

CHANGING TIMES

THIS IS THE YEAR OF UNITY

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September is Election Time for half of our fellowship. The following is an excerpt from “Circles of Love and Service (P-45)”. Find a reason to stand for an office.

All parts of our Fellowship – group meetings, committees, offices, Conferences, and group jobs – share one common purpose: to help the alcoholic who still suffers.

A.A. is made up of interconnected circles of people within the Fellowship, who work together to carry A.A.’s message of hope. But in order for A.A. to run itself without bosses or rules, in accordance with our Twelve Traditions, we need a system of communication for finding out how A.A. as a whole feels about its world affairs, and how it wants to operate.

For A.A. to run its own affairs, each A.A. group needs to make its voice heard on overall A.A. policies. This starts with a group’s general service representative (G.S.R.), who represents the voice of the group conscience and has the job of linking his or her group with A.A. as a whole. G.S.R.s make sure their groups receive services from the U.S. and Canada General Service Office (G.S.O) and help groups stay informed about worldwide A.A.

For every district of about ten groups or so, the G.S.R.s elect a district committee member, or D.C.M., to communicate the districts’ conscience to the area assembly, which elects an area delegate to attend the annual A.A. General Service Conference for the U.S. and Canada (other countries have their own separate structure).

Every group in an area is encouraged to send its G.S.R. to its area assembly. The D.C.M.s help to make up the area committee – a sort of steering committee for the assembly.

Each group sends its own ideas or problems to the assembly, where other groups can share their experience and provide help and support. From the assembly, each G.S.R. can take back to his or her group the shared experience of the rest of the assembly.

Every area elects a delegate to the General Service Conference, held each spring in New York. Delegates serve a two-year term only and, like G.S.R.s, D.C.M.s, and trustees, Conference delegates are never paid for A.A. service.

The General Service Conference serves as the group conscience for A.A. in the U.S. and Canada. The Conference meets for six days a year, yet the 135 or so Conference members are active in Conference affairs throughout the year. Every A.A. group shares its experience with other groups through its area delegate to the Conference.

Michael O.

Happy, Happy Birthday!

These are folks who have donated at least one dollar a year in gratitude for their sobriety to YOUR Central Office. There are birthday envelopes available at the office or you can get them from your Central Office Delegate. We appreciate the people who show their gratitude this way.

Congratulations!

John R. 47 years Paseo Group

Elmer C. 35 years We Are One

Steve L. 34 years North Oak group

Ernie G. 31 years North Oak Group

Edward M. 30 years Lenexa Group

Samuel J. 22 years North Oak Group

Milton H. 21 years New Vision Group

Andy T. 19 years South Leawood Group

Carolyn A. 17 years North Oak Group

Julia T. 11 years Ward Parkway Group

Don D. 7 years North Oak group

Ann A. 6 years Bill's Friends Group

The Over Thirty Club

Keep Coming Back!

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All of these people got their names in the paper because someone took the time and trouble to let us know they were celebrating. Be proud of your old-timers! Call the office 816-471-7229 and let us know of anyone who is celebrating 30 or more years of sobriety. Let them know you care enough to share!

The email accounts at Central Office are :

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kccentraloffice@kc-aa.org—General Office Mailbox

Calendar of Events— SEPTEMBER 2018

September 2 @ 10:00 am - 12:00 pm DISTRITO 27 DEL AREA 25 DE A.A. Reunion

DISTRITO 27 DEL AREA 25, 11111 W 59th Terr. Suite 502

Shawnee, KS 66203

Reuniones: 1ER DOMINGO Y 3ER DOMINGO DEL MES 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

September 4 @ 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm OFICINA INTERGRUPO DE A.A. DE KANSAS CITY

KS Reunion

OFICINA INTERGRUPO DE A.A. DE KANSAS CITY KS, 11111 W 59th Terr. Suite 205

Shawnee, KS 66203

Reuniones: 1ER JUEVES Y 3ER. JUEVES DE CADA MES 7:00 P.M

September 6 @ 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm District 10—Kansas

Rolling Hills Presbyterian Church, 9300 Nall Ave

September 13 @ 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm District 9—Kansas

Bethel Group, 7856 Leavenworth Road

Kansas City, KS 66109

Committees meet at 6:30 pm, District meeting at 7 pm.

Overland Park, KS 66207

Committees meet at 6 pm, District meeting at 6:30 pm

September 14 @ 5:00 pm - September 16 @ 5:00 pm 61st Annual Kansas Area 25 State Conference

Hyatt Regency, 400 W. Waterman Street

Wichita, KS 6720

September 16 @ 10:00 am - 12:00 pm DISTRITO 27 DEL AREA 25 DE A.A. Reunion

DISTRITO 27 DEL AREA 25, 11111 W 59th Terr. Suite 502

Shawnee, KS 66203

Reuniones: 1ER DOMINGO Y 3ER DOMINGO DEL MES 10:00 - 12:00

September 16 @ 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm District 7 Business Meeting – Elections

Recovery Plus, 9309 E. 65th St.

Raytown, MO 64133

September 18 @ 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm OFICINA INTERGRUPO DE A.A. DE KANSAS CITY KS Reunion

OFICINA INTERGRUPO DE A.A. DE KANSAS CITY KS, 11111 W 59th Terr. Suite 205

Shawnee, KS 66203

Reuniones: 1ER JUEVES Y 3ER. JUEVES DE CADA MES 7:00 P.M.

September 22 Independence #1 Picnic and Potluck William Henry Harrison Park 11500 Silver lane Sugar Creek, MO 3:00 p.m.

September 22 @ 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. P III 50th Anniversary 3715 Wyoming Street Kansas City, MO Roanoke Baptist Church

September 28 @ 9:00 am - September 30 @ 9:00 pm 22nd National A.A. Archives Workshop

The Westin Hotel, 70 Yorktown Center

Lombard, IL 60148 United States

OCT 5-7 WOMAN TO WOMAN Tall Oaks Conference Center 12797 189th St Linwood KS 66062

OCT 5-7 HEART 2 HEART Lake Doniphan 12856 Doniphan Lake Rd Excelsior Springs, MO 64024

October 16 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm OFICINA INTERGRUPO DE A.A. DE KANSAS CITY, KS

11111 W 59th Terr. Suite 205 Shawnee, KS 66203

Reuniones: 1ER JUEVES Y 3ER. JUEVES DE CADA MES 7:00 P.M

Colors of Fall In the Ozarks October 26 - October 28

The Stone Castle Hotel & Conference Center, 3050 Green Mountain Drive

Branson, MO 65536

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Area Service Schedule

AREA 25 COMMITTEE MEETINGS

QUALITY INN 2110 WEST CRAWFORD ST.
SALINA, KS. 67401

AREA 39 ASSEMBLY

SEPTEMBER 29-30, 2018, Elections
Best Western Inn 3120 S. Limit Ave. Sedalia, MO
1-660-826-6100

**Would you please help us carry the message to our
siblings behind the walls?**

**It's better to *get* to go to jail than to *have* to go to
jail.**

For further information, please contact us:

Missy M. 913-702-7348 Ted U. 913-940-0610

*We have found much of Heaven and we have
been rocketed into a fourth dimension of
existence of which we had not even dreamed.*

*Pam M Lenexa Group
Dave K Bill's Friends
YOU WILL BE MISSED*



District Service Schedule

DISTRICT 9 KS

Second Thursday of each month at the Bethel Group.

7856 Leavenworth Rd. Kansas City, KS 66109.
Committees meet at 6:30PM, District meeting at 7PM.

DISTRICT 10 KS

First Thursday of the month at the Steps in Action

Group, 10300 Antioch Rd., Overland Park, KS 66212.
Committees meet at 6PM, District meeting at 6:30PM

DISTRICT 23 KS

Second Saturday of the month at Westside Presbyterian Church 1024 Kasold, Lawrence, KS 66044 at 10AM

DISTRICT 1 MO

2nd Sunday of the month at 5:15PM at the Methodist Church

at 1st and Main in Maryville, MO

DISTRICT 2 MO.

Quarterly at a date and time TBA

DISTRICT 3 MO

2nd Sunday Every Month at 2PM

Liberty Group 1323 E. County Rd. H, Liberty, MO 64068

DISTRICT 6 MO.

Third Sunday at 130pm

Live and Let Live Group

39th and Main

DISTRICT 7 MO.

Third Sunday

Recovery Plus, 9309 E. 65th St.
Raytown, MO 64133 United States

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WAMO DISTRICT 3
 Treasurer
 609 Central St. Unit #1310
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WAMO DISTRICT 17
 Treasurer
 424 DICKENSON ST
 CHILLICOTHE, MO 64601

New Treasurers, Please let us

know where to have the

donations sent for your district!

It suggested that each group pay its bills and establish a prudent reserve based on monthly expenses. Once this is done, the excess amount may be distributed as follows:

10% to District

10% to Area Committee

30% to General Service Office

50% to Central Office

This is one suggested distribution plan from the pamphlet, "Self-Support: Where Money and Spirituality Mix. F-3. It is available here at the office.

GROUP CHANGES

NEW GROUPS

Women's Sanctuary 4001 Wyoming Street Kansas City, MO 64111 Tuesdays 7:30 p.m. (women only) Starts September 14, 2018

MEETING CHANGES

THE GROUP NEW ADDRESS 7820 W. 165TH STREET OVERLAND PARK, KS 66223 SHAWNEE MISSION HEALTH – OVERLAND PARK EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT. ENTER THRU SOUTH EMERGENCY ROOM DOOR.

NORTH OAK GROUP CHANGE TUESDAY 6:00 PM. WOMEN'S MEETING TO A STANDARD MEETING. ADD THURSDAY 6:00 P.M. WOMEN'S MEETING.

SOBRIETY FIRST ADD SATURDAY 11:00 A.M. DELETE SATURDAY 10:30 A.M. AND 12:00 P.M.

Roe Center Group add Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Newcomers/Beginners meeting

Braymer Group new address 303 W. 3rd Street Braymer, MO 64624

Live and Let Live add Tuesday 7:00 p.m. (last Tuesday will be a Speaker Meeting) change Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Central Office Delegates Meeting Minutes at the Paseo Group

July 8, 2018

Dianne., the Delegates Chair, opened the meeting at 10:03 AM with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. All present were reminded to turn off the volume of their cellphones and to please be sure to sign the sign-in sheet, making sure that their information is correct. The declaration of Unity was read to the group.

Matt N., gave the Secretary's report. The minutes were provided and e-mailed out to the delegates. A motion was made to approve the minutes and was seconded. The minutes were approved by vote.

Art S., gave the Treasurer's Report for July 2018. Total Income for July was \$ 16,409.10, less Expenses of \$ 14049.02 leaving a net gain of \$ 2,360.08. Art further noted that the group donations are still down, and that even though we had a net gain for the month it will really be a break even month when the new office manager's salary is considered. It was mentioned that the office is still running well, and that the prudent reserve has yet to be touched.

Derrick., gave the Board Report for July 2018. The finances for the Central Office were discussed and seen to still be in good shape. At the time of the meeting they noted that Teresa still had one more person to interview for the position of the office manager.

Office Report – Teresa, Central Office Director, gave the Office Report. Teresa noted that the shelves are overstocked and the bills are paid. She mentioned that Dave R. will be sharing his report on October 14, 2018 at Englewood Winners. She introduced Michael O. as the new Central Office office manager.

Michael O. spoke for a few moments giving his sobriety date, explaining some of his past experience with AA and with being an employee of the Central Office some fifteen years ago. He further expressed his thanks for the opportunity to serve.

Teresa noted that Michael has already proved an asset to the Central office. She noted that there was a large influx of volunteers. Moving forward she plans to have volunteers come in one at a time for training so they get her full attention when introducing them to the Central Office.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

December Delegates Meeting: The question was asked if the delegates meeting will be held in December, in light of the fact that the Central Office will also be having the tree lighting ceremony.

Discussion

It was mentioned that because of how late the lighting ceremony went and then the delegates meeting being the next morning in the past made it hard for people to attend. It was suggested that we vote instead to just skip the delegates meeting every year from now on. It was said that it is probably better to vote yearly on the decision even though it seems each year the vote passes to skip the December meeting. It was suggested that both the ceremony and the meeting could be combined together similar to the picnic, but others suggested that this would be too much to try and arrange.

A motion was made to not have the December Central Office Delegates Meeting this year. The motion was seconded and passed by vote.

Everyone was reminded to make sure their information was correct on the sign in sheets. Also everyone was asked to say hello to their groups on behalf of the Central Office.

Group Reports: Tell how your group is getting along.

Kent Serenity: twice a month they are taking meetings to the mirror center. They are going to have a picnic on labor day Justin Bills Friends had an influx of new comers, and that's cool. Looking to do a fall picnic TBD. Everything is going well Dave wing and a prayer everything is going well. Shelves are stocked and bills are paid. Donations are back up. Aug 25 potluck in the park. Nico Park Hill Good things are going on. A lot of new comers are coming in. Bills are being paid. Talking about replacing the carpet. Julian Roe Center Everything is going well, donations are going well again they were down for a while. They have a new comers meeting now on Wednesday at 7:30. The softball tournament is sept 30 at 9:30 nine teams are involved. Robert Chapter 5 group There are no issues going on in the group right now. They are in the habit of having one picnic a month. Thanked Mike for his help with a piece of literature and congratulated him on getting the job. One of their members committed SBC so they are praying for the family and it hits the group hard. The new comers are plentiful. Derrick We Are One: sept 9 are going to have their annual picnic 11 to close. The group is happy to be where they are in their new place. They have a lot of celebrants this month. They did do the birthday contribution envelope this month like talked about last month. John Honest Desire everything is going well. Membership is starting to creep back up. Stephanie Leavenworth group: attendance has been really down. They are up for elections in October and there is no-one to take the positions. James Alive again things are going well. Bills are paid.

. Terry North Oak The group is doing well. Donations are down, but the bills are paid. They are not concerned right now. No major issues with the last business meeting. She shared about the birthday envelopes, and they did not like that idea of passing them out, but several did send them in. Lots of court people in. Ann 24/7 things are rolling right along. Tom Simply Sober they are small group, and have some new members. They take meetings to outside groups such as two rivers. Matt North KC group attendance and contributions are normal. Labor Day picnic is going to be at Macken park. They have three newcomer meetings a week. Todd Downtown basement group We just expanded our meeting schedule. They have a meeting on Friday night as a 12 and 12 meeting. The meetings of literature go very slowly about a paragraph at a time. They have a non-typical meeting style for the step meeting. About 25-30 people a meeting avg. They take a meeting to the salvation meeting, as they send a lot of people their way. Chris Belton group things are going well. They had an al-anon group ask to use their place to hold meetings, and they are now meeting there too. Attendance is good and finances are good as well. They have a good stream of new comers. Vaugh Turner Group things are really good right now. Attendance is really increasing. They've added some new meetings including a new meditation meeting. They are taking meetings to outside entities. John A vision for you he is really glad to be coming in after Michael is coming in. This is his first delegate meeting. They are talking about dropping a meeting because attendance is so far down. They are a small group. Ted Primary Purpose (KS) things are going well there. We talk meetings to Johnson county detox and others. They have a monthly pot luck on the first Saturday of the month. They have 13 meetings a week. They just got a new lease for the next 5 months since new ownership of the property they meet on. The rent did increase a couple hundred dollars a month. They have lots of new comers. They pick them up and bring them up from mirrors. Kansas 61st area conference coming up in September. Jim Sobriety first they are doing just fine. They are going to vote on the birthday envelop idea tomorrow and believes it will pass. They are going to combine it with a game night once a month. They have just enough drama to keep things going. The group is doing well. Ken Shawnee Group This is his first delegates meeting. He is subbing for this meeting. They are doing well they are moving in 6 weeks. It is close to mirrors where they moving to. The are going to have a 50th anniversary august 26th. Lots of new comers coming in with the flux in the season. The meetings are going well and the attended well. Teresa Wing and a prayer She doesn't get to the group often these days, but she hears good things. The attendance is up and the group is going well on the whole. Michael Oats Paseo Group They are celebrating 71 years August 25th. Everyone is welcome. They have birthdays etc. As the summer months gone on attendance and contributions are down. They plan on waiting for that to go up. The office will be close on Labor Day. Dianne Blue Springs Group The group is doing well. Sept 23 they are going to be having a picnic. They don't have anything major going on right now. They had a concern about a no weapons allowed on the property sign. They decided not to remove the sign. The land lord took the sign now anyway though. The treatment center meetings have not been a big part of their group. They donate books, but not so much time. Chris NE Jonson County after 42 years in their current location, they got evicted. They will be moving they wanted to replace everything 100%. They have to move by then of September. They have business meetings every week and will continue to until they move is complete Doug Bonner Springs They are going well and they are a small group. They've had to cancel two meetings a week since the beginning of the year. They are having a drop in attendance. Doug had a heart attack. Told him that he has to quit AA and other activities for a period of 6 months. Lidia Lenexa little house bills are paid and the coffee is hot. They are going to have their parking lot repaved. They have been there 44 years and they are contributing to the cost of that repaving. They are having a grapevine workshop there today from 2 to 4 in the basement. They've had a lot of new comers. Especially the women meeting. Wednesday nights at 6:30. They have a picnic coming up in October. This is her last meeting as a delegate due to a job moving her. Mary South KC group they having their anniversary group on Aug. 19. They have a new steering committee. Their building is under new ownership and are wondering how this will effect them. Their meetings are going really well especially the 6 pm but the 8pm are being a bit of a problem. They take meetings to two rivers. They have good attendance. They are giving out the envelopes with coins. They cut the al-anon rent in half due to the extremely low attendance. They are having trouble with the homelessness issues people staying at the group. They have to ask them to leave. It is heartbreaking. One is new to sobriety the other is an old timer. Greg Unity group They discussed the envelopes, but nothing is going to really come of that. They decided to set aside a set amount each month to donate to CO New York no matter what. They are arranging a group inventory in September. They going to have a thanksgiving pot luck at the church. They continue to have lots of people coming in from various places and some of them stick around.

Next Meetings:

Sept 9 Blue Springs Group Noon (behind Sandie's dinner just off 40 highway)

October 14 — Englewood winners 10:00

November 11 — Kansas City group Number 1

December — No meeting

The next month is set for Sunday, September 09, 2018 Starting at 12:00 PM at the Blue Springs Group.

**GROUP ATTENDANCE
AUGUST 2018**

	OLATHE
24 & 7 GROUP	PARK HILL
A VISION FOR YOU	PASEO AA GROUP
ALIVE AGAIN	PRIMARY PURPOSE
BETHEL GROUP	ROE CENTER
BILL'S FRIENDS	SERENITY GROUP
BLUE SPRINGS GROUP	SHAWNEE GROUP
BONNER SPRINGS GROUP	SIMPLE SOBRIETY
CHAPTER 5	SOBRIETY FIRST
DOWNTOWN BASEMENT GROUP	SOUTH KANSAS CITY
HONEST DESIRE	SOUTH LEAWOOD GROUP
LENEXA GROUP	TURNER GROUP
NE JOHNSON COUNTY GROUP	UNITY ON THE PLAZA
NORTH KANSAS CITY GROUP	WE ARE ONE
NORTH OAK GROUP	WING AND A PRAYER

Group Donations

	JULY '18	YTD		JULY '18	YTD
401 GROUP ST. JO	20.00	20.00	LIBERTY GROUP	100.00	800.00
			Live and let live	225.00	225.00
449 GROUP	40.00	200.00	LIVING MIRACLES	0.00	120.00
6TH CHAPTER GROUP	0.00	200.00	MARCELINE GROUP	0.00	25.00
A VISION FOR YOU GROUP	0.00	37.00	NEVADA MO GROUP	0.00	10.00
ACCENT ON SOBRIETY—ST. JOE	0.00	150.00	NEW BEGINNINGS—MARSHALL	13.25	23.25
ACORN GROUP	60.00	300.95	NEW BEGINNINGS—RICHMOND	0.00	100.00
ALIVE AGAIN GROUP	116.00	594.00	NEW CHOSEN FEW	20.00	20.00
ATCHISON ALANO GROUP	0.00	100.00	NORTH KANSAS CITY GROUP	40.40	296.55
BETHEL GROUP	50.00	400.00	NORTH OAK GROUP	80.00	640.00
BEYOND SOBRIETY WOMEN'S MTG	0	193.12	NORTHEAST JOHNSON COUNTY GROUP	100.00	800.00
BILL'S FRIENDS GROUP	25.00	200.00	NORTHLAND MIRACLES GROUP	25.00	50.00
BLUE SPRINGS GROUP	0	1,250.00	NUTS & BOLTS—LENEXA	100.00	300.00
BONNER SPRINGS	241.00	241.00			
CAME TO BELIEVE—ST. JOE	0.00	50.00	OLATHE GROUP	170.23	702.76
CAMERON CROSSROADS	50.00	75.00	OUR PRIMARY PURPOSE	0.00	75.00
CARROLLTON GROUP	0.00	17.50	OVERLAND PARK FELLOWSHIP	0.00	44.70
CHAPTER FIVE GROUP—CLAYCOMO	0.00	150.00	P-III	0.00	840.00
COLLEGE BLVD NOONERS	0.00	400.00	PASEO GROUP	50.00	400.00
CORE GROUP	0.00	200.00	PFLUMM SOBER GROUP	75.00	600.00
DISTRICT 7 MO	0.00	234.00	PLATTE CITY SOLUTIONS	50.00	450.00
DISTRICT 11 MO	30.00	50.00	PLEASANT HILL GROUP	0.00	50.00
DOWNTOWN BASEMENT GROUP	0.00	50.00	PRIMARY PURPOSE—KANSAS	0.00	714.13
ENGLEWOOD WINNERS GROUP	40.00	130.00	RECOVERY PLUS	26.59	897.48
ENTIRELY READY GROUP	0.00	40.00	ROE CENTER GROUP	40.00	280.00
EYE OPENER GROUP	0.00	607.88	SECOND CHANCE-WARRENSBURG	0.00	80.00
FOOTPRINTS A.V.	0.00	20.00	SERENITY GROUP	0.00	240.00
GRAND AVE. DOWNTOWN NONNERS	0.00	300.00	SHAWNEE GROUP	54.80	248.80
HARRISONVILLE GROUP	0.00	47.50	SIMPLE SOBRIETY GROUP	5000	150.00
HIGGINSVILLE GROUP	0.00	556.90	SIMPLY AA KC	18.00	71.00
HONEST DESIRE GROUP	10.00	50.00	SOBER AT 7 GROUP	97.00	192.00
HOPE GROUP	0	986.88	SOBER SKIRTS GROUP	0.00	16.55
HUMBLE BEGINNINGS A.A.	0.00	200.00	SOBRIETY FIRST GROUP	20.00	160.00
INDEPENDENCE #1 AA GROUP	0.00	60.00	SOUTH LEAWOOD GROUP	0.00	1,866.01
ITS NEVER TOO LATE GROUP	0.00	154.55	SOUTH PARK LAWRENCE	0.00	100.00
JAYWALKERS GROUP	210.00	599.98	STEPS IN ACTION GROUP	170.00	259.00
JUST US GIRLS GROUP	0.00	453.41	SUNFLOWER ROUND-UP	0.00	1,000.00
KANSAS CITY GROUP #1	0.00	270.00	SUNSHINE GROUP LAWRENCE	25.00	225.00
KEEP IT SIMPLE GROUP-O.P.	189.13	582.66	SWEET SPRINGS GROUP	0.00	50.00
KEARNEY GROUP	77.00	77.00	TONGIE GROUP	0.00	20.00
KNIGHTS OF SOBRIETY	0.00	120.00	TURNER AA GROUP	100.00	343.50
KNOB NOSTER GROUP	20.00	60.00	UNITY ON THE PLAZA	124.29	433.42
LATHROP GROUP	0.00	200.00	WARD PARKWAY GROUP	0.00	400.00
LEAVENWORTH GROUP #1	0.00	136.18	WE ARE ONE GROUP	0.00	180.00

LEAWOOD PRAIRIE VILLAGE GROUP	125.00	375.00	WING & A PRAYER GROUP	314.11	1382.40
LEE'S SUMMIT GROUP	40.00	120.00	WITH NO RESERVATION	25.00	105.00
LENEXA GROUP	0.00	317.00	TOTAL	3,042.42	27,836.06

RESPONSIBILITY DECLARATION

I Am responsible — When anyone, anywhere someone reaches out for help. I want the hand of AA always to be there. And for that I am responsible.

There are 510 names on the 12th Step Call List. Are you one? To get on the list call the office 816.471.7229. Somewhere there's an alcoholic wanting to quit that only your story can help.

Central Office Finances

Income \$ 12,302.84

Expense \$ 14,988.33

Net Loss/Gain \$ (2,685.49)

**These are preliminary numbers*

We now have a five month prudent reserve. At the October, 2015 Board of Directors meeting a motion was made, seconded and passed that Central Office establish a six month prudent reserve. We are almost there.

2018 August Donations \$ 3,500.74

2017 August Donations \$ 3,546.33

Each group has the ability to make these numbers change. If you do not see your home group listed here, it is because Central Office has not received a donation. Please ask why. If your group feels we need to be of more service in some area, please let us know. We cannot change that of which we are ignorant.

As per your request, we are now publishing a more complete financial report. I hope this pleases those of you who have asked for it. If not, please let me know what else you would like to see. After all, this is *your* money! We at Central Office try to be good stewards of it.

Our Accountant, Janet B. of the Lenexa Group tries to come in as soon after the first of the month as possible so you can get final numbers. There will be months, however, that we will print preliminary numbers because of the publishing date. That will be noted above.

CENTRAL OFFICE CALLS

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