

NEW FRONTIERS

A.A. of the Niagara Frontier

July 2025

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

Humility

“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 kneel to my Father in secret and be at peace, as in a deep sea of calmness, when all around and about is seeming trouble.”



ON HIS DESK, DR. BOB HAD A PLAQUE DEFINING HUMILITY
“DR. BOB AND THE GOOD OLD TIMERS” PAGE 222,
FIRST WRITTEN BY ANDREW MURRAY, A SOUTH AFRICAN RELIGIOUS LEADER, CA 1828-1917



Stuck In Their Character Defects

Jerome D, Powell River BC Canada Homegroup Wed/Fri 11 AM Group

Step Six is about stopping the struggling by letting go, letting God in to help us, praying about being willing, relaxing, continuing to return to God and AA meetings so we are not on our own. With God and prayer and the fellowship backing us up we can become ready and willing for the needed changes to take place in our life. The Sixth and Seventh Steps require ongoing practice and reflection as to how fully we are surrendering to God our thinking and what we do. Turning our will and life over to God in the 3rd Step is an active use of our will and the 6th Step is about believing that we've done this and that God will do for us what we cannot do for ourselves. Taking the 6th Step is being ready to let God have all of us and all of our defects. This is the Step as the Twelve and Twelve says that separates the men from the boys or could say the women from the girls. We are being transferred into the big leagues of spiritual heavenly living with God rocketing us into the fourth dimension of existence of which we had not even dreamed possible. Our whole attitude toward life, toward our fellows and towards God's universe will be revolutionized. The Creator is entering into our hearts and lives in a way which is indeed miraculous. And He is accomplishing those things for us which we could never do for ourselves (paraphrased from Big Book p 25).

We let go and let God decide what character defects He wants to remove from us. God uses any number of ways to get us to the help we need to do His will. We are living spiritual principles and acceptance of Gods will for us-the Twelve Steps-is what we live on a daily basis. Changing us as we live the Steps is God's job just like it is His job to open a flower and do the many natural and supernatural interventions that are required each day throughout the world and universe.

Quite often we used our character defects to get some of our needs met during our drinking days-but, as has been said, now that we are in AA working the Twelve Steps, the better we get, the less defects we have and the more improved character asset traits we receive. We can all change, we must stay abstinent from booze and mood-mind altering drugs. We supply the willingness and God supplies the personality change and removal of character defects as He sees fit so that we become winners. Winners practice a new way of thinking and living as we keep practicing the Twelve Steps, attending the AA meetings, studying recovery material so we keep the changing and growing spiritually going strong. Losers continue with old destructive behaviors and hang onto character defects never looking for solutions or how to live with God and how to get a right

relationship with Him. Losers are stuck in self-centeredness and excessively morbidly over thinking of themselves and therefore are not in a position to be open to receive Gods help. A loser can turn things around and become a winner once they quit playing God, give up self-will, become honest and work the Steps so God removes the drink problem and gives them the desire to work with Him to overcome character defects. Winners keep letting go and letting God in so they can have a supernatural high and alive thriving spiritual life.

Many people are stuck in their character defects and think that these traits are who they are. They've spent their lifetime fantasizing about who they are, and their defective character traits are well grounded in whom they have become. Our poor character defects can destroy us in the end and if we don't change and ask God to help us become willing to go to any lengths for sobriety and becoming a new creature of His we will lose our character defects once we are buried in the ground.

We can recall the words that have been shared at many AA meetings, "we either get sobered up, locked up or buried up!"

The Greatest Promise in the Big Book (see Spiritual Experience Appendix II): If you do the work you will overcome your drinking problem in 90 days or so. The exact wording is: What often takes place in a few months (this is likely where 90 meetings in 90 days came from) could seldom have been accomplished by years of self-discipline. With few exceptions our members find that they have tapped an unsuspected inner resource which they presently identify with their own conception of a Power greater than themselves. Most of us think this awareness of a Power greater than ourselves is the essence of spiritual experience. Our more religious members call it "God-consciousness." If we still cling to something we will not let go, we ask God to help us be willing.

When ready, we say something like this:

"My Creator, I am now willing that You should have all of me, good and bad. I pray that you now remove from me every single defect of character which stands in the way of my usefulness to You and my fellows. Grant me strength, as I go out from here, to do Your bidding. Amen." We have then completed Step Seven.

Now we need more action, without which we find that "Faith without works is dead." Let's look *at Steps Eight and Nine*. (Big Book p 76)

Note - References for this article include:

(Big Book p 72) "We have admitted certain defects; we have ascertained in a rough way what the trouble is; we have put our finger on the weak items in our personal inventory. Now these are about to be cast out."

(Big Book p 75) "We pocket our pride and go to it, illuminating every twist of character, every dark cranny of the past. Once we have taken this step, withholding nothing, we are delighted. We can look the world in the eye. We can be alone at perfect peace and ease. Our fears fall from us. We begin to feel the nearness of our Creator. We may have had certain spiritual beliefs, but now we begin to have a spiritual experience. The feeling that the drink problem has disappeared will often come strongly. We feel we are on the Broad Highway, walking hand in hand with the Spirit of the Universe (Big Book p 75) "We pocket our pride and go to it, illuminating every twist of character, every dark cranny of the past. Once we have taken this step, withholding nothing, we are delighted. We can look the world in the eye. We can be alone at perfect peace and ease. Our fears fall from us. We begin to feel the nearness of our Creator. We may have had certain spiritual beliefs, but now we begin to have a spiritual experience. The feeling that the drink problem has disappeared will often come strongly."

JULY ANNIVERSARIES

Acceptance/Welcome

Charley H. 5y
Geoff W. 6y
Frances R. 7y
Dick M. 8y
Dennis Z. 37y
Jack W. 45y

Amherst Snyder

Dave P. 31y

Boulevard Women

Jamie H. 2y
Kathy W. 10y
Kathleen W. 45y

Buffalo Early Birds

Lori B. 3y
Gary M. 5y
Roberta M. 12y
Patty T. 33y

Eyepener

James S. 3m
Joel C. 1y
Carolyn V. 9y
Jeff G. 13y
Jeff D. 16y
Tom D. 18y
Ralph 40y

Eyepener South

Cynthia O. 2y
Iban C. 2y
Kailyn M. 3y
Gavin K. 3y

James H. 6y
Matt D. 8y
David B. 15y

Fireside

Michael 3y
Joy L. 4y
Heather G. 5y
Russ B. 7y
Beth K. 11y
JCS 11y
Mary Beth V. 12y
Wendy W. 17y
Elaine C. 32y
Jodi B. 33y
Todd S. 35y

Give Me Shelter

Charlie H. 5y
Janet F. 17y

Golden Slipper

Joe A. 9y
Mike O'M. 18y
Michelle F. 19y
Steve G. 36y

Holland

Mike S. 11y

How It Works Mens

Bob H. 4y
Denny M. 7y
Mike M. 15y
Josh R. 17y
Pete H. 27y
Owen M. 36y

Ironhorse

Susie M 35y
Terry N 39y
Gene S 41y

Just For Today

Linda S. 32y

Kensington

JoJo G. 40y

Lakeshore

Greg M. 2y
Barb K. 12y

Lewport

Bill L. 3y
Jeff F. 17y
Peter P. 21y
George 23y

Life Ahead

Dick M. 8y

Lockport #1

Alec K. 4y

Lockport Ladies

Ieresa G. 11y

Marching Forth

Ruth K. 16y

Audrey P. 17y

New Life

Audrey 17y

Ruth 18y

Purpose

Charlie H. 5y

Dick M. 8y

Lee P. 17y

Judy McC. 17y

Margo P. 42y

Joanne W. 44y

Kathleen W. 45y

Questions & Answers

Debbie F. 4y

Renaissance

Michele N. 1y
Peter McG. 2y

Remember When

John M. 46y

Rigorously Honest

Kelley F. 13y

Joanne W. 44y

Rise & Shine

Darryl P. 4y

James L. 6y

Gary L. 8y

Troy E. 10y

Joseph W. 22y

Mike R. 46y

Searching For Serenity

Charlie H. 5y

Patrick C. 8y

Dennis L. 31y

Serenity

David N. 36y

TGIF

Dolores 9m

The Grove

Nick P. 2y

Matthew C. 2y

Theodore S. 2y

Racheal S. 2y

Nick P. 3y

Becky S. 3y

Raymond T. 3y

Margaret G. 3y

Matt G. 3y

Charles H. 5y

Kayla V. 5y

Kevin H. 9y

Chris G. 10y

Jim R. 11y

Roberta M. 12y

Kevin G. 15y

Thruway

Carla O. 4y

Kyle D. 4y

Donna H. 5y

Mary M. 34y

Tuesday Men's Disc.

Al A. 1y

Dick M. 8y

Williamsville

Josh 3y

Mary Claire 4y

Diane D. 43y



Group Anniversaries

Alexander; 43y
Blasdell Monday Nite; 35y
Courage; 48y
East Aurora; 55y
Ellicottville; 44y
Grace & Dignity; 7y
How it Works/Men's; 32y
If He Were Sought; 14y
Independence; 45y
Men's Sobriety @ the Stables; 4y
Renaissance; 44y
Thursday Night Literature; 4y
Willing to Grow; 35y
Women Making The Effort; 20y

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

END OF BUSINESS DAY 4:00 PM

of the month previous



The temptation here is to imagine that we had good motives and reasons when we really didn't. -12 and 12, Step Ten

THE TREMENDOUS FACT FOR EVERY ONE OF US IS THAT WE HAVE DISCOVERED A COMMON SOLUTION. WE HAVE A WAY OUT ON WHICH WE CAN ABSOLUTELY AGREE, AND UPON WHICH WE CAN JOIN IN BROTHERLY AND HARMONIOUS ACTION. THIS IS THE GREAT NEWS THIS BOOK CARRIES TO THOSE WHO SUFFER FROM ALCOHOLISM.

Bill W Pg 17

Quotes Creator



congratulations:

"We began to see that the world and its people really dominated us. In that state, the wrong-doing of others, fancied or real, had power to actually kill. How could we escape?"

Alcoholics Anonymous, p. 66

For if an alcoholic failed to perfect and enlarge his spiritual life through work and self-sacrifice for others, he could not survive the certain trials and low spots ahead. If he did not work, he would surely drink again

Bill's Story Pg 14&15

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES: COMMITTEE MEETINGS

~ July 13th 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, 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://buffaloaany>.

Convention Committee

Wednesday; July 9th

7:15 PM

Room 105; 111 Crocker St.

Ready to get involved in A.A.?

A.A. members work together to help the alcoholic who still suffers. Helping each other is a key to staying sober. There are many opportunities to participate in a variety of ways. The best place to start getting involved is through an A.A. group. Participating in a group helps ensure that when a person reaches out for help, A.A. will be available.



BUFFALO AA INTERGROUP TREATMENT FACILITIES COMMITTEE

FIRST SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH 5:30PM

NEXT MEETINGS: JUNE 1ST JULY 13TH*

*2ND WEEKEND TO ACCOMMODATE HOLIDAY

AUGUST 3RD

BUFFALO AREA A.A. CENTRAL OFFICE 111 CROCKER ST SLOAN, NY 14212

PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE SHOWS THAT NOTHING WILL SO MUCH INSURE IMMUNITY FROM DRINKING AS INTENSIVE WORK WITH OTHER ALCOHOLICS.

BB WORKING WITH OTHERS, P.89

STUTZMANS

EGMC

SALVATION ARMY

TERRACE HOUSE

CLEARVIEW - ST. JOES

VA HOSPITAL

CASA DI VITA

LET'S TALK ABOUT

NIGHTWATCH

It's our after-hours answering service through Central Office!!

TO SET UP A PRESENTATION FOR YOUR GROUP, PLEASE CONTACT STEPHANIE F. AT 716-880-7327



Bulletin Board

Flyers for upcoming events



Lakeshore's
"just because"
Picnic
Monday, June 30
6 - 9 pm

Please join the Lakeshore Group for our annual picnic
6:30 pm food - 8 pm speaker
Feel free to bring an extra dish to pass

REVIVE Church (Southtowns campus)
2063 South Creek Rd, Eden, NY 14057

AA Recovery



District 11 Presents
AA TRIVIA TIME
Saturday July 13
50+
10AM TO 2PM
LUNCH INCLUDED
WITH SPECIAL GUEST
SPEAKERS FROM
TREATMENT

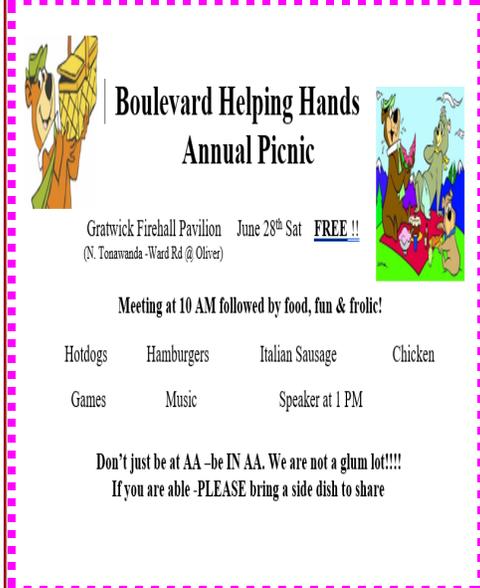
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BUFFALO NY**



BUFFYPAA PRESENTS:
LORD OF THE WINGS
RETURN OF THE WING
ONE WING TO RULE THEM ALL
SUNDAY, JUNE 22ND
12PM AT ELLICOTT CREEK PARK, TONAWANDA, NY
SHELTER 10

AA GALANON SPEAKERS AT 12PM
WING COMPETITION AT 1PM
10 WINGS FOR \$10 SUGGESTED DONATION

FAMILY FRIENDLY



Boulevard Helping Hands
Annual Picnic

Gratwick Firehall Pavilion June 28th Sat **FREE!!**
(N. Tonawanda - Ward Rd @ Oliver)

Meeting at 10 AM followed by food, fun & frolic!

Hotdogs Hamburgers Italian Sausage Chicken
Games Music Speaker at 1 PM

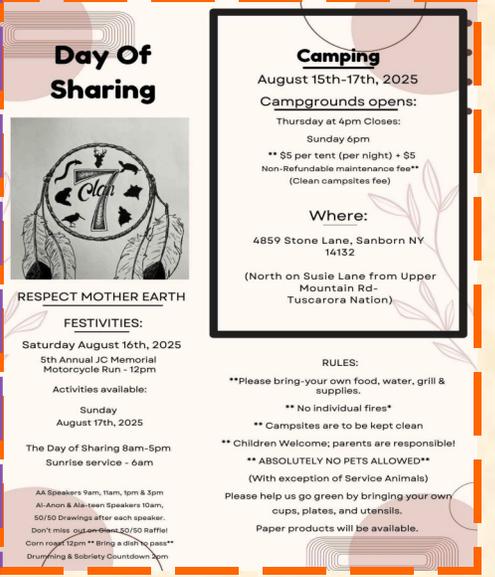
Don't just be at AA - be IN AA. We are not a glum lot!!!!
If you are able - PLEASE bring a side dish to share



Grove Group
SUMMER PICNIC

kids welcome
Games food & fellowship
SUNDAY AUGUST 10TH 50/50 Side Dish Cook Off Contest
EASTERN PARK 280 FILMORE AVE
STARTS AT 11AM
SPEAKER AT 2PM

BEST DISH CONTEST
BRING A CHAIR IF YOU CAN



Day of Sharing

RESPECT MOTHER EARTH

FESTIVITIES:
Saturday August 16th, 2025
5th Annual JC Memorial Motorcycle Run - 12pm

Activities available:
Sunday August 17th, 2025
The Day of Sharing 8am-5pm
Sunrise service - 6am

Camping
August 15th-17th, 2025
Campgrounds opens:
Thursday at 4pm Closes:
Sunday 6pm
** \$5 per tent (per night) + \$5
Non-Refundable maintenance fee**
(Clean campsite fee)

Where:
4859 Stone Lane, Sanborn NY 14132
(North on Susie Lane from Upper Mountain Rd - Tuscarora Nation)

RULES:
**Please bring your own food, water, grill & supplies.
** No individual fires*
** Campsites are to be kept clean
** Children Welcome; parents are responsible
** ABSOLUTELY NO PETS ALLOWED**
(With exception of Service Animals)
Please help us go green by bringing your own cups, plates, and utensils.
Paper products will be available.

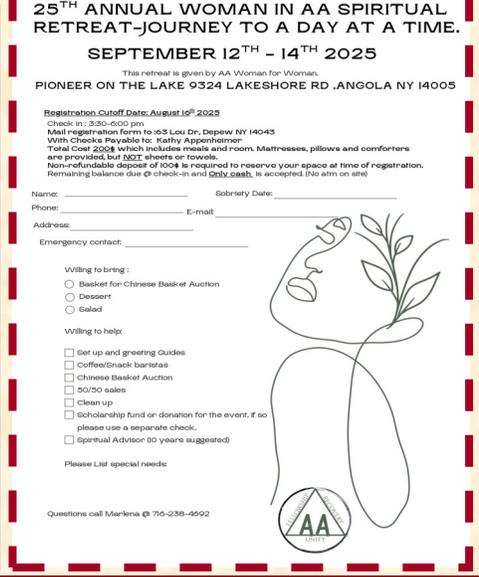


Sober Jam
WNY

Raymond Klimak August 24th, 2025
Veteran's Park 12:00pm to 6:00pm
700 River Road N. AA Speaker @ 3:00pm
Tonawanda NY

Food and Beverages Tie Dye T-shirts
Bring a dish to pass Live Music
Giant 50/50 Fun and Fellowship
Basket Raffles Children Friendly

To sign up for a performance
or for more information, contact:
Matt Nolan on Facebook



25TH ANNUAL WOMAN IN AA SPIRITUAL RETREAT-JOURNEY TO A DAY AT A TIME.
SEPTEMBER 12TH - 14TH 2025

This retreat is given by AA Woman for Woman.
PIONEER ON THE LAKE 9324 LAKESHORE RD. ANGOLA NY 14005

Registration Cutoff Date: August 10th 2025
Check in: 3:30-5:00 pm
Mail registration form to 353 Lou Dr. Depew NY 14043
With Checks Payable to: Kathy Appenheimer
Total Cost 2025 which includes meals and room. Mattresses, pillows and comforters are provided, but **BBQ** shovels on towels.
Non-refundable deposit of 100\$ is required to reserve your space at time of registration. Remaining balance due @ check-in and **BBQ** is accepted. (No atm on site)

Name: _____ Sobriety Date: _____
Phone: _____ E-mail: _____
Address: _____
Emergency contact: _____

Willing to bring:

- Basket for Chinese Basket Auction
- Coffee/snack baristas
- Dessert
- Salad

Willing to help:

- Set up and greeting Guides
- Chinese Basket Auction
- 50/50 sales
- Clean up
- Scholarship fund on donation for the event, if so please use a separate check.
- Spiritual Advisor 60 years suggested

Please List special needs: _____

Questions call Marlena @ 716-238-4922



71st Annual Tri-State Assembly
AA Conference with AA-Anon participation
September 26-28, 2025
www.tristateassembly.org

Chautauque Suites Hotel & Expo Center
215 W. Lake Road, Mayville, NY 14757
<https://chautauquesuites.com>

Chautauque Suites Hotel & Expo Center is close to Chautauque Institution. Each suite features 1 and 1 1/2 baths, featuring a double-wide walk-in closet, separate living area with a second television & audio stereo, and free high-speed internet access, including wireless in every room. Adjoining and connecting rooms are available.

Check in time on Friday is 3:00 p.m. with dinner at 6:00 p.m. Check out time on Sunday is 10:00 a.m.

Circle your choice:

Registration and/or meals	Weekend Packages (registration, lodging and meals)
On-site registration - meals & lodging not included \$25.00	Double Occupancy Two people, 2 nights and 5 meals \$95.00 per room
Registration with 5 meals (no lodging) \$155.00	Single Occupancy One person 2 nights and 5 meals \$45.00 per room
Registration with Saturday lunch and banquet only (No lodging) \$90.00	

Handicapped Bathroom Required _____

Historical Bus Tour of the Institute - Friday at 4:15 p.m. - \$12/person (pre-paid) _____ Number of participants _____
Souvenir cups are available for \$11/cup (pre-paid). How many? _____

TOTAL AMOUNT \$ _____ Registration will not be accepted without roommate's name

Name: _____ Roommate: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____

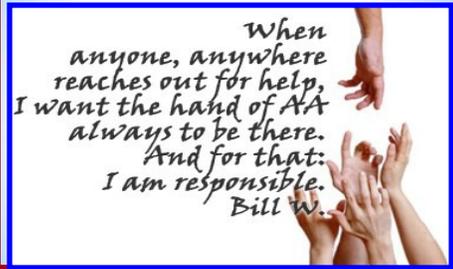
We will try to accommodate most dietary restrictions when properly notified. If special foods are required, they can be brought in by the guest or will be charged extra accordingly.

Dietary restrictions: _____

Submit completed registration form with non-refundable payment by September 5, 2025, to:
Laurie Livingston
3338 W. Oak Hill Rd
Jamestown, NY 14701
716-664-0716 or tristate@tristate.org

Make checks payable to: Tri-State Assembly If you need confirmation, please include your email address.

For questions, contact:
Conference Chair Helen S. 716-531-8433 Co-Chair - Mark D. 716-853-8230
AA Chairpersons AA - Darlene A. 814-397-7060 AA-Anon - Robin W. 814-602-3570
Dist. Chairpersons AA - Kamela L. 440-321-8872 AA-Anon - Colleen F. 440-855-6881
NY Chairpersons AA - Shannon G. 716-622-7223 AA-Anon - Mollie M. 814-750-0490



Central Committee Minutes June 1st, 2025

The meeting opened at 7:00pm by Chairperson Dean C. with a moment of silence followed by the Responsibility Declaration and the Serenity Prayer. Volunteers read as follows: Preamble by Bill, The Purpose of Central Committee by Colin, and the Twelve Traditions by Weston. Linda presented the Sixth Tradition. Mary Clare will present the Seventh Tradition in July.

A motion to accept the May 2025 meeting minutes was made and accepted.

The following 30 Groups were represented: Buffalo, Rise and Shine, The Gatehouse, Chapter IX, North Buffalo, University Men's, All is Well, Thruway, We Have Recovered, Orchard Park Step, Sobriety @ the Stables, Tuesday Men's Discussion, Lockport #1 Group, Lockport Ladies, Carry the Message, Changing our Ways, Derby Group, Getting With It, Lakeshore, Silver Creek Friendship, The Derby Lunch Group, Achievement, Big Book @ Brothers, Clarence Men's Discussion, Eyeopener, Lighten Up, Renewal, TGIF, The CPR Group, Williamsville, and Straight Pepper Diet. Seventh Tradition brought in \$59.00. Thank you to The CPR Group (Mary) for the refreshments

Reports

Envelope System: Terry reported. \$605 was brought in. The number of participants has declined by approx. half over the past ten years. We need to increase awareness of the Envelope System amongst the Home Groups.

Steering Committee: Daniel reported. Terry's review was completed on 01 Jun 2025, and the Committee is recommending a 5% pay raise effective 01 Jul 2025st.

Financial Report: Nick presented. This is the Reconciled report

June 2025: our Starting Checkbook balance was \$49,181.69. We took in \$ 4,244.55 (which is **down**) in Contributions from Groups and individuals. The Envelope System took in: \$605.00. Literature, Tax & shipping came to \$2,167.70 (also **down**) New Frontiers Subscriptions was \$13.00. Joint meeting (Central Committee) was \$65.00. Our Total income of **\$7,435.25** (which is **down**). Our expenses totaled **\$7,250.82** (which is way **down**). This means, we took in **\$184.44 more** than our expenses this month. **YTD we are up \$460.427 from our current expenses for 2025.** Final checkbook balance is \$49,366.13.

~~~ Note: still waiting on invoice from our Accountant for our annual 2024 taxes.

**Corrections** beginning balance was \$627.60.. Income= \$100. Expenses; \$none and a \$3.00 Bank Fee, for a balance of \$724.60.

**Treatment** beginning balance was 950.83. Contribution's totaled \$180.00. Expenses: \$.00 plus a \$3.00 bank fee, for a final balance of \$1,127.83.

**Central Office: May: Central office: TOTAL CALL'S INCLUDING AFTER-HOUR'S: 196, Total 12-STEP:6, Also had 1,791 emails.**

**Executive Secretary Report: CONTACT PERSON NEEDED: Name, Address, Phone and Email**

NONE J

We have from our web page; 453 meetings @ 184 locations

2025 Schedules are IN

Our Credit card terminal has to be replaced

**NEXT MEETING: July 13th, 2025.** ( due to Holiday Weekend)

**Treatment Facilities:** Laurel reported. Twenty-two members in attendance. Opened on time with the Serenity Prayer. Our normal discussion of monthly meetings scheduled at the seven facilities we carry the message to focus on some issues including more than one group showing up at same facility same day/time which has been amicably resolved. Jeff B. proposed and the committee adopted a plan for volunteer facility coordinators. These six committee members will each oversee the monthly calendar, post it on the Group Me app and send text reminders to the home-group member that is bringing the next meeting to that facility. These changes should minimize confusion and will better, more direct communication. They will also be a liaison to T+F committee chairs, keeping them informed of any issues with calendars and commitments. The Group Me app and other messaging cell phone apps will add more optionality to communication with emails, phone calls, and standard text already being used. Jim C., Area 50 Treatment Committee alternate Chair, distributed Bridging the Gap cards and pamphlets for committee members to distribute in the facilities. Literature (books and pamphlets) was also distributed. Average monthly donations are ~ \$200. We have a balance of \$1,127.83. We will buy cases of 20 books at ~ \$200 and will spend approximately \$60 on pamphlets. Father Barry gave a blessing and closed the meeting at 6:30 with the Lord's Prayer.

**Corrections:** Alan reported on behalf of Diane. There are many dedicated volunteers taking meetings into the correctional facilities. If you would like to volunteer, applications are online at: area50wny.org. Also, there is a pamphlet available for those wanting to correspond with inmates. We continue to carry the message of hope and recovery to those behind the walls

**Night Watch:** Stephanie reported. Currently, Soul Purpose has the June Night Watch commitment. Our next opening is December 2025. If any group is interested in a Night Watch presentation, please call Stephanie at (716) 880-7327.

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**Education & Participation:** Ben reported. In the process of forming the committee. Will be hosting new member meetings. If anyone is interested, please meet Ben at 6:20pm ahead of the monthly Central Committee meeting.

**Internet Presence:** Seeking chairperson

**PIC/CPC:** Seeking chairperson

**Convention 2025** Nick reported on Tony's behalf. Flyers are now available. Web convention tab is up and active. Can register on the website. Please remember to pay the fee AFTER the form(s) is/are submitted. Dates are October 24-26. Program is progressing with a workshop with limited number of seats available. Convention committee meets the first Wednesday of the month at Central Office.

**GSA Liaison:** Laurie reported. The Post-Conference Assembly was held on May 31st at The Well on Dodge Rd. in Getzville and via Zoom and District Reports, Intergroup Liaison reports & Committee Chair reports were given. Molly Oliver, a Class A (non-alcoholic) Trustee spoke about what it entails to be a Trustee on the Board for General Service Office. Then Steve our Delegate gave a Delegates Report. After lunch a Post Conference Report Back was given by our Delegate and all this information is posted on the Area 50 website at [area50wny.org](http://area50wny.org) under Delegates News, then go to protected files and the password is area50. Just a reminder that the GSR Virtual Coffee hour at 7pm is the first Thursday of the month via Zoom ID#89305735161 Passcode: 356695. Our next ACM is Saturday June 14th 10AM-Noon via Zoom ID#99342724284 Passcode: 026826. Next GSA is our Elections meeting on Saturday Sept. 13th 9:30AM-2PM place TBD or via Zoom ID#99342724284 Passcode: 026826. If you would like to know what is going on in Area, please visit [area50wny.org](http://area50wny.org) and click on events.

**Archives:** Heidi reported. We attended AA Jeopardy in district 4/5 and the Rise and Shine Anniversary breakfast, roughly 40 people in attendance. We received a donation of \$133 from Hamburg Men's Discussion, bringing us to a balance of \$8,619.51

Our next work weeknight will be this Wednesday June 4th at 6pm. Please reach out to me if you would like the Archives display at your next group or district event. Binders need to be sorted and we have been getting a lot done.

### Old Business:

None

### New Business:

1. Need new co-Chairperson for this committee (Central Office Committee) as Joe has resigned. Candidates shall serve for one year and then assume the Chairperson position in the following year, with a minimum of five years of continuous sobriety. Please reach out to your home groups and alert them to this opportunity
2. Open position for PIC/CPC committee chairperson.
3. The Steering Committee is recommending a 5% raise for Terry. We are no longer paying for her health insurance but instead paying for her quarterly personal Medicare insurance obligation. Motion passed.

**Next Meeting:** Sunday July 13th, 2025. No meeting during the July 4<sup>th</sup> weekend

### Snacks for Central Committee for 2025:

July 13– Orchard Park Step Group

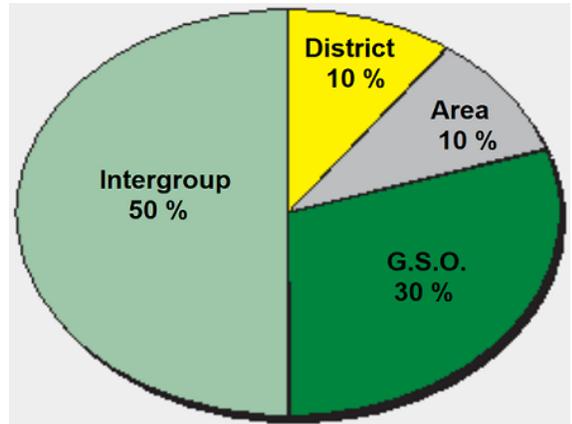
August 3– Joe from Easy Does It

September 7–Elizabeth from Depth and Weight

October 5– Julie from Matt Talbot

November 2– Colin from Lighten Up

December 7–Nick from The Gatehouse



**Suggested Disbursement**

WHEN READY, WE SAY SOMETHING LIKE THIS:  
 "MY CREATOR, I AM NOW WILLING THAT YOU  
 SHOULD HAVE ALL OF ME,  
 GOOD AND BAD. I PRAY THAT YOU NOW REMOVE  
 FROM ME EVERY SINGLE DEFECT OF  
 CHARACTER WHICH STANDS IN THE  
 WAY OF MY USEFULNESS TO YOU AND MY  
 FELLOWS. GRANT ME STRENGTH, AS I GO OUT  
 FROM HERE, TO DO YOUR BIDDING.  
 AMEN."

INTO ACTION P-76

Quotes Creator

YTD: 2024

| Cash Flow Statement                 | Mar-25            | Apr-25           | May-25           |                    |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Beg Bal Cash on hand                | 49,751.05         | 48,287.18        | 49,181.69        |                    |
| <b>Contributions</b>                |                   |                  |                  |                    |
| Groups                              | 6,747.00          | 6,576.43         | 4,244.56         | 26,552.14          |
| Central Committee 7th tradition     | 74.00             | 100.00           | 65.00            | 414.94             |
| Envelope System                     | 603.00            | 790.00           | 605.00           | 3,996.00           |
| New Frontiers Subs                  | 66.00             | 45.00            | 13.00            | 213.00             |
| Literature/Medallions/Pins          | 1,922.40          | 2,971.80         | 2,020.05         | 13,167.85          |
| Literature Sales Tax                | 128.71            | 185.97           | 146.68           | 753.40             |
| Literature Postage                  | 26.64             |                  | 0.97             | 39.59              |
| Income (+)                          |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Archives Room Rent:                 |                   |                  | 340.00           | 680.00             |
| Meetings @ CO                       |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Misc                                |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Transfer from PR                    |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Conventions/Day of Sharing          |                   |                  |                  | 3,097.93           |
| <b>Monthly Income</b>               | <b>9,567.75</b>   | <b>10,669.20</b> | <b>7,435.26</b>  | <b>48,914.85</b>   |
| <b>Expenses</b>                     |                   |                  |                  |                    |
| Building Rent/Utilities             | 1,000.00          | 1,000.00         | 1,000.00         | 5,000.00           |
| Central Com. Rent                   | 35.00             | 35.00            | 35.00            | 175.00             |
| Payroll Gross                       | 3,692.30          | 3,692.30         | 3,692.30         | 20,307.65          |
| Employment Taxes                    | 398.96            | 282.46           | 282.46           | 1,863.88           |
| Unemployment Surchar                | (18.83)           | (16.72)          | (16.72)          | (93.99)            |
| NYS Sales Tax                       | 1,689.52          |                  |                  | 1,689.52           |
| Insurance                           |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| State Ins Fund(Travelers            | 274.00            |                  |                  | 274.00             |
| Health                              | 583.28            | 40.28            | 40.28            | 744.40             |
| D&O Insurance                       |                   |                  |                  | 1,080.00           |
| Liability                           |                   |                  |                  | 1,187.03           |
| Legal Fees                          |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Postage                             | 255.08            |                  |                  | 925.03             |
| Phone/Internet                      | 195.00            | 195.00           | 195.00           | 954.94             |
| Accounting                          |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Payroll Service                     | 72.00             | 72.00            | 60.00            | 456.50             |
| Advt                                |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Dex YP                              |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Local Edge                          |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Literature Expenses                 |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Grapevine                           |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| World Services Inc                  | 1,968.00          | 1,902.40         |                  | 7,189.40           |
| Hazeldon                            |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Printers                            |                   | 2,144.04         |                  | 2,144.04           |
| Medallions                          |                   |                  | 873.75           | 1,196.13           |
| Office Supplies                     | 207.95            | 168.00           | 5.44             | 716.21             |
| Copies/ service contract            |                   |                  |                  | 158.03             |
| Copier Lease                        | 198.77            | 198.77           | 198.77           | 870.08             |
| Bank Fee's including credit ca      | 116.13            | 123.48           | 894.55           | 1,414.95           |
| Expense /Balance (-)                | 364.46            | (62.32)          | (10.01)          | 201.78             |
| GSA Host                            |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Workshop                            |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| Seminar                             |                   |                  |                  | -                  |
| <b>Monthly Expenses</b>             | <b>11,031.62</b>  | <b>9,774.69</b>  | <b>7,250.82</b>  | <b>48,454.58</b>   |
| <b>Monthly Income (Loss)</b>        | <b>(1,463.87)</b> | <b>894.51</b>    | <b>184.44</b>    | <b>460.27</b>      |
| <b>End Balance</b>                  | <b>48,287.18</b>  | <b>49,181.69</b> | <b>49,366.13</b> |                    |
| Petty Cash                          | 3,000.00          | 3,000.00         | 3,000.00         |                    |
| <b>Total Balance</b>                | <b>51,287.18</b>  | <b>52,181.69</b> | <b>52,363.81</b> |                    |
| <b>PRUDENT RESERVE</b>              | <b>28,380.86</b>  | <b>28,386.69</b> | <b>28,387.90</b> |                    |
| Assets: Literature& Medallions      | 20,408.71         | 22,068.40        | 21,393.11        |                    |
| Literature Receivable:(outstanding) | 322.73            | 80.21            | -                |                    |
| Removed from Stock                  |                   |                  |                  |                    |
| <b>Corrections Facilities</b>       | <b>253.60</b>     | <b>630.60</b>    | <b>627.60</b>    |                    |
| Contributions                       | 50.00             | -                | 100.00           | 250.00             |
| Bank Fee's                          | 3.00              | 3.00             | 3.00             | 15.00              |
| Expenses                            | (330.00)          | -                | -                | 990.00             |
| <b>Balance</b>                      | <b>630.60</b>     | <b>627.60</b>    | <b>724.60</b>    | <b>## (755.00)</b> |
| <b>Treatment Facilities</b>         | <b>815.66</b>     | <b>1,016.66</b>  | <b>950.83</b>    |                    |
| Contributions                       | 204.00            | 550.17           | 180.00           | 1,315.08           |
| Bank Fee's                          | 3.00              | 3.00             | 3.00             | 15.00              |
| Expenses                            |                   | 613.00           |                  | ### 1,602.78       |
| <b>Balance</b>                      | <b>1,016.66</b>   | <b>950.83</b>    | <b>1,127.83</b>  | <b>(302.70)</b>    |



**Tradition Seven: Every AA group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions.**

- Honestly now, do I do all I can to help AA (my group, my central office, my GSO) remain self-supporting? Could I put a little more into the basket on behalf of the new guy who can't afford it yet? How generous was I when tanked in a barroom?
- Should the Grapevine sell advertising space to book publishers and drug companies, so it could make a big profit and become a bigger magazine, in full color, at a cheaper price per copy?
- If GSO runs short of funds some year, wouldn't it be okay to let the government subsidize AA groups in hospitals and prisons?
- Is it more important to get a big AA collection from a few people, or a smaller collection in which more members participate?
- Is a group treasurer's report unimportant AA business? How does the treasurer feel about it?
- How important in my recovery is the feeling of self-respect, rather than the feeling of being always under obligation for charity received?

*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 VII:** The Charter and Bylaws of the General Service Board are legal instruments, empowering the trustees to manage and conduct world service affairs. The Conference Charter is not a legal document; it relies upon tradition and the A.A. purse for final effectiveness.

- Do we act responsibly regarding the "power of the purse"?
- Do we realize that the practical and spiritual power of the Conference will nearly always be superior to the legal power of the G.S.B.?

**Group Contributions**

| Zone | GROUP                         | CENTRAL |          | CORRECTIONS |      | TREATMENT |        |
|------|-------------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|------|-----------|--------|
|      |                               | MAY     | YEAR     | MAY         | YEAR | MAY       | YEAR   |
|      |                               |         |          |             |      |           |        |
| 6    | 11:45 Noon                    |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | 11th Step                     |         | 172.75   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | 4th Dimension                 | 60.00   | 60.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | 6th Step                      |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | 7 Clan                        |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | A Day At A Time               |         | 100.00   |             | 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 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Acceptance/Welcome            | 300.00  | 1,400.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Achievement                   |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Action                        |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Albion Sunday                 |         | 25.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Alexander                     |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | All Is Well                   |         | 257.34   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Amsdell Step                  |         | 25.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Amherst Snyder                | 300.00  | 300.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Another Chance                |         | 30.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Any Age                       |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Any Lengths                   | 30.00   | 150.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Arcade/ Yorkshire             | 100.00  | 245.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | As Bill Sees It               |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Attitude Adjustment(Williams) | 100.00  | 100.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Attraction                    |         | 200.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Beginning's Women             |         | 200.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Big Book @ Brothers           |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Blasdell                      |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Blasdell Monday               |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Blasdell Saturday             |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Boulevard Helping Hand        |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Boulevard Women               |         | 100.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Buffalo Group                 |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
|      | Buffalo Early Birds           |         | 1,000.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 200.00 |
| 3    | By the Wayside                |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Carry the Mes sage            |         | 0.00     |             | 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  | 150.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Clarence Men's                |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Coldsprings                   |         | 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   |
| 8    | Delaware Park Men's           |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Depth & Weight                |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Derby                         |         | 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   |
| 8    | East Amherst                  |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | East Amherst Into Action      |         | 175.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | East Aurora                   |         | 100.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Easy Does It                  |         | 100.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Ellicottville                 |         | 100.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Etemal Vigilance              | 95.00   | 95.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Everybody's                   |         | 175.60   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Excellent Adventure           |         | 300.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Eyeopener                     |         | 853.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 170.00 |
| 4    | Eyeopener South               |         | 929.61   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Fireside                      | 190.77  | 451.82   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | First Step (NF)               |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Forestville In The Solution   |         | 75.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Fredonia Discussion           |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Fresh Start                   |         | 99.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |

| Zone | GROUP                        | CENTRAL |          | CORRECTIONS |      | TREATMENT |        |
|------|------------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|------|-----------|--------|
|      |                              | MAY     | YEAR     | MAY         | YEAR | MAY       | YEAR   |
| 1    | Friday Night Lights          |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Friendly                     |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Gardenville                  | 150.00  | 300.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Gettin With It               |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | GIVE ME SHELTER              |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Go to Any Length             | 210.00  | 410.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Golden Slipper               |         | 300.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Grace & Dignity              | 25.28   | 25.28    |             | 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                      |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Hertel Discussion            |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | High Noon                    |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | High View                    |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Hillbilly                    |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Holiday Village/Desire       | 600.00  | 1,200.00 |             | 0.00 | 50.00     | 100.00 |
| 4    | Holland                      |         | 200.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Honesty                      |         | 400.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | How It Works/Men's           |         | 300.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | I Am Responsible             | 26.00   | 103.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Ironhorse                    |         | 611.06   |             | 0.00 |           | 44.44  |
| 8    | IT                           |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Just For Today/ Albion       |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Just For Today/ Cheektowaga  |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Keep IT Comin'               |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Keep It Simple Sister        |         | 75.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Kenmore                      |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Kensington                   |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | KITCHEN TABLE AA             |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Lakeview                     |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Lakeshore                    |         | 300.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Lancaster Dailey Reprieve    |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Laguage Of The Heart         |         | 115.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Lasalle                      |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
|      | Lawyer's                     |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | LewPort                      |         | 50.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Life Ahead                   |         | 25.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Life Today                   |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Lighten UP                   |         | 408.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 68.00  |
| 2    | Living in the Solution       |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Living Sober                 |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Lockport #1                  |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Lockport Discussion          |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Lockport Ladies              |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Lockview                     |         | 150.66   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Love                         |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Lovejoy                      |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | LOW BOTTOM                   | 25.00   | 50.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 5.00   |
| 5    | Lower River                  |         | 50.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | LUNCH BUNCH ALBION           |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Main and High                |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Main Street                  |         | 150.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Marching Forth               |         | 100.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Marilla                      | 50.00   | 150.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Matt Talbot                  |         | 81.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 76.00  |
| 6    | McKinley Winners             |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Medina New Life              |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | MEDINA STEP WORK/BIG BOOK    |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | MEN WHO TRUDGE               |         | 300.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
|      | Monday Morning Disc.         |         | 50.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | MONDAY NIGHT SOLUTION        |         | 230.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Monday Women's               |         | 175.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | New Destiny                  |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Newfane Living Sober         |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | NEW LIFE (ALDEN)             |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | New Life                     |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Niagara Frontier Men's Disc. |         | 119.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | North Buffalo                |         | 300.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | North Evans Men's            | 45.00   | 90.00    |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | North Java Monday            |         | 500.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | ON AWAKENING/ Men            |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | ODAT                         |         | 0.00     |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Orchard Park Step            |         | 397.50   |             | 0.00 |           | 50.00  |

| Zone | GROUP                         | CENTRAL |        | CORRECTIONS |      | TREATMENT |        |
|------|-------------------------------|---------|--------|-------------|------|-----------|--------|
|      |                               | MAY     | YEAR   | MAY         | YEAR | MAY       | YEAR   |
| 2    | Peaceful Tuesday              |         | 50.00  |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Point of No Return            |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Power 4 Living                |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Primary Purpose               |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Principles Bef. Personalities |         | 100.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Purpose/Tonawanda             |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Questions & Answers           |         | 100.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Ray Of Hope                   |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Recovered Men's               |         | 0.00   | 100.00      |      |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Recovery Near the Gardens     |         | 10.00  |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Remember When                 |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Renaissance                   |         | 100.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Renewal                       |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Ridge                         |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | ROCETTES WOMEN'S              |         | 100.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | RIGOROUSLY HONEST             |         | 150.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Rise and Shine                |         | 200.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Rochester                     |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | ROOM TO GROW                  |         | 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    | 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   |
| 2    | Serenity                      |         | 500.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Serenity on the Lake          |         | 50.00  |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Serenity Trails               |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Setaside                      |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | Shelter From The Storm        |         | 246.00 |             | 0.00 | 246.00    |        |
| 2    | Sheridan                      |         | 150.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Silvercreek Friendship        |         | 450.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Simplicity                    |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | SOBER ON SENECA               |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Sober Saturday                |         | 100.00 |             | 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                   |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Sober Winners                 | 100.00  | 150.00 | 50.00       | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | SOBRIETY@ THE STABLES         |         | 360.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Sobriety Men's Disc.          | 133.00  | 633.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Sobriety On The Canal         |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | SOLUTIONS                     |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Soul Purpose                  |         | 156.26 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | SOUTH BUFFALO                 |         | 100.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Southgate                     |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Southwestern                  |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Sparks Of Hope                | 250.00  | 250.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Spiritual Progress            |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Springville New Life          |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Springville Sat Afternoon     |         | 307.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Springville Tues. Night       |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Springville Wed. Noon         | 20.00   | 60.00  |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Sprout II                     | 100.00  | 100.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | St. Bamabas                   |         | 228.25 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | St. Mark's                    |         | 126.07 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Staying Sober                 | 200.00  | 400.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
|      | Step By Step                  |         | 150.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | Step it Up (Wehrle)           |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Sunday Morning Breakfast      |         | 100.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Sunday's Best                 |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Sunday in Cattaraugus         |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | Sunrise Court                 | 25.00   | 110.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | SUNY Amherst Campus           |         | 73.90  |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Surrender and Hope            |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | TGIF                          |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 4    | Thankful                      |         | 100.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
|      | Thankful Heart                |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 7    | The Absolutes                 |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | The Anonymus                  |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | The Beginnings Of Recovery    |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | The CPR                       |         | 323.17 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | The Derby Lunch               |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 1    | THE GATEHOUSE                 |         | 194.51 |             | 0.00 | 85.64     |        |
| 2    | The Grove                     |         | 300.00 |             | 0.00 | 30.00     | 120.00 |
| 1    | The Journey                   | 84.50   | 208.75 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | The KEYS OF THE KINGDOM       |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | The Noon Meeting              |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | THE NORTH COLLINS             |         | 120.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 3    | Thruway                       |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 2    | Thursday Women's Literature   |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 8    | TnT                           |         | 180.00 |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 5    | Today                         |         | 90.00  |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |
| 6    | Tri County                    |         | 0.00   |             | 0.00 |           | 0.00   |

| Zone   | GROUP                    | CENTRAL |           | CORRECTIONS |        | TREATMENT |          |
|--------|--------------------------|---------|-----------|-------------|--------|-----------|----------|
|        |                          | MAY     | YEAR      | MAY         | YEAR   | MAY       | YEAR     |
| 3      | Try Again                |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 4      | Tuesday Men's AM         |         | 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              | 200.00  | 200.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 6      | TWO PONDS                |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 8      | Unity                    |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 2      | UV MEN'S                 | 100.00  | 100.00    | 100.00      | 100.00 | 100.00    | 100.00   |
| 3      | Valley                   |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 3      | Victory                  |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 3      | Victory Women's          |         | 175.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 1      | Wake Up Call             | 80.00   | 220.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 2      | WE BELIEVE               |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 8      | We Care                  |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 3      | WE HAVE RECOVERED        | 300.00  | 300.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 1      | Westminster              |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 8      | Williamsville            |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 6      | Willing To Grow          |         | 150.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 5      | Wilson Group             | 50.00   | 80.00     |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 1      | Women In Recovery        |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 5      | Women In Sobriety        |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 8      | Women Making the Effort  |         | 125.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 50.00    |
|        | WOMAN OF AA RETREAT      |         | 500.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 1      | Working                  |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| 6      | YORKSHIRE SATURDAY NIGHT |         | 0.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| Zone   |                          | MAY     | YEAR      | MAY         | YEAR   | MAY       | YEAR     |
|        | Anonymous                | 0.01    | 100.01    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Barbara C.               |         | 20.00     |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Brett R.                 | 8.00    | 8.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Christine CS             |         | 373.31    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Donna H.                 | 10.00   | 50.00     |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Eileen L.                |         | 125.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Ellen M B                |         | 7.00      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Lee M.                   | 50.00   | 150.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Karen M.                 | 10.00   | 40.00     |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Lila M.                  | 5.00    | 25.00     |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Maureen M.               |         | 441.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Monica M.                |         | 30.00     |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Susan V.                 | 62.00   | 310.00    |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Terry B.                 |         | 10.00     |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Wally E.                 |         | 25.00     |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
|        | Walk In                  |         | 1.29      |             | 0.00   |           | 0.00     |
| TOTALS |                          | 4244.56 | 26,552.14 | 100.00      | 250.00 | 180.00    | 1,315.08 |

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