

PASS IT ON

MARCH 2026



CONCEPT 3: *The right of decision makes effective leadership possible.*

Akron Area Al-Anon Intergroup Newsletter

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Email request to: PassItOnAFG@yahoo.com and send in \$5 Donation to the AAIS

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Shelley S Medina Tues
Night

Public Info Coord., Don V.
Serenity Seekers

Co-PIC – OPEN

Mtgs on Wheels, OPEN

Co-Mtgs on Wheels - OPEN

Alateen, Lynda
Copley

Co-Alateen, Gina
Copley

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Co-Archives - OPEN

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Happiness and Acceptance

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

***JOIN US!**

Monthly Intergroup meetings are

ZOOM ONLY Meeting

ID 891 6769 3419

Password 961435

Meeting are first Tuesdays

3/3/2025

7:30 pm meeting

Open to all Al-Anon Members,
ISRs, Group Reps, District Reps.

All are Encouraged to Attend!

Al-Anon Founder's Day Committee

Planning for 2026 Founders Day

Sunday 3/8/2026 4 PM

Meeting ID: 730 4617 7568

Passcode: 086796

All are welcomed + Donations needed

CHANGE IS GOOD:

Medina Tuesday meets 7PM St Paul's
Episcopal Church Medina, OH
Hartville Wednesday – new location –
see attached flyer

Akron Al-Anon Intergroup Service Position Openings 2026-2027

Archivist (5 YR)

Co-Public Info Coord (2 YR)

Mtgs on Wheels (1 YR)

Alateen & Co-Alateen (2 YR)

Please send meeting topics or flyers by
the 15th of month to
passitonafg@yahoo.com

CHECK OUT THE ATTACHED INSIDE:

- November Minutes & Office report
- October Financials
- Event flyers attached
- Treasurers read: UPDATE ON ZELLE!!!
- See the Library Bookmark flyer!!!

AKRON INTERGROUP WORKSHOP

Concept 3 – Effective Leadership - MAR 14 at

9:00am ID 813 5635 1017 PC 010355

2026 Schedule (2nd Sat) Mar 14, Apr 11

DATES TO REMEMBER!! Speaker

conference 7MAR, Akron Intergroup
workshop Tradition #3 15MAR, D48
Weekend 20-22MAR, D4 & D9 day
conference 21MAR, Falls 55th Ann.
23APR

YOUR DONATION MATTERS

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THANKS FOR YOUR DONATIONS AL-ANON

Paradise, Hope and Happiness, Women's Focus
on Growth

ALATEEN – Donation jar

STEP 3: *Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God as we understood Him.*

TRADITION 3: *The relatives of alcoholics, when gathered together for mutual aid, may call themselves an Al-Anon Family Group, provided that, as a group, they have no other affiliation. The only requirement for membership is that there be a problem of alcoholism in a relative or friend.*

Office Location: 3614 Manchester Rd., Suite 103, Akron, OH 44319

Website: www.afg-akron.org Telephone: 330-645-1165 Email: passitonafg@yahoo.com

Office hours 10 AM – 2 PM Monday – Friday (call first before you go)

Effective

Wednesday, February 4, 2026

New Meeting Location

Hartville Listen and Learn AFG

New Life Christian Fellowship

210 Grand Trunk Ave. SW

Hartville, OH 44632

Entrance is located at the Grand Trunk Parking lot

7:00 pm

Both Virtual and In Person

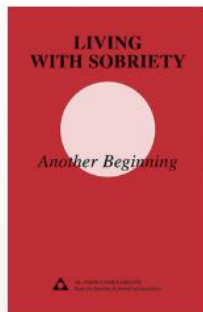
Highlighting Our Literature:

Living With Sobriety: Another Beginning

Sobriety seems to be the panacea families of alcoholics have been waiting for over the years. Yet, when it comes, it can present unforeseen challenges that arise from "new beginnings." It isn't easy to begin again - not for the alcoholic or the family.

The dynamics change but unfortunately expectations can interfere and patterns of watchful waiting and leftover resentments can quickly cloud our vision when the long awaited miracle happens. Somehow we have to find a way to put the past to rest. In order to move forward, we must continue to use the tools of our program so we can adjust to the changes that come with sobriety. In this booklet members share how they took healthy steps, in their own recovery, to learn to "live and let live" and begin trusting again. Acceptance is still key. We are best able to live with change and even welcome it with the help of others in the program. Just knowing that we are not alone helps us gain perspective.

The personal stories and wisdom shared in this booklet along with reminders to apply the Al-Anon principles when challenges arise, make this a most valuable resource.



Living With Sobriety: Another Beginning (P-49)

Call [330.645.1165](tel:330.645.1165) to order your copy.

When you buy books at an Alanon meeting, the Akron Area Intergroup gets a small part of the purchase price. This is one of the few revenue sources that keeps the Akron Area Intergroup office open and available to give information, encouragement, understanding and support to families and friends of alcoholics.

Irena H. of Akron Intergroup is inviting you to the Workshop –

2nd Saturday of the month;

Time: 9:00 am, login time 8:45 am

Meeting ID: 813 5635 1017

Passcode: 010355

2026– Topics

All Workshops are based on 12 Steps 12 Traditions & 12 Concepts
(+5 Warranties) of Al-Anon

Jan 10 - Concept 1 – The Ultimate Authority

Feb 14 - Concept 2 - "Arms of Service"

Mar 14 - Concept 3 – Effective Leadership

Apr 11 - Concept 4 & 5 – Key to Harmony; Appeal & Petition

May 9 - Concept 6 & 7– Administrative Responsibility; Rights and Responsibilities

June - Founder's Day month, no workshop

July 11 - Concept 8 - Authority and Routine Management

Aug 8 - Concept 9 – Good Personal Leadership

Sep 12 - Concept 10 – Responsibility and Authority (Double-headed Management)

Oct 10 - Concept 11 - WSO Organizational Structure simplified

Nov 14 - Concept 12 - General Warranties 1 & 2

Dec 12 - Concept 12 – General Warranties 3, 4, 5

9th Annual
Recovery Conference

Saturday March 7, 2026

8:00 am-3:00 pm

Al Anon and AA Speakers

(20 - Speakers TBA)

Sharing Experience, Strength and Hope

“United in a Common Purpose”

Doors open at 8:00am

Where: St. Eugene Catholic Church

1821 Munroe Falls Ave.

Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44221

Donation \$6.00 at the door - includes Lunch

For more info Contact

Julie C. (330) 338-3982 Al Anon Contact

Tony T. (330) 620-[5809](tel:330-620-5809) AA Contact

Akron Area Al-Anon Intergroup

TRADITIONS BOOK STUDY



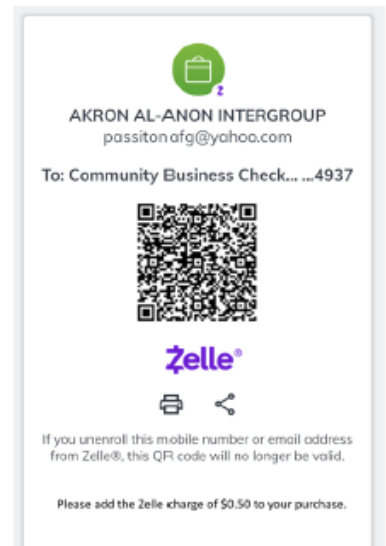
USING AL-ANON LITERATURE



Tradition Three

March 15, 2026

from 3:00-4:30 PM



FORMAT: Read each section on the Tradition followed by each participant comment

Coffee will be provided. Bring a snack to share
Free - the donation basket will be passed or you can Zelle

NOTE: Intergroup has plenty of books get a new 12 & 12 for \$14.01

Spring

Sponsored by
District 48
Al-Anon

into the Steps!

Focus on your Al-Anon Program this spring with a workshop weekend featuring leads & discussion for each step.

Saturday night lead meeting is open to all the Al-Anon Family Groups. Come for encouragement and fellowship, leave with a spring in your step work!

A SPRING
Al-Anon
12-Step

Workshop Weekend
March 20-22, 2026

This workshop will take place at
Wanake Camp and Retreat Center
9463 Manchester Ave SW, Beach City, Ohio 44608

Event begins Friday with supper & ends at noon on Sunday.
Commuters are welcome. Price is the same as overnight guests.

All Al-Anon
Members
are Welcome

All Rooms are shared. Restrooms down the hall. Bring your own linens.
Cost \$156/Person for 2 Nights, 5 Meals, Snack, and Program
Reservations received after March 2, 2026 will be charged an additional \$24.

Questions? Need more information? Call or Text Julie at 941-962-1952.

Please make checks of \$156/person payable to: **DISTRICT 48 AFG**

Mail to: District 48 AFG, PO Box 35113, Canton, OH 44735

Registration Form: **ADVANCE RESERVATIONS ARE DUE BY MONDAY, MARCH 2, 2026**

Reservations received after March 2, 2026 will be charged an additional \$24.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Special Needs: _____ Special Dietary Needs: _____

Roommate Request(s): _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

I am interested in volunteering during the weekend! (circle one) YES NO MAYBE

Hosted by Alanon District 4 & 9

Who Threw The Shoe?

A Spring Day of Clues and Discovery

March 21st 2026

@ The First Presbyterian Church of Mineral Ridge

3654 N. Main Street Mineral Ridge, OH 44440

Registration at 8:30am, Program 9am-3:30pm

Mystery Alanon Speaker, AA Lead, Breakout Sessions, Skit, 50/50 Raffle, Chinese Auction

Cost is Pre- Registration \$8 (Venmo \$8.25), \$10 at the door

Includes continental breakfast and main dish. Please bring side dish to share

NEW THIS YEAR! *You can register and pay online!*

Use this link to complete registration.

<https://forms.gle/fbAWa4JyMy75bdTNA>

Pay pre-registration on Venmo to Al-Anon Family's of Ohio

Make Checks Payable to : Youngstown Information Service

Alateen Registration is Free

Please mail registration and fee by March 13th to

Trisha M. 2910 Crestwood Dr. NW Warren, OH 44485

If you have any questions, please call Trisha M. 330-974-2724 or Juile P. 330-531-5431

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Yrs in Alanon: _____
Alateen ___ Home Group: _____ (Circle) Cash or Check

Please check the item(s) that you would like to contribute towards Spring Day

Side Dish ___ (type of side) _____

Dessert ___ Fruit ___ Veggie ___ (type of Fruit or Veggie) _____

Chinese Auction Circle Yes or No (Al-Anon related items, please)

If able, Volunteer to Help.....in Kitchen ___ Chinese Auction ___ Break Out Rooms ___

"Participation is the Key to Harmony" Concept 4

Courage To Be Me

Come and help us celebrate our **14th Anniversary**

EVERYONE is Welcome....Family....Friends....other 12 step members

Wednesday, March 25th, 2026

Lead Starts at 7:00 pm

Lead Lee R.

Meeting to be held at:

IBH OutREACH Building

**1601 South Main Street
Akron OH 44301**

Doors open at 6:00 pm

Please bring a covered dish

Eat 6:30 pm----- food, cake, drinks and fellowship!!!



THURSDAY NIGHT FALLS PM GROUP

Cordially invites you to share in their upcoming 55th anniversary on:

Thursday April 23rd

8:00

First Christian Church of Stow

230 Stow Ave.

Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221

Speakers TBD

Doors open at 7:30 – join us for cake & fellowship



Public Outreach Toolkit

Project Name:

Library Bookmarks

Project Brief: A low-cost project to place bookmarks in a convenient location for readers who can take advantage of the utility while putting the Al-Anon message into the hands of those who may need our program.

Target Audience: General Public

Size of Project: Group(s), AIS/Intergroup, District

Project Cost: PO Bookmarks are Free + cost of shipping.

Project Length: 2-4 months

Description:

Leaving the public outreach bookmark at libraries is an inexpensive project with minimal time investment. The [Outreach Bookmark \(M-76\)](#) includes thought-evoking text to encourage the reader to consider if alcoholism may be a problem in their lives and the national toll-free meeting information phone number and a URL for the [Newcomer Welcome](#) page on Al-Anon World Service Office's (WSO's) website. There is also space on the back of the bookmark where local contact information can be added.

To make this project a success, planning is needed. First you will decide how many libraries you would like to include in the project and how many bookmarks will be needed. The bookmarks are free of charge, you will only pay for shipping.

Once you have received the bookmarks, if desired, create labels with local information. This could include the Area or District website, AIS, or group contact information. Do not include members' names or personal contact information. Ask for volunteers to help affix the labels to the bookmarks.

When the bookmarks are ready, visit each library and ask for permission to leave the bookmarks. Be prepared to share basic information about the Al-Anon and Alateen program with library staff, including the bookmark itself. If permission is granted, be sure to ask how often you should return to replenish the stock.

After dropping off the bookmarks, report back on your experience with the rest of your team and begin planning when to begin the process again – order, label, deliver!

AN AL-ANON AFG "PUBLIC OUTREACH" IDEA
ADOPT A LIBRARY ACTION PLAN



Just think about what a ***terrific impact your Al-Anon Family Group will have on families who may need us*** if you "Adopt" Libraries near you by placing our free bookmarks in them.

The Akron Intergroup office has bookmarks!

Here is how you can get a free supply of bookmarks. Go to <https://al-anon.org/>

- click-Member
- click-Public Outreach
- click-Public Outreach Toolkit
- [click-Order free bookmarks](#)
 - Enter quantity
 - Create your account-Username & Password etc
 - Complete Order form/pay shipping charge
 - Allow 7-10 days to arrive

Monthly Intergroup Meeting Template

DEC 2, 2025

Opening

- Serenity Prayer

Recite together

- Readings

- Traditions of the Month: ____ Carla_____

- Concept of the Month: _____ Carla_____

- Introductions

Jane M - Chair

Christina - Secretary - Kent Friday Nights

Jim K - Co-chair Fairlawn Tues

Bonny B - Sunday Night Happiness and Acceptance

Irena H. - Firestone Park AFG, DR-51

Carla M - Treasurer Hudson Fri AM

Leslie S - steering committee

Mariann H - Kent Friday ISR

Angela Q - Women's Focus on Growth

Suzanne - ISR. Hudson Fri AM AFG

Previous Meeting Minutes

- Review of Minutes: Any additions or corrections? N/A

• Motion to Accept Minutes: ____ Carla_____

• Seconded by: ____Mariann & Jim_____

- All in Favor? X Yes No

Reports

Co-Chair Report

Notes: Stow group submitted a flyer and check to be submitted for December newsletter. The check to pay the fee and the email are missing. Since their flyer was not shared when they requested, Jim is in favor of waiving the fee if the check is found. Discussed the Akron and Canton Alanon Answering Service. There are two separate numbers because when they were set up, a call from Akron to Canton or Canton to Akron was long distance. District 48 is paying for that number. On the Ohio alanon.org website, Akron does not identify as a literature distribution center. It was suggested to make a comment in their comment section to let them know that Akron is a literature distribution center. A separate email and letter will go out to newsletter subscribers informing them of the newsletter cost increase. For a printed and mailed copy of the newsletter, the cost will be \$40/year. An emailed copy will continue to be \$5/year. That will go into effect in January 2026. Included in the email and letter will be a breakdown of the cost of the newsletter. Zelle is now an option for making payments/donations to Intergroup (passitonafg@yahoo.com). An additional \$0.50 is requested to cover the cost of using Zelle.

Treasurer's Report

Notes: The November 2025 Income Statement and Balance Sheet were reviewed.

Overall Financial Position:

Current Balance: \$20,447.90

- Al-Anon Checking: \$7,285.42
- Alateen Checking: \$5,036.76
- Prudent Reserves (CD + Savings): \$8025.72
- Petty Cash: \$100.00

Monthly Income & Expenses

- Total Income for Nov: \$3143.71
- Literature Sales: \$820.71
- Group Donations: \$722.82
- Individual Donations: \$550.82
- Miscellaneous Income: \$600.00
 - \$100 donation from Irena H Zoom Workshop
 - \$500 donation from Gratitude Night
- Other: n/a
- Total Expenses for Nov: \$1080.57
- Rent: \$650.00
- Gas: \$73.37
- Electric: \$89.27
- Phone/Internet: \$122.64
- Web Cost: n/a

- Miscellaneous: \$76.56 (Zelle fees & withdrawal to replenish petty cash)

November Net Income: \$2063.14

OH Assembly Group is 60 days delinquent.

- Motion to Accept: ___Bonny_____
- Seconded by: ___Jim_____
- All in Favor? Yes No

Committee and Liaison Reports

| Committee / Liaison | Presenter | Key Updates / Notes |
|--------------------------|-------------|---|
| Literature | Not present | WSO out of newcomer's packet, should be coming to intergroup. Volunteers should inform Literature reps when lit boxes arrive |
| Public Information (PIC) | N/A | |
| Meetings on Wheels (MOW) | N/A | |
| Alateen | Not present | There will be an Alateen speaker for Founder's Day. We'll pay for Alateen and their adult as long as we receive confirmation before May 1. |
| Office Coordinator | N/A | There is no Office Coordinator. An announcement was made at the November Workshop for the need of an Office Coordinator. Before Janet left, she stocked up on supplies. Office is currently OK. |
| OAA Liaison | N/A | |

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|------------------------|-------------|---|
| District 51, 48 and 25 | Irena H. | The December Workshop is Taking Time for Yourself. The Workshops for 2026 will focus on the Concepts. |
| Webmaster | Not Present | Jim has reached out to Richie regarding website maintenance inquiries. Jim will be following up. |
| Steering Committee | Leslie | Registration for the District 48 Holiday Party is closed. |
| Archives | N/A | It was suggested to Irena that the workshops she's been leading should be archived. |
| Founders' Day | Jane M. | <p>Friday Afternoon Agenda: History Panel, followed by the Traditional Double Winners program. 4PM Olin Hall Sing-a-Long.</p> <p>Sat morning 9AM - readings from daily readers & meditation. 10AM Alateen panel. (Gina will coordinate). 12.30PM AA/Alanon speakers EJ Thomas. 3PM at Olin Hall will have the Long Timers Ask It Basket. 5PM will start the Alanon Countdown followed by lead by Gordy. Sun Alanon Zoom meeting will be at Intergroup at noon. We are in need of cookie donations for the weekend. AA Committee informed us that we can record speakers, but cannot sell Alanon recordings during the weekend. Orders</p> |

will be taken at Founder's Day, but will be sold after.

Old Business

Notes / Updates: Chili Cook Off Fundraiser for Intergroup is being held at North Springfield Presbyterian Church on January 31.

New Business

Notes / Discussion Points: It was discussed that there should be a Tradition meeting held at the Intergroup Office once a month. The first meeting will be held January 18 from 3-4.30PM. Depending on the attendance and feedback from that workshop will determine when the next Tradition meeting will be held in February, and so on. Jim proposed that we invite three people from three different meetings that have upcoming anniversaries, to introduce themselves to Intergroup, share about their group and why they keep coming back. This interaction will help to make sure their group information is up-to-date along with making more connections in the program. There is a Serenity Weekend at Crocker Road in Westlake, January 23, 24 and 25, 2026.

Closing

- Closing Reading: Al-Anon Declaration

"Let it begin with me. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, let the hand of Al-Anon and Alateen always be there — and let it begin with me."

The meeting adjourned at 9PM.

01.06.2026 Intergroup Meeting

The meeting came to order at 7.30PM.

Opening

- Serenity Prayer
Recite together

- Readings

Steps of the Month: ____Janet_____

- Traditions of the Month: ____Janet_____

- Concept of the Month: ____Janet_____

- Introductions

Jim K - co-chair

Carla - Treasurer

Bonny B - Happiness and Acceptance 6:30PM Sunday

Janet S - ISR Because We Need a Meeting, Monday Office Volunteer

Joanna L - District 48, Alternate DR

Kristina H - Steering Committee

Don V - PIC, ISR Tuesday night Serenity Seekers

Karen F - Saturday Serenity

Irena H

Norman - Copley Saturday Serenity 7PM

Maryellen - Literature

Jane M - Chair

Angela Q - Women's Focus on Growth

Lynda M - Alateen

Christina - Secretary

Previous Meeting Minutes

- Review of Minutes: Any additions or corrections? Correction: date on the page for the minutes
- Motion to Accept Minutes: ___ Carla _____
- Seconded by: ___ Bonny _____
- All in Favor? X Yes No

Reports

Co-Chair Report

Notes: After the \$40 newsletter increase, there have been two mail subscriptions and one person unsubscribed.

There is a KY Zoom group that is currently having a book study on *As We Understood*. To promote literature sales, it was suggested to create a flyer to promote that we sell the book and that the KY Zoom group is a WSO group who is currently doing a study on the book.

The church where the Intergroup Chili Cook-Off event was going to be held can no longer accommodate our event due to having a funeral at the same date/time. Don V motioned and Carla seconded for Bonny to contact a church in Lakemore approximately five miles down the road from the previous church to see if we could hold the event there, as well as contact other churches in the area. It was also discussed that once we get the new location, we need to inform current registrants of the location change, as well as having signs hung up at the church stating the new location, in addition to spreading the updates ASAP.

Treasurer's Report

Notes:

Overall Financial Position:

Current Balance: \$18,887.62

- Al-Anon Checking: \$5,710.02
- Alateen Checking: \$5,046.76
- Prudent Reserves (CD + Savings): \$8,030.84
- Petty Cash: \$100.00

Monthly Income & Expenses

- **Total Income:** \$871.12
- Literature Sales: \$600.79
- Group Donations: \$188.13
- Individual Donations: \$15.00
- Founder's Day/Zelle Fee: \$11.00

- Newsletter Postage: \$20.00
- OH State Sales Tax: \$36.20
- **Total Expenses:** \$2446.52
- Rent: \$650.00
- Gas: \$91.46
- Electric: \$99.82
- Phone/Internet: \$122.64
- Literature: \$1421.87
- Copier: \$60.73

More funds went out than came in for December due to outstanding literature balance. No groups are delinquent beyond 60 days. There is a CD maturing in January. Carla motioned to roll into new CD depending on what bank offers or put into checking account (valued at \$2020.28). Don V seconded motion. All were in favor. Mary L. will be Co-Treasurer.

- Motion to Accept: _____Kristina H_____
- Seconded by: _____Christina R_____
- All in Favor? Yes No

Committee and Liaison Reports

| Committee / Liaison | Presenter | Key Updates / Notes |
|--------------------------|-----------|---|
| Literature | Maryellen | Over 100 newcomers packets have been sold. Orders have currently been lowered as there is currently not low stock on any of the literature. An inventory will be done on January 20. It was motioned and approved to put a blurb in the newsletter that highlights a book that is sold at Intergroup. |
| Public Information (PIC) | Don V | It was encouraged to continue to outreach and adopt libraries. It was also |

suggested to go through old phone lists and contact those who haven't attended in a while. A member or members of each group could contact those who haven't been seen, and call them to say hi and that we miss them. When reaching out, it would need to be reminded to keep anonymity sacred.

Meetings on Wheels (MOW)

Alateen

Lynda M

See Founders Day info

Office Coordinator

Cathy C stepped up to volunteer to be Office Coordinator and was voted in by the group. In November 19 of 21 days covered. In December 18 of 20 days covered.

OAA Liaison

Kathy C

There are OH Assembly events going on 03/28/2026, 04/07-04/09/2026 and in May 2026.

District 51, 48 and 25

Irena H

Joanna - alt Dist 48

District 51 online workshops begin 01/10. First meeting is on Concept One. Information is in the newsletter and on website. District 48 has a hybrid Step Study on Thursdays at 10AM. First two weeks the Step of the month is studied, followed by the Tradition of the month the third week, then the

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| | | Concept of the month the fourth week. |
| Webmaster | n/a | No report |
| Steering Committee | Kristina H | No report |
| Archives | n/a | No Report |
| Founders' Day | Jane | <p>Vannoy Shaw is joining the History panel as well as the Long Timers panel. Our program has been submitted to the Herald. Sun of Founders Day at noon Intergroup will be open to promote daily reading and meditation. It was discussed this could be an opportunity for fundraising. Alanon speakers will be recorded during the weekend and orders can be taken at Intergroup. To sell books on Sunday, Literature crew and other volunteers will need to get books from Founders Day and take back to Intergroup Saturday evening as well as do a shoebox inventory so sales are ready to go on Sunday.</p> <p>All Al-Anon speakers' gifts came from Akron Al-Anon Intergroup. In 2025, plaques and candy bags were given. The Dual Lead gift was given by AA.</p> <p>Lynda and Gina will chair the Alateen meeting. Someone from Toledo in 2025 volunteered to speak</p> |

for Alateen 2026. We are still trying to find out who that person is and who has their contact info. Other possibilities that were discussed were Alateens in Cleveland, Youngstown and Akron areas. Alateen speakers and Alateen's adult registration will be paid.

Old Business

Notes / Updates: Books will be sold at Intergroup on Sunday as well as taking recording orders from the weekend.

New Business

Notes / Discussion Points: Cleveland Al-Anon office tried to open newsletter on website, but they could only open one page. It was suggested to archive the newsletters from last 12 months on website, so people are able to open up newsletters. A couple people in the Zoom meeting were able to open the newsletter on the website with no issues. It was also pointed out that the second page of the newsletter is blank, which could've possibly been interpreted as why only one page loaded. Irena volunteered to follow up with them.

Closing

- Closing Reading: Al-Anon Declaration

"Let it begin with me. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, let the hand of Al-Anon and Alateen always be there — and let it begin with me."

The meeting adjourned at 9.06PM.

AKRON AREA AL-ANON INFORMATION SERVICES
BALANCE SHEET

AKRON AREA AL-ANON INFORMATION SERVICES
INCOME STATEMENT

DATE: Dec-25
PREPARED BY: Carla M

DATE: Dec-25
PREPARED BY: Carla M

DATE: 12/31/2024

DATE: 12/31/2025

| AL-ANON INCOME | MONTHLY | YEAR TO DATE | AVERAGE/MO | YEAR TO DATE | AL-ANON CHECKING ACCOUNT DEPOSITS | Balance Carried Forward |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--|-------------------------|
| Literature | \$600.79 | \$16,849.54 | \$1,404.13 | \$19,154.50 | AL-ANON Checking Account Deposits | \$ 20,447.90 |
| Group Donations | \$188.13 | \$5,328.42 | \$444.04 | \$3,864.03 | AL-ANON Savings Deposits | \$871.12 |
| Individual Donations | \$15.00 | \$1,636.27 | \$136.36 | \$1,892.80 | Interest | \$ 0.15 |
| Founder's Day/Zelle fee | \$11.00 | \$1,507.41 | \$125.62 | \$0.00 | Interest | \$ 10.00 |
| Newspaper Postage | \$20.00 | \$160.00 | \$13.33 | \$105.00 | Interest | \$ 4.97 |
| Filers | \$1,177.00 | \$1,177.00 | \$98.08 | \$140.00 | Total Income & Deposits | \$ 886.24 |
| Miscellaneous (2) | \$4,208.69 | \$4,208.69 | \$350.72 | \$757.10 | AL-ANON Checking Disbursements | \$2,446.52 |
| Ohio State Sales Tax | \$36.20 | \$1,044.84 | \$87.07 | \$1,194.40 | AL-ANON Savings Withdrawals | \$ 0.00 |
| Total Income | \$871.12 | \$31,912.17 | \$2,659.35 | \$27,107.83 | Alateen Checking Withdrawals | \$ 0.00 |
| AL-ANON EXPENSES | MONTHLY | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | Total Expenses & Withdrawals | \$ 2,446.52 |
| Rent | \$650.00 | \$7,828.29 | \$652.36 | \$7,500.00 | Current Balance | \$ 18,887.62 |
| Gas | \$91.46 | \$1,009.38 | \$84.12 | \$900.82 | | |
| Electric | \$99.82 | \$1,081.84 | \$90.15 | \$1,008.84 | | |
| Phone & Uverse | \$122.64 | \$1,275.26 | \$106.27 | \$1,113.07 | AL-ANON Checking Account Balance | \$5,710.02 |
| Web Cost | \$206.74 | \$2,067.41 | \$171.45 | \$1,106.74 | Prudent Reserve (CD) | \$2,020.28 |
| Newspaper Postage | \$133.31 | \$1,333.31 | \$111.11 | \$137.35 | Prudent Reserve (Savings Acct) | \$6,010.56 |
| Office Postage | \$59.53 | \$59.53 | \$4.96 | \$30.27 | Alateen Checking | \$5,046.76 |
| Office Supplies | \$55.86 | \$55.86 | \$4.65 | \$161.43 | Petty Cash | \$100.00 |
| Literature | \$1,421.87 | \$13,312.48 | \$1,109.37 | \$12,912.54 | Total Current Account Balances | AL-ANON Out of Balance |
| Copier | \$60.73 | \$767.66 | \$63.97 | \$706.64 | Total Accounts Receivable | \$18,887.62 |
| Miscellaneous(2) | \$1,054.60 | \$1,054.60 | \$87.88 | \$4,216.55 | Literature Inventory | \$461.77 |
| Alateen | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | Total Accounts Receivable | \$461.77 |
| Ohio State Sales Tax | \$1,089.02 | \$1,089.02 | \$90.75 | \$1,394.19 | Groups That Helped Keep The Doors Open | |
| Total Expenses | \$2,446.52 | \$27,873.77 | \$2,322.81 | \$30,188.44 | AL-ANON Donations | Alateen Donations |
| Net Income - Expenses | -\$1,575.40 | -\$4,038.40 | -\$336.53 | -\$3,080.61 | Paradise | Alateen Jar donation |
| NON-CASH EXPENSE | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | Hope & Happiness | |
| MOW | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | Woman's Focus on Growth | |
| PIC | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | Delinquent Group Accounts | 60 Days 90 Days |
| Total | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | 120 Plus |
| AL-ANON SAVINGS | MONTHLY | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | | |
| Deposits | \$485.00 | \$485.00 | \$485.00 | \$485.00 | | |
| Withdrawals | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Net Savings Dep.-WD | \$485.00 | \$485.00 | \$485.00 | \$485.00 | | |
| ALATEEN INCOME | MONTHLY | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | | |
| Group Donations | \$255.00 | \$255.00 | \$255.00 | \$411.00 | | |
| Individual Donations | \$169.35 | \$169.35 | \$169.35 | \$21.00 | | |
| Miscellaneous | \$10.00 | \$156.74 | \$156.74 | \$21.00 | | |
| Total Alateen Income | \$581.09 | \$581.09 | \$581.09 | \$553.00 | | |
| ALATEEN EXPENSES | MONTHLY | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | | |
| Literature | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Komiac | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Miscellaneous | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Total Alateen Expenses | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Net Alateen Inc.-EXP. | \$581.09 | \$581.09 | \$581.09 | \$553.00 | | |
| ALATEEN CHECKING | MONTHLY | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | YEAR TO DATE | | |
| Deposits | \$10.00 | \$581.09 | \$581.09 | \$553.00 | | |
| Withdrawals | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Net Savings Dep.-WD | \$10.00 | \$581.09 | \$581.09 | \$553.00 | | |

Notes
Alateen Misc Income was from the donation jar
Founders Day Misc Income was from the donation jar

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calls in calls out voice mail pamph/sched lit orders visitors members professional

| Date | Day | Volunteer | calls in | calls out | voice mail | pamp/sched | lit orders | visitors | members | professional |
|-----------|--------|-------------|----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|----------|---------|--------------|
| 1-Jan-26 | Thurs | x | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2-Jan-26 | Fri | Pat G | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3-Jan-26 | Sat | | | | | | | | | |
| 4-Jan-26 | Sun | | | | | | | | | |
| 5-Jan-26 | Mon | Janet S | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 6-Jan-26 | Tues | Cathy C | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7-Jan-26 | Wed | Janet P | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 8-Jan-26 | Thurs | Pat G/Irenz | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| 9-Jan-26 | Fri | Pat G | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10-Jan-26 | Sat | | | | | | | | | |
| 11-Jan-26 | Sun | | | | | | | | | |
| 12-Jan-26 | Mon | Janet S | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 13-Jan-26 | Tues | Cathy C | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 14-Jan-26 | Wed | Janet P | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 15-Jan-26 | Thurs | x | | | | | | | | |
| 16-Jan-26 | Fri | Pat G | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 17-Jan-26 | Sat | | | | | | | | | |
| 18-Jan-26 | Sun | | | | | | | | | |
| 19-Jan-26 | Mon | Janet S | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20-Jan-26 | Tues | Cathy C | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 21-Jan-26 | Wed | Janet P | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 22-Jan-26 | Thurs | Irena | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 23-Jan-26 | Fri | Pat G | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 24-Jan-26 | Sat | | | | | | | | | |
| 25-Jan-26 | Sun | | | | | | | | | |
| 26-Jan-26 | Mon | x | | | | | | | | |
| 27-Jan-26 | Tues | x | | | | | | | | |
| 28-Jan-26 | Wed | x | | | | | | | | |
| 29-Jan-26 | Thurs | Irena | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 30-Jan-26 | Friday | Pat G | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Sat | | | | | | | | | |

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| Office covered | calls in | calls out | voice mail | pamphlets & schedules | lit orders | visitors | officers & members | professional calls |
| days 17 of 22 | 24 | 15 | 6 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 12 | 0 |

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