

April 2021

Pass It On

The Akron Area Al-Anon Newsletter

Al-Anon's 4th Concept of Service is:
"Participation is the key to Harmony."

Get involved through service!
We need office volunteers & service officers.
Call the office at 330-645-1165

Office Location:
3614 Manchester Rd. Suite 103
Akron, OH 44319
Website: www.afg-akron.org
Call us at: 330-645-1165

Send meeting topics or anniversary flyers by the 15th of month to: passitonafg@yahoo.com
Your group donation of \$10 for the flyer can be sent to the office to assist with newsletter cost.

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Chairperson

Mickie G
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Tracy C

Secretary

Mary C

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Bill B.
Co-Treasurer
Open Service Opportunity

Literature

Mary Beth R.
Co-Literature
Karen F.

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Don V.

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Sharon M.
Co-MOW
Robyn R.

Alateen

Sarah A.
Co-Alateen
Wendy Y.

Office Coordinator

Becky Z.

Archives

Leah E.
Co-Archives
Carolyn T.

Webmaster ~ Richie T.
(Webmasters available at
passitonafg@yahoo.com)

Inside

March Meeting Minutes

- Febuary Financials

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**Mark your calendars!**

**Next**

**Akron Intergroup Meeting**

- 1st Tuesday @ 7:00pm
  - Next meeting: 4/6/2021
- Open to all Al-Anon Members,  
ISRs, Group Reps, District Reps

You are Encouraged to Attend!

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IMPORTANT!!!!

To contact an officer, please call
the office and leave a message.
They will return your call ASAP

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Please pray about doing  
service. Al-Anon needs you and  
Intergroup needs you.

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Without you there cannot be a
local Intergroup Office here
when you need it most.
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Plans are being made for Founders'  
Day 2021. The event will be held  
virtually. Watch for details on AA  
Website: [Foundersday.org](http://Foundersday.org)

For updated information on  
Al-Anon face-to-face or zoom  
meetings, please see  
[afg-akron.org](http://afg-akron.org)

Upcoming Saturday  
Workshops  
Second Sat. each month

April 10    Me, Myself & I  
May 8        When I Got Busy,  
                  I Got Better

**ALATEEN CORNER**  
Chat rooms have been moved to a  
mobile app. Contact  
[g.jokela@att.net](mailto:g.jokela@att.net) or Sara M.

AKRON AREA AL-ANON INFORMATION SERVICES  
INCOME STATEMENT

DATE: Feb-21 PREPARED BY: Bill B

| AL-ANON INCOME          | MONTHLY    | YEAR TO DATE | AVERAGE/MO | YEAR TO DATE |
|-------------------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
| Literature              | \$1,169.96 | \$1,349.15   | \$674.58   | \$3,926.60   |
| Group Donations         | \$775.00   | \$1,000.00   | \$500.00   | \$360.01     |
| Individual Donations    | \$300.20   | \$301.52     | \$150.76   | \$7.61       |
| Spring/Fall Workshop    |            | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$20.00      |
| Newsletter Postage      | \$20.00    | \$25.00      | \$12.50    | \$55.00      |
| Fliers                  |            | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$25.00      |
| Miscellaneous (1)       |            | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$84.98      |
| Ohio State Sales Tax    | \$71.47    | \$82.47      | \$41.24    | \$239.41     |
| Total Income            | \$2,336.63 | \$2,758.14   | \$1,379.07 | \$4,718.61   |
| <b>AL-ANON EXPENSES</b> |            |              |            |              |
| Rent                    | \$600.00   | \$1,200.00   | \$600.00   | \$1,200.00   |
| Gas                     | \$68.89    | \$123.78     | \$61.89    | \$118.70     |
| Electric                | \$90.10    | \$173.78     | \$86.89    | \$146.56     |
| Phone & Uverse          | \$111.06   | \$216.57     | \$108.29   | \$205.41     |
| Answering Service       |            | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$0.00       |
| Office Postage          |            | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$0.00       |
| Office Supplies         | \$106.74   | \$106.74     | \$53.37    | \$72.05      |
| Literature              | \$1,077.39 | \$1,077.39   | \$538.70   | \$1,077.39   |
| Copier(2)               | \$47.53    | \$95.06      | \$47.53    | \$95.06      |
| Miscellaneous (1)       |            | \$237.50     | \$118.75   | \$287.48     |
| Alateen                 |            | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$0.00       |
| Ohio State Sales Tax    | \$114.59   | \$114.59     | \$57.30    | \$603.22     |
| Total Expenses          | \$2,216.30 | \$3,345.41   | \$1,672.71 | \$5,132.81   |
| Net Income - Expenses   | \$120.33   | \$412.73     | \$61.36    | \$1,585.80   |
| <b>NON-CASH EXPENSE</b> |            |              |            |              |
| MOW                     |            | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$0.00       |
| PIC                     |            | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$0.00       |
| Total                   | \$0.00     | \$0.00       | \$0.00     | \$0.00       |
| Al-Anon Savings         |            |              |            |              |
| Deposits                |            | \$421.51     |            | \$421.51     |
| Withdrawals             |            | \$0.00       |            | \$0.00       |
| Net Savings Dep.-WD     | \$         | \$           |            | \$421.51     |

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| Individual Donations   | \$0.00       |
| Miscellaneous          | \$0.00       |
| Total Alateen Income   | \$45.00      |
| <b>AL-ATEEN XPNSES</b> |              |
| Literature             | \$0.00       |
| Kornac                 | \$0.00       |
| Miscellaneous (2)      | \$0.00       |
| Total Alateen Expenses | \$0.00       |
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| Checking Account Deposits      |         |              |            | \$2,336.63   |
| Alanon Savings Deposits        |         |              |            | \$           |
| Alateen Savings Deposits       |         |              |            | \$45.00      |
| Total Income & Deposits        |         |              |            | \$ 2,381.63  |
| Checking Disbursements         |         |              |            | \$2,216.30   |
| Alanon Savings Withdrawals     |         |              |            | \$           |
| Alateen Savings Withdrawals    |         |              |            | \$           |
| Total Expenses & Withdrawals   |         |              |            | \$ 2,216.30  |
| Current Balance                |         |              |            | \$ 21,267.32 |
| Checking Account Balance       |         |              |            | \$ 11,282.25 |
| Prudent Reserve (CD)           |         |              |            | \$0.00       |
| Prudent Reserve (Savings Acct) |         |              |            | \$6,006.09   |
| Alateen Savings                |         |              |            | \$3,878.98   |
| Petty Cash                     |         |              |            | \$100.00     |
| Total Current Account Balances |         |              |            | \$21,267.32  |
| Al-Anon Out of Balance         |         |              |            | \$0.00       |
| Alateen Out of Balance         |         |              |            | \$0.00       |
| Total Accounts Receivable      |         |              |            | \$305.31     |
| Literature Inventory           |         |              |            | \$           |

Groups That Helped Keep The Doors Open  
 Al-Anon Donations  
 Circle of Hope AFG  
 Hudson Friday AM  
 Manuta Hillside  
 Tues Triangle  
 Tuesday Serenity Seekers  
 Wooster Thursday Group  
 Delinquent Group Accounts  
 H.O.W. It Works  
 60 Days Over  
 90 Days Over  
 120 Days Over  
 11.68

Notes  
 Miscellaneous (1) Ohio - Attorney General - Annual Charity Filing  
 \$55.00

## Akron Intergroup meeting minutes March 2, 2021

**ATTENDANCE:** Irena H, Becky, Janet, Mary C, Tracy C, Don V., Ginny C, Mary Beth R, Sharon M, Mickey G, Bill B

### **REPORTS:**

Co-Chair/Tracy C: March newsletters sent out-20 emailed 21 per USPS

Chair/ Mickey G: nothing to add

Secretary/ Mary C: Minutes for Feb. meeting read and accepted

Treasurer/Bill B: See attached financial report

PIC Don: raised discussion regarding incorporating assistance of mental health care professionals for educating the community about Al-anon reminding the committee that March is alcohol awareness month and a good segue to more public awareness. Committee had many ideas. Topic will be carried over to next month for further discussion.

Alateen: Saturday morning meeting is available on Zoom for Alateen members. details regarding how to access that meeting are attached

MOW: no report

Office Coordinator/ Becky: 11 calls in, 7 calls out, 6 voicemails received, 7 literature orders received. Becky added that should volunteers for the office have problems, concerns, or questions, feel free to call her. She is usually available by phone.

Webmaster: no report

Archives no report

Founder's Day: Al-Anon chair and co-chair continue to meet regularly with the other members of the Founders Day committee. Al-Anon involvement in Founder's Day virtually this year will consist of the AA/Al-Anon lead and an Al-Anon Workshop is in the planning. Attendees discussed whether or not to open the Al-Anon Intergroup office during the Founder's Day weekend as well as the fact that volunteers would be needed. Discussion to carry to next month

District Report: AWSC Will be held virtually on March 13th at 1. Topic is "One Hour at a Time". District representative, Joe is recovering nicely from surgery. Ann F will be alternate delegate in Jo's absence

Literature/Maribeth R: sales of AI-Anon literature has been steadier lately

**OLD BUSINESS:** Rainbow Recovery weekend: No decision made yet if it will be in person or held virtually/Zoom

**NEW BUSINESS:** there was no new business

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Akron, OH 44319

## AKRON AREA ZOOM MEETINGS

Sunday (Dist 51 Step meeting) at 7:45pm ID: 847 0177 0784 Password: 407415

Sunday (Ellet) at 6:30pm ID: 822 176 0282

Tuesday (Medina) at 7:30pm Go to [www.medinaalanon.com](http://www.medinaalanon.com) website and click on the meeting link or other

Tuesday (Copley) at 7:00pm Call Mary C at 330-825-8098

Tuesday (Triangle) at 8:00pm. Go to [tuesdaytriangle@gmail.com](mailto:tuesdaytriangle@gmail.com). Include the following information: First name, Last Initial, Email address, Phone number is optional

Wednesday (Copley) at 7:00pm call Mary C at 330-825-8098

Wednesday (because we need a meeting) at 6:30pm ID: 761 7156 9470  
Password:8DxjBm

Wednesday (Paradise) at 1:00pm ID: 480 977 7319 Password: 9t8kcf

Saturday (Hudson) at 11:00am ID: 633 675 5554 Password: 502587 or dial 929-436-2866 followed by password

Saturday (Medina) at 11:00am Go to [www.medinaalanon.com](http://www.medinaalanon.com) website and click on the meeting link or other

Updated 3-15-2021

## Akron Intergroup is inviting you to a Zoom Workshop.

All Workshops take place on the 2nd Saturday of the month. Start 9 am, log-in 8:45 am

Topic: as listed

|          |            |                                                                   |
|----------|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| February | 02/13/2021 | Not Mine – The 3 C’s: Cause, Control, Cure                        |
| March    | 03/13/2021 | Moving from 2 to 3 A’s - Placing Acceptance in the middle         |
| April    | 04/10/2021 | Stages In My Personal Program – Me, Myself, and I                 |
| May      | 05/08/2021 | Getting Better by Getting Busy: Planning Future One Day At A Time |

Possible Fall/September in-person???? – Welcome to minds’ opening suggestions; It is OUR Program

### Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81356351017?pwd=aUF4WThuWjJjLytLbnlEekJKWjlrZz09>

**Meeting ID: 813 5635 1017**

**Passcode: 010355**

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+1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)

Meeting ID: 813 5635 1017

Passcode: 010355

Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kbSkWgGWHe>

God help me. I can't handle this anymore. I release it to you.



## Sharing the 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition - - with the three arms of service

To make a contribution to:

**Local service center:** Akron Area Al-Anon –

Please send a check payable to: AAAS – 3614 Manchester Rd Akron OH 44314

**State service** - Ohio area assembly / Alateen

Please send a check payable to -

**Al-Anon Family Group** (AFG of OHIO) - PO Box 524 Columbiana OH 44408

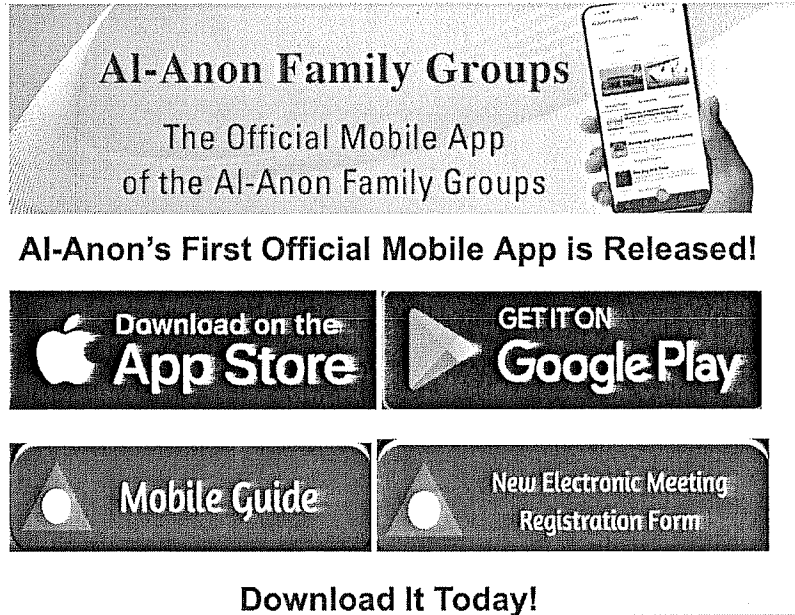
**Alateen** - Cleveland Alateen PO Box 42323 Brook Park OH 44142

**World Service Organization (WSO)**

Please send a check payable to -

**Al- Anon Family Groups Inc,** 1600 Corporate Landing Pkway Virginia Beach Virginia 23454





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of the Al-Anon Family Groups

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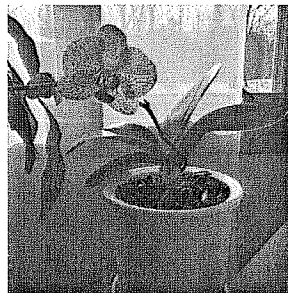
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[al-anon.org/welcome](http://al-anon.org/welcome)  
Non-Internet Newcomers: To request a paper newcomers packet mailed to  
you, please leave your address with the Al-Anon office (216) 621-1381  
Also free downloadable service manual:  
<https://al-anon.org/for-members/members-resources/manuals-and-guidelines/service-manual/>



Freedom is not selfish but self-caring.

## **Information for Akron local Alateen meetings**

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Or email the office at [passitonafg@yahoo.com](mailto:passitonafg@yahoo.com)

You will be given information for zoom meeting ID and password.

# **SAVE the DATE**

**JUNE 25-27, 2021  
2021 OHIO AREA CONVENTION**

Despite the current health crisis, we will have a Convention,  
whether virtually via Zoom or in person.  
Get on board for more recovery!!

**MORE INFORMATION TO COME**

**REGISTRATION AVAILABLE IN 2021**



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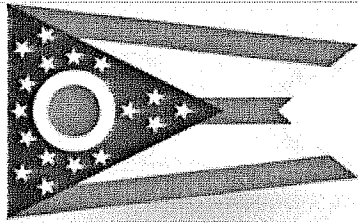
More Dates:

**1/30/21 New District Representative training session – 10:30 a.m. – on Zoom**

**AWSC March 13, 2021 on Zoom 12:30 p.m.**

**Spring Assembly May 2021 on Zoom (Date TBA)**

Contact Theresa M. at [chairman@ohioal-anon.org](mailto:chairman@ohioal-anon.org)

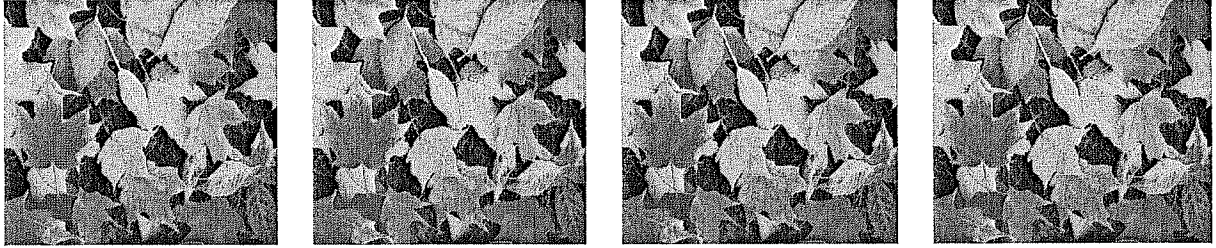


## **From OHIO AFG**

The Calendar on the Ohio Al-Anon website:  
[Ohio Area Assembly Calendar](#)

Our Members: Our Hope for the Future  
Our Spiritual Principles in Action  
Living Our Spiritual Principles  
Realizing Our Spiritual Principles





# **SAVE THE DATE!!**

**District 48 Conference  
September 24, 25 & 26 2021  
Amish Door Inn  
Wilmot, Ohio**

## **“Fall into Serenity”**

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please, send your request to:**

**[fallintoserenity@neo.rr.com](mailto:fallintoserenity@neo.rr.com)**

