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District 91 Monthly Meeting Minutes	January 25, 2026	
Attendees	<u>In person</u> Eli S. Jose S. Sandy K. Susan H. Nancy S. Mark S. Dave P. Allyson B. Patrick C. Lois L. Tyrone S. Chloe S. <u>Zoom</u> Denise S Chris M Vince T.	
Opened	Preamble: Sandy K. Traditions: Jose S. Twelve Steps: N/A Serenity Prayer: All Twelve Concepts: Eli S. Concept of the Month (Concept 1) Presented by: Eli S. Concept of the Month (Concept 2) February: Steve S. Review and approval minutes: Susan H made motion to approve minutes. Minutes approved. NEXT MEETING: February 22, 2026 3:00 pm Alano Club (Hybrid Meeting)	
Committee Chair Reports		
	Archives: Nothing new to report.	Chris M
	Bridging the Gap: Nothing new to report..	Rhianna G
	PI and CPC: Nothing new to report.	Antoinette M
	Corrections: In all honesty this month has been less than stellar in the men's volunteer participation in the jail meetings. I struggle weekly to fill the slots for these jail meetings. And while I do my best to get these slots filled, it seems circumstances	Stacey W

	<p>beyond my control intervene and the meeting is cancelled (i.e., no shows, certification lapsed etc.). I will admit this month has been a little disappointing in that regard.</p> <p>However, there is a bright spot with the women's meetings participation; several of the girls have become very active in their participation, which is amazing because I have heard the women's meetings have been averaging 8-10 incarcerated women attending...so yay!</p> <p>Anyhow, I will continue to trudge with purpose in this commitment.</p>	
	<p>Grapevine :</p> <p>SUBSCRIPTIONS</p> <p>Print-</p> <p>1yr-\$36.00</p> <p>2yr-\$68.00</p> <p>3yr-\$90.00</p> <p>Digital-</p> <p>1mo-2.99</p> <p>1yr-\$29.99</p> <p>2yr-\$49.00</p> <p>3yr-\$69.00</p> <p>Both-</p> <p>1mo-\$6.00</p> <p>1yr-\$56.00</p> <p>2yr-\$98.00</p> <p>3yr-\$130.00</p>	Abe M
	<p>Hotline: Nothing to report for hotline. Good news is no missed calls and no calls on the men's side. If we had a call on the woman's side, it was answered. Thank you guys and see ya next month.</p>	Brad B.
	<p>Literature: Hey District - New Group Book orders are coming in fast. Literature delivery from AA World Service is not. (ha-ha) Three new groups have reached out to now order books. We are now servicing Fresh Start, Sunrise, and Tobacco Valley groups with Literature and free shipping.</p> <p>We have been working on a literature display for Into Action and the Spring Roundup events in addition to having completed the New Pamphlet Flip book. I am very pleased with how well the group literature reps are working together and the lines of communication with them are stellar. I am going to ask Lit reps to have the checks ready when they place their orders, when possible, as chasing money from the Treasurers is more difficult than getting orders or delivering books to the chairs.</p>	Susan H

	<p>I attended a fascinating and informative online forum for Deaf AA members, and my eyes were opened wide to the lack of accessibility these members experience. I had zero understanding of the cultural and language barriers that currently exist for those members. The American Disabilities Act requirements apply to AA. We are not exempt from those laws. I am looking into a possible “lending library” of resources available to those AA members with disabilities (such as being deaf or blind) to see the feasibility of that through District. Just planting the seed for now. I would love to have a copy of the Big Books available in French, Spanish, Braille, ASL and even Navajo. It is not a big expense. For example, Braille Big books are only \$12.50 and Navajo only \$5. I learned there is a website deafaa.org and Grapevine provides members with ASL.</p> <p>I joined in the pre-Assembly zoom planning meeting, Jan 10th that this District is responsible for participating in. Hopefully more of our District will be at the next one.</p> <p>Literature prices go up February 1st, and we have taken full advantage of the savings now. We have already sold 14 cases of the First Edition Commemorative Big books at the special price of only \$2. Groups and individuals are ordering by the case! It's crazy.</p> <p>Who knew that Literature Chair was going to be so darn fun! My six-month probationary period has come and gone, and the Lit Checkbook balance has grown from its original \$550 you allotted. Our last literature order was \$624. and we indeed had the money to cover it.</p>	
	Treatment: I am happy to report we have a couple of men that have been approved for the pre-release meeting. They made their first Saturday night, 8 pm, meeting. Two clients attended the meeting. So proud of them. Even if we change one man's life, we made a difference. Looking forward to seeing everyone who can make it at Into Action.	Tazarae P
	District Intergroup Liaison: Nothing new to report since the monthly meeting is always held the last Saturday of the month. The next meeting will be January 31, 2026. The report on the January meeting will be presented at the February 22 nd District 91 meeting.	Sandy K
	Public Information: Nothing new to report.	Danielle K
	Zoom: Nothing new to report.	OPEN
Standing Committees /Reports		

	<p>Spring Round Up 2026 – Hey District Service Fam! Again, we are so Sorry that our Sunday commitments interfere with our District meetings.</p> <p>This Wednesday will be our January Roundup Meeting, so there will be more updates to report in February. Nothing new to report at this time.</p> <p>Grateful to serve.</p> <p>P.S. Please keep encouraging registrations and volunteers</p> <p>Here are the dates for the remaining meetings. Online meeting link is:</p> <p>https://meet.google.com/xwu-pszn-tjh</p> <p>Remaining Meeting dates</p> <p>Jan 28th 6pm Zoom Feb 25th 6pm In Person Red Lion</p> <p>March 25th 6pm Zoom</p> <p>April 29th 6pm In Person Red Lion</p> <p>And May 1st - We Party!</p> <p>Flyer attached at the end of this report.</p>	Nino & Victoria
	<p>Into Action 2026 – Into Action's theme this year is Humility in Service, and is scheduled for Saturday, February 7, 2026 from 9 am to 7 pm, (with donuts and coffee starting at 8 am) at the Kalispell City Airport, Aviation Hall, 1825 Airport Rd. Taz's flyer is going around, please take a picture and spread the word to your home groups!</p> <p>The site is paid for, (\$130), Jersey Mike's lunch is ordered, and a potluck dinner sign-up sheet is going around. Can't order the donuts till a week in advance.</p> <p>Speakers are committed, helpers are committed, literature table will be stocked and ready, thank you, Susan. We have two out-of-town speakers, Brandi, DCM from Butte, and Theresa from East Glacier. We will put them up in our homes, but will also offer them travel reimbursement. I will talk to our treasurer about</p>	Allyson B

	<p>this, and it looks like we will be under the \$600 budget for the event. Flyers attached to the end of this report.</p> <p>We still need people to show up, especially from District. The Meet your District panel is scheduled at 2 pm. That directly follows lunch and a cool art project. I will send out an email with some possible questions to think about for your 5-minute talks, such as: What do you do? What surprised you about this position, what have you learned, and what would you like to share about the gifts of general service? How has general service enhanced your sobriety?</p> <p>Please let us know if you have suggestions, comments, or are willing to help! My phone number is 406-212-3977.</p>	
Group Reports		
	<p>Bigfork by the Bay Group - Our January 2026 Business Meeting was held on the 17th. Ten members were in attendance. We resumed elections of chair positions and filled all but Birthday Medallions/birthday cakes.</p> <p>All meetings the same, smallest attended meetings are the Monday morning Women's meeting and the Thursday Big Book Study meeting. Saturday morning meeting and Sunday night meeting have the largest attendance.</p>	Lois L
	<p>Canyon Group – Meetings Monday, Tuesday, Friday & Sunday at 8 pm.</p> <p>Founder's Day Campout art Big Creek will be June 11-14, 2026. Campsite reservation flyer to come. Rates TBD.</p> <p>Business meeting is the first Monday of the month at 6:30 pm. Next meeting will be February 2nd.</p>	Tyrone S.
	Chief Cliff AA –	OPEN
	<p>Columbia Falls Group – My name is Katie V and I am the GSR for the Columbia Falls Group. Unfortunately I am unable to attend today's business meeting. Here is my report for the month of January. We hold business meetings quarterly and we last met on Thursday January 15th at 7:15. Our next business meeting will take place Thursday April 16th at 7:15 pm. Meetings are weekly Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday evening at 8pm in the Chapel at the Vets Home in Columbia Falls. There was no intergroup representative voted in at our last business meeting. As GSR I willingly continue to serve in the position.</p>	Katie V
	<p>Girls Night Out Book Study Group –Girls Night Out Book Study Group Report – We meet every Wednesday at Calvary Lutheran Church, 2200 US Hwy 2 E. in Evergreen. We open the</p>	Nancy S

	<p>doors at 5:30 pm for fellowship. We are currently reading "Voice of Women in AA: Stories of Experience, Strength and Hope"</p> <p>https://www.aagrapevine.org/store/voices-women-aa-stories-experience-strength-hope-softcover?srsId=AfmBOopFXmzf9rYlwNXgmOkHTQOcweqYfW4_ZirZITYvKRE7mTLT4pNA</p> <p>Our next business meeting is on Wednesday, March 4th, 2026, after our regular meeting. We have several service positions open: Alternate GSR, CPC, Corrections and Grapevine chairs.</p>	
	<p>Going to the Sun Group – Things are well in the Canyon. Our meeting is held every Thursday 7pm at 215 Old School Ln in Coram and is very well attended. We also have a potluck on the last Thursday of the month at 6pm. Our business meetings are now held on the first Thursday of the month shortly after 8pm.</p>	Chris M
	<p>Happy Hour Group – We meet every Monday-Friday at 5:30pm in the mural room at the Alano club. We are also excited to announce meeting every Saturday at 5:30pm now, too! Also, we have a neat event every third Wednesday of the month called "weiner Wednesday" where we are having a pot luck style hot dog bar. First one was a success! Join is next time, February 18th!</p>	Rhianna G
	<p>New Hope Group – New Hope had their business meeting on Thursday January 8, 2026, chaired by Joe W. Aryel was not present.</p> <p>Stefan received the pamphlets that he ordered for beginner packets. Tazarae P. w / Treatment/Corrections said that they are looking for men to come to the AA meetings at the pre-release center in Evergreen. Registering is similar to taking meetings into the jail. One year of sobriety is recommended.</p> <p>Tazarae P. is also co-hosting the Into Action Day on February 7th. The theme is Humility in Service. It's from 8am to 8pm. Look for flyers at the end of this report.</p> <p>New Hope has a speaker meeting the first Saturday night of every month at 8:00. Antoinette is looking for speakers and speaker seekers! Mike M. will be the speaker on February 7th.</p>	Aryel M (submitted by Sandy K)
	<p>Serenity Group — Serenity Group holds four meetings per week: MTF at 7pm at the Alano Club and Monday at 7pm on Zoom. Monday is Beginner's meeting, Tuesday is a book study, Friday is a random call-up meeting except final Friday when we host a one-hour speaker. Friday night meeting is also a birthday meeting and we give out chips for varying lengths of sobriety. This Friday, please come to our potluck at 6 pm in the Center Room of the Alano Club then listen to our January speaker, Jim B. from the New Hope Group.</p>	Alyson B

	<p>We are still struggling to fill service positions for 2026 and generally notice diminished attendance across meetings. Our Tuesday book study is small, but intimate and the sharing is really great, from the heart. It has become the meeting I don't want to miss. I will be going to the West Central Regional Service Conference at the end of February, being held in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and I am wondering who else from district will be there?</p> <p>Finally, reserve your campsite for the Founder's Day Campout, June 12-14 at Tally Lake.</p>	
	<p>Somers/Lakeside Group permanent report: The Somers/Lakeside Group has open meetings and anyone is welcome to attend. We meet every Monday at 7 pm in the basement of the Eidsvold Lutheran Church, 5935 Hwy 93 South in Somers. Please use East entrance. Attendance has been growing over the past year with summer months seeing the largest turnout. The first Monday of the month is our 12 Step Meeting, where we read and comment on the corresponding step for that month. Meetings where a newcomer(s) may be present, we usually have a first step meeting, welcoming their presence. The last Monday of the month is our Birthday Meeting, where we acknowledge anyone who had a sobriety birthday that month and celebrate with commemorative coins and refreshments. The other Mondays are open discussion. Meetings usually end by expressions of gratitude and a prayer.</p>	OPEN
	<p>Tobacco Valley Group – As per Susan H., they have placed a sizeable literature order.</p>	Christopher B.
	<p>The Connection - Nothing new to report. The connection meets at 8 PM at Big Sky Treatment Center. We are having wonderful, life-giving meetings.</p> <p>Eli reported they're going strong and had an amazing birthday meeting earlier this month.</p>	Deborah R.
	<p>Whitefish Group – We recently made a few changes to our meeting space, removing the stove and refrigerator and replacing them with a bookshelf. It opened the area up a bit and created a nice, welcoming meeting area.</p> <p>We are beginning yearlong service position elections at our February GC. We have several positions open including PI, Corrections/Treatment, Grapevine, Entertainment, Literature, Phone card along with a few positions that are currently filled. However, their commitment time is expiring.</p> <p>We are currently working on updating our phone list.</p> <p>Meets at First Presbyterian 301 Central Ave Whitefish, MT</p>	Denise S

	<p>3 meetings a day, 7 days a week: 7am; 12:30p, 8pm Ladies meeting on Tuesdays @ 6:30pm Men's meeting on Wednesdays @ 6:30pm Business meeting 1st Monday of month @ 6:30pm Openers support meeting 2nd Monday of month @ 6:30pm</p> <p>Opportunity to ask questions about things that may come up in a meeting that may be unusual or unsure how to handle.</p> <p>I apologize for not having written reports nor been able to attend district the last few months. Work has had me busy and unable to attend. Gratefully, Abe has been able to represent for the WFG! I am looking forward to spring assembly in April.</p>	
	<p>Fresh Start – 15-40 in attendance at meetings. The Chili cook-off was a huge success with 70+ attending. We are looking to fill the Secretary position.</p> <p>Business meeting is held on the second Wednesday of the month at 7:45 pm.</p>	<p>Dave P</p>
	Sunrise Group – Nothing new to report.	Tim L
District Reports		
	<p>DCM – January was a relatively quiet month but i kept myself busy. On Jan. 10, I attended the pre-assembly planning meeting along with members and DCMs of Districts 81 and 93. We had a follow-up meeting on January 25. The pre-assembly will be held on March 28. The venue is to be determined. There will be planning meetings every two weeks and anyone in the District is invited to attend.</p> <p>Vince T. is on vacation and he has graciously allowed me to handle the day to day Treasurer activities. He will be available by email and phone as needed.</p> <p>Finally, I am planning to attend the West Regional Service Conference in Grand Rapids, Iowa at the end of next month. I look forward to being of service and representing District 91.</p>	Eli S
	Alternate DCM – Nothing to report.	Steve S
	Treasurer – See attached Financial Report	Vince T
	Secretary – Nothing new to report.	Jose S
Old Business	Election for Zoom Chair. No one stood for the position. Eli asked everyone to make their home groups aware.	

New Business	None	
Next Meeting	February 22, 2026 at 3:00pm Alano Club, Kalispell	
Closing	Motion to close by Jose at 3:52 pm. Responsibility Statement was read.	
Attachment	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Into Action 2026 Suggestions 2. Into Action 2026 Flyer (front) 3. Into Action 2026 Flyer (back) 4. Spring Roundup Flyer 5. December 2025 Financial Report 	
Additional Notes:	NONE	

Into Action 2026

**February 7 – 8am to 7 pm
Kalispell City Airport, Aviation Hall
1825 Airport Rd., Kalispell**

Some Suggested Panel Topics, or a place to start! If you have something else in mind, please run with it!

“GSR Panel” Suggested Topics: (up to 10 minutes per person)

1. What I didn't know...
2. What I learned...
3. What I want to pass on...

“Meet Your District” Panel Topic Suggestions: (about 5 minutes per person, depending on District attendance)

1. What is your service position?
2. What do you actually do?
3. What surprised you about this position?
4. What have you learned?
5. What would you like to share about the gifts of general service?
6. How has general service enhanced your sobriety?

“Why General Service” Panel Suggestions: (We will also provide an Ask-it Basket for this talk).

1. How did General Service find you?
2. What is the “triangle” and what is your part?
3. What are the Concepts of AA, and how do they serve AA as a whole?
4. How much time do you spend on your general service commitments?
5. What is Service Sponsorship? Is it necessary? Where do you find a service sponsor?
6. Is General Service political?
7. How has General Service enhanced your sobriety?

Thank you for your service! Allyson B., 406-212-3977; hacklebarneyarts@gmail.com

Join us to ignite a fire for General Service!



Guest Speakers

Brandi W. - District 71, DCM

Kacie N. - Area 40, Past Delegate

INTO ACTION WORKSHOP

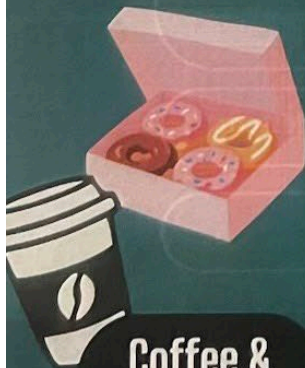
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Saturday | 07 Feb 2026

Kalispell City Airport- Aviation Hall

1825 Airport Road

Kalispell, MT 59901



**Coffee &
Doughnuts**

**CSR
Workshop**

**Meet the
District**

**Potluck
Dinner**



INTO ACTION SCHEDULE

8:00 -
9:00

Coffee, Doughnuts, & Door Prizes

9:00 -
9:15

Welcome Introductions - Tazarae P.

9:15 -
10:15

GSR Workshop
Allyson B., Nancy S., Aryel M., & Susan H.

10:30 -
11:30

Why General Service?
Brandi W., Theresa L., Kacie N., Libbie L., & Eli S.

11:30 -
12:00

Morning Review Bingo with Prizes! - Libbie L.

12:00 -
12:45

Lunch - Jersey Mike's Subs, Chips, Drinks, & Cookies

12:45 -
2:00

Let's get creative! Build a creature that symbolizes
Unity, Recovery, & Service - Hallie B., & Allyson B.

2:00 -
3:00

Meet the District 91

3:00 -
4:00

Connecting the Dots:
AA Service Resources at Every Level - Kacie N.

4:00 -
5:00

7th Tradition - What's going on with the Money?
Nancy S., Libbie L., Theresa L., & Aryel M.

5:00 -
6:00

Potluck Dinner A-E main dishes F-I salads J-Z desserts

6:00 -
7:00

Evening Speaker: Brandi W. District 71, DCM

"I am Responsible.

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

WE WERE WILLING TO GO TO

ANY LENGTHS

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CALLING ALL GROUPS!

The Contributions Committee is reaching out to all groups to be of service and contribute a basket for the 2026 Round Up!

The baskets can be a reflection of your group, or come up with a fun idea!

Here are a few ideas:



- Fiesta Basket (salsa, chips, local restaurant coupons)
- Bowling Basket (Coupons to bowl, snacks and drinks)
- Movie night (tickets, popcorn, snacks)
- Raft Trip (Raft Tickets, towels, sunscreen, water bottle)

Artists can donate their work!

For any questions reach out to Mary W. at 951.283.9098
or to Antoinette at 530.258.6211

For Information Visit: www.2026springroundup.com

District #91 - Financial Report

December 31, 2025

Bank Statement Ending Balance	\$4,549.84
Outstanding Checks	
#216 Brad B. Xmas Alcathon Supplies	(\$110.00)
#217 Susan H. Literature Supplies	(\$35.67)
Bank Statement Ending Balance	\$4,404.17
Beginning Checkbook Balance	\$3,977.84
December Deposits	
By The Bay Grp	\$250.00
Girls Night Out Grp	\$78.00
Serenity Grp	\$15.00
X-mas Alcathon 7th Tradition	\$329.00
Checks Written December	
#214 Alano Club X-mas Alcathon	(\$100.00)
#216 Brad B X-mas Alcathon	(\$110.00)
#217 Susan H. Literature Supplies	(\$35.67)
Ending Checkbook Balance	\$4,404.17
Pink Can Reserve	(\$1,348.75)
Net Available Funds	\$3,055.42