

2016 Ohio Area Convention ~ TIME TO GROW!



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The Ohio Area Convention in Cleveland
 Holiday Inn Northeast - 7701 Reynolds Road, Mentor, Ohio
 \$105/room/night + tax
 1 king w/sofabed or 2 queen, 1-4 people
 1 king handicap, 1-2 people



June 24-26, 2016

Please make hotel reservations directly with the Holiday Inn 440-951-7333.

Use group code "OAC2016"

Friday Speakers: Cynthia (Al-Anon) and Fritz (AA) O., Hermitage, PA

Saturday Speaker: Pat (Al-Anon) and Russ (AA) C., Meadville, PA

Sunday Speaker: Merri G.(Al-Anon), Brook Park, OH

To register, please fill out form below and mail to:

OAC Cleveland
 P.O. Box 334
 Mentor, OH 44061-0334

Hotel stay NOT required to attend
****Registrations do NOT include meals****
*****You must be registered to attend the Convention*****

Convention Weekend Pre-Registration is \$30 (Pre-Registration cut off is May 21, 2016), \$35 at the door
 Al-Anon/AA Alateen (free registration)

Name _____

Checks & Money Orders Payable to:

Address _____

AFG of Ohio

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Registration (select Option 1 OR 2) and Banquet Fees:

Option 1: One day pre-registration fee \$25: _____ (Saturday Only – meals/hotel NOT included)
 Option 2: Convention Registration fee \$30: _____ (Weekend Only – meals/hotel NOT included)
 Banquet: Saturday Evening Banquet \$30: _____ Circle Meal Choice from p. 6
 Total: _____ (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

For more information, please visit the Ohio Assembly website 2016 at: www.ohioal-anon.org (access the calendar tab on the left hand menu on the home page, then scroll down to the convention date)

Or Call Jan S. (Convention Chair) or Kathy B (Convention CoChair) via Cleveland AIS 216-621-1381

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(partial agenda)

Friday

3:00 PM registration opens
4:30 PM early bird discussion
7:30 PM formal opening
AA & Al-Anon leads from PA
Ala-trivia & Ala-bingo
Ala-boutique open
many hand crafted items!

Saturday

7:30 AM stretching with the slogans
8:15 AM early bird discussion
9:30 AM formal opening
Alateen panel with Q & A
art wkshop; writing wkshop
round robin
singing the Al-Anon way
dual member panel

Saturday evening

6:00 PM banquet
7:30 PM basket raffle
8:00 PM AA & Al-Anon leads from PA
Toni & the Tonettes

Sunday morning

9:30 AM Al-Anon lead Merri G.
11:00 AM conference ends

BANQUET \$30 - reserve by May 21 - options:

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| 1) London Broil (opt. mushroom sauce) | OPTIONS 1, 2, OR 3 INCLUDE: |
| 2) Salmon with mango salsa | salad, bread, au gratin potatoes, green beans with sweet red |
| 3) <i>vegetarian option: cauliflower steak with creamy mushroom/spinach sauce</i> | peppers, coffee, hot/iced tea, chef's choice dessert |
| 4) <i>gluten-free option: cauliflower steak with creamy mushroom/spinach sauce</i> | OPTION 4 INCLUDES: |
| 5) <i>vegan option: cauliflower steak with olive oil, spinach</i> | salad, garlic mashed potatoes, green beans with sweet red |
| | peppers, coffee, hot/iced tea, fresh fruit dessert |
| | OPTION 5 INCLUDES: |
| | salad, fried wedge potatoes, green beans with sweet red |
| | peppers, coffee, hot/iced tea, fresh fruit dessert |

yellow 2016 OAC T-Shirts - "Time to Grow!"

2016 OAC T-Shirts - see info on the Cleveland website www.clevelandal-anon.org, under "notices" tab check for \$15 payable to AFG of Ohio, send to PO BOX 334, Mentor OH 44060

Hotel Info - Holiday Inn Mentor (440) 951-7333 Rte. 306, just south of Rte. 2

- make reservations directly with the hotel by May 21, limited number of rooms available

convention rate available Thurs. 6/23 - Sun. 6/26 GROUP CODE "OAC2016"

\$105/room/night + tax all rooms NON-SMOKING, equipped with microwave & mini-fridge
1 king bed with sofa bed (capacity 1-4 people)
2 queen beds (capacity 1-4 people)

1 king handicap (1-2 people) tell hotel if you need roll-in shower, not just tub grab bars

- **NO meals included**

- exercise room, indoor pool

- many restaurants, Great Lakes Mall close by

SEE Ohio Assembly website for map - www.ohioal-anon.org, click on "calendar" tab on left

2016 Ohio Area Convention Agenda

Please see convention program for final agenda and meeting room locations

Friday			
3:00 PM	Hotel and convention registration begin - Hospitality room opens		
4:30 PM	Open AI-Anon early bird discussion	OR	Open AA early bird discussion
DINNER ON YOUR OWN			
7:30 PM	Formal opening - AA & AI-Anon speakers from Pennsylvania		
9:15 PM	Ala-videos & popcorn:	OR	Skit "Measuring My Growth" and games:
	"Lois's Story" + "Lois & the Pioneers"		Ala-trivia, Ala-bingo, Ala-charades
Hospitality room open to 11:00 PM			
Ala-boutique open 3 - 7:30 PM, 9:15 PM - ?			
<i>Many hand-crafted items!</i>			

Saturday			
6:00 AM	Hotel breakfast hours 6am - 10am, menu or buffet (not included in convention registration)		
7:00 AM	Hospitality room open for breakfast, remains open to 11 PM		
7:30 AM	Stretching with the slogans (optional)		
8:15 AM	Wake up with the page of the day (optional)		
9:30 AM	Formal opening		
10:00 AM	Alateen panel with Q & A	OR	Why AA & AI-Anon work for me
11:00 AM	Round Robin discussions	OR	Art workshop
NOON	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN		
\$10 soup & salad buffet available in hotel restaurant			
Pizza, salad & cookies in the hospitality room			
Many restaurants nearby			
1:30 PM	Ala-sing-along	OR	Skit "The Clearing House"
2:00 PM	Dual member panel with Q & A	OR	Writing for The Forum workshop
3:00 PM	Grief panel	OR	Ala-videos matinee (no popcorn allowed)
4:00 PM	Grief comments & discussion		
6:00 PM	BANQUET - by RESERVATION only		
7:30 PM	Basket raffle		
8:00 PM	AA & AI-Anon leads from Pennsylvania		
9:45 PM	Toni & the Tonettes perform		
	Hospitality room open to 11 PM		
	Ala-boutique open 8 - 9:30 AM, noon - 1:30 PM, additional times TBD		
	<i>Many hand-crafted items</i>		
	10:15 PM CLOSEOUT SALE !!!		

Sunday			
7:00 AM	Hospitality room open for breakfast		
9:30 AM	Hospitality room CLOSES		
9:30 AM	Formal opening		
10:00 AM	AI-Anon lead Merri G. with music		
11:00 AM	Introduce Akron 2017 OAC & the 2016 OAC closes		
<i>Please pick up your dishes in hospitality room</i>			