

“Courage to Change”

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Area 92 Newsletter

Mission Statement

To Report directly “to those they serve”; to publicize AA events; to be a forum for sharing and comment.



Greetings Area 92!

Greetings Area 92! This Month, Step Six reminds us that the courage to change those things we can is a lifelong endeavor with our 6th and 7th step. That character development is often not easy, but it is always worth it! I continue to look for Journalists, Writers and Artists that might be interested in submitting feature articles or contributions for the newsletter. Contact me if you would like to be on the mailing list. Thank you for the opportunity to be of Service!

Benjamin G. Newsletter Editor / WSEA 92 / Panel 70 / AA

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Area 92 Newsletter

Area Delegate

Greetings WSEA 92,

"What in hell are we afraid of?"

Now that my 2nd General Service Conference (GSC) has come to a close and I am in the "autumn" of the most recent experience as a trusted servant, I have been reflecting on comments of Bill's from 1958 following that year's conference. As usual, his language of the heart seemed appropriate for this month's Newsletter entry.

"I think all of us revere the concepts of democracy, of parliament, and of the republic. We see these associations of men and women trying to cooperate, trying to govern themselves. We in the Western world believe that in these institutions lies the spiritual substance necessary for the ultimate happiness and unity of the world.

We believe in the same things for A.A. I submit that if this conference was ruffled, if individuals were deeply disturbed (one guy told me his ulcers got going again), I say this is fine. Because what Parliament, what republic, what democracy has not been disturbed? Friction of opposing viewpoints is the very 'modus operandi' on which they proceed. What should we be afraid of?

Now, the great hope of democracies, republics and parliaments is that the people who lie back in their constituencies will be sufficiently well motivated, will be sufficiently well informed, will be sufficiently spiritual to make these institutions work. If they don't work, if the people back there don't have these qualities, then we have to resort to the childish device of dictatorship.

Now, if this is done in A.A., the chance for democracy under God's guidance, the chance for a republic, the chance for a parliament of service – why, the chances are so much better for us today than any other institutions I can think of.

Of what, then, are we afraid? As I said, we revere these institutions. And every day we read the paper – from Washington, from London – we find that very harsh things are said in these parliaments and that there is often great bitterness and strife, and we still revere them because underneath we have the underlying confidence.

But I say, how many times in such a parliament do they, at the end of each session, fall into a man-to-man agreement? Do they feel themselves under such grace as we are so fortunate to have?

What in hell are we afraid of?"

Bill W. Excerpted from "Our Great Responsibility" - Pages 130 and 131.

In love and gratitude,

Gary P.

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Area Alternate Delegate

Greetings Fellowship!

These are hardly the lazy days of summer....The Area Standing Committee Workshop, The Pacific Northwest Conference, and July Quarterly; all happening in the next five weeks! In addition, we have two more scheduled Delegate 71st GSC reports; June 12 and July 24. Lots of good stuff on the horizon....I will be attending it all. Hope to see you there!

We are in the early stages of planning another online GSR/DCM school/workshop, scheduled for August 28. Everyone can benefit from this "journey through AA's service structure". Past Delegates, David M. and Allen D. eagerly accepted the invitation to present this amazing PowerPoint and to share their experience with us...you don't want to miss this awesome presentation! This is a wonderful opportunity to get prepared to participate in two important events: September Standing Committee Workshop and the October Voting Assembly. Spread the word let's get as many Groups represented as possible!

To serve the Fellowship of A.A. is, and always will be a spiritual journey I will always be deeply grateful for, thank you for the opportunity!!

"....to show them that service can add a rich dimension to their sober lives and Twelfth Step work, and that their participation is vital to the future of A.A.

.....A.A. Service Manual S23

Ben N - Alternate Delegate Panel 70

Area Chairperson

I'm sorry about not getting a newsletter to you last month but I was still not able to type the first of May. As I reported, back on April 12th, I tripped over a rug, falling on my right shoulder which resulted in 2 cracks in my shoulder. I had to keep it immobilized for what has seemed like forever. I go back to the doctor this week to find out when I start physical therapy. Fun!!!

The DCMs, Area Standing chairs and Area Elected officers have continued to meet on a monthly basis during May. At least sitting is doable with a bum shoulder. The DCMs discussed the Area website meeting schedule and how to make changes. The Standing Committee Chairs are planning the next workshop which is scheduled for June 19 as our first hybrid Area function. I'm looking forward to attending on Zoom, while others attend in person in Libby, Montana.

Thank you all for making the April Area Assembly a success. The next meeting will be the July Quarterly hosted by District 22 on Zoom on July 16th and 17th.

Yours in service,

Diana M
Area 92 Chair
Panel 70

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Area Alternate Chairperson

Greetings and happy June,

Looks like most meetings are back to regular schedules and open for business. This is very good news. ZOOM was just ok but in person meetings are really where it's at....
Our Trusted DCM's have been keeping up with the web site meeting schedule which updates the meeting guide app. Thank you trusted servants.

June standing committee workshop will be hybrid from Libby Montana hosted by District 26 and our area newsletter chair Benjamin. Flyers are posted to the web site.
July quarterly will still be hosted by district 22 and it will be virtual via zoom.

Thank you, Emilia and your team. Flyers are posted to the web site.
District 4 in Richland will be hosting the October voting assembly LIVE!!!! We are back in action folks..
Registration flyers and event flyers are posted to the area web site.
Please get the word out so we may have a great finale to the panel 70 and welcome our panel 72 trusted servants.

That is about it for Gary today.
See you all soon...

YIS Gary H. (509) 670-8860

Area Treasurer

Hello AREA 92

Summer is trying to get here, with everything trying to open up: flower buds to AA meetings. We have all gone through some very stressful times this past year and the new freedoms are exciting and hopeful. I have sent a couple of different reports for your viewing in the newsletter: the expenses by vendor and the P & L 2nd Quarter (April) to date. You will have an entire 2nd quarter P&L for the July Quarterly. You will have a complete 2nd Quarter (April-June) report at the July Quarterly.
WSEA contributions for \$14,600 was sent to GSO. In addition, we also sent \$400.00 to GSO for the Delegate's fund. This was in addition to our previous amount of \$1800.00, for a total of \$2400.00. This is the "suggested" amount to be fully self-supporting in our AREA.

AREA 92 Prudent Reserve Balance , as of May 31, 2021, was	\$ 2,500.42.
The beginning checking account balance as of May 01, 2021 was	\$37,437.33
There were deposits and additions (i.e. PayPal transfer) totaling	\$ 2,041.14
There were expenses of	\$15,548.00.
ENDING BALANCE	\$23,930.47

Thank you to all the groups at this very hard time. Please send all contributions to:

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"If I'm not part of the solution, I'm still part of the problem." I ask God to always help me be part of the solution.

YIS Jan R
WSEA 92 Treasurer
treasurer@area92aa.org
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Area Alternate Treasurer

Greetings Area 92

Contributions for May 2021 were **\$2,041.14**. Thank you to all of the individuals, groups and Districts for your contributions and continued support. The May 2021 Contribution Report was emailed to all DCM's and Alt DCM's. If you would prefer to only get your own District Contributions Report, or just your group, let me know and I will modify it. I also want the District GSR's to make sure your DCM's are getting this information out to you. If you are not receiving it, let them know or email me and I will get you a copy.

Please send all contributions to:

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Or

PayPal

(accessed from our website Area92aa.org)

Please include your **Group Name**, **Group ID Number** and **District #** on the contribution(s) to ensure that I give proper credit to the contributing groups or if this is a personal contribution, indicate **"personal"** in the memo line. There are several groups with the same name so without at least the district number, it is very difficult to categorize properly. Contributions can also be made on the AREA 92 website by PayPal. It is set up to generate all personal/group information. **If you use PayPal, please be complete with your information.**

Last month I asked you to help me solve a mystery on checks I have received from an organization called "Network for Good". I have received one email from a member that said he has seen an "option to choose a charity" when placing orders on the internet. For him Area 92 AA has come up as an option so he has "checked" that one. I too have seen this but never the Area 92 AA only other organizations like St. Jude etc. I need to reiterate that even though this seems great, we cannot accept them with no way to verify it is coming from members of the fellowship only. If anyone else has had a similar experience or knows something completely different, please email me and pass along this information to your Districts and Groups in Area 92.

If you have questions on contributions or are just curious about finances in AA in general, please email me and I would be happy to bring you up to date. Thank you again.

Be safe, healthy and God Bless

YIS

Cindy H.

Area 92 Alt-Treasurer

alt-treasurer@area92aa.org

Finance Committee Chair

P70

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Area Secretary

Happy June Area 92

I hope you are all enjoying the warmer weather. I highly encourage you all to attend the PNC this month. I've always come away inspired to do more. There will be hard copies of the Area Handbook ready for this function. Some of you have already emailed me in anticipation of a hard copy. As I said last month, you can access the Handbook on the Area website. A PDF of the Handbook, Motions from 1995 to current and the Historical Motions prior to our Area becoming Area 92 are available. The Committee felt this would be most convenient for you to print what you want. But to repeat myself, I will have a complete Handbook with Historical motions included. I can email this to you or mail you a hard copy, via snail mail!! The complete book has roughly 80 plus pages. There will be continued updates as new motions are passed. This is a living document. I will keep you informed if an updated version is posted. The July Quarterly will be upon us in no time. It's hard to believe second year of rotation is in its last Quarterly and Voting Assembly. I encourage anyone to step up and be a part of this amazing WSEA. Being the Area Secretary has been the biggest honor for this alcoholic. Hope to see you all soon, until then, God Bless,

YILS AnnMarie secretary@area92aa.org

Area Archives Chair

Greetings Area 92,

I have been attending the monthly Pacific Region Archives Zoom meeting. This monthly call is intended to establish a place where all Archivists from the Pacific Region can unify in a timeless service for the sole purpose of Archiving and preserving the history of A.A. This meeting is open to any Archivist/Archives Chair that is interested. If your Group or District archivist is interested in attending, please contact me for the login information. I continue to meet with the Archives Steering Committee monthly, and we are looking at ideas and ways to start digitalizing the materials we have collected as well as continuing to work on the cataloging of said materials. We also have completed the Archives Handbook for Districts and Groups, so if you're interested in a copy of the suggestive piece we have put together, again please contact me either Email or phone call, and I would be happy to get you a copy. I am looking forward to the Area's First ever hybrid event at the Standing Committee Workshop in June, in Libby Mt. I hope to see a good turnout on both ends, both live and on zoom, this is an exciting time for all of us. Then we have the first Virtual PNC, on June 26th, if you have not registered, you should hop to it! Registration is free, super easy and can be done online at PNC1948.org

Thank you for the pleasure of serving Area 92 as your Archives Chair,
In Love and Service, Lisa G.

Area Archivist

COVID STORY FROM Jamie & Charlie K.

Jamie & Charlie K. - My wife and I had just moved to Spokane Valley in Nov. 2019. After attending various AA meetings, I became a member of the Best 3 out of 5 group. We meet at a room downstairs by the St Joseph's Cemetery. Somewhere around March of 2020 the world was hit with COVID-19. Our group conscious decided that we would stop having face to face meetings and meet on Zoom, an online computer meeting.

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At first, I was hesitant to try this but after attending several Zoom meetings I got comfortable meeting this way until we can get back to face to face. It is definitely not the same as a face to face but it is a viable substitute until we get back to normal, whatever that looks like.

A couple of the positive observations about Zoom meetings is that:

- 1- I am able to still see my old home group members in Everett and for that matter anywhere around the world
- 2- I think there is a place for Zoom meetings once we get back meeting face to face.

Corrections

Summer is almost here...I think. As the world re-emerges, it still feels to me like a blend between Groundhog Day and a strange science fiction movie. I am currently focusing on One Day at a Time and a full month has passed since our last newsletter. I listened to the delegates report and heard that like the world, AA is and has changed. The AAWS Corrections Committee recommended to the conference to move forward with changing our literature to refer to inmates as "persons in custody." I am hearing from our Area Correctional Committee members that AA's are ready to serve and carry the message. They are getting up to date on their paperwork and volunteer training. Correctional facilities are getting close to reopening to volunteers and DOC is reexamining the vision for volunteers. I have been working closely with CPC to put together resources for our Correctional facility contacts to reach out and make AA available to both existing and new facilities. I have attended the National Correction Conference call and heard about diversity and recovery. We are all waiting to hear from the General Service office regarding the outcome of the JPAY contract along with the recommendations on distribution of digital materials to persons in custody. I have been in contact with Area 72 and Oregon Area Correction Chairs and aware of their ongoing activities. Looking forward to attending the standing committee in person in Libby, YIS holly

Area CPC Chair

Hello, Area 92!

I hope everyone is doing well! We are getting ready for another Standing Committee Workshop on June 19th. This will be a hybrid event and most of the committee will be traveling to Libby, Montana. I am very excited to see everyone. I hope everyone can make it..... On Zoom or in person.

Michelle (Area 92 PI Chair) and I are having a CPC/PI zoom meeting on the 3rd Tuesday at 7:00. District 8 is having a CPC/PI Zoom meeting on the first Tuesday of every month at 7:00. I have also been attending Area 03's CPC monthly meeting. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you need anything!

YIS,
Brande

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Area Grapevine and Literature Chair

See you in Libby!

In Love and Service Anna V.

Area Newsletter Editor

Greetings Areas 92!

This month has been very busy getting ready for the Workshop in Libby Montana! I really am looking forward to getting back to in person Service Meetings. I made a trip up to Libby on the 5th to review the facility and work out some of the technical details. On the way back I was able to stop at the Gazebo Boys campout and have dinner with the AA folks there.

I also participated on an A.A. Founder's Day meeting on June 10th.

I continue to sponsor and participate with the District 8 3rd Legacy Committee; I also participate on the District Handbook Committee and we are in the process of updating our Handbook.

It is an honor and privilege to Serve! Thank you for all your support!

Yours in Service Benjamin G. Area Newsletter Editor / WSEA 92 / Panel 70 / AA

Area Public Information Chair

The next Standing Committee Workshop is June 19th and it will be a hybrid meeting. Our theme is Communication – Cooperation – Integration. Jennifer will be managing the event via zoom and Benjamin will coordinate on-site. On June 5th, Benjamin drove up to Libby, Montana, to organize a run through on-site while the rest of the committee joined via zoom. We are hoping to have a well-attended event. Anna and I will be making a road trip to Libby, Montana, for the workshop. We have missed travelling together and seeing all of your faces in-person is well worth the trip, maybe even a hug or two.

PNC will be held on June 26th and 27th. The website is up and running with links to the flyer and program in Spanish and English. Registration is required; however, the event is FREE. If you would like to make a donation there is a link for that on the website at www.pnc1948.org. All of the committee members are working diligently on their assignments. We have scheduled five run-throughs with the panelists and speakers prior to the event so we are prepared and ready to go.

I am looking forward to seeing all of you at the first hybrid Standing Committee Workshop and the PNC.

In Love and Service,
Michelle W.
WSEA 92 – Panel 70
Public Information Chair

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Area Treatment Chair

Welcome to June Area92. Notes from Treatment/Accessibilities Chair

I just arrived home last night from Libby, for a much-needed camp out. It is a reminder to keep balance in my life. I love every aspect of my life, work, home, family, and my AA family. When I put I all of the aspects of my life in a circle and focus on the triangle that lives with in unity, service, and recovery. I find out "How it works".

We are preparing for our workshop this month and I hope to see District Chairs, inter group members home group members and, members there are no qualifications you need to meet to attend a workshop. We sometimes have past Delegates attend and elected members of the area visit and participate. They come to support learn and join in the conversations. If we never ask a question we never learn the answers. This month Ben Nelson our Alt. delegate will be sharing some insight and experience, strength and hope. We will have he Chair of PNC giving an update on what you can expect to hear and learn about at the PNC later this month.

What does it mean to communicate? What does it mean to cooperate? How do we integrate others into our circle?

These are some of the things we will be discussing this month at the workshop this month. We want you to walk away knowing that we may be individuals, but we can do anything together. AA is a we program not a I program.

We had a new chair join in the monthly Treatment Accessibilities meeting. I would love for more to join us. I have set up this meeting space so we could have a place to communicate, what we need in our Districts and home groups. If you are interested in learning about being of service in caring the message to Treatment Centers, our finding a way to help make meetings more Accessible to members in your community, join us as we will continue to meet on the 4th Thursday of the month at 7pm. Via zoom.

I am also available to come visit your district and help you carry the message of hope in to your community. Life for me is about always being a helping hand to others. You asking me for help allows me to continue to grow and change and be of service. I can be reached at treatment@area92aa.org

See you all soon.
Fran L

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Bridging the Gap (Treatment Committee)

Area Translation Chair

Finance Committee

See Alt. Treasurer Report

Hello, Area 92!

The Finance Committee will meet next week, so I don't have much to report this time. We have just been informed that there is now a "secure" tab on the Area's website, so there will be some upcoming discussions on its use for various settings in the Area's finances. As every month, your Finance Committee continues to make sure your Area is financially sound and would appreciate any questions you may have.

Although this rotation is coming to an end, there is still a space for one more member of the committee. There's still a lot to do before the end of the year, so if you're active in the service and interested in the Area's finances, email me and we'll talk. We love hearing from the body and are ready to answer any questions.

Stay safe, healthy, and God bless you.

YIS

Cindy H.

Area 92 P70

Chair of the Finance Committee of the

Website Committee

See Alt. Chair Report

Hello fellow members and trusted servants.

The web team has been reconfiguring the web site a bit. We are trying to make it appear more user friendly. We cleaned up some tabs and added a tab or two in order to get back to the 2-3 click rule so to speak. WE noticed navigation around the web site was getting a lot confusing and clustered.

Please take some time to look around and see what's new.

Standing committee chairs have a whole new look and much better exposure.

Our goal is to be more friendly with quicker navigation. We entertain any suggestions and feedback alt-chair@are92aa.org

Our web master is continuing to upgrade security pages for the newsletter as well as financial reports tabs. This is coming together and should be up and running very soon.

Thanks for letting me chair this team and to be of service to our area.

Gary H. (509) 670-8860

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Area Registrar

Greetings WSEA 92 Fellowship!

Howdy Folks! Your friendly neighborhood Registrar here.....

The Fellowship Connection was launched on December 14, 2020. There have been several training sessions along the way . Development has included a help section, user guides, training guides, and an FAQ component. Needless to say this database has come a long way. I joined yet another sharing session May 11, in which many suggestions by Area Registrars were made towards further improvements. It has been a lot of fun and a privilege to be a part of this early development. With future sharing sessions in the planning, the ability to reach out to, and inform our Groups can only improve!

Get Connected !

Is your Group Information up to date?? Please take five minutes to complete this form : <https://forms.gle/QpmDbGzhxzYzYJSP8> and take advantage of GSO services: GSR Kit, Box 459, (quarterly news and notes from GSO), contribution reports, important announcements, and more.

Always Grateful to serve,

Ben N - WSEA 92 Alternate Delegate/Registrar Panel 70

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District and DCM Reports

District 2

District 2 is up and running! We have 3 ad hoc committees. A Handbook Committee, and an Alcatraz Committee, and the Sharing Session Committee. (Thank you for getting our flyer in the May newsletter!) We also encouraged everyone at the last District meeting to share their enthusiasm for being a GSR at meetings they attend outside their home group.

Hope you enjoyed the Sharing Session on Hybrid Meetings.

Rainey M

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District 8

Hello All:

I am still in Southern California and do not have much news to report. Thank you to David for chairing the May District meeting.

May has been a fairly uneventful month after the fast pace of the past few months getting ready and completing the GSC. Our May 11, District meeting had another awesome attendance. We had 14 GSR's and alt-GSR's present, 7 Committee Chairs, 3 Officers with 4 guests for a total of 28 members present. Thank you to David for chairing the May District meeting in my absence.

I was able to attend the Area 8 (San Diego & Imperial) Delegate's report as a guest and found it very informative. I attend most of the presentation of our Delegates GSC report on May 22. There will be 2 more presentations in June and July. I would urge all to attend one or the other for a glimpse into what is happening with AA GSO, AAWS, Grapevine etc. and the direction we are headed.

Thank you all for being amazing District Trusted Servants.

Events attended during May:

May 15, 2021. Area 8 Post Conference Delegates report

May 22, 2021. Area 92 Post Conference Delegates report

YIS,

Catherine B.

District 8 DCM

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District 8-Serenity Sisters

District 8 –Serenity Sisters meets every Saturday at 10am at His Place Church in Post Falls. We are an open Women's meeting. We offer a 12X12 study on the 3rd Saturday of the month. There is a Speaker Meeting at the end of each quarter. Our business meeting is the first Saturday of the month, following our normal meeting. The church requires that we lock the door at 10:15. Wendy- GSR

District 10

Greetings from District 10!

The following members celebrated milestones in May:

Carole O. – 1 year

Dana C. – 42 years

Debbie R. – 1 year

Kena – 17 years

Susan W. – 1 year

Congrats to all!

Things are changing rapidly and meetings are beginning to meet in person again so please see our website (kittitascountyaa.org) for up-to-date meeting info.

The following group spotlight comes from the Cle Elum Group:

"#1 we have been steadily open to meeting for over a year, with the virus not being an issue. #2 we, as a whole kept the rooms open for all who needed a place to fellowship and hang on to our sober ways and help the alcoholic who still suffered. All in all ... We trusted GOD, kept our side of the street clean and helped others. (Dr. Bob's RX)."

Thank you for the update Kena!

Stay safe,

District 10

District 13

Hello again from District 13. Our District 13 Business Meeting is still Zoom only on the 2nd Tuesday of the month @ 6:30. If you want to join in the Zoom meeting info. is 817-2926-8720 and the Password is 3of5. Some groups are opening up as in-person and Zoom Meeting called a hybrid meeting. Check the Area 92 or Intergroup websites for the latest information. Other than that look for a Flyer from Intergroup about our annual picnic. I will include it with my next report.

Thanks,

Jamie Kane District 13 DCM

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District 24

Hi everyone! Greetings to all our fellow members from all of us at District 24!

All groups in district 24 are having in person meetings. In May there was an increase in attendance and more new people are coming to meetings for information about AA. Yes! 5th tradition alive and well! GSRs say that although it continues to be a challenge to fill group service positions especially volunteers to chair group meetings, however there is always a member who volunteers when needed. Grupo Comunidad is continuing to prepare for group anniversary 2022. (Felicidades to Grupo El Puente and Roman and Alfredo) On June 12 the group celebrates it's 13th anniversary and Roman and Alfredo who are celebrating sobriety birthdays. Grupo 12 has added an AA study group session for their Thursday night group meeting. The GSRs and I are continuing to study the concepts this month. And on June 2nd we visited one of the district groups. The GSRs are also figuring a date for our conference Delegate's report.

I continue to attend PNC meetings every week. PNC 2021 is right around the corner on June 26 & 27th. I'm helping people register and we in the Hispanic groups are all so happy there will be Spanish translation!

On May 22nd I was at our 2021 Conference Delegate's report. Thank you for your service Gary! I reflected on the efforts made to ensure that the Spanish districts had the conference agenda items and material in Spanish and I thought about our group and extra district meetings, our pre conference assembly and all the groups' work on the agenda items! In the end we trust our trusted servants make the best decisions for the whole of AA. A Spanish fourth edition of Alcohólicos Anónimos is coming. Yes!!!

Thank you for your service GSRs and all trusted servants. See you all at "PNC" by zoom. Felices 24 horas!

In gratitude,
Virginia R.
DCM District 24

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Please register for:

2021 Pacific Northwest Conference

[HERE \(English\)](#)

There is no cost to register and attend this service conference.

Donations are appreciated. If you would like to donate, please visit the Pacific Northwest Conference Website, www.PNC1948.org, scroll to the bottom of the page, and click on **"donate"**.

Event Timing:

Saturday June 26, 2021

9am – 9pm

Conference

Sunday June 27, 2021

9am – Noon

PNC Business Meeting and Wrap Up

Event Address: Virtual Event / Zoom

Zoom information and an updated Program are located on our website at www.PNC1948.org.

Regístrese para:

Conferencia del Noroeste del Pacífico 2021

[AQUÍ \(Español\)](#)

No hay ningún costo para registrarse y asistir a esta conferencia de servicio.

Se agradecen las donaciones. Si desea donar, visite el sitio web de la Conferencia del Noroeste del Pacífico, www.PNC1948.org, desplácese hasta la parte inferior de la página y haga clic en **"donar"**.

Duración del evento:

Sábado 26 de junio de 2021

9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Conferencia

Domingo 27 de junio de 2021

9 a.m. - Mediodía Reunión de negocios de PNC y

conclusión

Dirección del evento: Evento virtual / Zoom

La información de Zoom y un programa actualizado se encuentran en nuestro sitio web en www.PNC1948.org.

General Service Representatives

5 EASY steps to get CONNECTED



1. Go to Area 92 website: <https://area92aa.org/>
2. Under the “Area Committee” tab click on “Documents”
3. At that screen (on the left) click on “Other Documents”
4. Click on “Group Change Form”
5. Complete and click “submit”

Your Group Info is now up-to-date with Area and GSO!

??? QUESTIONS ??? Contact: alt-delegate@area92aa.org - Ph# 208-755-2345

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Our 7th Tradition states: "Every A.A. Group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions."

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Area Newsletter Submission Guidelines

The Area 92 Newsletter- Published Monthly

The Newsletter is our primary mode of communication in Area 92 and relies on the submissions of each

of us: Our DCM's, GSR's, Elected officers, Appointed Chairs and Delegates, Past and Present, as well as any member within Area 92. Geographically Area 92 includes Eastern Washington, Northern Idaho, Western Montana and Hermiston Oregon.

Submissions: Any Member of A.A. may submit information, questions, reports, ideas or discussion points to the Editor. All Submissions are subject to editing for Grammar, sentence structure and spelling.

Any opinions expressed herein are not endorsed nor approved by A.A. as a whole nor is any article or activity published by A.A. as a whole except when Conference approved literature is quoted or otherwise copyrighted by A.A.W.S.

The Submission deadline is the 5th of each month at 5pm. Pacific Standard Time. Each submission should be approximately 250 words.

Submission Methods: Email to newsletter@area92aa.org or US Mail to Address below

Area 92 Newsletter

212 Ironwood Drive Ste D #212

Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83814

This is the disclaimer and submission guidelines that will be found in each monthly Area Newsletter.

Changes include:

- Submittal deadline has been changed from the 10th of the month to the 5th of the Month.
- No Phone Text entries will be accepted.
- The Mailing Address has been changed.
- All forms of Mail Accepted, US Postal, FEDEX, UPS, DHL Etc.
- All entries and flyers should be clear and legible.
- Submission does not guarantee publication.

Thank you for your cooperation

Sincerely yours in Service!

Benjamin G. Newsletter Editor AREA 92 / Panel 70

Missed an Issue???

Area 92 Newsletter Archive

Go to :

area92aa.org/newsletter

Area 92 Service Opportunities - Your local AA needs You!

Volunteer for the committee that interests you

TRANSLATION COMMITTEE

- Help arrange for Translation Services with our Hispanic speaking Districts in Area 92
- Helps with document translations needs for Area assemblies, workshops when requested.

Chairperson: Doug M. 509-319-7510

translation@area92aa.org



ARCHIVES COMMITTEE

- Assist the Chair in compiling a chronological history and help them maintain the history of the Area.
- Help maintain an inventory.
- Be available to display the archives at Area 92 functions and other invited functions.

Chairperson: Lisa G. 406-334-7091

archives-chair@area92aa.org



LITERATURE COMMITTEE

- Inform groups, district or area assembly members of AA approved literature, audiovisual material and other special items.
- Become familiar with the information on G.S.O.'s A.A. website (www.aa.org).
- Provide literature for groups, area, and district functions.
- Consider suggestions regarding proposed additions to and changes in Conference-approved literature and audiovisual material.
- Encourage A.A. members to read/purchase A.A. literature.

Chairperson: Anna V. 509-406-2262

literature@area92aa.org



CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE

The purpose of a corrections committee is to coordinate the work of individual A.A. members and groups who are interested in carrying our message of recovery to alcoholics behind the walls, and to set up means of smoothing the way from the facility to the larger A.A. community through prerelease contacts.

Chairperson: Holly H 509-251-3669

corrections@area92aa.org



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C P C COMMITTEE

COOPERATION WITH THE PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY

Members of these committees provide information about A.A. to those who have contact with alcoholics through their profession, including healthcare, E.A.P. and H.R. professionals; educators; members of the clergy; lawyers; social workers; military professionals; government officials; and those working in the field of alcoholism. Information is provided about where we are, what we are, what we can do, and what we cannot do.

Chairperson: Brande G. 509-868-4123

cpc@area92aa.org



P I COMMITTEE

PUBLIC INFORMATION

The purpose of P.I. service work is to provide accurate A.A. information to the public when requested. P.I. committees visit schools, businesses and community meetings for this purpose. They also serve as resources for our friends in the local media, emphasizing our Traditions of anonymity, singleness of purpose and non-affiliation, as well as offering A.A. public service announcements to media outlets such as radio and television stations.

Chairperson: Michelle W. 509-388-6086



pi@area92aa.org

TREATMENT/ACCESSIBILITIES COMMITTEE

- With approval of the facility, takes A.A. meetings into treatment settings within its area.
- Encourages group participation. In some areas each group has a representative on the Treatment Committee.
- Coordinates temporary contact programs, such as Bridging the Gap.
- Arranges purchase and distribution of literature for these groups and meetings.

Chairperson: Fran L. 509-936-1045

treatment@area92aa.org



WEB COMMITTEE

- The Area 92 website provides and maintains information about our local group meetings and services of AA. Maintains an events calendar which includes local and Area 92 events.
- Committee members exchange ideas on Web site design, format and content.
- Seeks feedback from AA Groups, GSRs, Service committees on Web site functionality/content.
- Posts newsletters, other AA resource links, etc

Chairperson: Gary H. 509-670-8860



alt-chair@area92aa.org

Online AA Meetings

Good afternoon fellow trusted servants!

Attached you will find the new "G.S.O. Information Form — Online A.A. Meeting"

- This new form from GSO is for **newly created online meetings** who wish to be included in a confidential service piece and in the confidential A.A. Directories published by G.S.O. to allow members to get information about the meeting.
- It is also for in-person meetings who have changed to online meetings **permanently**.
- Meetings completing this form will be issued a NetSuite ID number used for GSO communication, contributions, etc
- This form **does not** apply to temporary online meetings that intend resume in-person meetings.

***Note:** This form is for GSO records and is **NOT** a requirement to list your online meeting on our Area 92 website meeting schedule.....Please do not hesitate to call me if you have any questions....THANK YOU!

Grateful to serve,
Ben Nelson
WSEA 92 Alt-Delegate - Panel 70
208-755-2345
alt-delegate@area92aa.org

G.S.O. Information Form — Online A.A. Meeting

Online A.A. Meeting Name

Meeting Contact E-mail*

Contact Person:

Name

Street Address 1

Street Address 2

City

State/Province Zip/Postal Code

Phone Number 1

Phone Number 2

E-mail Address 1

E-mail Address 2

Submitted by:

Name

Phone Number 1

Phone Number 2

E-mail Address 1

E-mail Address 2

* *This e-mail address will be included in lists of contact emails for online group in a confidential service piece and in the confidential A.A. Directories published by G.S.O. to allow members to get information about the meeting.*

Three ways to return this form:

Mail: A.A. World Services, Inc., Grand Central Station, P.O. Box 4-5-9, New York, NY 10163

E-mail: records@aa.org

Fax: (212) 870-3003

OnlineFRM, Revised 09/13

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Treatment/Accessibilities Area 92 Committee meeting:

Service work is about giving of oneself. Won't you join us as we help our districts, members, and potential members.

Let's learn how to reach out to treatment centers or facilities to get members connected to AA

Monthly meeting

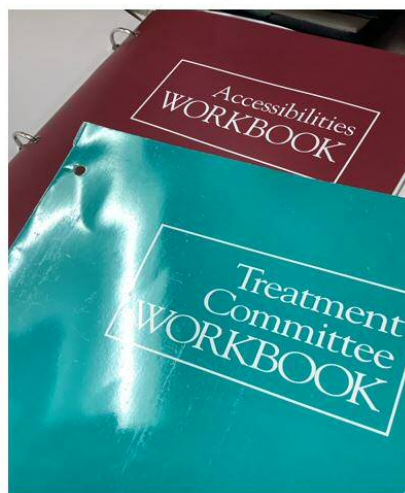
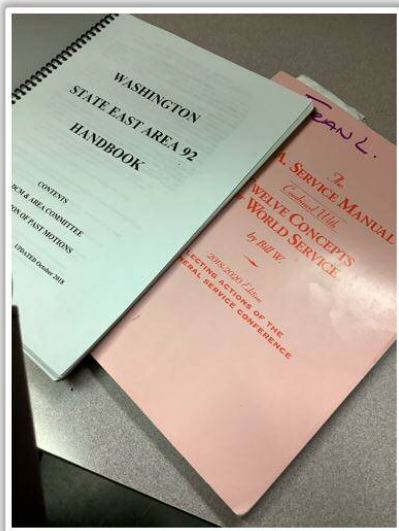
Zoom I'd: 723 6406 7957

Password: Area92aa

Please Join us:

4th Thursday of the Month

7pm pacific standard time



*If you have questions please feel free to email me:
treatment@area92aa.org*

Call : Fran L 509-936-1045

71st General Service Conference Report-Back

*"What I saw
and Heard
and Felt"*

...AA Service Manual S52

May 22, 2021 9AM to 12:00PM

June 12, 2021 1PM to 4PM

July 24, 2021 1PM to 4PM

<https://zoom.us/j/92977011356>

Meeting ID: 929 7701 1356

Passcode: 608621



AREA 92 STANDING COMMITTEE WORKSHOP

Communication-Cooperation- Integration

Saturday, June 19th 2021

Meeting in-Person at the

Libby Memorial Event Center

111 E Lincoln Blvd, Libby, Montana 59935

Also Available on Zoom Meetings at

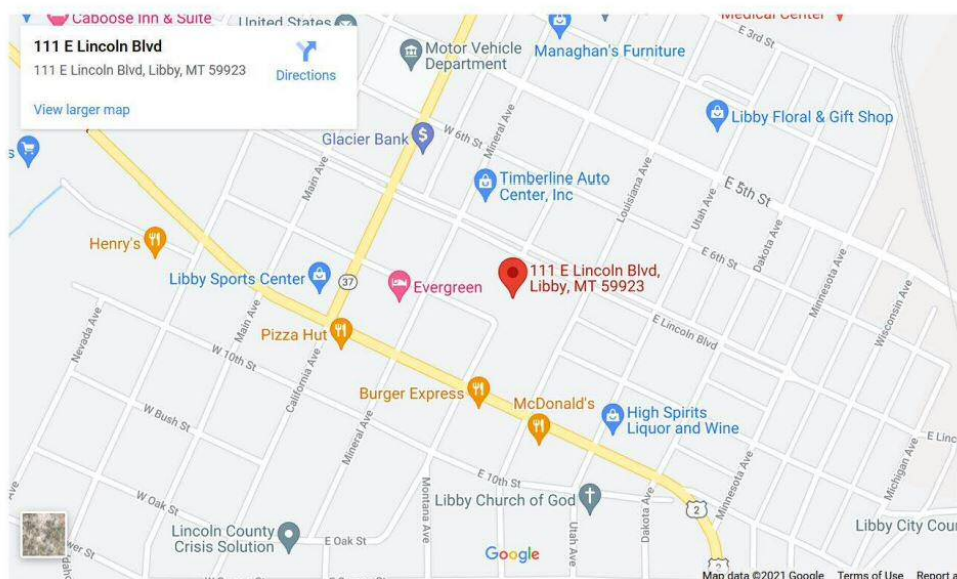
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Guest Speaker: Alt Delegate Ben N.

10am -2pm PST. 11am-3pm MST.

Host District 26-Lunch Provided

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Virtual Pacific Northwest Conference

AA In A Time Of Change

JUNE VIA ZOOM

26 &
27

Meeting ID: 936 7321 9809
Passcode: pnc2021

2021 Sat 9AM - 9:30pm PST
Sun 9AM - 12pm PST

Hosted by WSEA 92

Click here


www.PNC1948.org

For:

Registration
Program Details
Voluntary Contributions

There is no cost to register &
attend this service
conference.

Panels
Speakers
What's on your Mind?
Ask it Basket

 Closed Captioning Available

 PNCChair@Area92AA.org

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PRACTICING AA's SPIRITUAL PRINCIPLES IN A CHANGING WORLD

Washington State East Area 92

July Quarterly

July 16 & 17, 2021

Virtual ZOOM Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/98260387844>

Meeting ID: 982 6038 7844

Passcode: 922021

Friday 5:00 PM begins with
Introduction and Panelists

Recovery in a Changing World: Breanna S.

Unity in a Changing World: David G.

Service in a Changing World: Mary Beth R.

Saturday Business Meeting

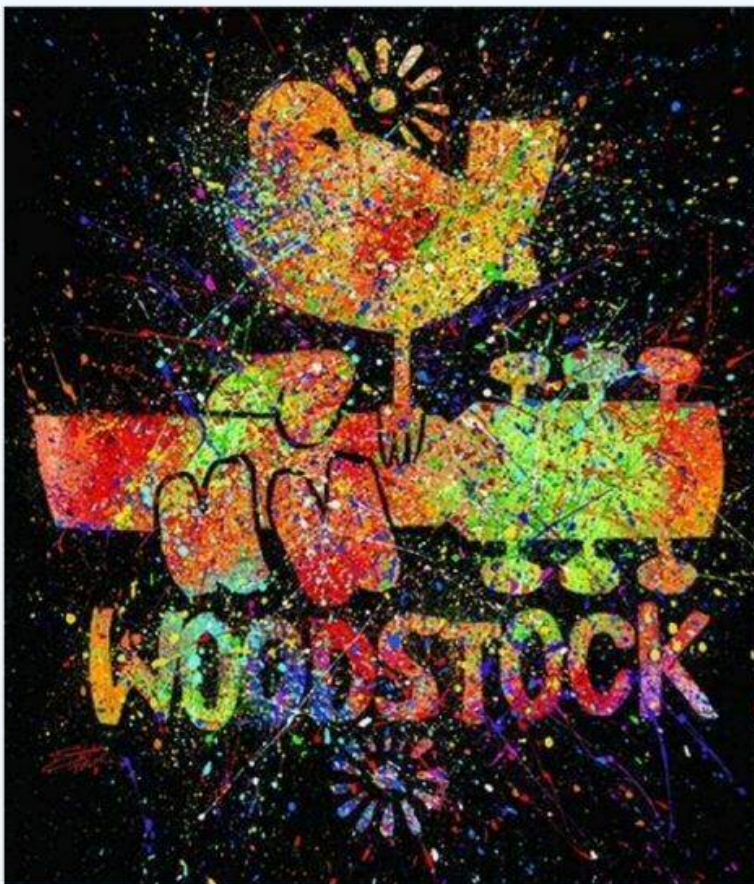
7:30 AM Zoom Open

8:00 AM Call to Order

You can find the full agenda on the event calendar at:

[Area 92 Alcoholics Anonymous \(area92aa.org\)](https://area92aa.org)

2nd WOODSTOCK NORTH



JULY 25TH, 2021

Zoom ID 668 764 551 Password: blueprint

STEP 1 11 AM PACIFIC

Chris R. Texas

STEP 2 12 PM Pacific

Joe C. Florida

STEP 3 1 PM Pacific

Jennifer HK. Texas

STEP 4/5 2 PM Pacific

Ron W. Los Angeles

STEP 6/7 3 PM Pacific

Bob B. Minnesota

STEP 8/9 4 PM Pacific

Don L. Bellingham

STEP 10 5 PM Pacific

Mildred F. Toronto

STEP 11 6 PM Pacific

Peter M. Florida

Step 12 7 PM Pacific

Candice M. Los Angeles



APP NEWS - Spring 2021

App Update

News for Meeting Guide Participants

This Meeting Guide update is part of a series of communications that are intended to help you stay informed about any changes or enhancements to the Meeting Guide app.

Additional Digital Contribution Platforms Supported

You may be aware that Meeting Guide has the capability to display a contribute button for groups who have set up digital basket contributions.

Up to now, Venmo was the only platform displayed in Meeting Guide. The recent update supports the display of the PayPal and Square contribution platforms as well. Simply add the group's PayPal username or Cash tag to the Group's meeting details in either the WordPress plugin or your custom database. Meeting Guide will display the button as shown in the screen captures below.

Inform Your Groups

Please inform your groups that this capability exists for those who are accepting digital contributions. All they need to do is provide their Venmo handle, PayPal username, or Cash tag to the AA entity that is supplying data to Meeting Guide so it can be added.

Groups who are looking for how to get started with digital contributions can review this service piece:

Frequently Asked Questions On Practicing The Seventh Tradition At Virtual Meetings, [SMF-223](#).

How To Information

For more specifics on how to apply the digital contribution details within your meeting data visit this post on the Meeting Guide knowledge base here: [How to Add Digital Contribution Details to a Meeting](#).

WSEA 92 QUARTERLY

DISTRICT 22

JULY 16-17, 2021

Welcome to the WSEA 92 Quarterly

Hosted by District 22

We are glad you are here!

Friday July 16, 2021

5:00 – 6:45 PM

Introduction **Amelia. District 22**

“AA in a Time of Change” Panels

Practicing AA’s Spiritual Principles in a Changing World

Recovery in a Changing World - Breanna S

Unity in a Changing World - David G

Service In a Changing World - Mary Beth R

Please feel free to join any of the committee meeting that are being held:

7:00 – 8:00 PM

Web Team – Gary H

Finance Committee – Cindy H

Handbook – Ann Marie K

Standing Committee Chairs – Diana M

8:15 – 9:30 PM

DCM Roundtable – Chaired by Host District/Diana M & Amelia

GSR Roundtable – Chaired by Host District/Gary H &

9:30 PM

Virtual Ice Cream Social

Ask it Basket – Gary P Delegate

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DISTRICT 22

JULY 16-17, 2021

Saturday, July 16, 2021

1. Call to Order
 - Moment of silence, Serenity Prayer
 - Reading of the 12 Traditions & The 12 Concepts (in English and Spanish)

Motion to Record Proceedings

2. Welcome! Review of business procedure – Diana M
3. Introductions of Past Delegates
4. Review July 2020 Quarterly Minutes

Motion to approve minutes

5. Roll Call (Secretary)
6. Trusted Servant Reports (5 mins.)
 - Delegate (unlimited) Gary P
 - Alt Delegate Ben N
 - Chair Diana M
 - Alt Chair Gary H
 - Treasurer (unlimited) Jan R

Motion to approve Treasurer's Report

- Alt Treasurer Cindy H
- Secretary Ann Marie K
- Archives Lisa G
- Cooperation with
- Professional Community Brande G
- Corrections Holly
- Grapevine/Lit Anna V
- Newsletter Benjamin G
- Public Information Michelle
- Translation Doug M
- Treatment/Accessibilities Fran

Area Sub-Committee (5 mins.)

- Registrar Ben N
- Web Team Gary H
- Finance Committee Cindy H
- Handbook Committee Ann Marie K

7. Special Committees
 - Central Office who wishes to report
 - Roundtables Reports
8. DCM Reports (3 mins.) Gary H

9. Open Discussion (30 min.) Diana M

10. Host Committee (3 mins.)
 - July Quarterly 2021 District 22
 - October Assembly 2021 District 4
 - Jan Quarterly 2022 District 8
 - April Pre Conf 2022 District 5
 - October Assembly 2022 District 2

11. Unfinished Business
 - Bid for April Pre-Conf Assy 2023

12. New Business
 - Bid for July Quarterly 2022
 - Motions

13. Adjourn with the responsibility statement

We look forward to seeing you at the October Assembly on Zoom

Scheduled Times for Breaks **Throughout the day on** **Saturday**

8:00 am – Call to Order
10:00 am – Break (15 minutes)
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm – Lunch
3:00 pm – Break (15 minutes)

Voting Members

Only the DCM's, Appointed Trusted Servants, and the Elected Trusted Servants may vote.

Substituting Alternate DCM's may vote in the absence of their DCM.

*Zoom etiquette is vital to hearing the speaker. Please keep background noise minimal. Please mute by using the microphone icon on the Zoom app or by using mute button on your phone or by pressing *6. To Unmute do the same.*

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Technology ad hoc Committee Motion and Background For July 2021 Quarterly

Technology ad hoc Committee Motion (for the July 2021 Quarterly)

In order to coordinate existing and new technologies, the Technology ad hoc Committee moves that WSEA 92 establish a dedicated Technology Chairperson and committee as outlined in the attached proposed guidelines.

Current Practice

Among other responsibilities, the Alternate Chairperson oversees the WSEA 92 Website Committee. Duties for the Website Committee as described in the WSEA 92 Website Guidelines:

The Website Chair will participate in WSEA 92 Assemblies and will chair the Website Committee meetings. Prior to the yearly General Service Conference the Website Chair will facilitate discussions regarding Conference Agenda items relating to Website and or Internet use and policy.

1. Participates in and chairs Website Committee meetings at WSEA 92 Assemblies, Quarterlies and when needed.
2. Establish a six-person non-funded, rotating Website Committee
 - a. Three members rotating on even years after three years of service with an option to serve an additional three-year term
 - b. Three members rotating on odd years after three years of service with an option to serve an additional three-year term
 - c. Two of the six members will be Digital Communications Coordinators. A Digital Communications Coordinator and Alternate Digital Communications Coordinator

For full details please see current WSEA 92 [Website Guidelines](#).

Financial Impact

As described in the accompanying Technology Committee guidelines, the only additional cost incurred by WSEA 92 for a new Standing Committee Chair is the projected amount of approximately \$800 annually, as budgeted by the WSEA 92 Finance Committee for 2021. All other technology related expenses would be reallocated from existing budget line items.

If Passed

Technology related duties currently assigned to the Area Alt Chair and Website Committee will move to the Technology Chair and Technology Committee. All additional duties are described in the accompanying Technology Committee guidelines.

If Failed

The Alternate Chairperson will retain all existing responsibilities for website activity as well as all future technology needs of the Area.

Ad hoc Committee on Technology Chair Introduction

To better support our committees and districts in sharing information, as well as facilitating existing and expanding technologies, the Technology Chair ad hoc Committee is recommending that WSEA 92 establish an appointed Chair position with a supporting committee.

Currently, in addition to their existing duties, the Alt-Chair has been shouldering the ever-increasing demands of providing avenues and resources of technology to WSEA 92 during the COVID-19 pandemic. As the ad hoc committee reflected on the current circumstances existing in the Area, with a vision to the future, we believe the demands on the Alt Chair will only increase with time. By transferring the burden of the technological responsibilities from the Alt Chair to the new position, the workload of both positions will be more equitably balanced.

During these past difficult months of trial, error and success, WSEA 92 has seen the benefit of new and expanding technologies. The ad hoc committee believes that as the Area embraces these new technologies and their management, the Area will continue to grow and remain united.

Respectfully submitted,
Technology ad hoc Committee

The Technology ad hoc Committee will bring forward a motion at the July 2021 Quarterly to accept the creation of the new position to be voted on at the October 2021 Assembly. If accepted, the new chair would be able to begin their service rotation with the other Panel 72 officers beginning January 1st 2022.

Technology Committee Chair and Technology Committee Guidelines

PURPOSE:

The purpose of WSEA 92 Technology Committee is to help facilitate communication within WSEA 92, making information and activities of WSEA 92 accessible, providing safe and secure technology to preserve relevant material considered to have importance to WSEA 92. In consultation with the WSEA 92 Technology Committee, the Technology Committee Chair reviews and provides access to these materials, promoting knowledge and understanding of the origins, aspirations, and programs of WSEA 92. This is implemented by the use of both the Area Website as well as underlying communication structure of Google Workspace which allows information of the Area to be readily available and permanently saved for future Area use.

WSEA 92 Technology Committee in all its actions, is to be guided by AA's primary purpose, AA principles, and in all matters will be open to suggestions and questions from the Fellowship.

The following guidelines as set out below are provided as a general scope of functions and duties of the Technology Committee Chair and the Technology Committee.

WSEA 92 Technology Committee Chair

Qualifications: The Technology Committee Chair will:

1. Be selected using the established process for Appointed Officers and serve a two-year term beginning on January 1st following the date of their appointment.
2. Have the time to serve and the ability to travel within WSEA 92.
3. Have at least five years of continuous sobriety.
4. Have computer skills to navigate and support the Area's electronic communication infrastructure.
5. Have reliable internet access.
6. Possess good communication skills.

Duties: The Technology Committee Chair will participate in WSEA 92 Assemblies, Quarterlies and the four Standing Committee Workshops each year. Prior to the yearly General Service Conference, the Technology Committee Chair will facilitate discussions regarding Conference Agenda items relating to technology as used by AA and/or Internet use policy.

1. Establishes a six-person non-funded, rotating Technology Committee.
 - a. Three members rotating on even years after three years of service with an option to serve an additional three-year term.
 - b. Three members rotating on odd years after three years of service with an option to serve an additional three-year term.
 - c. The Technology Committee Chair will designate one of the six members as the Technology Committee Co-Chair.

- d. The Technology Committee will meet the Friday night of Quarterlies, Assemblies (Roundtable) and at the Standing Committee Workshops. At these events, the committee will provide for the input of ideas on new technologies to be reviewed and discussed.
2. Participates in and chairs Technology Committee meetings.
3. Works closely with the Technology Committee and Co-Chair, keeping them abreast of the current status of all technology aspects concerning the Technology Chair and Technology Committee.
4. Maintains the WSEA 92 Google Workspace account.
5. Provides Google Workspace accounts, including email login information to all incoming WSEA 92 elected and appointed officers, District Committee Members and Alternate District Committee Members, as well as past Delegates.
6. Provides assistance and education to WSEA 92 service members on the use of technologies utilized by the WSEA 92, as needed.
7. Be the primary contact and maintain a relationship with the website hosting service. To include:
 - a. Maintenance of registration of the domain name.
 - b. Ensure that the domain name(s) are paid and protected appropriately.
 - c. Maintain SSL certificate(s).
 - d. Monitor site backups.
8. Management and maintenance of WSEA 92 owned technology devices.
 - a. Inventory of WSEA 92 owned devices.
 - i. Computers.
 - ii. Peripherals. (printers, projectors, translation equipment, etc.)
 - b. Maintain a list of all software licenses for all computers owned by WSEA 92.
 - c. Assist in setup of equipment as requested.
 - d. As equipment ages out, recover and dispose of equipment.
 - i. Pass purchased/licensed software to current hardware.
 - ii. Wipe software and data from devices before passing on for disposal.
 - iii. Make recommendations for replacement of WSEA 92 equipment.
9. Submit reports/articles to the WSEA 92 Newsletter each month.

Expenses paid or reimbursed by WSEA 92:

1. Website costs (ISP/IPP & Domain Name) expenses.
2. Software and hardware updates and replacement with WSEA 92 Committee approval.
3. All WSEA 92 Assemblies, Quarterlies and Standing Committee Workshops.
 - a. Travel.
 - b. Meals.
 - c. Lodging.
 - d. Registration.
4. Communication Expenses.
 - a. Copies.

WSEA 92 Technology Committee

The Technology Committee will provide encouragement, information, direction, and support to the WSEA 92 Committee in the use of new and existing technologies, to better carry the message. In all its actions, the Technology Committee is to be guided by AA's primary purpose and AA principles.

Qualifications of Technology Committee

1. Have the time to serve WSEA 92.
2. Have Basic computer skills.
3. Have at least two years continuous sobriety.
4. Have reliable Internet access.

Technology Committee Service Positions as established by Technology Committee Guidelines

1. Technology Committee Co-Chair.
2. Secretary.
3. Technical Assistant(s) to help maintain hardware/software support.
4. Three (3) additional members.

Technology Committee Co-Chair Duties

The Co-Chair may be called upon to perform specific duties to assist the Technology Committee Chair. The Technology Committee Co-Chair provides continuity to the Technology Committee by providing knowledge and experience shared by the Technology Committee Chair. If in any given rotation the Technology Committee Chair is unable to continue their duties, the following would take place in order to replace the Technology Committee Chair: Co-Chair, Technology Committee members, and/or other members can provide a resume to the WSEA 92 Chair to be affirmed by the WSEA 92 elected officers.

Secretary Duties

1. Records minutes at Technology Committee meetings and promptly circulates them to the Technology Committee.
2. Distributes any Committee documents to committee members.
3. Helps the Technology Committee Chair maintain the records of inventoried WSEA 92 technology items (hardware, software and licences).

Technology Committee Duties - The Committee:

1. Through its group conscience, undertake and maintain final responsibility and authority for the use and content of the WSEA 92 website.
2. Will create and maintain policies defining and describing what the website will and will not post or display.

3. Will make itself available for consultation with other committees about conference related items that could utilize the experience of the Technology Committee.
4. Provides training to elected DCMs or Alternate DCMs so they are able to maintain meeting schedules for their Districts.
5. May be called upon to perform specific duties in the assistance of the Technology Committee Chair.
6. Email messages will receive a reply within seven (7) days.

Website Contents and Services

1. The spirit of AA principles, Traditions and Guidelines will be followed. This means, among other things:
 - a. Anonymity will be preserved and protected:
 - i. The first name and last initial of AA members and the full name of non-AA members may be displayed on the website.
 - ii. Personal phone numbers, postal and E-mail addresses will not be displayed on the website, except for additions to the website calendar such as event flyers.
 - b. There will be no endorsement or affiliation with non-AA entities. (Tradition 6)
 - c. The AA Preamble will be displayed on the website.
 - d. The WSEA 92 website will only link to websites maintained by AA service entities except for tools to help disseminate information (e.g. Adobe).
2. A link to the AAWS website (www.aa.org) will be provided to access general information about AA.
3. Copyrights and registered trademarks, when used, will be acknowledged. Alcoholics Anonymous®, AA®, and The Big Book® are registered trademarks of Alcoholics Anonymous World Services, Inc. The Grapevine® and AA Grapevine® are registered trademarks of The AA Grapevine, Inc.
4. Email Addresses.
 - a. Anonymous links to trusted servants, WSEA 92 Committee members and DCMs email addresses.
 - b. Central Office and Intergroup representatives email addresses.
5. The following types of information are approved for display on the WSEA 92 website.
 - a. Home Group and meeting information: type of meeting, time and location.
 - b. District meeting times and locations, mailing addresses, and answering service numbers.
 - c. Central Office and Intergroup contact information, locations and hours of operation.
 - d. Event information (location, time, agenda, registration form, etc.) for the following types of activities, primarily focused on events in WSEA 92:
 - i. AA General Service functions. (Quarterlies, Assemblies, Conferences, Forums, Workshops, etc.)
 - ii. Fellowship activities. (Roundups, picnics, dances, campouts, etc.)

- e. Quarterly and Assembly meeting minutes.
 - f. Area Committee reports.
 - i. Elected officer reports.
 - ii. Standing committee reports.
 - iii. Ad-hoc committee reports.
 - g. Newsletters.
 - h. WSEA 92 Handbook.
 - i. WSEA 92 motions. (adopted and failed)
 - j. Documents pertaining to upcoming Assemblies or Quarterlies.
 - i. Agenda.
 - ii. Motions and background materials.
 - k. Links to Websites of AA service entities will be provided as a service to Website visitors.
6. If a submission is rejected, an explanation will be provided with the opportunity to edit and resubmit.

Domain Name Registration

1. The WSEA 92 Website shall be registered to Washington State East Area Assembly of Alcoholics Anonymous with a domain name of area92aa.org. (established July 5, 2001)
2. The Technology Committee Chair or delegated representative shall be the administrative contact for the WSEA 92 Website's domain name.
3. The technical contact shall be the Internet Presence Provider (IPP) who maintains the primary domain name server for the WSEA 92 Technology Committee.

Website Administration and Maintenance

1. The Technology Committee shall have direct oversight on all matters pertaining to the WSEA 92 Website.
2. The Technology Committee will perform the following tasks and specific responsibilities, but are not limited to, the following administrative duties:
 - a. Verify the Website adheres to AA Guidelines and Traditions.
 - b. Give WSEA 92 Website status reports at all Washington State East Area Assemblies and Quarterlies, additional reports in the Area Newsletter are also encouraged.
 - c. Utilize Google analytics to produce reports pertinent to the WSEA 92 Website.
 - d. Select cost-effective options for an Internet Presence Provider (IPP) and domain name registration services.
 - e. Design, create and make changes to the WSEA 92 Website.
 - f. Maintain a backup copy of all WSEA 92 Website files, excluding backup of hosted web pages.
 - g. Manage WSEA 92 Website users and user access levels.

- h. Maintain and update event calendar with information provided by the WSEA 92 Fellowship.
 - i. Post current WSEA 92 Assembly and or Quarterly agendas on the WSEA 92 Website when available.
 - j. Post minutes from previous WSEA 92 Assemblies and Quarterlies on the WSEA 92 Website as soon as they are made available.
 - k. Update WSEA 92 Website copy of the handbook and motions as provided by the WSEA 92 Handbook Committee.
- 3. WSEA 92 Committee Members, Districts, Central Offices, Intergroups and Home Groups providing information to be posted to the WSEA 92 Website:
 - a. Shall have the responsibility of verifying the accuracy of any information they wish to have posted.
 - b. May request changes to their posted information.
 - c. Change requests shall be submitted in writing to the Technology Committee.