Book circulated for comment, evaluation and sale.

Currently we have no active committee or chairperson for these committee's... Anyone want to get involved!!!

EDUCATION & PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE

The purpose of this committee is to foster and encourage group participation in the Buffalo Area Central Committee and to provide training to facilitate participation.

What We Do

The Education & Participation committee is responsible for fostering and encouraging group participation at the Buffalo Area Intergroup. This is done by providing training to new Intergroup

"We live in an era of change. Our Twelve Steps probably won't change; the Traditions, not at all likely. But our manner of communication, our manner of organizing ourselves for function, for service—let us hope that this goes on changing for the better, forever."

Bill W., 1960 GSC talk.

You may be the only copy of the Big Book some people ever see.

Big Book, Pause when agitated .. page 87

As we go through the day we pause, when agitated or doubtful, and ask for the right thought or action. We constantly remind ourselves we are no longer running the show, humbly saying to ourselves many times each day "Thy will be done." We are then in much less danger of excitement, fear, anger, worry, self-pity, or foolish decisions. We become much more efficient. We do not tire so easily, for we are not burning up energy foolishly as we did when we were trying to arrange life to suite ourselves.

It works- it really does.

To an alcoholic, changing drinks is like changing cabins on the Titanic.

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JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES



4th Step Stumblers

Peter L. 3y
Anne H. 23y

Acceptance/Welcoming

Dave M. 3y
Mike D. 6y
Pam C. 8y
Ellen H. 21y
Alice B. 43y

Any Lengths

David W. 8y
Becky B. 18y
Mary C. 51y

Central City Café

Carol B. 30y

Courage

Andy S. 27y

Easy Does It

Norm F. 3m
Joshua O. 6m
Nikol S. 9m
Paul B. 15y

Eyeopener

Phil M. 2y

Ron D. 3y

George U. 4y

Don K. 4y

Kathy 5y

Neil F. 5y

Susan 5y

Dave S. 6y

John R. 6y

Joseph N. 7y

Jeff S. 7y

John S. 7y

Jeff H. 7y

Tim G. 7y

Dan R. 7y

Ken T. 7y

Deborah S. 8y

C.J. 8y

Mary L. 8y

Lynn 8y

Jessie S. 8y

Linda Y. 15y

Susan B. 15y

Greg N. 17y

Pete H. 22y

Joan C. 27y

Ken H. 32y

Art B. 33y

Dave G. 35y

John S. 36y

Len B. 37y

Mary C. 51y

Eyeopener South

Rick N. 6m

Erich N. 1y

Mike Z. 1y

Brian B. 4y

Mitch W. 6y

Fran G. 12y

Fireside

Shannon S. 4y
Mary H. 6y
Chris F. 6y
Marcy D. 7y
Josh V. 10y
Rebecca D. 11y
Bob S. 26y
Robin A. 38y

Fresh Start

Ralph W. 28y

Golden Slipper

Brian H. 4y

How It Works

Jacek W. 3y

T.J.O'C 4y

Trevor S. 5y

Neil K. 6y

Dennis L. 7y

Scott K. 20y

J.D.H. 21y

Jeff R. 24y

Mike B. 29y

Dan G. 32y

Roger R. 34y

Ironhorse

Rob K. 4y

Amanda R. 6y

Paul D. 15y

Sheila D. 46y

Just For Today

Diane M. 3y

Mike D. 6y

Pam C. 8y

Ellen H. 21y

Alice B. 43y

Kensington

Sheri M. 4y

Lakeshore

Jen W. 3y

Scott T. 43y

Lockport #1

Jeff S. 5y

Rich M. 25y

Lockport Ladies

Natalie T. 6m

TerraBeth S. 1y

Lynn D. 5y

North Evan's

Darrell Z. 2y

Orchard Park Step

Kevin Boy 3y

Josh V. 10y

Neil W. 12y

Mary H. 23y

Ray G. 35y

Purpose

Ron K. 2y

Carlos C. 7y

MaryJo C. 9y

Stephen C. 13y

Kelly E. 18y

Lorraine A. 24y

Carla J. 46y

Sister Ann 49y

Questions & Answers

Jessica D. 3y
Kirk K. 6y
Mark H. 9y

Remember When

Eric W. 4y
Tina J. 10y
Wendell C. 11y
Andre G. 12y

Renaissance

Michele M. 9m
Christopher I. 2y
Cathy R. 6y

Pat S. 7y

Rick C. 29y

John I. 32y

Jimmy W. 37y

Rise & Shine

Lizabeth K. 3m

Shaba F. 6m

Brandon B. 6m

Sean C. 9m

James R. 1y

Bob L. 1y

Caitlin L. 7y

Mary Joe 9y

Andre G. 12y

Lud P. 17y

Garry C. 21y

Rural Is Plural

Mark S. 33y

Serenity

Mark S. 5y

Walter 30y

Springville New Life

Warren H. 22y

Sunday Morning Br.

Steve C. 1y

Bernadette 25y

The Grove

Margaret M. 6m

Rat F. 6m

Matt G. 6m

Jason K. 9m

Andrew S. 9m

Norm F. 1y

Lynn L. 2y

Pat S. 7y

Thruway

Justin S. 1y

Christine 3y

Eric M. 7y

Bernadette 25y

Rich S. 32y

Pat M. 34y

Tue. Men's

Mitch W. 6y

We Care

Jim L. 41y

Williamsville

Carol Lynn 6y

Sydney D. 12y

Dave S. 19y

Kenny H. 32y

GROUPS CELEBRATING

Central City Café: 16y
Come As You Are: 2y
Daily Reprieve: 23y
Depth & Weight: 7y
Forestville In The Solution: 6y
I Am Responsible: 6y
It: 32y

Life Today: 32y
Main and High: 25y
Newfane Living Sober: 13y
North Evan's Men's: 6y

Second Chance: 22y

Stayin Sober Men's: 1y

The Key's to the Kingdom: 5y

The Noon Meeting: 11y

Tuesday Men's Disc.: 35y

Try Again: 30y

Two Ponds: 10y

Williamsville: 70y

We Share: 1y

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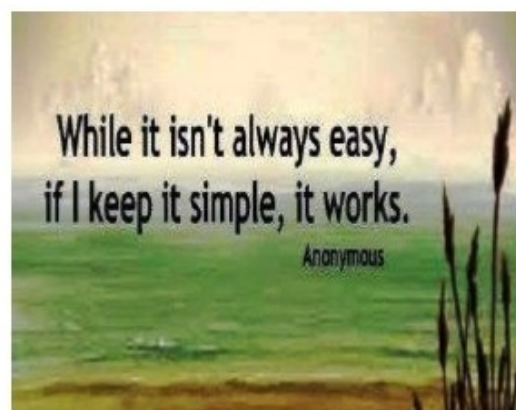
have the anniversaries

submitted by

the 12th

END OF BUSINESS DAY 4:00 PM

of the month previous



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

BUFFALO CENTRAL OFFICE
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
(716) 853-0388
9:00 AM- 12:30PM, 2:00 PM- 4:00 PM

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SLOAN, NEW YORK 14212
Fax: 853-0389
buffalooaa@hotmail.com

Real-Time schedule? Check your website: www.buffaloany.org

January 2022

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:

- Cayuga Wake Up Call has moved to St. George Orthodox Church; 2 Nottingham Terrace, Bflo Norn 14216
- Trans/GNC Literature Group; No longer Meets
- Gone To The Dogs, Online Meeting; No Longer Meets
- Beginners Group, Friday's is listed in the paper schedule at the wrong time; it should be 10am
- Purpose Group, Sat., 10 am, has moved; First Presbyterian Church, First Presbyterian Church, Tonawanda 14150
- On Awakening Men's Zoom meeting; No Longer Meets.
- Living Clean Group @ Sisters Hospital; No Longer Meets.
- Midnight Discussion Group; No Longer Meets.
- NEW GROUP: Checking In, Tues. 7PM. Lovejoy Art Connection, 1217 E. Lovejoy St., Bflo East, 14206.
- Getting Better Group; No Longer Meets.
- Thankful Heart zoom meeting has changed it's...ID: 6351057456. PW; thankful.. 10am & 8pm.
- Pause N Get Calm Zoom meeting; No Longer Meets.
- North Buffalo Group is Zoom only on Sundays. Wed. is in person.
- Serenity Trails, Has resumed, Sat. 7:30PM. Now Serenity Trails Men's Diss. Turning Point House, 9136 Sandrock Rd. Eden. Medical Bldg. OS, the last week.
- Living Sober Group has resumed. Wed. 6PM, Kenmore Methodist Church, 110 Westgate Rd., Kenmore 14217
- Lakeview Group meets on Friday's at 8:30 PM, St. John Paul II Church, 2052 Lakeview Rd., Lake View, 14085.
- Shelter from the Storm has moved back to St. Andrews Church, 111 Crocker St., Sloan 14212. Wed. 6:00 PM.
- Saturday Night Sober is Temporarily Closed.
- Recovery In The Park; Has Moved to VFW Post, 112 Caledonia St., Lockport 14094. Thurs. 7 PM
- So Blessed; Thursday's @ Amity Club, No Longer Meets.
- Tri-County Group; Has resumed. Sat. 8PM: Gowanda.
- Men Who Trudge only meets Monday- Saturday. Does not meet on Sunday.
- Tuesday Men's Disc. Has expanded to Thursday's also. Group name for Thurs. is Recovered.
- Lock City Group has resumed; Sunday, 6:30 PM. VFW Post 2535, 112 Caledonia St., Lockport 14094
- Why Group; No Longer Meets
- Forestville Sunday Serenity; No Longer Meets.
- Coldspring Group has resumed. Monday's 7 PM.
- Stayin' Sober Group on Thursday's, starts at 6:30 PM.
- Step Action Group will resume meeting in person & on Zoom.
- NEW GROUP: 10-11-12; Friday, 7:30 PM, Windom Community Church, 3766 Abbott Rd., Orchard Park, 14127. Open Discussion. WC.
- Living Sober Group in Kenmore will be resuming with a new start time of 6 PM. 110 Westgate Rd., Kenmore 14217
- Sunday Morning Breakfast, Will now be an Open Discussion Group with a Speaker the last Sunday of the month. Sunday's @ 11 am
- The Derby Lunch Group has resumed. Monday's @ Noon.
- Love Joy Group has resumed Wed. Evening only. 7 PM
- Sunrise Court Group has Returned to the City Court Building. Sun. @ 9 am
- Serenity On The Lake, has resumed. Wed. @ 8PM.
- The Grove Meeting is changing it's start time to 6:30 PM, Daily
- The Principals; Daily Zoom Meeting; NO LONGER MEETS
- Come As You Are; Wed. Zoom Meeting; NO LONGER MEETS

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES; COMMITTEE MEETINGS

~ Jan. 8th : Committee Meetings

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, Need a Committee & Chair, Nightwatch Committee

Followed By Central Committee 7:00 PM

COMING EVENTS: Please submit your upcoming events for future issues, also flyers can be uploaded to our website: <https://buffaloany.com>.

Convention Committee
1st meeting; Dec. 14th, 7:00 PM
Basement, 111 Crocker St.
Sloan ,NY 14212

JANUARY 20, 2023

DEPTH AND WEIGHT SPEAKER GROUP 7TH ANNIVERSARY

SPEAKER:
CHRISTINA G.
POCKETS OF ENTHUSIAM GROUP
AKRON, OHIO

DOORS: 6:00 PM
FOOD: 6:30 PM
SPEAKER: 8:00 PM

45 DALTON DRIVE,
TONAWANDA, NY 14223

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
WWW.DEPTHANDWEIGHTSPEAKERGROUP.ORG

Any Age Group
Presents

ROARING 20'S BLIZZARD BALL

A ROARING 20'S THEME PARTY YOU WON'T FORGET!
February 4, 2023

St. Andrew's RC Church, 1025 Sheridan Drive, Kenmore, NY 14217
Donovan Hall

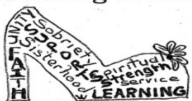
TWENTIES STYLE DRESS
Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Dinner at 6:00 p.m.
Speaker Jay A. from Toronto, Canada at 7:00 p.m.
Dancing at 8:00 p.m.

TICKETS \$20.00 PRESALE OR \$25.00 AT THE DOOR

Giant 50/50 Basket Raffle

FOR TICKETS CONTACT
Dobbie 716-389-2370 or Tom 716-692-7858
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A One Day Women's Winter Spiritual Retreat
"The Journey of Life"
Walking In The Loving Presence of Your God



Speakers, Fellowship, Light Breakfast and Lunch Included
Tickets for 50/50 and Basket Raffle for sale

Bring Cash for Tickets, No ATM on Premises!
Saturday January 28th, 2023 9:00 am to 2:30 pm
Registration 9:00 to 9:30, Program Begins at 9:30 am
Gratwick Fire Company #6
110 Ward Road
N. Tonawanda, NY 14120
Cost is \$25.00 - Due by January 13th, 2023
Check or Money Order Payable to Women's Winter Retreat
If you would like a scholarship, please fill out below and return with a letter of request.
Questions? Contact Glenys 716-940-6504 or Ruthie 716-906-0630

Detach and return registration form below:

Name: _____ Sobriety Date: _____
Home Group: _____
I would like to: ☐ Speak ☐ Donate a Basket

Mail to: Ruthie Rysz 38 Theresa Drive Cheektowaga, NY 14227

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14303
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6 Speakers
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The 15th Annual
Cataract City
Convention
March 3-5, 2023
Registration Opens
Friday @ 2 pm
Early Bird Speaker
David G @ 4 pm

Convention Room
Rate: \$94.00 +
taxes/fees
Room Rate Deadline:
February 3, 2023
To lock in the rate

Friday Night
Fellowship
Saturday Night
DJ the Dee Jay Dance
Banquet & Speaker
Al-Anon
Participation
Raffles

For questions or special needs contact Dan K. @716.479.8074 (Registration Chair) or Jeff B (Co-Chair)
@206.999.7221. Banquet is Buffet Style; Sorry, no reserved tables. Make checks payable to
Cataract City Convention—U.S. funds only. Mail to P.O. Box 734, Niagara Falls, N.Y. 14304.

JOIN US FOR FOOD, FUN, & FROLIC!

Pre-registration deadline for dinner is February 17, 2023

Registration Only	AA--\$25.00	Al-Anon--\$25.00	Alateen--\$10.00	\$ _____
Registration w/Banquet	AA--\$65.00	Al-Anon--\$65.00	Alateen--\$50.00	\$ _____
Banquet Only	AA--\$40	Al-Anon--\$40	Alateen--\$40.00	\$ _____
Total Enclosed (Remember: 1 form per person)				\$ _____

Name to Appear on Convention Badge _____

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone Number _____ Email: _____

Central Committee Minutes December 4th, 2022

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

Meeting opened at 7:01 PM by Chairperson Nick with the responsibility declaration followed by a moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer. Volunteers read the preamble by Sue, purpose of Central Committee by Hanna, and

the Twelve Traditions by Courtney. Jesse from Kitchen Table presented on Tradition Twelve. Angela from Soul Purpose volunteered to present Tradition One for January. .

The following 26 groups were represented: Representatives from the following groups were present: Abbott Men's Discussion, Ironhorse, Matt Talbot, Southgate, Thruway, Try Again, Valley, Buffalo Group, Room to Grow, The Gatehouse, Acceptance/Welcome, North Buffalo, Purpose, Soul Purpose Group, Changing Our Ways, Lakeshore, Williamsville, Women Making the Effort, Sunday Morning Breakfast, We Care, Kitchen Table AA, Lockport #1 Group, Lockport Ladies, Orchard Park Step, 10-11-12 Group, 24 voting Members present. 3 new Central Committee Reps present- Jim, Aiyana, & Daniel.

Motion to accept prior meeting minutes.

Reports:

Envelope System: reported \$633 and 36 active members.

Steering Committee: Steering Committee Member Jesse reported 5 Zone reps in attendance at today's meeting prior to Central Committee Meeting. Steering Committee would like to look at ways to reduce cost of Big Book

Financial Report: : October Report: Chair member Joe reported. Starting checkbook balance for Oct 2022=\$27,889.62 We took in \$6,947.62 (which is up) in contributions from Groups and individuals. Literature, tax, and shipping came to \$3,511.23 (Which is up). New Frontiers Subscriptions was \$24.00. Income from Convention was \$7,000. Total income of \$18,398.11 (Which is up). Our expenses totaled \$6,395.72 (this is up). This means we took in \$12,002.01 more than our expenses this month. YTD we have taken in \$5,818.27 more than our expenses. Final checkbook balance is \$39,892.01

7th tradition collected on 11/6/2022 @ Central Committee meeting \$

Corrections: Beginning balance was \$3826.00. Income was \$25.00. Total expenses \$379.00 for literature at N. Collins and a \$3.00 bank fee for a balance \$3,469.60.

Treatment: Beginning balance was \$632.60. Contributions totaled \$270.00, No expenses a \$3.00 bank fee for a balance \$899.60.

Treatment: November our Starting Checkbook balance was \$39,892.01. We took in \$12,400.27 (which way, way up) in Contributions from Groups and individuals. The Envelope System took in: \$633.00. Literature, Tax & shipping came to \$2,244.83 (which is down). New Frontiers Subscriptions was \$10.00. Joint meeting (Central Committee) was \$80.00..Total income of \$15,426.32 (which is up).

Our expenses totaled \$9,386.31(which is up). This means, we took in \$6,040.01 **more** than our expenses this month. **YTD \$11,858.28 more than our expenses!!!!** Final checkbook balance is \$45,932.02.

Corrections beginning balance was \$3,469.60. Income was \$50.00, A \$3.00 Bank Fee, for a balance of **\$3,516.60.**

Treatment beginning balance was \$899.60. Contribution's totaled \$235.00, Literature was \$380.00 plus a \$3.00 bank fee for a final balance of **\$751.60.**

Central Office: Nov. Central office: TOTAL CALL's INCLUDING AFTER-HOURS; 153, Total 12STEP: 10, Also had 885 emails.

~Need Updated Contact from; Freedom Seekers-5

~ As of August 2022, Grapevine has raised their price on all books, \$2.49. As I have to re-order books, our prices will increase to reflect the new price.

***NEXT MEETING:** Jan..8th, 2023 .

Corrections: No Report

Night-Watch: No Report

Ad hoc Night watch No Report

Education& Participation: Current No Chair. Looking for new Chair.

Internet Presence: No Report

PIC/CPC: Joe and Ann will have more info coming forth next month

Convention 2023: absent- Next meeting to be held at 7 pm on December 14th in basement.

GSA Liaison: Submitted by Lori. GSA met Nov. 12th where Francis G. our Northeast Regional Trustee gave a talk about our General Service structure. Then we split up into round tables to further discuss and answer questions to the 6 inventory goals for our Area 50 inventory. Hank K. stood up to be nominated

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for our next Northeast Regional Trustee. ACM met Nov. 19th where Denise our Delegate said there are 180 agenda items that she'll need feedback on for the next General Service Conference being held in April 2023. The Finance Committee reviewed our 2023 budget. Please get word out about 2023 NERAASA (Northeast Regional AA Service Assembly) Hosted by Area 48 in Albany, NY Feb. 23-26 visit www.neraasa.org/register, to register and book a room. Next ACM is Monday Dec. 19th at 7pm-9pm @ Wayside Presb. Church 5017 Lakeshore Rd., Hamburg, NY or via zoom ID#99342724284. Next GSA is Jan. 7th at St. Andrews Church 1525 Sheridan Dr., Kenmore or via zoom ID#99342724284. Interested in knowing what's going on in Area 50 visit website Area50wny.org

Archives: No Report.

Old Business:

The Committee voted on: All approved J
Positions to be filled Votes will occur on Dec 4th, 2022
Co-Chair -Nomination: Samantha L.
Recording Secretary-Nomination: Molly
Financial Chairperson-Nomination: Nick
GSA Liaison-Lori would like to stand again
Steering Committee zone reps. For Zone 1,4,5,6,
Steering Committee Zone 7 is STILL OPEN.

New Business:

It has been requested that whoever is on Snack Commitment for the month that the hosting group also serves as greeter.

Announcements:

Sue from corrections will begin to enter county corrections effective December 5th. Volunteers for men's and women's facilities are needed. You must be able to pass a background check.
Closed at 7:46 pm with the Our Father.
Yours in Service, Molly

Schedule for 2023 & Host Group

Jan. 8: Williamsville
Feb. 5: Lockport Ladies
Mar. 5: Easy Does It
Apr. 2: 10,11,12
May 7: Kitchen Table
Jun 4: Sunday Morning Breakfast
Jul 9: Room To Grow
Aug. 6: The Gatehouse



Corrections News:

Meetings have resumed at the Erie County Holding Center and the Erie County Correctional Facility at Alden after a 2-1/2 year break. Members on the outside are needed to take meetings into these facilities!

*Erie County Holding Center-Mondays at 6:30 PM
*Alden Men's meeting-Wednesdays at 6:30 PM
*Alden Women's meeting-Saturdays at 10 AM

A background check is needed before any of us are permitted entrance into these locations.

Are you working a good program? Do you have a sponsor? Have you worked or are engaged in working the steps of AA? This is important and gratifying service work!

Contact me for information and to help you to get the process started.

suzipunk211@gmail.com

**Make a Difference
GET INVOLVED**



A DECLARATION OF UNITY

**This we owe to A.A.'s future;
To place our common welfare first;
To keep our fellowship united.
For on A.A. unity depend our lives,
And the lives of those to come.**

2022

Cash Flow Statement	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21
Beg Bal Cash on hand	29,207.26	27,889.62	39,892.01
Contributions			
Groups	5,410.30	6,947.62	12,400.27
Central Committee 7th tradition	63.00	59.00	80.00
Envelope System	513.00	856.00	633.00
New Frontiers Subs	-	24.00	10.00
Literature/Medallions/Pins	2,567.75	3,279.15	2,110.40
Literature Sales Tax	140.67	214.61	123.94
Literature Postage		17.47	10.49
Income (+)		0.26	58.22
Archives Room Rent	340.00		
Committee Meetings	22.00		
Misc			
Transfer from PR			
Conventions/Day of Sharing		7,000.00	
Monthly Income	9,056.72	18,398.11	15,426.32
Expenses			
Building Rent/Utilities	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Central Com. Rent	35.00	35.00	35.00
Payroll Gross	5,153.91	3,435.94	3,435.94
Employment Taxes	394.26	262.84	262.84
Unemployment Surchar	(29.94)	(19.96)	(19.96)
NYS Sales Tax			
Insurance			
State Ins Fund(Travelers)			
Health	573.99	573.99	573.99
D&O Insurance			
Liability			
Legal Fees			
Postage	218.97	400.00	
Phone/Internet	177.96	177.96	177.96
Accounting			
Paychex	184.65	138.60	56.08
Advt			
Dex YP	102.65	102.65	206.72
Local Edge			270.00
Literature Expenses			
Grapevine			403.55
World Services Inc	2,275.80	45.60	1,656.00
Hazeldon			
Printers			
Medallions			
Office Supplies	31.10		1,050.26
Copies/ service contract	161.00	161.00	161.00
Copier Lease			
Bank Fee's including credit ca	94.91	82.10	116.93
Expense /Balance (-)	0.10		
GSA Host			
Workshop			
Seminar			
Monthly Expenses	10,374.36	6,395.72	9,386.31
Monthly Income (Loss)	(1,317.64)	12,002.39	6,040.01
End Balance	27,889.62	39,892.01	45,932.02
Petty Cash	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Total Balance	30,889.62	42,892.01	48,932.02
PRUDENT RESERVE	28,175.63	28,176.83	28,177.99
Assets: Literature& Medallions	18,985.22	16,707.38	17,425.47
Literature Receivable:(outstanding)	434.74	403.14	98.88
Removed from Stock			14.94
Corrections Facilities	4,014.60	3,826.60	3,469.60
Contributions	-	25.00	50.00
Bank Fee's	3.00	3.00	3.00
Expenses	185.00	379.00	
Balance	3,826.60	3,469.60	3,516.60
Treatment Facilities	629.85	632.60	899.60
Contributions	374.50	270.00	235.00
Bank Fee's	3.00	3.00	3.00
Expenses	368.75		380.00
Balance	632.60	899.60	751.60

YTD: 2022

67,550.23

584.00

9,071.00

398.00

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Tradition One: *Our common welfare should come first; personal recovery depends upon AA unity.*

- Am I in my group a healing, mending, integrating person, or am I divisive? What about gossip and taking other member's inventories?
- Am I a peacemaker? Or do I, with pious preludes such as "just for the sake of discussion," plunge into argument?
- Am I gentle with those who rub me the wrong way, or am I abrasive?
- Do I make competitive AA remarks, such as comparing one group with another or contrasting AA in one place with AA in another?
- Do I put down some AA activities as if I were superior for not participating in this or that aspect of AA?
- Am I informed about AA as a whole? Do I support, in every way I can, AA as a whole, or just the parts I understand and approve of?
- Am I as considerate of AA members as I want them to be of me?
- Do I spout platitudes about love while indulging in and secretly justifying behavior that bristles with hostility?
- Do I go to enough AA meetings or read enough AA literature to really keep in touch?
- Do I share with AA all of me, the bad and the good, accepting as well as giving the help of the fellowship?

*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.*

Concept I: Final responsibility and ultimate authority for A.A. world services should always reside in the collective conscience of our whole Fellowship. • Does our group have a general service representative (G.S.R.)?

- Do we feel that our home group is part of A.A. as a whole and do our group's decisions and actions reflect that? •
- Do we hold regular group conscience meetings encouraging everyone to participate? Do we pass that conscience on to the district, area, or the local intergroup meetings? •
- Is the "collective conscience" of Alcoholics Anonymous at work in my home group? In my area? •
- Where do we fit in the upside-down triangle of A.A.? •
- Are we willing to do what it takes to insure that our democracy of world service will work under all conditions?

Group Contributions

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2022

Zone	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR
4	10-11-12 Group		97.00		0.00		0.00
6	11:45 Noon		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	12 Steps/12 Traditions		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	4th Step Stumblers/F.U.N.		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	6th Step		50.00		0.00		0.00
5	7 Clan		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	A Day At A Time	60.00	139.00		0.00		0.00
3	A Vision For You		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Abbott Corners		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Abbott Men's		0.00		0.00		253.00
2	Acceptance/Welcoming		200.00		0.00		0.00
8	Achievement		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Action	190.00	365.00		0.00	40.00	70.00
3	Alexander		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	All Is Well	150.00	400.00		0.00		0.00
8	Amherst Snyder		300.00		0.00		0.00
	Another Chance		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Any Age		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Any Lengths	30.00	330.00		0.00		0.00
4	Arcade/ Yorkshire		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	As Bill Sees It		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Attitude Adjustment(Williamsville)		400.00		100.00		100.00
6	Attraction		315.00		0.00		0.00
6	Backdoor		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Beginnings (NF)		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Beginning's Women		400.00		0.00		0.00
	Big Book @ Brothers		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Big Book- Lockport		125.00		0.00		0.00
6	Big Book Study		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	BB Spiritual Studies		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Blasdel		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Blasdel Monday		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Blasdel Saturday		125.00		0.00		0.00
1	Bodhisattva		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Boulevard Helping Hand	75.00	975.00		0.00		0.00
2	Boulevard Women		280.00		0.00		0.00
2	Brass		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Buffalo Group		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Buffalo Early Birds		2,400.00		0.00		0.00
	Buffalo First		350.00		0.00		0.00
3	By the Wayside		100.00		0.00		0.00
6	Carry the Message		100.00		0.00		0.00
8	Cayuga Wake- Up Call		140.00		0.00		0.00
7	Central City Café		75.00		0.00		0.00
2	Central Park		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Changing Our Way's		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Chapter IX		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Cheektowaga	150.00	1,300.00		0.00		0.00
8	Clarence Men's		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Commitment/ Working		250.00		0.00		0.00
	Contemporary Women		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Courage		100.00		0.00		0.00
2	Daily Reflections		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Daily Reprieve		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Depth & Weight		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Derby		180.00		0.00		0.00
6	Desire		300.00		0.00		0.00
1	Downtown Men's		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Dunkirk Monday Night		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	East Amherst		300.00		0.00		0.00
8	East Amherst Traditions		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	East Aurora		260.00		0.00		0.00
	Early Bird Big Book		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Easy Does It		0.00		0.00		100.00
4	Ellicottville		200.00		0.00		0.00
6	Eternal Vigilance		374.00		0.00		0.00
6	Everybody's		200.00		0.00		0.00
8	Eyeopener	511.26	2,224.98		0.00		0.00
8	Eyeopener South	525.51	1,728.43		0.00		0.00
8	Fireside		1,288.68		0.00		0.00
5	First Step (NF)		100.00		0.00		0.00
	Forestville In The Solution		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Forestville Sunday Serenity		60.00		0.00		0.00
6	Fredonia Discussion		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Freedom Seekers		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Fresh Start		245.00		0.00		0.00

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2022

Zone	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR
1	Friday Night Lights		100.00		0.00		0.00
5	Friendly		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Gardenville		650.00		0.00		0.00
1	GAY & BI MEN LIVING SOBER		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Gettin With It		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Getting Better		11.85		0.00		0.00
	GIVE ME SHELTER		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Go to Any Length		480.00		0.00		0.00
5	Golden Slipper		0.00		0.00		0.00
	GONE TO THE DOGS		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Grace & Dignity		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Grand		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Grand II Joy of Living		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Grateful		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Hamburg		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Harmony		1,263.00		0.00		0.00
8	High Noon	250.00	575.00		0.00		0.00
8	High View		150.00		0.00		0.00
4	Hillbilly		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Holiday Village	700.00	1,300.00		0.00		0.00
4	Holland		1,050.00		0.00		0.00
2	Honesty		200.00		0.00		0.00
2	How It Works/Men's	100.00	800.00		0.00		0.00
	I Am Responsible	70.50	482.37		0.00		0.00
5	Intoxicated on Life		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Ironhorse		396.58		0.00		28.84
8	IT		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Just For Today/ Albion		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Just For Today/ Cheektowaga		40.00		0.00		0.00
2	Keep IT Comin'		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Keep It Simple Sister		200.00		0.00		0.00
2	Kenmore		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Kensington	50.00	250.00		0.00		0.00
5	KITCHEN TABLE AA		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Lakeview		200.00		0.00		0.00
6	Lakeshore		525.00		0.00	125.00	125.00
3	Lancaster Dailey Reprieve		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lasalle		45.00		0.00		0.00
	Lawyer's		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Led From The Scene		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	LewPort		100.00		0.00		0.00
	Life Ahead		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Life Today		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Lighten UP	120.00	1,265.00		130.00	20.00	225.00
2	Living in the Solution		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Living Sober		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lock City		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lockport #1		250.00		25.00		25.00
5	Lockport Discussion	50.00	150.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lockport Ladies	200.00	200.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lockport Tuesday		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lockview		200.00		0.00		0.00
	LOST & FOUND		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Love		0.00		0.00		0.00
7	Lovejoy		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	LOW BOTTOM		545.00		0.00		0.00
5	Lower River		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	LUNCH BUNCH ALBION		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Main and High		141.00		0.00		0.00
4	Main Street		200.00		0.00		0.00
8	Maple		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Marching Forth		210.00		0.00		0.00
4	Marilla	50.00	259.00		0.00		0.00
3	Matt Talbot		390.00		0.00		190.00
6	McKinley Winners	200.00	710.00		0.00		0.00
5	Medina New Life		50.00		0.00		0.00
5	MEDINA STEP WORK/BIG BOOK		25.00		0.00		0.00
	MEN WHO TRUDGE		2,200.00		0.00		0.00
8	Mercy		0.00		0.00		0.00
	MONDAY NIGHT SOLUTION		275.00		0.00		0.00
2	Morning After		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Newfane Living Sober		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	NEW LIFE (ALDEN)		100.00		0.00		0.00
3	New Life		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Niagara Frontier Men's Disc.		59.00		0.00		0.00
5	Niagara Frontier Men's Disc.		100.00		0.00		0.00
2	North Buffalo		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	North Evans Men's		40.00		0.00		0.00
4	North Java Monday		500.00		0.00		0.00
1	ON AWAKENING/ Men	2,130.00	2,130.00		0.00		0.00
1	ODAT		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Orchard Park Step		609.75		50.00		0.00

New Frontiers ~ January 2023

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2022

Zone	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR
8	OUR CHARGE		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Pause & get Calm		4.00		0.00		0.00
2	Peaceful Tuesday		450.00		0.00		0.00
3	PERSEVERANCE		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Point of No Return		100.00		0.00		0.00
1	Primary Purpose		400.00		0.00		0.00
4	Principles Bef. Personalities		60.00		0.00		0.00
2	Purpose/Tonawanda		90.00		0.00		0.00
2	Questions & Answers		150.00		0.00		0.00
4	Ray Of Hope		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Read It, Live It		75.00		0.00		0.00
3	Recovery Near the Gardens		31.50		0.00		0.00
7	REMEMBER WHEN		75.00		0.00		0.00
7	Remember When		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Renaissance	290.00	290.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
3	Renaissance Women		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Renewal		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Ridge		150.00		0.00		150.00
2	RIGOROUSLY HONEST		40.00		0.00		0.00
1	Rise and Shine	900.00	2,150.00		0.00		0.00
7	Rochester		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	ROOM TO GROW		100.00		0.00		100.00
4	Rural is Plural		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Sally		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
2	Serenity		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Serenity in the Park		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		720.00		0.00		0.00
	Shelter From The Storm		296.00		30.00		30.00
2	Sheridan		140.00		0.00		0.00
6	Silvercreek Friendship		260.00		0.00		0.00
5	Simplicity		0.00		0.00		0.00
	SOBER ON SENECA		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Sober Saturday		250.00		0.00		0.00
3	SOBER SUNDAY		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sober Trails		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Sober Train		185.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sober Winners		150.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sobriety Men's Disc.	120.00	942.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sobriety On The Canal	600.00	600.00		0.00		0.00
5	Sobriety on the Lake		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	Soul Purpose	38.47	494.39		0.00		0.00
3	SOUTH BUFFALO		125.00		0.00		0.00
3	Southgate		200.00		0.00		0.00
4	Southwestern		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sparks Of Hope		300.00		0.00		0.00
2	Spiritual Progress		100.00		0.00		50.00
4	Springville New Life		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Springville Sat Afternoon		298.00		0.00		0.00
4	Springville Tues. Night		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Springville Wed. Noon		15.00		0.00		0.00
	Sprout II		350.00		0.00		0.00
8	St. Barnabas		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	St. Mark's		656.13		0.00		187.00
	Staying Sober	50.00	50.00		0.00		0.00
2	Step Action Group		50.33		0.00		0.00
8	Step it Up (Wehrle)		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Steps 1, 2 & 3		0.00		0.00		0.00
3	Sunday Morning Breakfast	200.00	900.00		0.00		0.00
1	Sunday's Best		100.00		0.00		0.00
6	Sunday in Cattaraugus		50.00		0.00		0.00
1	Sunrise Court		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	SUNY Amherst Campus		92.48		0.00		0.00
2	Surrender and Hope		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	TGIF		0.00		0.00		0.00
4	Thankful		200.00		0.00		0.00
	Thankful Hart		10.00		0.00		0.00
7	The Absolutes		0.00		0.00		0.00
	The Anonymous		20.00		0.00		0.00
1	The Beginnings Of Recovery		0.00		0.00		0.00
	The CPR		175.07		0.00		0.00
	The Derby Lunch		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	THE GATEHOUSE		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	The Grove		100.00		0.00		0.00
1	The Journey		0.00		0.00		0.00
2	The KEYS OF THE KINGDOM		50.00		0.00		0.00
8	The Noon Meeting		400.00		0.00		0.00
6	THE NORTH COLLINS		180.00		0.00		0.00
	Thruway		50.00		0.00		0.00
8	TnT		0.00		0.00		0.00
5	Today		400.00		0.00		0.00
6	Tri County		0.00		0.00		0.00

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2022

Zone	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR
3	Try Again		240.00		0.00		0.00
3	TUESDAY WOMEN'S DISCUSSION		100.00		0.00		0.00
4	Tuesday Men's AM		400.00		0.00		200.00
	Tuesday Afternoon		0.00		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		125.00		0.00		0.00
6	TWO PONDS		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Unity		100.00		0.00		0.00
2	UV MEN'S		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		400.00		0.00		0.00
1	Wake Up Call		300.00		0.00		0.00
2	WE BELIEVE		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	We Care	800.00	2,300.00		0.00		0.00
	WE HAVE RECOVERED		300.00		0.00		0.00
	WE READ		20.00		0.00		0.00
1	Westminster		0.00		0.00		0.00
6	WE(Women's Experience)		0.00		0.00		0.00
	We Have Recovered		300.00		0.00		0.00
5	WE READ		0.00		0.00		0.00
	West Middleburt		25.00		0.00		0.00
	WE SHARE		40.00		0.00		0.00
2	Why		0.00		0.00		0.00
8	Williamsville		350.00		0.00		0.00
6	Willing To Grow		700.00		0.00		0.00
5	Wilson Group	50.00	90.00		0.00		0.00
8	Women Making the Effort		385.00		0.00		71.50
	WOMAN OF AA WINTER RETREAT		100.00		0.00		0.00
3	WOMEN'S BIG BOOK-3		0.00		0.00		0.00
1	Women's West Side		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Women's Day Of Sharing		500.00		0.00		0.00
	YORKSHIRE SATURDAY NIGHT		0.00		0.00		0.00
Zone	GROUP	CENTRAL		CORRECTIONS		TREATMENT	
		NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR	NOV	YEAR
	Anonymous		564.00		0.00		200.00
	Anthony R.	80.00	610.00		0.00		0.00
	Barbara C.	10.00	10.00		0.00		0.00
	Barbara R.		25.00		0.00		0.00
	Bill H.		102.82		0.00		0.00
	Brian M.		300.00		0.00		0.00
	Catherine N.		20.00		0.00		0.00
	Christopher E.		30.00		0.00		0.00
	Dennis Wayne R.	70.00	70.00		0.00		0.00
	Donna H.	10.00	110.00		0.00		0.00
	Eileen L.		100.00		0.00		0.00
	Eliot G.		75.00		0.00		0.00
	Elizabeth D.		100.00		0.00		0.00
	Elizabeth M.		30.00		0.00		0.00
	Fran B.		417.54		0.00		0.00
	Gina L.		50.00		0.00		0.00
	Glen N.		0.00		0.00		0.00
	Gotiska S.		100.00		0.00		0.00
	Harry & Maruerite	3,441.53	3,441.53		0.00		0.00
	Ian H.		175.00		0.00		0.00
	Jack S.		900.00		0.00		0.00
	James R.		0.00		0.00		70.00
	Jane Marie B.		20.00		0.00		0.00
	Jennifer R.		578.80		0.00		0.00
	Joanne F.		1,000.00		0.00		0.00
	John L.		90.00		0.00		0.00
	Joy G.		10.00		0.00		0.00
	Karlen C.		40.00		0.00		0.00
	Kathleen M.	10.00	110.00		0.00		0.00
	Kevin N.		200.00		0.00		0.00
	Laura N.		20.00		0.00		0.00
	Lila M.	5.00	55.00		0.00		0.00
	Lisa S.		100.00		0.00		0.00
	Lorraine M.	10.00	10.00		0.00		0.00
	Mark L.		57.00		0.00		0.00
	Maureen M.		171.00		0.00		0.00
	Michael D.	10.00	70.00		0.00		0.00
	Pat M.		10.00		0.00		0.00
	Patricia G.		100.00		0.00		0.00
	Rebecca D.		10.00		0.00		0.00
	Robert G.	31.00	341.00		0.00		0.00
	Ronald R.		180.00		0.00		0.00
	Sandra W.		100.00		0.00		0.00
	Scott P.		25.00		0.00		0.00
	Susan J.		20.00		0.00		0.00
	Susan V.	62.00	682.00		0.00		0.00
	Therese H.		45.00		0.00		0.00
	TOTALS	12,400.27	67,530.23	50.00	385.00	235.00	2,225.34

No words can tell of the loneliness and despair I found in that bitter morass of self-pity. Quicksand stretched around me in all directions. I had met my match. I had been overwhelmed. Alcohol was my master

- Big Book

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