AREA 40 TRIANGLE

A Newsletter for A.A. in the State of Montana

BE INFORMED. DISCUSS WITH YOUR GROUP. PARTICIPATION IS KEY. Spring Area Assembly Agenda Items

We have a multitude of agenda items from the General Service Conference (GSC) and Area 40. These agenda items are broken into three different categories: review, discuss, and consider. Agenda items listed with "review" and "discuss" primarily are just that, review and discuss and rarely is there a vote taken unless our Area Delegate specifically requests a "sense of the area." Agenda items listed with "consider" are primarily agenda items that will be voted on during our Area Assembly.

Our Area 40 vote doesn't determine the GSC agenda items but does give our Area Delegate a sense of our Area, where as a vote taken on Area 40 agenda items will determine whether that agenda item passes or doesn't.

I have listed below only agenda items with "consider" to save on space. I have left some "review" items due to interest and discussion that was expressed at the West Central Region A.A. Service Conference I attended in Billings February 28 - March 1, 2020.

You can access the full Area 40 agenda here: https://aa-montana.org/committee.php under **Assembly Agendas/Spring 2020**. Or you can always grab the General Service Representative (GSR) of your group or your district's District Committee Member (DCM) to help you.

Your GSR and DCM will also have access to background information for each agenda item. Please make sure to check out the background information so you can be fully informed.

Archives/Area 40 Structure & Policy – Kacie N.

Structure & Policy — Area 40

- Consider voting privileges to be granted to the Archivist, Webmaster, Area Advisor & Bridging the Gap Chair.
- Consider creating a new Area 40 Hotline Chair rotating position that will be separate from the Area 40 PI Chair rotating position.
- Consider rotating Area Assembly between 2 locations by allowing the Area Advisor to select the next location by accepting bids from interested districts.
- Consider implementing an Area Officer Training that will be held in October after elections for the new Area Officers and Area Committee Chairs.

Archives — GSC

• Consider requests to develop a book on A.A. history from 1955 through the present.

<u>Public Information/Report & Charter - Sabrina C.</u>

Public Information - Area 40

- Consider having the Triangle Editor create a new website for the Triangle.
 - 1. Consider a creation of a searchable website for the Triangle.
 - 2. If item a passes consider allowing the Triangle Editor authority to email notices of the new Triangle being available on the Triangle website.



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"If I were asked which of our blessings I felt was most responsible for our growth as a fellowship and most vital to our continuity, I would say, the 'Concept of Anonymity." Bill's last message read by Lois, 1970 Annual New York Intergroup Dinner

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Tradition Two Snip-it

For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority, a loving God as He may express Himself our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern.

"Sooner or later, every AA comes to depend upon a Power greater than himself. He finds that the God of his understanding is not only a source of strength, but also a source of positive direction. Realizing that some fraction of that infinite resource is now available, his life takes on an entirely different complexion. He experiences a new inner security together with such a sense of destiny and purpose as he has never known before. As each day passes, our AA reviews his mistakes and vicissitudes. He learns from daily experience what his remaining character defects are and becomes ever more willing that they be removed. In this fashion he improves his conscious contact with God.

Every AA group follows this same cycle of development. We are coming to realize that each group, as well as each individual, is a special entity, not quite like any other. Though AA groups are basically the same, each group does have its own special atmosphere, its own peculiar state of development. We believe that every AA group has a conscience. It is the collective conscience of its own membership. Daily experience informs and instructs this conscience. The group begins to recognize its own defects of character and, one by one, these are removed or lessened. As this process continues, the group becomes better able to receive right direction for its own affairs. Trial and error produces group experience, and out of corrected experience comes custom. When a customary way of doing things is definitely proved to be best, then that custom forms into AA Tradition. The Greater Power is then working through a clear group conscience.

We humbly hope and believe that our growing AA Tradition will prove to be the will of God for us."

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Public Information – GSC

- Review the 2019 trustees' Public Information Committee progress report on the usefulness and effectiveness of the A.A.W.S. YouTube account.
- Review the 2019 trustees' Public Information Committee progress report on the use of Google AdWords/Grants to carry the A.A. message.
- Discuss a request "to create a new form of communication" to address anonymity on social media.
- Consider a request to develop a plan to create an A.A. podcast.

Report and Charter - GSC

- Consider restoring the two paragraphs and the accompanying footnote in the Concept Eleven essay of The Twelve Concepts for World Service that were removed by an advisory action of the 66th General Service Conference.
- Consider amending a sentence in Article 4 of the current Conference Charter.

Treatment - Steve S.

Treatment/Accessibilities – GSC

• Consider request to develop a Bridging the Gap Workbook.

<u>Grapevine/GSC Policy & Admissions – Shawn N.</u> Grapevine – GSC

- Consider the list of suggested AA Grapevine book topics for 2021 or later.
- Consider revising the A.A. Preamble to use gender neutral pronouns. For example, "Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of people who share their experience, strength and hope with each other..."
- Consider a request to change the language of the first sentence of the A.A. Preamble as follows: "Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of people who share..."
- Consider a request to develop an AA Grapevine pamphlet on how the AA Grapevine can be utilized to carry the A.A. message.
- Consider a request to change the name of the General Service Conference Committee on Grapevine to the Conference Committee on Grapevine and La Viña.
- Consider a request for AA Grapevine, Inc. to establish an Instagram account in line with the Twelve Traditions.

Policy & Admissions - GSC

- Consider a proposed process for approving observers to the U.S./Canada General Service Conference.
- Consider implementing electronic voting for trustee elections.
- Consider continuing the review of dates for the General Service Conference with timing and year(s) to review as requested by the general manager.
- Consider a proposed process for how a Conference committee could review, discuss and act on proposed agenda items not forwarded to a Conference committee.
- Consider a proposed process for equitable distribution of Conference committees' workload.

<u>Literature – Grant M.</u>

Literature - GSC

- Consider if proposed agenda items for plain language, simplified language, accessible
 translations and large print versions of the book Alcoholics Anonymous, as well as
 workbooks to help study the program of Alcoholics Anonymous, can be addressed with a
 common solution.
- Consider requests to revise the book Alcoholics Anonymous:
 - 1. Add pages 3 through 41 of the pamphlet "The A.A. Group" as an appendix in the next printing.
 - 2. Revise the first 164 pages.



We need your experience, strength, and hope! Please send us short articles—400 words or less—on A.A. service. Please submit no later than March 28th via email to triangle@aamontana.org. What service have you done for your group? How does your group do their business/group conscience meetings? Had a district service position?

Do you take meetings into the jail? Take meetings into treatment centers? Are you a volunteer for Bridging the Gap? Inquiring minds want to know!!

- Consider proposals related to possible Fifth Edition of the book Alcoholics Anonymous:
 - 1. Develop a Fifth Edition.
 - 2. Develop a Fifth Edition of the book Alcoholics Anonymous with updated stories and revisions to Appendices III and V.
 - 3. Add a proposed addendum to a Fifth Edition foreword of the book Alcoholics Anonymous at the time it is published.
- Consider development of a draft Fourth Edition of the Alcohólicos Anónimos.
- Consider updating the pamphlet "A.A. for the Black and African-American Alcoholic."
- Consider requests to revise the book Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions:
 - 1. To remove the phrase "opposite sex" from paragraph two on page 117 in the chapter "Step Twelve."
 - 2. To reconsider use of the phrase "lustful enough to rape" in paragraph one on page 66 in the chapter "Step Six."
- Consider request to add a subtitle to the booklet Living Sober.
- Consider requests to revise text related to open meetings in the pamphlet "The A.A. Group."
- Consider request to revise text related to self-support in the pamphlet "Frequently Asked Questions About A.A."
- Consider revising the pamphlet "Questions & Answers on Sponsorship":
 - 1. Change the suggestion that sponsor and newcomer be of the same sex.
 - 2. Expand the section on "Service Sponsorship" and retitle the pamphlet to include service sponsorship.
- Consider request to include a G.S.R. preamble in the pamphlet "G.S.R.: Your Group's Link to A.A. as a Whole."

Cooperation with the Professional Community and Trustees Committee Terri T.

Cooperation with the Professional Community - GSC

- A. Consider a request to discontinue the pamphlet "A.A. in Your Community."
- B. Consider a request to create a pamphlet for mental health professionals.
- C. Discuss progress report on LinkedIn page implementation.

Why should GSRs and DCMs Attend Area 40's Spring Assembly?

The Area 40 Spring Assembly is three weeks away. Is your group sending your General Service Representative (GSR) to represent your group? Is the District Committee Member (DCM) of your district planning on attending? Do you know why it is important that your group and district attend Area 40's Spring Assembly?

Alcoholics Anonymous is an upside-down organization, "because, as the structure chart shows, the groups are on the top and the trustees at the bottom. Bill W. wrote in Concept I: *The A.A. groups today hold ultimate responsibility and final authority for our world services*. Then in Concept II, Bill made it clear that the groups *delegated to the Conference complete authority for the active maintenance of our world services*

Tradition Three Swip-it

The only requirement for A.A. membership is a desire to stop drinking.

"Tradition Three defines the personal liberty of the AA member. It says, in effect, that any alcoholic can be an AA member the moment he says so. Neither can any of us deprive him of that membership, no matter what his behavior. Perhaps no other society has ever staked out such a broad expanse of liberty for the individual as this. Every AA newcomer feels at once that he is wanted and trusted and loved. How well we understand his needs; certainly we have had them ourselves. Seldom has any alcoholic taken unfair advantage of that unlimited charter for freedom. We took this decision for individual freedom years ago. We are glad that we did there has never been any cause for regret."

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"That is why we all judge the newcomer less and less. If alcoholism is an uncontrollable problem to him and he wishes to do something about it, that is enough for us. We care not whether his case is severe or light, whether his morals are good or bad, whether he has other complications or not. Our A.A. door stands wide open, and if he passes through it and commences to do anything at all about his problem, he is considered a member of Alcoholics Anonymous. He signs nothing, agrees to nothing, promises nothing. We demand nothing. He joins us on his own say-so. Nowadays, in most groups, he doesn't even have to admit he is an alcoholic. He can join A.A. on the mere suspicion that he may be one, that he may already show the fatal symptoms of our malady."

- Reprinted from A.A. Tradition: How it Developed by Bill W. pamphlet, p. 12, with permission of A.A. World Services, Inc.

Concept Two Bite

When, in 1955, the A.A. groups confirmed the permanent charter for their General Service
Conference, they thereby delegated to the Conference complete authority for the active maintenance of our world services and thereby made the Conference—excepting for any change in the Twelve Traditions or in Article 12 of the Conference Charter—the actual voice and the effective conscience for our whole society.

"Exactly as Dr. Bob and I earlier had found it necessary to delegate a large part of our active authority to the Trustees, so have the A.A. groups since found it necessary to delegate these same powers to their General Service Conference. The final say the ultimate sanction in matters of large importance—has not been given to the Trustees alone. By the Conference Charter, confirmed at St. Louis, this authority is now delegated to the A.A. groups and thence to their Conference, a body which is a representative cross section of our entire fellowship.

Therefore the General Service Conference of A.A.—plus any later formed sections—has become for nearly every practical purpose the active voice and the effective conscience of our whole Society in its world affairs.

In making this momentous transfer, we old-timers deeply hope that we have avoided those pitfalls into which societies have so often fallen because their originators have failed, during their lifetimes, to properly delegate and distribute their own authority, responsibility, and leadership."

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and thereby made the Conference... the actual voice and effective conscience for our whole Society." But for this to happen—the groups to be the "ultimate responsibility and final authority" and the Conference to be the "actual voice and effective conscience for our whole society"—each group and district need to participate.

Your group's GSR holds your group's conscience, and as they weigh and consider the information presented at Area 40's Spring Assembly, they will represent your group with their vote and with their discussion. The agenda items we will discuss at the Spring Assembly affect Alcoholics Anonymous as a whole, which means all groups, districts, and areas. "Only when the G.S.R. keeps the group informed, and communicates the group conscience, can the Conference truly act for A.A. as a whole."

Your district's DCM is "part of the area committee" and "is an essential link between the group G.S.R. and the area delegate to the General Service Conference. As leader of the district committee, made up of all G.S.R.s in the district, the D.C.M. is exposed to the" district's group conscience. "As a member of the area committee, he or she is able to pass on the district's thinking to the delegate and the committee."

Area 40 Spring Assembly is March 27 - 29, 2020 in Great Falls, MT. (Quotes from The A.A. Service Manual, S25 - S34)

Excerpt from Bill W.'s 1961 Conference talk A True and High and Constant Purpose

"When I was asked to write a greeting for this Conference, I think I used the word *family* in describing A.A. for perhaps the first time. It occurred to me that we were more than a therapy, more than a group of alcoholics trying to get along in the world. We here in this room are small fragments of a huge and growing family, a fragment collectively designated for the time being as trusted servants for the rest and appointed to a mission which will further our purpose and destiny."

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Why do We Need a General Service Conference?

"The late Bernard B. Smith, non-alcoholic, then chairperson of our board of trustees, and one of the architects of the Conference structure, answered that question superbly in his opening talk at the 1954 meeting: 'We may not need a General Service Conference to ensure our own recovery. We do need it to ensure the recovery of the alcoholic who still stumbles in the darkness one short block from this room. We need it to ensure the recovery of a child being born tonight, destined for alcoholism. We need it to provide, in keeping with our Twelfth Step, a permanent haven for all alcoholics who, in the ages ahead, can find in A.A. that rebirth that brought us back to life.

We need it because we, more than all others, are conscious of the devastating effect of the human urge for power and prestige which we must ensure can never invade A.A. We need it to ensure A.A. against government, while insulating it against anarchy; we need it to protect A.A. against disintegration while preventing over integration. We need it so that Alcoholics Anonymous, and Alcoholics Anonymous alone, is the ultimate repository of its Twelve Steps, its Twelve Traditions, and all of its services.

We need it to ensure that changes within A.A. come only as a response to the needs and the wants of all A.A., and not of any few. We need it to ensure that the doors of the halls of A.A. never have locks on them, so that all people for all time who have an alcoholic problem may enter these halls unasked and feel welcome. We need t to ensure that Alcoholics Anonymous never asks of anyone who needs us what his or her race is, what his or her creed is, what his or her social position is." - Reprinted from The A.A. Service Manual, p. S20, with permission of A.A. World Services, Inc.

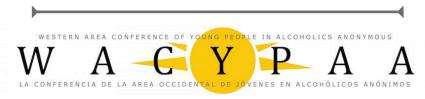
Send your group's GSR to a Pre-assembly. Learn More about the Agenda Items - Be Informed

Send your group's General Service Representative (GSR) to a pre-assembly that is located closest to your District. Ask your GSR if they have received the background information on the agenda items. If they haven't, ask them to speak to your District's District Committee Member (DCM). Your GSR will receive more information at the Pre-assembly about the Spring Assembly agenda items and can inform your group. Your GSR can then bring your group's conscience to the Spring Assembly.

The GSRs represent the groups of the Area and in turn our Area Delegate, Paul L., represents our Area (all our groups) at the General Service Conference. Each of us needs to participate to truly have an informed group conscience. Together we uphold Tradition Two.

Pre-assemblies Scheduled:

Districts 41, 61, 71, & 72 - March 7th at Boulder Hot Springs, Boulder, MT **Districts 81, 91, & 93** - March 14th at Eidsvold Lutheran Church, Somers, MT



WACYPAA is coming to Area 40 January, 2021!

ZOOYPAA (Missoula Young People in A.A. service committee) is hosting the Western Area Conference of Young People in Alcoholics Anonymous. This will be the largest event Area 40 has ever hosted, so you won't want to miss out on this momentous event.

"WACYPAA is the Western Area Conference of Young People in Alcoholics Anonymous. The purpose of WACYPAA is to build and strengthen unity in Young Peoples Groups in Alcoholics Anonymous in the western area of North America and Hawaii. The focus is especially to reach those areas which historically had little exposure to such conferences." http://wacypaa.org/wacypaas-aim/region/

Age is not a determining factor for being young at heart. Any A.A. member, regardless of age, is welcome and encouraged to attend WACYPAA.

Letter from the Editor

I attended the West Central Region Alcoholics Anonymous Service Conference this past weekend (February 28 - March 1, 2020). I reviewed background material and listened to fellow members share their experience, strength, and hope, as well as thoughts and opinions on what was best for A.A. Our fellowship definitely has a range of experience and thought, which is exactly what we need to find our next best step for Alcoholics Anonymous. We need to hear all sides of an agenda item to slowly move toward the best path for A.A. As an alcoholic who loved to drown herself in booze, who never wanted to be present, and loathed conflict of any kind, I feel blessed to participate in all of A.A.'s business, even the parts that are uncomfortable.

Whether we agree or disagree on specifics, I believe we can all agree that A.A. has saved our lives and given us a second chance at a life worth living. Let us all come together at Area 40's Spring Assembly, so we may continue to reach the hand of Alcoholics Anonymous out to the still suffering alcoholic.

In love and service, Catherine B., Area 40 Triangle Editor

Concept Three Bite

As a traditional means of creating and maintaining a clearly defined working relation between the groups, the Conference, the A.A. General Service Board and its several service corporations, staffs, committees and executives, and of thus insuring their effective leadership it is here suggested that we endow each of these elements of world service with a traditional "Right of Decision."

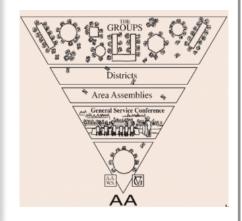
"This 'Right of Decision' should never be made an excuse for failure to render proper reports of all significant actions taken; it ought never be used as a reason for constantly exceeding a clearly defined authority, nor as an excuse for persistently failing to consult those who are entitled to be consulted before an important decision or action is taken.

Our entire A.A. program rests squarely upon the principle of mutual trust. We trust God, we trust A.A., and we trust each other. Therefore we cannot do less than trust our leaders in service. The 'Right of Decision' that we offer them is not only the practical means by which they may act and lead effectively, but it is also the symbol of our implicit confidence."

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Does your group practice "Right of Decision"? How about your district?

Get the Concept Checklist at **aa.org**.





The 2020 International Convention of Alcoholics Anonymous will be held July 2–5, 2020 in Detroit, Michigan with the theme "Love and Tolerance is our Code." A.A. members and guests from around the world will celebrate A.A.'s 85th year at this event with big meetings held Friday night, Saturday night and Sunday morning in the Ford Field Stadium. Other meetings, scheduled or informal, will take place throughout the

weekend in the COBO Center in downtown Detroit.

We know many are excited about the International Convention and eager for detailed information. As the time gets closer, additional information about the Convention and Detroit, our host city, will be provided.

This website will be updated as more information becomes available. Also watch for articles in our quarterly news bulletin, Box 4-5-9, which is mailed to the general service representative of every group in the U.S. and Canada listed with G.S.O. and is also posted on the website.

Registration forms will be mailed in August 2019 to all G.S.R.s, central offices, intergroups and international G.S.O.s. Online registration will be available September 9, 2019, on aa.org. Advanced registration for the convention between September 9, 2019 and April 14, 2020 will be \$115.00 (USD) per attendee. Registration after April 15, 2020 will be \$140.00 (USD) per attendee. For further information please see the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) on this same page.

Whether it's your first time or tenth time attending, you won't want to miss out on

A.A.'s International Convention in Detroit, Michigan!

July 2 - 5, 2020

You can go here to learn more: https://www.aa.org/pages/en_US/international-convention-2020



We look forward to seeing you in Detroit!

District 72 of Alcoholics Anonymous, along with Al-Anon participation, invites you to join us

PASS IT ON Bozeman Spring Roundup

May 15th-17th, 2020

Katy O, Bozeman | Al-Anon Nick G, Bozeman | AA Rick J, Toronto | Al-Anon Judy B, Fort Collins | AA Don C, Colorado Springs | AA

"Each day my friend's simple talk in our kitchen multiplies itself in a widening circle of peace on earth and good will to men." Alcoholics Anonymous, Bill's Story, pg. 16



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2020 Spring Roundup will be held at the Best Western GranTree Inn, 1325 N 7th Ave, Bozeman, MT.

Some Saturday events will be taking place next door at the Days Inn.

You can pre-register by mail, or pay on-line at: www.bozemanroundup.org (additional vendor fee for on-line registration)

Hotel Reservations can be made by calling the GranTree at 855-479-0732. When calling, mention AA Roundup for special room rates of \$96.00 per night. You may also book on-line.

UPCOMING EVENTS



Need a flier for your group?

Check out <u>aa-montana.org</u>

March 2020

March 6th - 7th ► Whitefish Sober Ski, Whitefish Mountain Resort, Whitefish, MT

March 7th ► Districts 41, 61, 71, & 72 Pre-assembly, Boulder Hot Springs, Boulder, MT

March 14th ➤ Districts 81, 91, & 93 Pre-assembly, Eidsvold Lutheran Church, Somers, MT

March 20th - 21st → Pockets of Enthusiasm, First Presbyterian Church, Helena, MT

March 21st - 2020 Founder's Day, Shrine Auditorium, Billings, MT

March 27th - 29th → Area 40 Spring Assembly, Holiday Inn, Great Falls, MT

April 2020

April 17th - 19th Heart to Heart IV, Chico Hot Springs, Pray, MT April 18th 12 Step Study Presents, Civic Center, Great Falls, MT

May 2020

May 14th ► 13th Annual CPC Workshop, Youth First Building, Helena, MT

May 15th - 17th 2020 Spring Roundup, Best Western Plus, Bozeman, MT

May 23rd ⇐ Corrections/Treatment Workshop, 1st Assembly of God Church, Helena, MT

July 2020

July 1st **►** Deadline for Fall Agenda Items

July 1st **►** Deadline for Special Needs Form for Fall Assembly

July 2nd - 5th → A.A. International Convention, Detroit, MI

September 2020

September 11th - 13th ► Area 40 Fall Assembly, Holiday Inn, Great Falls, MT

September 18th - 19th ► Fellowship at the Falls, Great Falls, MT

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The 2021 West Central Regional Forum will be held at the Hilton Garden Inn in Missoula! Save the date September 10th - 12th, 2021

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AREA 40 TRIANGLE CROSSWORD ANSWERS

January Answers

- The area committee is responsible for the <u>health</u> of the Conference structure.
- Who keeps financial records for the area and reports regularly to the assembly? <u>Area Treasurer</u>
- They are responsible for the smooth running of area assemblies. <u>Area Chairperson</u>
- An active committee deals with all kinds of service problems.
- What does the acronym C.P.C. stand for?
 Cooperation with the Professional Community
- Who records and distributes minutes of area meetings? <u>Area Secretary</u>
- The committee is composed of all <u>district</u> <u>committee members</u>, area officers, and chairs of area service committees.
- A.A. has in <u>past delegates</u> a wealth of experience, which is sometimes used and sometimes not.
- What does the acronym P.I. stand for? <u>Public Information</u>

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