

# **FLAI Newsletter**

# February 2025







<u>Our mission</u>: To serve as a central office, giving Ontario, Seneca, Wayne, and Yates County A.A. groups a way to coordinate Twelfth Step work on a larger scale than would be possible by an individual group thus aiding the groups in their common purpose of carrying the A.A. message to the alcoholic who still suffers.

### **Announcements, Events, and other Notables**

Happy New Year – Let's make 2025 a year full of love, tolerance, and service.

Date	Event	Time	Location/ Zoom ID	Password
1 <sup>st</sup> Thurs	District 200 – Is now IN-PERSON ONLY.	7pm	St. John's Episc., 183 N. Main St.	Canandaigua
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun	Area 47 – www.aacny.org / Hybrid Meeting	1-5pm	Zoom ID: 862 8547 4266	419896
02/14	COTL Valentine's Fundraiser – "7 Courses of Love" <3 (\$60 per person to benefit Conference of the Lakes)	6:00pm	110 Saltonstall Street, Canandaigua	PRE-SALE ONLY Call – 315.278.8976
02/15	Phelps Saturday Night 43rd Anniversary	6:00 pm	12 Church Street	Phelps
02/16	Sober-Bowl (Standard Rates Apply)	3:00 pm	Sunset Bowl, 341 Border City Road	Waterloo
02/21-23	2025 NERAASA Virtual		NERAASA.org	Online
02/22	Newark Saturday Night 42 Anniversary	6:00 pm	Park Presb. Ch., 110 Maple Court	Newark
03/10	Waterloo Early Birds 39th Anniversary	5:30 pm	1st Presb. Ch., 42 E Main Street	Waterloo
04/25-27	Conference of the Lakes www.conferenceofthelakes.org		Hampton Inn-110 Mace St.	Penn Yan
Monthly	Never Alone – Last Thursday Sobriety Celebrations!	7:30pm	Methodist Ch., 2 Park Pl.	E. Bloom

For more event information visit:  $\underline{www.fingerlakesaa.org/aa-events-in-the-finger-lakes}$ 

#### Monthly FLAI and Committee Meetings – all are welcome

FLAI Event	Date	Chair	Time	Location/ Zoom ID & Pass
Intergroup Meeting	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat	Barry L.	2:30	32 E. Main St. Clifton Springs/ ID: 821 095 1587
Accessibility	TBD	Karen S.	TBD	Accessibilty.flai@gmail.com
Answering Service	TBD	Dave M.	TBD	TBD
Archives – online	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat	Kate G.	11:30am	Archives.flai@gmail.com
Corrections	Last Wed of mo.	Andy S.	TBD	Corrections.flai@gmail.com
PICPC	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues	Kurt V.	6:00pm	Zoom ID: 821 095 1587 No Password
Treatment	2 <sup>nd</sup> Mon	Jim H.	7:00pm	In person @ FCMC: 363 Prospect Drive, Palmyra NY
Website – via Google Meets	2 <sup>nd</sup> Wed	Toby G.	4:30pm	Contact webchair.flai@gmail.com for online meeting info

www.fingerlakesaa.org / 24-hour Answering Service: 315-789-5955

## 2024 Final Financials

2025 FLAI Approved	2025 FLAI Approved YTD		YTD
<b>Budget Expenses</b>	Expenses	Contributions	Contributions
\$11,000	565.10	\$11,000	1,224.50

(pending annual statement)

#### Did you know... Second Edition of the Big Book Published in 1955

The second edition of Alcoholics Anonymous reflects the membership's growing diversity. The chapters on A.A. principles remain the same, and eight of the stories of early members' efforts to achieve sobriety are retained in a section called "Pioneers of A.A." In addition, 24 new stories appear in two separate sections: "They Stopped in Time" and "They Lost Nearly All." The Twelve Traditions are added as well.

# Looking for an ASL interpreted AA meeting?

Day	Meeting	Time	Zoom ID	Password
Monday	Monday Nightcap	7:00pm	812-3827-3047	596744
Monday	Monday ASL	8:00pm	525-940-332	doda2020
Thursday	Lima Morning Serenity	9:30am	In Person	
Thursday	Experience, Strength & Hope	7:00pm	826-5275-5714	Deafsober
Saturday	Love & Service	8:00pm	In Person	

Contact <u>accessibility.flai@gmail.com</u> for more information.

**<u>2nd Step:</u>** Came to believe that a power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity.

**2nd Tradition:** For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority-a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern.

**2nd Concept:** The General Service Conference of A.A. has become, for nearly every practical purpose, the active voice and the effective conscience of our whole society in its world affairs.

#### **Declaration of Unity**

This we owe to A.A.'s future:
To place our common welfare first;
To keep our fellowship united.
For on A.A. unity depend our lives,
And the lives of those to come.

(1970 International Convention in Miami, Florida)

#### **Responsibility Statement**

I am Responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of A.A. always to be there. And for that: I am responsible.

(1965 A.A. International Convention in Toronto)

# **Intergroup Trusted Servants**

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Intergroup Secretary	Kurt V.	Secretary.flai@gmail.com