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## ELECTION INFORMATION

*All are welcome to attend the elections, but there is only one vote per group.*

### ***From the Central Office By-Laws:***

#### Election of **Board of Directors – 2 Years of Sobriety required**

Three (3) members of the Board of Directors shall be elected by the Board of Delegates by majority vote of the members present at the meeting of the Board of Delegates held during April of each year. No member group shall have more than one nominee from that group for the Board of Directors per election. The nominees for the Board of Directors need not be members of the Board of Delegates. Newly elected Board of Directors members shall attend the April Board of Directors Meeting for orientation, but have no vote until May 1. Officers of the Board of Directors for the next term shall be elected at the April Board Meeting and all newly elected Board of Directors members and their elected Officers shall take office beginning May 1<sup>st</sup> of that year.

#### Election of **Delegate Officers**

**Delegate Chair** – Preside over the Delegate Meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month or contact the Alternate Delegate Chair to do so. Attend the regularly scheduled monthly Board of Directors meeting. The Delegate Chair or the Alternate will have one (1) vote on the Board of Directors. Attendance at Central Office functions, such as: yearly Christmas Party, yearly picnic held in June or other special events held throughout the year is suggested. – **2 years of sobriety required**

**Alternate Delegate Chair** – The Alternate Delegate Chair shall fulfill all the duties of the Delegate Chairperson in the Chairperson’s absence. The Alternate Delegate Chair should attend all Delegate Meetings, Board of Director meetings and Central Office functions so as to be fully ready to fill the office of the Delegate Chair if needed. **2 years of sobriety required**

**Secretary** – Attend Delegate Meetings 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month, or contact Alternate to be in attendance. He/she shall assist the Director of the Central Office in preparing the agenda for the next month’s Delegate Meeting. The Secretary shall take comprehensive minutes of the Delegate meeting and have them submitted to the Central Office before the next Board of Directors meeting. He/she shall send out notices to the Board of Delegates and the Board of Directors, giving notice of date, time and location of the next Delegate meeting. **1 year of sobriety required**

**Alternate Secretary** - The Alternate Secretary shall fulfill the duties of the Delegate Secretary in the Secretary’s absence. The Alternate Secretary should attend Delegate meetings so as to be ready to fulfill the duties of the Secretary if needed. **1 year of sobriety required**

# Happy, Happy Birthday!

## The Over Thirty Club

### *Keep Coming Back!*

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.

**SKIP J. 43 YEARS ROE CENTER**

**DEBBIE C. 38 YEARS NUTS AND BOLTS**

**JEAN C. 36 YEARS NEJOCO**

Please make certain to include your name and group when sending in your birthday donation.

*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!*

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**STARTING NOVEMBER 1st, 2019, THE SUBSCRIPTION RATE FOR THE CHANGING TIMES WILL BE \$15 PER YEAR.**

Starting in January 2020, we will only be mailing out copies of the newsletters to those who have a paid subscriptions. Event flyers will not be mailed with the newsletter. After several months of discussions at CO delegates meetings and by the Board of Directors approval, we have voted in these changes. We are not stopping publication of the newsletter. Any individuals or groups wishing to receive the newsletter may have one mailed to them by subscription. The cost will be \$15.00 per year.

The newsletter will as always be available on our website and can be printed out at your convenience. Current monthly flyers will also be available next to the newsletter on our website and can be downloaded and printed, either together or individually.

Copies of the newsletter and flyers will be available at the CO for you to pick-up, free of charge. We will also have copies at the CO Delegates meeting. If you have any questions, please call the Office at 816-471-7229. This is a cost saving effort.

**The email accounts at Central Office are :**

thedirector@kc-aa.org—Teresa A.

themanager@kc-aa.org— Michael O.

kccentraloffice@kc-aa.org—General Office Mailbox

## Calendar of Event—APRIL 2022

**APRIL, 23 2022 10:00 A.M. TIL 4:00 P.M. DISTRICT 3 LONG-TIMER CELEBRATION EAGLETON CIVIC CENTER 1015 ROYALE STREET RICHMOND, MO64085**  
**APRIL 30, 2022 INSTITUTIONS FORUM 10:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M. MULTIPURPOSE BUILDING YOUTH**  
**MAY 13-15, 2022 37TH ANNUAL A.A./AL-ANON WOMEN IN RECOVERY WEEKEND KANSAS HEART-TO-HEART HEARTLAND CENTER 16965 NW 45 HIGHWAY KANSAS CITY, MO 64152**  
**JUNE 10-12, 2022 FOUNDERS' DAY CONFERENCE AKRON, OHIO**  
**JULY 29—JULY 31, 2022 MISSOURI STATE CONVENTION CAPITOL PLAZA HOTEL 415 W MCARTY STREET JEFFERSON CITY, MO65101**  
**OCTOBER 7-9, 2022 SWRAASA 2022 TULSA, OK RENAISSANCE HOTEL 6808 S. 107TH AVE.**

### **CENTRAL OFFICE WEBSITE**

**([www.kc-aa.org](http://www.kc-aa.org))**

We have a new feature in the upper right hand corner. You can now view our website in Spanish & 13 other languages. PDF's and flyers will not translate.

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*Area Service Schedule*

**KANSAS AREA 25 COMMITTEE MEETING**

- ◆ Hilton Garden Inn- Salina, KS 3320 S 9th St  
Salina, KS 67401 785-309-0440

**MISSOURI AREA 39 ASSEMBLY**

Best Western Inn 3120 S. Limit Ave. Sedalia, MO  
1-660-826-6100

**2022 Assembly Dates**

January 15 — 16

March 26 — 27

June 25 — 26

September 17 — 18

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: 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.*

**YOU WILL BE MISSED**

*If you know of any member of the fellowship who has gone to the big meeting in the sky. Please send an email to: [themanager@kc-aa.org](mailto:themanager@kc-aa.org)*

**BRETT B. SHELTER KC**

**YOU WILL BE MISSED**



*District Service Schedule*

**DISTRICT 9 KS**

**2nd Thursday of each month at Turner Group**

4845 Shawnee Dr. Kansas City, KS 66106.

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

**DISTRICT 10 KS**

**1st Thursday of the month at Church of the Resurrection.** 8412 W. 95th St., Overland Park, KS 66212

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

**DISTRICT 23 KS**

**2nd Saturday of the month at Westside Presbyterian Church** 1024 Kasold, Lawrence, KS 66044 at 10AM

**DISTRICT 2 MO 2:00pm.**

**3RD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH SOBER**

SKIRTS 28TH & SACREMENTO St., JOSEPH MO 64507

**DISTRICT 3 MO**

**2nd Tuesday Every Month at 2PM** at Liberty Group 1323 E. County Rd. H, Liberty, MO 64068

**DISTRICT 4 MO**

**DISTRICT 6 MO.**

**3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30pm** at KC Group 1, 311 W. 80th Terr., KCMO 64114

**DISTRICT 7**

at 2:00pm. Simple Sobriety, 1040 SW Luttrell St., Suite A, Blue Springs, MO. 64015

**DISTRICT 8 MO**

**DISTRICT 10 MO**

Second Sunday 2pm, WING AND A PRAYER

**DISTRICT 11 MO**

APRIL 3, 5:30 P.M. BOLIVAR GROUP

**DISTRICT 12 MO**

**2nd Sunday Every Month at 6:00pm** Alano Club, 1800 E. 30th, St., Joplin, MO. 64804

**New Treasurers, Please let us know where to have the donations sent for your district!**

**GENERAL SERVICE OFFICE**

Post Office Box 2407  
James A Farley Station  
New York, NY 10116-2407

**KANSAS AREA 25**

KANSAS AREA ASSEMBLY  
PO Box 388  
Westmoreland, KS 66549  
Or online at www.ks-aa.org

**WESTERN AREA MISSOURI**

**AREA 39**  
WAMO TREASURER  
WAMO Treasurer  
PO Box 93  
Carthage, MO 64836

**KANSAS DISTRICT 23**

Treasurer  
PO Box 1939  
Lawrence, KS. 66044

**WAMO DISTRICT 4**

Treasurer / Lewis B.  
2020 Lake St.  
Sweet Springs, MO. 65351

**WAMO DISTRICT 6**

Treasurer  
PO Box 410894  
Kansas City, MO 64141

**YELLOW CAN FUND**

AREA 25  
PO Box 23117  
Overland Park, KS. 66283

**WAMO DISTRICT 1**

Treasurer Julius D  
First United Methodist Church  
102 N Main St  
Maryville, MO 64468

**WAMO DISTRICT 7**

Treasurer Rob A.  
P.O. Box 6952  
1951 NE Rice RD Lees Summit,  
MO 64055

**KS DISTRICT 9**

Treasurer  
PO Box 12518  
Kansas City, KS 66112

**WAMO DISTRICT 2**

Treasurer  
3122 Monterey St,  
St Joseph MO 64507.

**WAMO DISTRICT 10**

Treasurer  
P. O. Box 453  
Peculiar, MO. 64078

**KS DISTRICT 10**

Treasurer  
PO Box 15436  
Overland Park, KS 66285

**WAMO DISTRICT 3**

Treasurer; Doni P.  
PO Box 1139  
Liberty, MO 64069

**WAMO DISTRICT 17**

Treasurer  
424 Dickenson St.  
Chillicothe, MO 64601

**NEW TREASURESRS PLEASE LET US KNOW WHERE TO HAVE THE DONATIONS SENT FOR YOUR DISTRICTS**

**Tradition Seven**

*“Every A.A. group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions.”*

**A 7th Tradition poster is now available on the KC Area Central Office website under the Announcements section.**

It is 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:

**50% to Central Office**

**30% to General Service Office**

**10% to District**

**10% to Area Committee**

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 GROUP

**GOOD BEGINNINGS WOMEN'S GROUP OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**  
MEETS TUESDAY AND THURSDAY AT 6:30 P.M. AND SATURDAY AT 10:00  
A.M. AT 1026 W. 63RD STREET KANSAS CITY, MO 64113

### MEETING CHANGES

**KANSAS CITY YOUNG PEOPLES GROUP** NEW ADDRESS 311 W. 80TH TERR  
KANSAS CITY, MO 64114

**SOBRIETY FIRST** ADD SATURDAY 11:00 A.M. CLOSED ADD SATURDAY 3:00  
P.M. WOMENS MEETING

**RULE 62 GROUP** DELETE SATURDAY 4:00 P.M.

## Delegate Meeting, March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Chairperson Kelly** opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer

**Secretary Report:** Steve A. summarized the minutes from the last meeting. Minutes were approved as read. Tony Motion to approve, Greg Second.

**Financial Report: Michael O. Acting Director**

Total Income: \$15,541.02

Total Expenses: \$19,151.43

Total Net: (\$3,610.41)

**Board Report: Art S. chairman**

We are looking for Director, Bookkeeper and three board members. One resume has been submitted.

For the Delegates meeting we need a Chairperson, Alternate Chair, Secretary and Alt. Secretary

**Central Office Report:** Michael O. Acting Director

Bills are paid and shelves are mostly stocked. Hard Cover Big Books are in.

**Old Business**

John O. recommended we send an email about the elections to the Delegates.

**New Business:**

**Delegate Report:**

Anthony – Liberty. Everything is going well and full power ahead.

Clair – Kansas City #1 81<sup>st</sup> anniversary April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Young people's meeting is going well, women's meeting needs people.

Ross – Sunshine Lawrence. Going well, 14 meetings per week. They are doing a special 30-60-90 speaker meeting

Susan Holden Group – Going well, contributions are up. Discussed positive experience on the Board

Jeff – South Leawood Good Newcomer alternance, glad books back in stock, still have 50 meetings a week with good attendance. Want to be considered for hosting meeting

Anthony – North Kansas City, not a lot to report, averaging 8-10. Changes to meetings on Saturday. Revised Guidelines, all member meeting is next Sunday. Finances are good.

Rich- Northeast Johnson County, Attendance is good, bills are paid.

Michael O – Paseo – Planning 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary third Saturday in August. Planning on Group inventory April 30<sup>th</sup>. Related experiences on Board. Has held various positions. Let people with 2 years or more that there is a great opportunity to be of service. You don't need lots of experience

Tony S. Harrisonville. Alive and well. Carrying the message to as many alcoholics as possible. Trying to get interest in serving on the Board. Group got new chairs

Mora - We are one. Things are going well

Brent – Shelter KC. 11 guys at meeting which is a record. New guys need sponsors.

Ethan – Simply AA 1<sup>st</sup> meeting, Group inventory in December. Decided to turn 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday into speaker meeting. Different speakers each time.

Josh – Olathe Going pretty good, 69<sup>th</sup> anniversary date soon. Date not announced . Bills are paid and lots of newcomers. LGBT and ASL meetings are going well.

Mel – Unity Thanks to Sunflower Roundup volunteers, group inventory upcoming. Have activity nights including bowling, chili cookoff etc. Meetings full, lots of newcomers. Holding meetings downstairs for people who cannot climb. Have Oscar watch party coming up.

John – Richmond. Doing well. Meetings well attended, donations up. Switched from quarterly to monthly payouts. Pushing Board positions in the group. Doing group inventory soon. Also doing accessibilities inventory. Stop by if you get lost and find yourself in Richmond.

John – Honest Desire. Heard incredible accounts about the Sunflower Roundup. It was an inspiring event.

Wesley – Nuts & Bolts. Attendance is good. Started Friday night raffle after speaker meeting is doing well and people are excited. Voting on going to pre-covid format for Friday speaker meeting. Discontinuing Zoom

Ted – Primary Purpose Doing OK. Wanted to thank everyone for participating in Sunflower Roundup. Have lots of room for expansion. Glad to hear Central Office did well. Doing meetings with Mirror treatment center. Need someone with Military experience to take meeting into detention center.

Chris – Bethel. Echo thanks for Sunflower Attendees. Things going well. Getting back to pre-pandemic levels. Speaker meeting on Friday is open and getting lots of new speakers.

Vaughn – Turner. Everything is mostly back to normal Grateful to the Board and volunteers.

John O asked about discontinuing Zoom it was tabled for future discussion.

Joh O thanked Kansas City #1 for hosting and the daunts

Kelly closed the meeting with the Lord's Prayer.



## GROUP ATTENDANCE

MARCH 2022

24&7	OLATHE
ALIVE AGAIN	PARKHILL
BETHEL	PASEO
BLUE SPRINGS	PRIMARY PURPOSE
BONNER SPRINGS	RICHMOND
BUTLER	ROE CENTER
ENGLEWOOD WINNERS	SHAWNEE
HARRISONVILLE	SHELTER KC
HOLDEN	SOBRIETY FIRST
HONEST DESIRE	SOUTH LEAWOOD
LEAVENWORTH #1	SUNSHINE GROUP
LENEXA	TURNER GROUP
LIBERTY	UNITY
NORTH KANSAS CITY	WE ARE ONE
NORTHEAST JOHNSON COUNTY	WING AND A PRAYER
NUTS AND BOLTS	YOU ARE NOT ALONE
	Total attendance 32

We need email addresses for your group treasurer or someone in your group so we can email statements to them.

Send info to: [thedirector@kc-aa.org](mailto:thedirector@kc-aa.org)

“Our first duty, as a society, is to insure our own survival. Therefore we have to avoid distractions and multipurpose activities . . . Sobriety—freedom from alcohol—through the teaching and practice of the Twelve Steps, *is the sole purpose of an A.A. group* ... We have to confine our membership to alcoholics and we have to confine our A.A. groups to a single purpose. If we don’t stick to these principles, we shall almost surely collapse. And if we collapse, we cannot help anyone.” **Bill W. / Problems Other**

## GROUP DONATIONS

GROUP NAME	FEB	YTD 2022	GROUP NAME	FEB 2022	YTD 2022
449 GROUP	20.00	60.00	EXCELSIOR SPRINGS GROUP	0.00	0.00
6th CHAPTER GROUP	0.00	150.00	EYE OPENER GROUP	0.00	135.00
A VISION FOR YOU GROUP	0.00	60.00	FAMOUS BALDWIN GROUP	0.00	0.00
ACORN GROUP	0.00	50.00	FREEDOM 11 GROUP	0.00	0.00
ALIVE AGAIN	50.00	150.00	FRIENDS OF SOBRIETY –PERRY, KS.	0.00	0.00
BASEHOR GROUP	0.00	0.00	GALLITAN UPPER ROOM	0.00	0.00
BETHEL GROUP	100.00	300.00	GRASSROOTS GROUP	0.00	0.00
BEYOUND SOBRIETY WOMENS MTG	0.00	0.00	HARRISONVILLE GROUP	0.00	0.00
BILL'S FRIENDS	25.00	75.00	HIGGINSVILLE GROUP	0.00	233.00
BLUE SPRINGS GROUP	0	400.00	HOLDEN AA GROUP	0.00	40.00
BONNER SPRINGS GROUP	0.00	0.00	HONEST DESIRE	10.00	30.00
CAME TO BELIEVE—GLADSTONE BLVD	0.00	0.00	HOPE GROUP	0.00	229.38
CAME TO BELIEVE-O.P.	0.00	0.00	HUMBLE BEGINNINGS A.A.	0.00	0.00
CAMERON CROSSROAD GROUP	0.00	0.00	INDERPENDENCE #1 AA GROUP	0.00	10.00
CHAPTER FIVE GROUP - CLAYCOMO	0.00	0.00	IT'S NEVER TO LATE GROUP	125.00	125.00
COLLEGE BLVD. NOONERS	0.00	0.00	JAYWALKERS GROUP	74.00	213.00
CORE GROUP	0.00	0.00	JUST US GIRLS	0.00	0.00
COURAGE TO CHANGE	0.00	0.00	KANSAS CITY GROUP #1	0.00	0.00
DESOTO GROUP	0.00	0.00	KEEP IT SIMPLE GROUP—ODESSA	0.00	201.51
DISTRICT 4 MO.	0.0	0.00	KNIGHTS OF SOBRIETY	20.00	60.00
DISTRICT 7 MO.	0.00	0.00	KNOB NOSTER GROUP	0.00	0.00
DISTRICT 11 MO.	0.00	0.00	LATHROP GROUP	150.00	150.00
DOWNTOWN BASEMENT GROUP	0.00	0.00	LEAVENWORTH GROUP #1	2.32	465.67
EASY DOES IT—LAWERNCE	0.0	0.00	LEAWOOD/PRAIRIE VILLAGE GROUP	0.00	0.00
ENGLEWOOD WINNERS GROUP	20.00	40.00	LEE'S SUMMIT GROUP	200.00	200.00
ENTIRELY READY GROUP	602.79	602.79	LENEXA GROUP	50.00	150.00
EUDORA MIRACLES GROUP	0.00	0.00	LIBERTY GROUP	100.00	300.00
ARCHIE GROUP	0.00	0.00	LIVE AND LET LIVE GROUP	0.00	82.50
COMMON SOLUTION	0	37.72	LIVING MIRACLES	0.00	0.00
HAMILTON EVENING OPEN AA	20.00	20.00	GARDEN CITY #1	60.00	60.00
ATCHISON CO WILD BUNCH	5.00	10.00			

## GROUP DONATIONS

GROUP NAME	FEB 2022	YTD 2022	GROUP NAME	FEB 2022	YTD 2022
MARCELINE GROUP	0.00	0.00	PRIMARY PURPOSE GROUP	80.00	240.00
MI GROUP	0.00	0.00	RECOVERY PLUS	45.61	73.60
MONDAY NIGHT TURKEYS	0.00	0.00	ROE CENTER GROUP	40.00	80.00
MUSTARD SEED GROUP	0.00	0.00	SECOND CHANCE—WARRENSBURG	0.00	0.00
NEVADA GROUP	0.00	0.00	SEDALIA 12 X 12	0.00	0.00
NEW BEGINNINGS—MARSHALL	11.00	25.00	SERNITY GROUP	0.00	0.00
NEW CHOSEN FEW GROUP	0.00	0.00	SHAWNEE GROUP	0.00	150.00
NEW FELLOWSHIP	0.0	0.00	SIMPLE SOBRIETY GROUP	0.00	125.00
NEW TONGANOXIE GROUP	0.00	0.00	SIMPLY AA—KC	55.30	55.30
NEW VISION GROUP	30.00	90.00	SLATER GROUP	0.00	0.00
NORTH KANSAS CITY GROUP	38.25	116.75	SOBER SKIRTS	0.00	0.00
NORTH OAK GROUP	145.00	405.00	SHELTER KC GROUP	0.00	0.00
NORTHEAST JOHNSON COUNTY GR	100.00	800.00	SOBRIETY FIRST GROUP	0.00	0.00
NORTHLAND MIRACLES GROUP	0.00	0.00	SOUTH KANSAS CITY GROUP	0.00	238.75
NUTS AND BOLTS—LENEXA	0	100.00	SOUTH LEAWOOD GROUP	0.00	1739.93
OLATHE GROUP	0.00	120.00	STOCKTON GROUP	0.00	0.00
ONE DAY AT A TIME GROUP	0.00	0.00	SUNSHINE GROUP—LAWRENCE	25.00	75.00
OUR PRIMARY PURPOSE	0.00	0.00	SWEET SPRINGS GROUP	0.00	0.00
OVERLAND PARK FELLOWSHIP	0.00	42.28	THE WAY OUT GROUP	0.00	0.00
P III	46.67	186.68	TICKLED NOT TO BE PICKED	0.0	0.00
PARKHILL GROUP	400.00	600.00	TONGIE GROUP	0.0	0.0
PASEO GROUP	25.00	75.00	TURNER GROUP	0.00	0.00
PFLUMM SOBER	96.07	370.91	TWELVE AND TWELVE GROUP	0.00	0.00
PLATTE CITY SOLUTIONS	0.00	0.00	UNION HOUSE #1	0.00	0.00
PLEASANT HILL GROUP	0.00	0.00	UNITY ON THE PLAZA	300.00	900.00
M.C. GROUP	0.00	0.00	WARD PARKWAY GROUP	0.00	0.00
NEW PATH AA GROUP	0	250.00	WARRENSBURG GROUP	0.00	0.00
ANONYMOUS GROUP OF MEN	0.00	0.00	WE ARE ONE GROUP	0.00	240.00
CAN WE TALK	0	11.50	WING AND A PRAYER	75.54	129.71
KEARNEY	0.00	0.00	WITH NO RESERVATION	0.00	0.00
PARKHILL WOMENS GROUP	0.00	10.00	UNIT GROUP	0.00	0.00
			DISTRICT 9 MO.	0.00	0.00
			NOON ZOOM GROUP	20.00	130.00

# GROUP DONATIONS

GROUP NAME	FEB 2022	YTD 2022
ALMOST HOME RECOVERY GROUP	0.00	0.00
ACCENT ON SOBRIETY	0.00	150.00
ANY LENGTHS	0.00	0.00
BUTLER GROUP	0.00	0.00
CLINTON GROUP	80.00	80.00
CHILICOTHE AA GROUP	0.00	10.00
GRAND AVENUE DOWNTOWN NOONERS	0.00	0.00
NEW BEGINNINGS RICHMOND	0.00	0.00
OSKALOOSA KS AA GROUP	25.00	25.00
RICHMOND GROUP	100.00	300.00
UNION HOUSE 2	0.00	0.00
TICKLED NO TO BE PICKLED	0.00	0.00
GOOD BEGINNINGS WOMEN'S	24.79	51.73
TOTAL	3387.40	12787.71

GROUP NAME	FEB 2022	YTD 2022
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Section V: Elections – BOARD OF DELEGATES

Election of Officers of the **Board of Delegates** shall occur at the monthly meeting held in April of each year and take office the following May 1<sup>st</sup>. Officers shall be elected by a simple majority vote either written or by a show of hands, as decided by the Board of Delegates. The Officers shall be elected from the active Delegates for a 1 year term. 2 years continuous non-use of alcohol, barbiturates, tranquilizers or any type of mood or mind changing drug and continuing non-use during term of office is required to serve as Chairperson or as Alternate Chairperson. 1 year of continuous non-use of alcohol, barbiturates, tranquilizers or any type of mood or mind changing drug and continuing such non-use during their term of office is required for the Secretary or their alternate.

Section V: Eligibility and Duties – BOARD OF DIRECTORS

To be eligible to serve on the **Board of Directors** he/she must be an active member of Alcoholics Anonymous with at least two (2) years of continuous non-use of alcohol, barbiturates, tranquilizers or any type of mood or mind changing drugs and must continue such non-use during his/her term of office. The job requirements are as follows:

1. Attend monthly Board meetings held at the Central Office.
2. Attend monthly Delegate meetings held at rotating AA group locations.
3. Assist at any Central Office function, such as Yearly Picnic, Christmas Party and various group visits as requested.
4. Learn about the functions of the Central Office and Service Structure so they can help educate groups and individuals, who may be uninformed.

No member group shall have more than one member serving on the Board of Directors at any given time in any capacity. No member of the Board of Directors shall be eligible to serve more than one (1) consecutive three (3) year term interspersed by at least three (3) years. Any member of the Board of Directors completing the term of a previous Board Member (per Article V Section IV) shall be eligible to seek election for their own three (3) year term.

Section VII: Director of Central Office

This position will be a salaried, non-rotating position.

**Duties:**

Responsible for the daily operations of the Central Office.

Shall carry out the policies decided by the Board of Directors as they affect the function and operation of the office.

Shall have absolute discretion to determine what vendors are used, merchandise is purchased, and pricing is established for all items for sale at the Central Office.

Shall be responsible for recruiting, training, scheduling, fixing salaries and outlining the duties of volunteers and paid staff to help with the daily functions of the Central Office.

Assist the Delegate Secretary with input from the Delegate Chair in preparation of the agenda for each month's meeting of the Board of Delegates and prepare the agenda for each month's meeting of the Board of Directors with input from the President of the Board of Directors.

Contact any Board of Directors member that has missed meetings without notice to affect a remedy to the situation or to accept their resignation.

Contact any Officer of the Board of Delegates who has missed meetings without notice to affect a remedy to the situation or to accept their resignation.

Attend Board of Delegates Meeting and report the status of the Central Office.

Attend Board of Directors Meeting and report the status of the Central Office.

Assist member groups in any reasonable manner i.e. group inventory, speaking or help in functioning as an A.A. group.

The Director of Central Office shall establish and maintain a modern and efficient system of bookkeeping and accounting. The books of the corporation shall be reviewed annually by a qualified accountant.

The Director of the Central Office shall have the power to administer assets, funds, income and make investments with the cooperation and approval of the Board of Directors.

The Director of the Central Office shall sign and execute on behalf of the Central Office all contracts, notes, deeds of trust, mortgages or other documents of every kind or nature that may be necessary in pursuance of the business of the Central Office with the approval of the Board of Directors.

In the absence of the Central Office Director, the Central Office Manager shall assume all duties and responsibilities of the Central Office Director. Such duties and responsibilities shall include but not be limited to, one vote on the Board of Directors.

The Central Office Director shall keep foremost in his/her mind the best interest of the Central Office, the groups this office serves and AA as a whole.

# CONCEPT IV

*Throughout our Conference structure, we ought to maintain at all responsible levels a traditional "Right of Participation," taking care that each classification or group of our world servants shall be allowed a voting representation in reasonable proportion to the responsibility that each must discharge.*

The principle of "Participation" has been carefully built into our Conference structure. The Conference Charter specifically provides that the Trustees, the Directors of our service corporations, (A.A. World Services, Inc. and The A.A. Grapevine, Inc.) together with their respective executive staffs, shall always be voting members of the General Service Conference itself.

## Central Office MARCH Finances

Income \$14,120.11

Expense \$12,922.44

Net Loss = 1,197.67 *These are preliminary numbers*

2022 MARCH GROUP DONATIONS \$3,337.40

2021 MARCH GROUP DONATIONS \$3,767.12

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.

**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**

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.

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GROUP INFORMATION	307	DETOX/TREATMENT	12
12 STEP	1	MISC.	122
BRIDGE THE GAP	0	EMAILS	11
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