

Welcome Al-Anon Family!

2022 is starting off with a World Service Conference (WSC) theme of "Enhancing our Recovery Through Abundance, Unity and Understanding." Plans are underway for a face to face conference in Terrytown, NY, including a visit to Stepping Stones, the last week of April. Due to social distancing and safety concerns there will be no love gifts at this WSC.

Since this is my first time at Conference as your Delegate, I was able to attend the virtual New Delegate Orientation held January 8, 2022.

On February 12, 2022, I attended a virtual Chairman of the Board (COB) presentation. It was announced that the Road Trip will be held on October 29, 2022, in Cleveland. If you are interested in helping plan the Road Trip, please let us know.

The nominations for Trustee and Executive Committee positions were presented for traditional approval at WSC.

The Conference Leadership Team (CLT) reminded us that Chosen Agenda Items (CAI's), two of which can be submitted from each Area, are due March 25, 2022. The CAI's under discussion from Ohio are:

1. Suggestion of an AMIAS ID card.
2. Should/how to add Regional Delegates Meeting to the WSO service structure .
3. How to attract members into Service.

Financial Update: Literature sales, our largest source of income, were slightly below our 2021 projection. However, contributions were above budget. This coupled with reduced expenses, left a bottom line loss of \$76,000, which was much less than anticipated.

A Policy Committee Update was also presented. The meeting ended with break out sessions where I was able to meet my Trustee Mentor.

These four documents: COB Letter, CLT Report, Finance Update, and Policy Committee Update will be on the WSO website for your review, once they are finalized and translated for publication.

I have received the WSO Contributions report for Ohio Area Groups from the last half of 2021. If you have questions about what your Group contributed, please contact me. The total for our Area from July-December, 2021, was \$14,309.04.

I plan to attend the North Central Regional Delegates Meeting (NCRDM) in Indianapolis, on March 18, 19, and 20, 2022.

Yours in service,

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Ohio Delegate

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