

May 2022 Newsletter

Emerald Valley

Intergroup



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Step 5

Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being, the exact nature of our wrongs

Questions about AA?

Call the EVI office: 541-342-4113
Available 24/7

Visit Us: 2160 West 11th, Suite I 97402
Open Mon-Fri 9AM-5PM, Sat-Sun
9AM-4PM

EVI Website: www.eviaa.org

Find a Meeting:
www.eviaa.org/meetings/



**Upcoming HYBRID
EVI Business Meeting
Monday, June 20 @ 6:30pm PST**

**In-Person: [3484 Harlow Road](#)
Online: Zoom ID: 870 5057 1775
Password: 656291**

**Business meetings occur every
3rd Monday of the month!**

Tradition Five



At the EVI office,
masks are
welcome, but not
required

*See full update
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Sign up for the
Monthly EVI
Newsletter!

Send an email to:
evinewsaa@gmail.com

The Fifth Step Prayer

HIGHER POWER, THANK YOU FOR HELPING ME COMPLETE MY HOUSECLEANING. I CAN NOW LOOK THE WORLD IN THE EYE. I CAN BE ALONE AT PERFECT PEACE AND EASE. MY FEARS HAVE FALLEN FROM ME. I HAVE BEGUN TO FEEL YOUR NEARNESS. I HAVE BEGUN TO HAVE A SPIRITUAL EXPERIENCE. I FEEL I AM ON THE BROAD HIGHWAY, WALKING HAND IN HAND WITH THE SPIRIT OF THE UNIVERSE.

AA GRAPEVINE

The International Journal of Alcoholics Anonymous



March 1945. Vol. 1 No. 10
The Fifth Step

Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being the exact nature of our wrongs.

This is a tough step and takes courage to do. It is, however, a step that can be done if you make sufficient effort.

It is not new. The Catholic church uses it in their confessional and the psychiatrist uses it. Drinking is caused by inner conflicts and the only way to get rid of these conflicts is to bring them out in the open and destroy them. Wrongs cause conflicts, hence the necessity of this step.

Take the first phrase, "Admitted to God." How do you do this? First learn humility so that you can ask help in a humble manner. If you have difficulty in admitting the actuality of a supreme power, work on the premise that there might be one.

Once you get your mind in tune with the infinite it is not difficult to realize that you have no secrets from God.

"Admitted to ourselves." This can only be done when we are honest with ourselves. In this program it is folly to try to kid yourself. Be ruthless in your soul searching and come clean.

Great care should be taken in choosing "another human being." It must be someone you can trust. Your lawyer, your doctor, your priest or minister, another A.A., or a friend; someone who will act as a sounding board and keep your confidence.

Once you take this step you will be astounded at the relief you feel. The burden of despair will be lifted from your back and you will be free.

It is essential for every A.A. to realize the importance of taking this 5th step. By so doing, all enmities, resentments and wrong thinking may be cast out and we can continue to the next step with a clear conscience.

It is advisable to repeat this step from time to time because it is human to err and even A.A.s are human.

Bert T.

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EVI MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

**What is lighting your
recovery fire today?**

Take this quick online survey and share your experience, strength, and hope with the EVI Newsletter Community.

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EVI MEMBER SPOTLIGHT #1

EXPERIENCE

Name: Mercedes S.
Sobriety Date: 01/05/2020
Home Group: SOS

What is your favorite line from the Big Book or other AA related literature?

To thy own self be true!

What is your biggest lesson learned in AA?

What unconditional love is

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EXPERIENCE

**Fundamental Recovery Suggestion
That Helps You Stay Sober**

Get a sponsor, get a service position, and call other women in the program.

What is lighting your AA fire today?

The power of unconditional love and being part of

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Head to page 19 to see what Brian R. has to share!

**Want to do some easy service for
your EVI Community?**

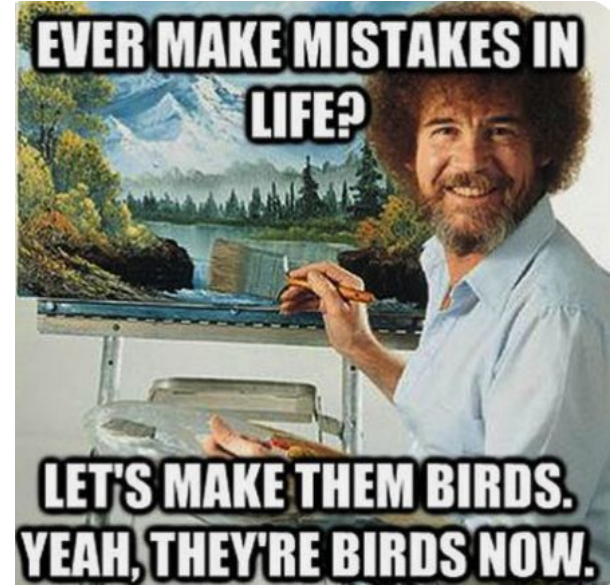
**Answer 6 Questions About
Your Recovery Today
([LINK HERE](#))**

We'll be including your responses
in upcoming newsletters!
#surveyskeepyousober



Open EVI Service Positions!

- Activities Vice-Chair
- Archivist Vice-Chair
- EVI Committee Vice-Chair
- EVI Vice-Chair Treasurer
- Mtg Guide Vice-Chair
- Outreach Chair and Vice-Chair
- EVI Office Volunteers



Descriptions of each EVI Service Committee: www.eviaa.org/evi-info/evi-committees

Attend the Monthly EVI Business Meeting to stand for an open position!

Next EVI Business Meeting is June 20, 2022.

6:30 - 7:30 PM

EVI Service Spotlight

Cooperation with Professional Community/Public Information (CPC/PI)

Chairperson: 2-year term, 1-year sobriety

Co-chair: 2-year term, 6-months sobriety

The CPC/PI engages with the community (Doctors, Lawyers, Counseling Professionals, schools etc.) to spread the word of AA – of what A.A. does (and doesn't) do to help alcoholics

[Read the pamphlet](#)

How **A.A.** Members
Cooperate with
Professionals



Cooperation,
but not affiliation.

Service Opportunities



Join our study and take part in a
DBT Skills & Parent Training Group
Aimed at Improving Parent Mental Health & Parenting Skills

Parents of Preschoolers (3-6 years): Researchers at University of Oregon are seeking parents with a **history of substance use** who experience **emotional difficulties** to participate in an online group therapy. Help us test an evidenced-based mental health treatment & parent training program.

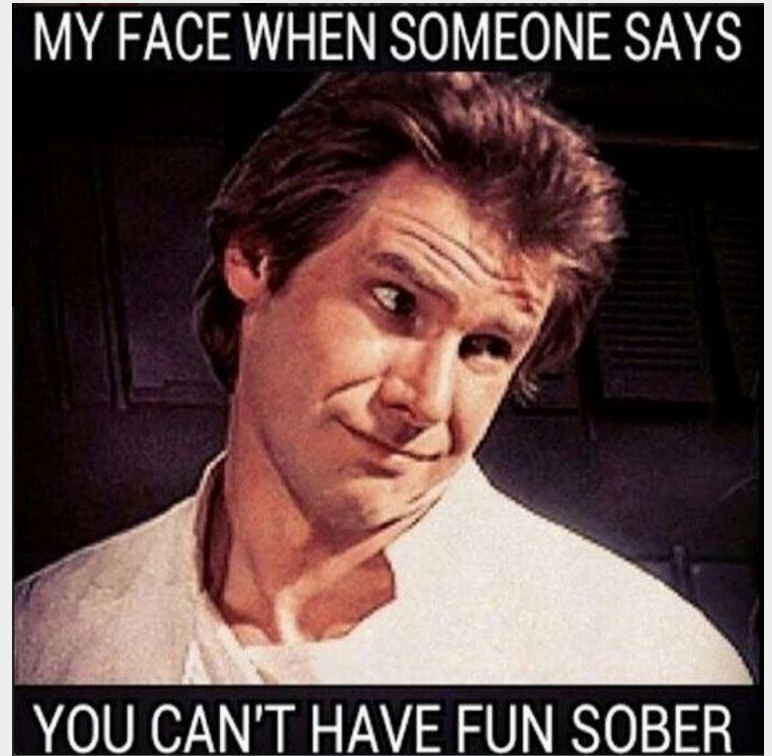
You may earn **up to \$360** for completing online questionnaires and participating in 20 weekly group sessions, which will be conducted over Zoom and take place on Mondays from 10:30am-1pm or on Thursdays from 5pm-7:30pm.

[Click here](#) to see if you are eligible (or visit <https://bit.ly/3e1btMm>) or scan this QR code with your smartphone



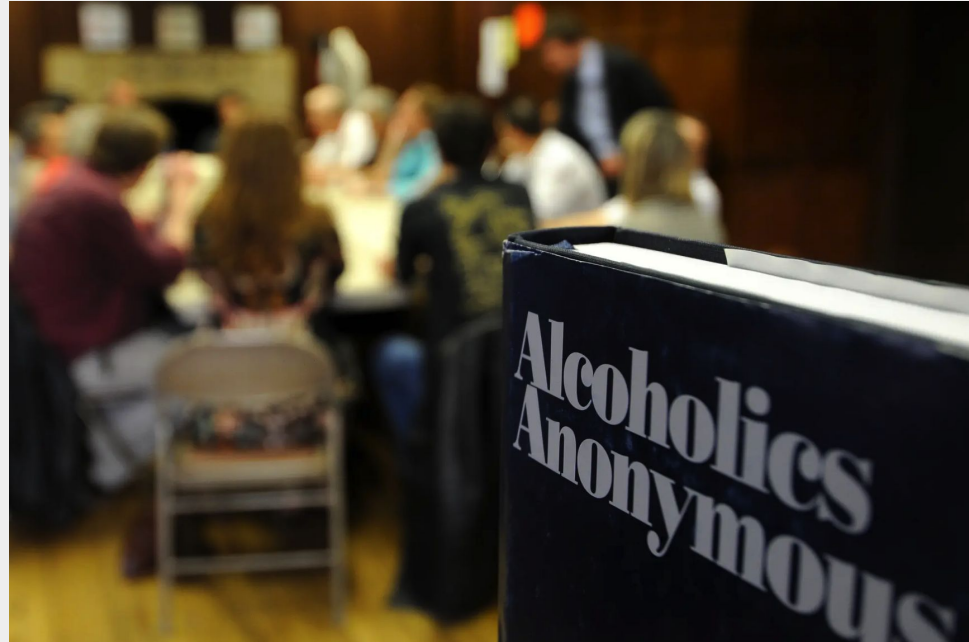
Meetings

Check out the amazing list of meeting options in the Eugene/Springfield area



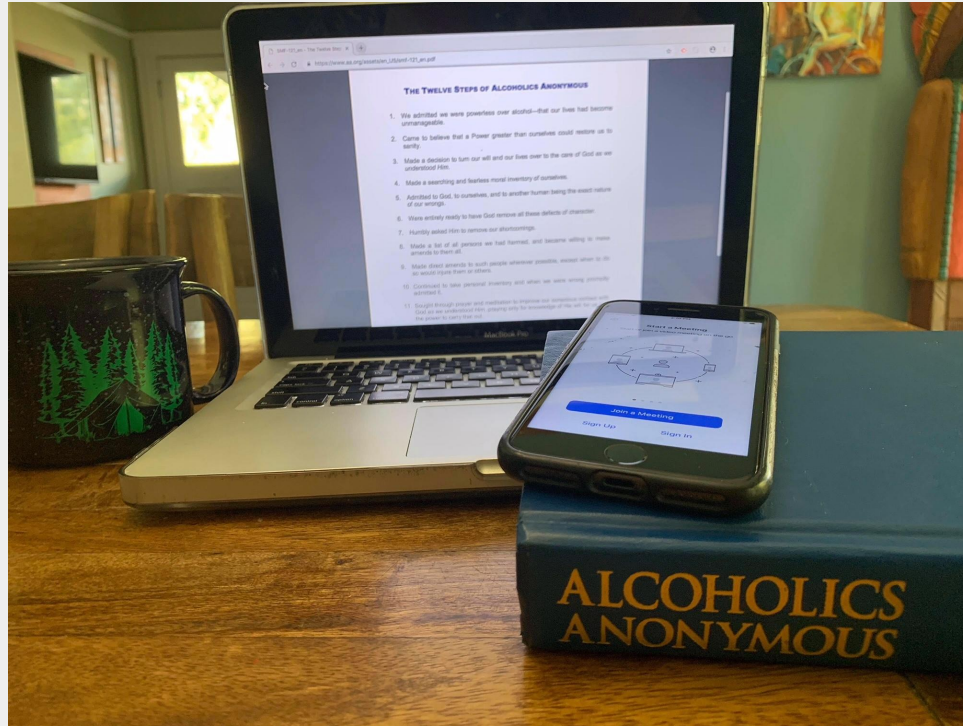
In-Person Meetings

Click [HERE](#) to check out the in-person meetings in the area!



Online Meetings

Click [HERE](#) to check out the plethora of online meetings in the area!



Me and my friends posing for an Instagram picture.



HOST OF FRIENDS

This just in, Host of Friends is moving to Live Meetings in person Starting this Saturday, June 5

8:00 at 76 W. Broadway between Olive and Willamette. Face mask and social distancing required.

Stay classy Eugene

In-Person at St. Mary's Church on 13th & Pearl Saturdays at 8PM

THE EVI SPEAKER MEETING

MAY



EVI Speaker Meeting:
Saturday, May 14th, 7 PM

Al-Anon Speaker:

Paul F, 14 years, Eugene

AA Speaker:

Debra B, 33 years, Eugene

Bethesda Lutheran Church
4445 Royal Ave, Eugene



JUNE



EVI Speaker Meeting:
Saturday, June 11th, 7 PM

Al-Anon Speaker:

Christopher D, 11 years, Eugene

AA Speaker:

Jim F, 40 years, Eugene

Bethesda Lutheran Church
4445 Royal Ave, Eugene



Local Meetings

THE WOMEN'S BEDROCK MEETING
THURSDAY AT 6:30PM
HAS BEEN PAUSED.
WITH THE HOPE TO REFORM WHEN
ABLE TO MEET IN PERSON



Its back!

Starting Sunday June 13th, 2021

**Primary Purpose Group
Sunday Night Speaker Meeting
7:00 pm—8:30 pm**

Meets Every Sunday

**Campbell Senior Center
155 High Street
Eugene, OR**

2 Speaker Format

Each speaker shares for approximately 25 minutes.

If you have a year or more of sobriety
and would like to share your experience, strength and hope,
see Mike F. at the meeting and he will get you signed up for a
Sunday that works for you.

Month Schedule

Come join us for a
Women's Popcorn Meeting



SUNDAYS @ 5:30 EST/2:30 PST

Week	Meeting Format
1 & 3	Topic Box
2	Big Book Power Hour
4	Literature Power Hour
5	Speaker Meeting

Zoom ID: 834 2765 7134 Password: [Send email](#)
womensapopcorn@gmail.com

Speaker of the Month

Come join us for a
Women's Popcorn Meeting



Sunday May, 29 2022

2:30pm PST / 5:30pm EST

10:30pm UK / Monday 5:30am AWST

The Courageous

Colleen, Tucson, AZ

Sharing her E.S.H.

Zoom ID: 834 2765 7134 Password: [Send email](#)
womensapopcorn@gmail.com

Local Meetings

Freethinkers

Secular AA

Starting May 7th!

Every Saturday

Time: 9-10 PM

Where?

Spiritual Learning Center

390 Vernal St.

Eugene, OR 97401

**No Smoking/No Vaping*

*If you are in need of help overcoming drinking
without using religion we are here to help. ♥*



EVI MEMBER SPOTLIGHT #2

EXPERIENCE

Name: Brian R.
Sobriety Date: 10/15/1987
Home Group: Host of Friends

What is your favorite line from the Big Book or other AA related literature?

Rarely have we seen a person fail who has THOROUGHLY followed our path

What is your biggest lesson learned in AA?

That is more than "just not drinking", there's a whole personality change required

HOPE

EXPERIENCE

Fundamental Recovery Suggestion That Helps You Stay Sober

Don't quit before the miracle happens

What is lighting your AA fire today?

Service work and working with others

HOPE

Answer our 6 Questions About What is Lighting Your Recovery Fire - ([LINK HERE](#))

Save the Dates

May 2022 Oregon Area Quarterly Assembly
(Register by May 13)



Greetings Oregon Area 58!



It's hard to believe that we are one month away from our first hybrid assembly. The May 2022 Oregon Area Quarterly Assembly is being hosted by District 14 in the beautiful Columbia River Gorge at the Fort Dalles Readiness Center. **May 13th, 2022** is the last day you can register. ***As a courtesy, please pre-register for the assembly regardless of if you will be attending in-person or online.*** This will help us plan based on how many people will be attending in-person vs. online. To register online, please use: <https://tinyurl.com/May2022Registration>

One of the main things at the May Assembly is the Post-Delegate Conference report which fully informs participants on what happened at the conference so this information can be brought back to the groups. These questions may include: What happened at the Conference? How the Preamble change has impacted our A.A. Fellowship? How to address anonymity on social media? Other notable things happening at our May Assembly is our DCM School and Area Service Committee presentations. We look forward to seeing each of you, either in person or online. I have attached Agendas for both the **in-person and virtual meetings**.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Joe S.

Alt Chair - Oregon Area 58



Oregon Area 58
 Quarterly Assembly
 May 20th- 22nd, 2022
 Hosted by District 14
 When anyone, anywhere...

Friday, May 20, 2022

Registrar and Finance Break Out Rooms Available during some Sessions

Time	Event	Location	Host
5:00 pm - 6:15 pm	Area Service Committee Sharing Session	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Gabriel K.
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	GSR School	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Penny H.
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	DCM School	http://tiny.cc/dcm-sessions	Amber N.
8:15 pm - 9:15 pm	Concepts Workshop	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Past Delegates
9:15 pm - 10:15 pm	Assembly Bid/Planning Workshop	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Joe S.

Saturday, May 21, 2022

Registrar and Finance Break Out Rooms Available during some Sessions

Time	Event	Location	Host
8:00 am - 9:15 am	District/Intergroup/Service Committee Reports	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Joe S.
9:30 am - 11:00 am	GSR Sharing Session	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Joe S.
9:30 am - 11:00 am	DCM Sharing Session	http://tiny.cc/dcm-sessions	Gabriel K.
11:15 am - 12:45 pm	Post Conference Delegate's Report	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Amber N.

LUNCH BREAK

2:00 pm - 3:45 pm	Area Service Committee Presentations	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Service Committees
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Ask It Basket	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Past Delegates

Sunday, May 22, 2022

8:00 am - 12:00 pm	Oregon Area Business Meeting	http://tiny.cc/area58assembly	Gabriel K.
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Spanish Interpretation and Closed Captioning Available.

This hybrid assembly will be held in person and via ZOOM. You can join each meeting via computer or mobile device by clicking the links above. Our IT committee has created this brief tutorial to help you with accessing the meeting: <https://youtu.be/EHw2Re90VGY>

If you wish to join the meeting via phone, you can dial: 253.215.8782, Meeting ID: 815 6282 0761 Pass: 061035

For DCM School and DCM Sharing, you can dial: 253.215.8782, Meeting ID: 891 6881 1630 Pass: 061035

The following commands can be entered using your phone's dial pad while in a Zoom meeting:
 *6 - Toggle mute/unmute *9 - Raise hand

Virtual Meeting Etiquette

- It is suggested that you rename yourself and include your position within your District/Area and District to ease muting and unmuting functionality. (Example: Bill W-GSR-D11) (GSR/AGSR/DCM/ADCM/Area/Past Delegate/AA Member/Trustee)
- English and Spanish interpretation is available during each session.

Questions? Contact Joe S., Oregon Area 58 Alt-Chair, at 503.380.3963 (chair-alt@aa-oregon.org)



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 Quarterly Assembly
 May 20th- 22nd, 2022
 Hosted by District 14 at Fort Dalles Readiness Center
 When anyone, anywhere...

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4:00 pm- 10:00 pm	Grapevine & La Viña Display	Main level Lobby	LinMarie D.
6:30 pm- 9:00 pm	Finance/Treasury Room	Conference 108	David N./Crystal H.
4:00 pm- 10:00 pm	Hospitality	2 nd Floor Café	Kenny D.
4:00 pm- 10:00 pm	Registration	Main level Lobby	John S.
5:00 pm - 6:15 pm	Area Service Committee Sharing Session	Assembly Hall	Gabriel K.
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7:00 am - 7:50 am	Registration	Main level Lobby	John S.
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	Oregon Area Business Meeting	Assembly Hall	Gabriel K.

* See registration packet for schedule

** Except during lunch break

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Save the Date: SUMMERFEST is Coming



Summerfest 2022 **SAVE THE DATE!**
Please join us for the
45TH ANNUAL SUMMERFEST
JULY 29TH, 30TH & 31ST, 2022
at the Valley River Inn
Eugene, Oregon

Summerfest 2022
A Spiritual Awakening
SPONSORED BY FRIENDS OF SUMMERFEST
AND EMERALD VALLEY INTERGROUP

- ▶ AA and Al-Anon Speaker Meetings
- ▶ Banquets
- ▶ Panel
- ▶ Night Owl Meetings
- ▶ Raffle
- ▶ Friday Night Social & Saturday Night Dance
(Included with Registration)

AA Speakers
Adam T, Los Angeles CA
Polly P, Jacksonville FL
James L, Tallahassee FL
Jane L, Tallahassee FL
Patt O, Los Angeles CA

Al-Anon Speakers
Joanne C,
Oregon Area Delegate
Chuck K, Denver

\$40 Pre-Registration • \$50 After July 7th
Please continue to watch our website, aa-summerfest.org and our Facebook page, Summerfest 2022 for updates.

Registration
begins April 1

25th Annual Mountain Sobriety Campout

A FREE AA Campout & 12-Step Tune Up
Bring your Sponsor & Sponsees
(or you may be assigned some!)



25th Annual Mountain Sobriety Campout

WHEN: Friday, August 12th, 13th, & 14th, 2022

You can come Thursday to set up early if you like

WHERE: Hubert K. McBee Memorial Park & Campground

Head for Alsea Falls; about a mile past the turn off for Alsea Falls you'll see the McBee sign (and AA Symbol) on your right

WHAT TO BRING: Tents, RVs, Camp chairs, food & water (Rustic sites)

Swimsuit, towels & floaties for the river; Musical instruments!

Bring a dish to share for the Saturday night Potluck

Bring your 3rd edition AA Big Book and 12x12

Save the Date: Conference Opportunities



Thursday, August 25 - Sunday, August 28, 2022
Warm Beach Camp, Stanwood, WA

The Northwest Fellowship of the Spirit conference convenes for four days each August to share a message of hope, recovery, and a new freedom as outlined in The Big Book of Alcoholics Anonymous.

This conference brings together members of Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon Family Groups. We offer our experience, strength, hope, and a commitment to share a solution that works.

Speakers

Mike M - Cedar Rapids, IA (AA)
Carolyn P - Seattle, WA (AA)
Ellen C - Addison, TX (Al-Anon)
Madison B - Anchorage, AK (AA)
Jordan B - Seattle, WA (AA)



Join us for workshops and speaker meetings, where AA and Al-Anon members share their experience, strength and hope with the 12 steps, along with fellowship, unity and fun!

Registration opens May 1, 2022. Register online at www.nwfots.org

Various lodging options available when you register. All meals included with registration.

Save the Date: Conference Opportunities

Live and on Zoom

Rogue Roundup

April 29, 30 & May 1, 2022

Speakers, Meetings, Service,
Merchandise, Food, Fellowship
& FUN!

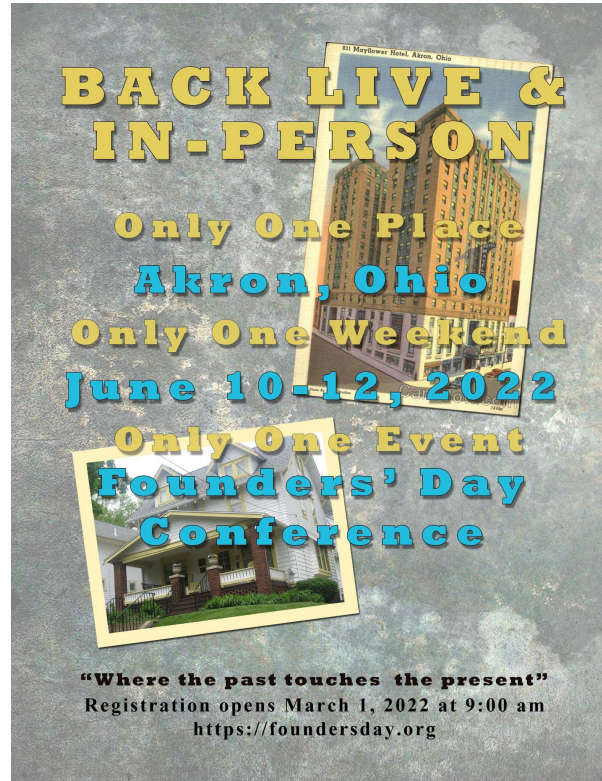


The mission of the Rogue Roundup is to continue to provide a place where alcoholics and their families can come together for meetings, to listen to speakers, have fun and carry the message to alcoholics who still suffer.



www.RogueRoundup.com
for updates & Registration

Save the Date: Conference Opportunities



**BACK LIVE &
IN-PERSON**

**Only One Place
Akron, Ohio**

**Only One Weekend
June 10-12, 2022**

**Only One Event
Founders' Day
Conference**

"Where the past touches the present"
Registration opens March 1, 2022 at 9:00 am
<https://foundersday.org>

The graphic features two inset photographs: the top one shows the 83 Mayflower Hotel in Akron, Ohio, and the bottom one shows a historic white house with a porch. The background is a textured, greyish-blue surface.

Save the Date: Conference Opportunities



Founders' Day Herald

87th Anniversary of Alcoholics Anonymous

June 10, 11, & 12, 2022 | Akron, Ohio | Birthplace of A.A.

FRIDAY ACTIVITIES

A.A. 12 Step Panel • 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Discussion of One Step Per Hour
Chaired by: Woody W.

A.A. Early Bird Meeting* • 3:00 p.m.

Sandra S. - Cleveland, OH
"She Faced a Hostile Universe Alone
Until A.A. Found Her"
Chaired by: Jerry C.

Actors Guild Play • 5:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

"Love and Tolerance"

A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 7:00 p.m.

Christina G. - Brecksville, OH
"Watch Well, Your Beginnings -
The Results Will Reveal Themselves"
Chaired by: Mary K.

A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 9:00 p.m.

Michael D. - Sioux Falls, SD
"We Work On Broken Souls in A.A., God
Can Fix A Broken Soul"
Chaired by: Scott T.

Junta en Español • 9:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Open Discussion
Chaired by: The Painesville Group

A.A. Alkathon • 11:30 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.

SATURDAY ACTIVITIES

Bus Tours of Historic A.A. Sites

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
2 buses continuously - Bierce Circle

A.A. Archives

Located in Akron Intergroup Office
(Stop on bus tour)

The 12 Traditions • 9:00 a.m.

Babette D. - Concord, CA
"Protecting Them In All My Affairs"
Chaired by: Aaron K.

A.A. Old Times' Panel* • 10:30 a.m.

Topic: "Acceptance Is The Key"
Bob C. - Cleveland, OH
Chris H. - Parma, OH
Joe L. - Edmond, OK
Chaired by: Aaron K.

Reunión en Español • 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

El Coordinador: Raymond L. and
Alegria de Vivir Group

A.A. & Al-Anon Speaker Meeting* • 12:00 p.m.

Speakers - Mike & Diane A.
"Family Disease, Family Miracles"
E.J. Thomas Hall
Chaired by: Tracy C.

Actors Guild Play • 12:00 p.m. & 2:30 p.m.

"Love and Tolerance"

A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 2:00 p.m.

Dick D. - Hamilton, Ontario, CA
"Ain't It Great To Be Sober"
Chaired by: Woody W.

The History of Our Big Book • 4:00 p.m.

Presented by: Gail L. - The Villages, FL
Chaired by: Jerry C.

A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 8:00 p.m.

Jay A. - Scarborough, Ontario, CA
"Optimistic"
UA Infocision Stadium**
Chaired by: Matt H.

**Stadium Weather Contingency Plan for Saturday Night - See Web Site

DANCE! DANCE! DANCE!

10:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
Saturday Night

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

MOTORCADE TO DR. BOB'S GRAVE*

7:30 a.m.

Motorcycle procession and graveside
memorial tribute to Dr. Bob & Anne S.
Speaker: Dolly A
Chaired by: Mary K.

A.A. Spiritual Panel Meeting • 9:00 a.m.

Topic: "When All Other Measures Fail,
Working With Another Alcoholic Just Might
Save The Day"
Rose L. - Cleveland, OH
Laura D. - Cleveland, OH
Melissa P. - Cleveland, OH
Chaired by: Juanita W.

A.A. Closing Speaker Meeting*

10:30 a.m.
Kenny D. - Seattle, WA
"His Story, The Spiritual Awakening"
Chaired by: Michael E.

AL-ANON

FRIDAY ACTIVITIES

Al-Anon Panel • 1:00 p.m.

Topic: "Double Winners/Doubly Blessed"
Mauro D. - N. Attleboro, MA
Gary C. - Akron, OH
Fatty M. - Concord, NC
Olin Hall
Chaired by: Marie E.

AL-ANON

SATURDAY ACTIVITIES

Alateen Panel • 10:30 a.m.

"Alateens Share Their Experience, Strength and Hope"
Olin Hall
Chaired by: Sara M.

A.A. & Al-Anon Speaker Meeting* • 12:00 p.m.

Speakers - Mike & Diane A.
"Family Disease, Family Miracles"
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REGISTRATION

UA STUDENT UNION

CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED!

Friday 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Registrations must be picked up by

6:00 p.m. Saturday - NO EXCEPTIONS!

Package Plans must be picked up at designated

committees. Check confirmation letter or e-mail.

Coffee & Fellowship Room

Student Union

A.A. Literature Sale

Friday 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED!

*A.S.L. INTERPRETER



87th Anniversary of Alcoholics Anonymous

June 10, 11, & 12, 2022 | Akron, Ohio | Birthplace of A.A.

Please treat each meeting at Founders' Day as your own home group.

ABSOLUTES

ALL STATE, LOCAL AND/OR UNIVERSITY OF AKRON COVID-19 PROTOCOLS THAT ARE IN EFFECT AT THE TIME OF THE EVENT WILL BE ENFORCED AND UPHELD ACCORDINGLY.

All pre-registration packets must be picked up by 6:00 a.m. Saturday. **NO EXCEPTIONS!** Registration opens 8:00 a.m. Friday and Saturday; Picture I.D. is required.

2022 Name badges & ribbons must be worn ON CAMPUS and for admittance to all meetings. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

All rooms, buildings, and stadium at The University of Akron are non-smoking. NO VAPOR/E-CIGARETTES permitted in ANY building.

Handicapped parking will be strictly enforced. University police will ticket and tow all unauthorized vehicles parking in handicap spaces. Violators will incur a fine of \$250.

No animals or campfires allowed in R.V. area.

NO ANIMALS ON CAMPUS, POLICE WILL ENFORCE.

NO hover boards, skateboards, or roller blades permitted on campus.

No motorcycles allowed on the grass.

No beach balls at any meeting.

The Sunday morning motorcade to Dr. Bob's grave site is a conference event and as such, you must be registered to participate.

Credit cards will now be accepted for both onsite registration and in the literature room.

SPECIAL NEEDS

All meetings are wheelchair accessible.

Please contact the Founders' Day Committee with any special needs by May 15, 2022.

ACCOMMODATIONS

No incoming calls accepted at dorms.

No entry to RV sites until 8:00 a.m. on Friday morning. A permit is required prior to set-up.

No camping tents allowed.

FOR THE SATURDAY NIGHT BIG MEETING, WE WILL ALL BE UNITED TOGETHER ON THE WEST SIDE ONLY IN THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON INFOCISION STADIUM. STADIUM WEATHER CONTINGENCY PLAN - SEE WEB SITE. NO BEACH BALLS! THIS IS AN OPEN AIR STADIUM SO PREPARE ACCORDINGLY.

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\$30.00 FEE FOR ALL PACKAGE PLAN CANCELLATIONS!

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FOUNDERS' DAY IS A SERVICE OF THE AKRON AREA INTERGROUP COUNCIL OF A.A.

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FOUNDERS' DAY 2022

[REGISTER HERE](#)

EVI Information & Updates

The EVI Business Meeting

is going hybrid

Address is [3484 Harlow Road](#) Access
parking lot on Honeysuckle

EVI Office Mask Policy

Volunteers are welcome but not required. Volunteers and visitors are not required to wear a mask, but if a person may request masks be worn.

April 2022

Steering Committee Meeting Minutes



Check back to the online newsletter version after May 16 for April Steering Committee minutes.



EVI Business Meeting Minutes for April 18th, 2022

The hybrid meeting opened at 6:30 pm with the serenity prayer (8 In-person, 20 via Zoom)

Introductions: Carol – Office Volunteer Coordinator/Bookkeeper, Brenda – Treasurer, Nancy – Freedom of Choice, Tara – New Beginnings, Amy – Attitude Adjustment, Robin – Women’s Spiritual Defense, Peggy – No Rules, Bruce – EVI Speaker Meeting & Seniors in Sobriety, Rachel – EVI Steering Committee Member at Large, John – TNT, Mike – Divertor Chair, Melody – EVI Steering Committee Member @ Large & Sunday Morning Big Book Study, Kim – Women’s Wednesday 123 Meeting, Hillary – Autumn Group, Merthi – Women’s Stop and Smell the Roses, Chaz – EVI Chair, Angelo – Wednesday Men’s Noon Meeting, Wes – Downtown AM Meeting & EVI Steering Committee Member @ Large, Laura – Veneta Gratitude Group, Todd – Vintage Group, Adrien – Sober Awakenings, Elijah – 6:45 Men’s Group, Ryan – Meeting Guide, Leah B – It’s a Doozy, Timi – Web Chair, Debi – Starlight Group, Monique – EVI Newsletter

New EVI Rep – Welcome Packet to Tara – New Beginnings

Approval of Minutes of last meeting – Motion made and seconded to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

Approve Agenda – Motion made and seconded to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Treasurer’s Report – Brenda explained the Treasurer’s Report. Motion made and seconded to approve the TR. Motion carried.

Elections: Archives Chair Trisha K has stepped down, Archives Vice-Chair Elijah C made himself available, unanimously elected

Vacant EVI Positions (Spiritual Vacuum) – EVI reps agreed to continue announcing in their homegroups – There were no volunteers for the following positions – YET!

EVI Vice-Chair (Chaz announced per the Bylaws he is slated to rotate out of the Chair Position in December 2022. It would be super to have someone begin the training/mentoring process. Leah B also spoke about the need/value of filling this position and offered her help, and willingness to assist Both Leah and Chaz expressed being available to assist and support on an on-going basis) (Brenda is hitting her stride, ready to start training someone to help)

CPCI Chair & Vice-Chair

EVI Member-at Large 1 position (attends Steering Committee and EVI Bus. Meetings)

Activities Vice-Chair

Archives Vice Chair

Meeting Guide Vice Chair

Outreach Chair & Vice-Chair

COMMITTEE REPORTS: *Committee chairmen and vice chairmen, please submit your reports to the secretary before the meeting.*

Steering Committee	Chaz	Met In-person @ EVI office, approved the Treasurer’s report. Began work on a more complete EVI Service and Organization manual to provide a more complete description of duties of Officers and Committee Chairs.
Grapevine	Brian R	
Office Coordinator/Bookkeeper	Carol	Carol said the bookkeeping is going well. Masks for volunteers are no longer mandatory. A sign on the door was posted stating that staff will use masks if requested by patrons. The possible need for emergency contact info for volunteers was mentioned if someone should become ill or injured while serving. Carol’s consultation by the Eugene Police Department includes marking private areas of the office as Private, and locking doors.
Activities	Steve – Chair	
Literature	Monica/Kim	Kim verified that Big Books are once again available for sale in the office. She also reminded attendees that Spanish literature is available as well. Big books are in and moving out nicely. The store is way behind on making books so many are out of stock. That means we have gaps of emptiness on our shelves. We have the basics, The Big Book, the 12 and 12. I am keeping an eye on the store and will order when they restock.
Outreach		
Archives		
Hospitals & Institutions	Mason/Matt	

2022 Business Committee Meeting Minutes

EVI Business Apr 2022 Meeting Minutes

Speaker Meeting	Bruce G/ Susan J	April EVI Speaker meeting had to be canceled at the last minute due a memorial service at the church. Looking forward to the May Meeting on 5/14, 7pm @ Bethesda Lutheran Church 4445 River Rd.
CPC/PI		The CPC/PI Committee is meeting and conducting some business, Just w/o a Chair. Welcomes more help! Next meeting May 10 th @ 6:30 on Zoom – See EVI Calendar for details
Meeting Guides	Ryan	Ryan requested that one person (EVI rep) per group give meeting guide updates. Currently multiple home-group members are advising of the same changes, complicating the update process.

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EVI Business Apr 2022 Meeting Minutes

Website	Timi/Bruce W	Timi is working on the Web Committee documents. Logins for EVI Committee emails are in progress by Bruce to standardize the G-Mail accounts. Any committee person who is using a privately created Gmail account for EVI purposes needs to let Bruce or Chaz know asap. Things seem to be ticking along. Flyers are coming in and being posted, updates are happening regularly. I continue to work on an outline for web committee tasks. Bruce has finished setting up the Google shared drive for all the committee logins/environments, with an exception or two he needs to complete. The next task will be a full assessment of emails to ensure a continuous flow of communication from one workspace to the next. If anything is happening, we need to know, please keep us in the loop.
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EVI Business Apr 2022 Meeting Minutes

Diverter	Mike/Cory	Mike advised the current Tuesday night group is stepping down, so there's an opportunity for a group to serve. He is attending various meetings to share this need and request a replacement group. Updated Diverter packets are available at the EVI Office. Will need a new group to take over Tuesday nights. Men's Primary Purpose is no longer able to cover it. Bruce has agreed to stay on it until a new group is found.
Newsletter	Monique/Erica	Great contributions this month. We started a New Member Spotlight. Service position synopsis is in the newsletter.

Old Business:
N/A

New business:
Leah B revisited the need for an EVI Vice-Chair

Birthdays and Speaking Engagements:
Carol celebrated 3 years; Robin now has 23 years.

Announcements: May and June EVI Business meetings will be hybrid, [via Zoom and In-Person at the North Park Community Church – 3484 Harlow Rd. Parking lot accessed off Honeysuckle](#)

Closed at 7:30 pm with the Responsibility Pledge Chaz requested we leave our Mic's open to enjoy the cacophony.

Next EVI business meeting will be May 16th, 2022. **This will be a hybrid Meeting via Zoom and In Person at the North Park Community Church – 3484 Harlow Rd. Parking lot accessed off Honeysuckle**

In loving service,
Melody D & Chaz D.
Distributed by EVI Secretary - Sharon B.

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EVI 2022 Financial Report

EVI April 2022 Financial Update

1. Overview - Group contributions were \$644 vs budget of \$2,420 (a large decline)
Individual Contributions were \$322 vs budget of \$380
2. Expenses - Operating expenses were normal except \$78.00 for 2021 QuickBooks update
3. YTD Group Contributions - are still above budget by \$931
YTD Individual Contribution - are still above budget by \$1,224
4. Committee Expenses - Were \$195.00 Grapevine Renewal for 2 yrs.
5. Prudent Reserve - Our current surplus is \$8,462 which is a \$956 decrease from last month.

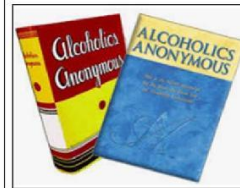
	Monthly	YTD	YTD Budget	+/- YTD	
Contributions:	\$ 966	\$ 11,012	\$ 8,861	\$ 2,152	24%
Expenses:	\$ 2,513	\$ 11,380	\$ 12,729	\$ (1,349)	11%
Difference:	\$ (1,548) \$ (368)				

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PRUDENT RESERVE CALCULATION		2022 Avg	
5 Mo of 2020 Average Exp		2,765	13,823
Equipment Fund			
Updated: 1/1/2022			13,823
Cash Position			22,285
Surplus over PR			8,462

A Prudent Reserve shall be maintained to protect against short-term fluctuations in revenues or expense and ensure consistency in operations. If adverse changes in revenue or expense are determined to be systemic, the prudent reserve is intended to provide operating expenses to afford EVI the time necessary to resolve the operations issues.

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Literature Sales	April	YTD Sales	YTD% of Budget
AA Book Sales	1,051	4,234	100%
Pamphlet Sales	44	100	42%
Meeting Book Sales		-	0%
Grapevine Sales	20	156	71%
Total Literature Sales	1,114	4,490	86%

Note: Low literature sales for the year will mean less purchases as well. There should be no financial impact as a result.

EVI March, 2022 Financial Report

Emerald Valley Intergroup 2022 Financial Report

													Year to Date		22 Budget	% Ttl Budg	% YTD Budg
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Actual	Budget			
Contributions													8,260	7,329	22,000	38%	113%
Contributions/Group	3,996	846	2,773	644													
Contributions/Individual	1,642	487	293	322								2,744	1,520	4,560	60%	181%	
Contributions/Districts												-	-	-	0%	0%	
Contributions/Other												-	-	-	0%	0%	
Fundraising												-	-	-	0%	0%	
Over/Short												-	-	-	0%	0%	
Interest Income	2	2	2	3								9	12	36	23%	74%	
Total Contributions	5,640	1,336	3,068	969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,012	8,861	26,596	41%	124%	

Committee & Office Expenses																	
Activities	480												480	480	480	100%	100%
Archives													-	20	60	0%	0%
CPC/PI													-	220	660	0%	0%
Diverter													-	-	-	0%	0%
EVI Newsletter													-	-	-	0%	0%
Grapevine				194									194	-	-	0%	0%
H&I			51										51	533	1,600	3%	10%
Other Committee Charges													-	-	-	0%	0%
Outreach													-	-	-	0%	0%
Speaker Meeting													-	-	-	0%	0%
Steering Committee													-	-	-	0%	0%
Website			853										853	363	1,090	78%	235%
Committee Subtotal	480	853	51	194	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,579	1,617	3,890	41%	98%	
Insurance	295	527											822	1,350	1,350	61%	61%
PayPal Fees	10	8	9	9									36	32	96	38%	113%
Office Coordinator	450	450	450	450									1,800	1,800	5,400	33%	100%
Office Supplies	119	60	36	179									394	400	1,200	33%	98%
Rent	1,201	1,201	1,201	1,201									4,803	4,840	14,820	32%	97%
Utilities	388	393	388	348									1,517	1,890	4,920	34%	76%
Office Capital Expense													-	89	-	0%	0%
Printing & Copies	82	82	82	82									328	400	1,200	27%	82%
Permits & Fees		50		50									100	200	200	50%	50%
Office Subtotal	2,544	2,771	2,167	2,319	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,801	11,112	29,285	33%	88%	
Total Expenses	3,024	3,625	2,218	2,513	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,380	12,729	33,175	34%	89%	
Net Operating Expenses/Contributions	2,616	(2,289)	850	(1,545)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(368)	(3,868)	(6,579)	6%	10%	

Literature Sales																	
AA Book Sales	1,231	992	961	1,051									4,234	4,222	12,600	34%	100%
Pamphlet Sales	20	20	16	44									100	240	720	14%	42%
Meeting Book Sales														520	1,560	0%	0%
Grapevine Sales	37	35	66	20									156	220	660	24%	71%
Total Literature Sales	1,288	1,046	1,042	1,114	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,490	5,202	15,540	29%	86%	

Literature Cost of Good Sold																	
AA Books Cost of Sales	1,138	1,001	788	525									3,431	4,179	12,474	28%	82%
Mtg Books Cost of Sales													-	180	720	0%	0%
Pamphlet Cost of Sales	115												115	750	1,500	8%	15%
GrapeVine Cost of Sales	133		11										143	165	660	22%	87%
Total Literature Costs	1,386	1,001	779	525	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,690	5,274	15,354	24%	70%	

Net Literature	(99)	45	263	589	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	800	(73)	186		
Net Literature (Cum)	(99)	(53)	210	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800					
Net Income	2,518	(2,244)	1,113	(955)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	432	(3,941)	(6,393)		

EVI March, 2022 Financial Report

Emerald Valley Intergroup Budget For Year 2022

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year to Date Budget	22 Budget
Contributions														
Contributions/Group	2,226	1,344	1,339	2,420	2,307	1,339	2,035	1,717	1,603	2,366	1,248	2,055	4,909	22,000
Contributions/Individual	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	1,140	4,560
Contributions/Districts													-	-
Contributions/Other (Summerfest)													-	-
Interest Income	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	9	36
Total Contributions	2,609	1,727	1,722	2,803	2,690	1,722	2,418	2,100	1,986	2,749	1,631	2,438	6,058	26,596
Committee & Office Expenses														
Activities	480												480	480
Archives	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	15	60
CPC/PI	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	165	660
Diverter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EVI Newsletter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grapevine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
H&I	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	400	1,600
Outreach	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Steering Committee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Website	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	273	1,090
Committee Subtotal	764	284	284	284	284	284	284	284	284	284	284	284	1,333	3,890
Insurance	1,350					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,350	1,350
PayPal Fees	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	24	96
Office Coordinator	450	450	450	450	450	450	450	450	450	450	450	450	1,350	5,400
Office Supplies	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	300	1,200
Rent	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	1,235	3,705	14,820
Utilities	535	485	485	485	310	310	310	310	310	385	460	535	1,505	4,920
Office Capital Expense								99					-	99
Printing & Copies	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	300	1,200
Permits & Fees	100			100									100	200
Office Subtotal	3,878	2,378	2,378	2,478	2,203	2,203	2,203	2,302	2,203	2,278	2,353	2,428	8,634	29,285
Total Expenses	4,642	2,662	2,662	2,762	2,487	2,487	2,487	2,586	2,487	2,562	2,637	2,712	9,967	33,175
<i>Net Operating Expenses/Contributions</i>	<i>(2,033)</i>	<i>(935)</i>	<i>(940)</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>202</i>	<i>(765)</i>	<i>(69)</i>	<i>(486)</i>	<i>(501)</i>	<i>187</i>	<i>(1,006)</i>	<i>(274)</i>	<i>(3,909)</i>	<i>(6,579)</i>
Literature Sales														
AA Book Sales	1,128	916	1,162	1,016	1,074	1,093	1,152	1,101	1,185	988	817	968	3,206	12,600
Pamphlet Sales	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	180	720
Meeting Book Sales	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	390	1,560
Grapevine Sales	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	165	660
Total Literature Sales	1,373	1,161	1,407	1,261	1,319	1,338	1,397	1,346	1,430	1,233	1,062	1,213	3,941	15,540
Literature Cost of Good Sold														
AA Books Cost of Sales	1,117	906	1,151	1,006	1,064	1,082	1,140	1,090	1,173	978	809	958	3,174	12,474
Pamphlet Cost of Sales			180			180			180			180	180	720
Mtg Books Cost of Sales			350	400				350	400				350	1,500
Grapevine Cost of Sales			165			165			165			165	165	660
Total Literature Costs	1,117	906	1,846	1,406	1,064	1,427	1,140	1,440	1,918	978	809	1,303	3,704	15,354
Net Literature	256	254	(438)	(145)	256	(89)	257	(94)	(488)	255	253	(90)	237	186
Net Income	(1,777)	(681)	(1,379)	(104)	458	(854)	188	(580)	(989)	442	(753)	(364)	(3,672)	(6,393)

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Activities	480												480	480
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CPC/EI	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	220	660
Divertier	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EVI Newsletter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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EVI March, 2022 Financial Report

EVI 2021 Financial Report

	<u>April</u>	<u>YTD</u>		<u>April</u>	<u>YTD</u>
11th Step Meditation	-	-	Sunrise Sobriety Group	-	-
645 AM Men's Group	-	361.00	Sunlight of the Spirit	-	-
Aboriginal Drinkers	-	500	Temporarily Unique	-	-
A/Um'n Group	-	300.00	The Way Home	-	-
Attitude Adjustment Group	3.54	480.03	There is a Solution	120.00	-
ABC Group	-	-	Thurston Bell Ringers	-	-
Back to Basics Junction City	-	200.00	Thursday Night Rush Hour C.G.	-	346.95
Capacity to be Honest	-	10.00	Thursday Night Reflections	-	-
Carpe Diem	-	-	Trusts Night Group	-	-
COVID and Would	-	100.00	TNT	-	-
Cottage Grove Group	-	-	Tuesday Night Young Peoples	-	-
Creswell 12 x 12	-	-	Try God Group	-	332.33
Daily Reflections	-	-	Upon Awakening	-	-
Downtown AM group	-	813.87	unknown	-	-
Drop The Rock	-	100.00	Vintage Group	-	209.00
Early Firehouse Group	-	-	We Are Not A Gium Lat	-	-
Easy Does It!	-	-	Wed Beginners Group	-	-
Emerald Park	-	400.00	Wednesday Women's Big Book Study	-	-
Epiphany Wine & Ale	-	-	Wednesday Men's Noon Group	-	220.00
Freedom Band	-	-	Wednesday Night's Men's Stag	-	-
Freedom Of Choice	-	-	Where The Rubber Meets The Road	-	-
Friday Night Gratitude (Cof Grove)	-	-	Women in the Solution	-	384.00
Friday Night Stag	-	-	Women's Big Book Study	-	-
Friday Night Big Book Study	-	-	Women's Road to Recovery	-	-
Get Well Group	-	-	Women's Steps and Traditions	-	-
Good Chief Saturday	-	-	Women's Courage to Change	-	240.00
Gratitude Group	-	-	Young Ducks	-	-
GWAD (Jesca)	-	-	Total - Contributions/Group	643.54	8,259.56
Harrisburg Group	-	-			
Haw N' Wains	-	-	<u>EVI Contributions - Other</u>		
Jasper By The Tracks Group	-	-		<u>April</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Knuckleheads	-	-	District Contributions		
Lambda Group	-	-	Dist 20	-	-
Last Chance Study Group	-	-	District 6	-	-
Last House on the Block	-	-	Total District Contributions	-	-
McKenzie River Group	-	13.00	Contributions/Individual		
Men's Undisciplined	-	-	Faithful Rivers	80.00	240.00
Monday Noon Stag	-	-	Individual - Other	242.20	2,181.80
Monday Men's Stag	627.00	627.00	Total Contributions/Individual	322.20	2,421.80
New Freedom	-	720.00	Contributions-Other		
1st Rule Group	-	200.00	EASYPAA	-	-
One Day at a Time	-	-	ORCYPAA	-	-
Oxbridge Group	-	37.88	Fund Raiser	-	-
Plant a Seed	-	-	Assembly Host Com	-	-
River Road Friday Night Book St	-	-	Summerfest	-	-
River Road Recovery	-	-	Contributions-Other	-	-
Saturday Morning Steps	-	-	FundRaising	-	-
Saturday Night Book Study	-	-	Activities	-	-
Seniors for Sobriety	-	-	CPC-PI	-	-
Serenity on Sunday	-	-	Speaker Meeting	-	-
Serenity Steakers West	-	270.00	FundRaising	-	-
Scissors'n Group	-	-			
Sisters of Sobriety	-	140.00			
Sober Awakenings	-	1,000.00			
SGS Group	-	-			
Sobriety for Life	-	40.00			
Sober Check's	-	-			
Stop Smell The Roses	-	30.00			
Stairway to Sobriety	-	-			
Starlight Meditation Group	-	89.50			
Sunday AM B.B. Study Group	-	100.00			
Sunday Women's Step Study	-	-			
Sunday Night Book Study	-	-			
Sunrise at Sunset	-	330.00			
Sunrise Serenity	-	-			



Emerald Valley Intergroup Service Position Roster

Position	Name	Start Date	Rotation Date	Email
Activities Chair	Steve R	12/20/21	9/19/22	
Activities Vice Chair	Open		9/19/22	eviaactivities@gmail.com
Archivist Chair	Elijah C	3/21/22	None	eviarchives@gmail.com
Vice-Chair	Open			
CPC/PI Chair	Syerra	3/9/20	3/21/22	evicpci@gmail.com
Vice-Chair	Byron M	3/9/20	3/21/22	ctconcept@comcast.net
Diverter Chair	Mike M	3/21/22	3/21/23	evidiverter@gmail.com
Vice-Chair	Corey P	3/21/22	3/21/23	
EVI Cmte Chair	Chaz D	12/14/20	12/19/22	evichairperson@gmail.com
Vice-Chair	Open			vicechairevi@gmail.com
EVI Secretary	Sharon B	1/11/21	12/19/22	evisecretary17@gmail.com
EVI Spkr Mtg Chair	Bruce G	3/8/21	3/20/23	
Vice-Chair	Susan H	11/15/21	3/20/23	
EVI Treasurer	Brenda M	12/20/21	12/20/21	evitreasurer2@gmail.com
Vice-Chair			12/20/21	
Grapevine Chair	Brian R	9/14/20	9/19/22	evigrapevine@gmail.com
Vice-Chair	Della T	9/14/20	9/19/22	
H&I Chair	Mason M	9/20/21	9/19/22	
Vice-Chair	Matt S	11/15/21	9/19/22	
Literature Chair	Monica P	9/20/21	9/19/22	eviliterature@gmail.com
Vice-Chair	Kim K	9/20/21	9/19/22	eviliterature@gmail.com

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Mtg Guide Chair Vice-Chair	Ryan J Open	9/20/21	9/19/22	evimeetingguides@gmail.com
Newsletter Chair Vice-Chair	Monique D Erica T	10/18/21 10/18/21	9/19/22 9/19/22	evinewsaa@gmail.com evinewsaa@gmail.com
Office Vol. Coord. / Bookkeeper	Carol B	3/8/21	By 3/9/26	emeraldvalleyintergroupoffice@gmail.com
Outreach Chair Vice-Chair	Open Open			
Website Chair Vice-Chair	Timi S Bruce W	9/20/21 11/15/21	9/19/22 9/19/22	eviaaweb@gmail.com eviwebco@gmail.com
Member @ Large	Rachel S	12/14/20	12/12/22	
Member @ Large	Melody D	12/14/20	12/12/22	
Member @ Large	Wes H	12/20/21	12/18/23	
Member @ Large	Open			

Call EVI Office at 541-342-4113 for Trusted Servant Phone Numbers and emails not listed.

As of 5/11/22 Activities Vice-Chair, Archivist Vice-Chair, EVI Committee Vice-Chair, EVI Vice-Chair Treasurer, Mtg Guide Vice-Chair, Outreach Chair and Vice-Chair, EVI Office Volunteers

EVI Service Committee Synopsis



Emerald Valley Intergroup (EVI)

Organization and Service Committee Synopsis

OVERVIEW

Emerald Valley Intergroup (EVI) is an A.A. service office that carries out functions common to the A.A. groups in Districts 6, 19, 20 and part of 34, as part of Oregon Area 58. EVI is staffed by trusted servants and is funded entirely by contributions from A.A. groups and individual members.

EVI GROUP REPRESENTATIVE

EVI Groups Representatives have the job of linking their home group to EVI. The EVI Rep represents the voice of the group conscience, reporting the group's thoughts to the EVI Business meeting. This is a two-way street, making the EVI Rep responsible for bringing back to the home information that affect EVI unity, and health. They take information to their home groups and return feedback to the business meetings.

Only when the EVI Rep keeps their home group informed and communicates the group conscience can EVI truly act for AA as a whole in the EVI service area. Although many groups have various suggested sobriety requirements for the EVI Rep position, EVI expresses no opinion whatever in this regard. Experience has shown however that the most effective EVI Reps have: active participation in their home group, have the time and resources available to attend EVI Business meetings and provide reports to their home group and have the confidence of the group and the ability to listen to all points of view.

EVI BODY

The EVI Body consists of the Steering Committee, the Chairs of various committees (as described below), District Representatives and A.A. home group representatives from within the EVI service area. The EVI Body meets on the 2nd Monday of the month via Zoom to review the financial reports from the prior month, to give and receive committee updates and to address any pertinent EVI topics. EVI representatives take information to their home groups and return feedback to the business meetings.

EVI SERVICE COMMITTEES

The EVI Service Committees are composed of an elected Chair and Vice-Chair and other A.A. Volunteers. The terms of service, sobriety requirements and a brief description of the responsibilities of the positions are described below.

Activities

Chairperson: 1-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 1-year term, 6-months sobriety

The EVI Activities Committee organizes popular events such as dances, picnics, bingo, and potlucks for all A.A. members and their families in the Intergroup area.

Archivist

Chairperson: No term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: No term, 6-months sobriety

The Archivist collects, catalogs, preserves and displays relevant materials of local A.A. history of the Intergroup area. Materials may be in the form of group histories, member histories, files, artifacts, or data.

Cooperation with Professional Community/Public Information (CPC/PI)

Chairperson: 2-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 2-year term, 6-months sobriety

The CPC/PI engages with the community (Doctors, Lawyers, Counseling Professionals, Schools etc.) to spread the word of AA - of what A.A. does (and doesn't) do to help alcoholics.

Diverter

Chairperson: 1-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 1-year term, 6-months sobriety

The EVI diverter is the call-forwarding system which diverts the EVI office phone number to a volunteer's home or cell phone number, allowing calls to be answered when the office is closed.

EVI Speaker Meeting

Chairperson: 2-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 2-year term, 6-months sobriety

The EVI Speaker Meeting Committee organizes a monthly meeting with an A.A. speaker and an Al-Anon speaker who share their experience, strength and hope.

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Grapevine

Chairperson: 1-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 1-year term, 6-months sobriety

The Grapevine Chair promotes readership and subscription to *AA Grapevine: The International Journal of Alcoholics Anonymous*, as well as related publications.

Hospitals & Institutions (H&I)

Chairperson: 2-year term, 2-years sobriety

Vice-chair: 2-year term, 1-year sobriety

The H&I Committee coordinates A.A. visits to hospitals, treatment facilities, and correctional institutions, and provides those entities with A.A. literature.

Literature

Chairperson: 1-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 1-year term, 6-months sobriety

The Literature Committee orders Big Books, Pamphlets and other conference approved literature for groups, treatment centers and inventory at the EVI Office.

Meeting Directory

Chairperson: 1-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 1-year term, 6-months sobriety

The purpose of the Meeting Directory Committee is to maintain the Emerald Valley Intergroup Meeting Directory on-line and for print as booklets or tri-fold fliers.

Newsletter

Chairperson: 1-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 1-year term, 6-months sobriety

The EVI Newsletter publishes up-to-date information of interest to A.A. members in the Intergroup. It includes notices of coming events, minutes of the business meeting, changes to group meeting times and locations, a roster of people serving on EVI committees, and original essays and poetry of A.A. members. This position requires familiarity with desktop publishing software and competence in Standard English.

Outreach

Chairperson: 1-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 1-year term, 6-months sobriety

Outreach Committee members maintain contact and visit groups served by EVI – including Districts 6, 19, 20 and 34-primarily to inform the groups of the EVI service committees, events, and opportunities and to encourage participation in EVI.

Website / Tech

Chairperson: 1-year term, 1-year sobriety

Vice-chair: 1-year term, 6-months sobriety

The purpose of the Website/Tech Committee is to maintain the EVI website www.eviaaweb.org, a resource for those looking for information about AA in the Intergroup service area. The trusted servants in this committee also set and manage our Google Suite account providing email and document support to trusted servants using these tools. In addition, they provide dedicated information technology (IT) support to EVI regarding purchasing, set-up and maintenance of EVI owned IT equipment and to provide tech support to EVI Officers and Committee Chairs for EVI related purposes.

STEERING COMMITTEE

EVI has an elected Steering Committee made up of the EVI Chair, EVI Vice-Chair, Treasurer, Vice Treasurer, Secretary, and 4 Members at Large. The Bookkeeper and Office Volunteer Coordinator are ex-officio members. The Steering Committee meets on the 1st Monday of the month via Zoom to review the financial statements from the prior month, to discuss pertinent EVI topics and to set the agenda for the EVI Business Meeting.

Chair

Chair: 2-year term, 2-years sobriety

Vice-chair: 2-year term, 1-year sobriety

The EVI Chair gathers proposed agenda items and leads the Steering Committee and EVI business meetings. The Chair is the first point of contact for EVI business. The Vice-Chair assists the Chair by understanding and helping interpret the EVI By-Laws. The EVI Chair shall have served as a Committee Chair, EVI Group Representative or have other EVI experience.

Treasurer

Treasurer: 2-year term, 2-years sobriety

Vice-treasurer: 2-year term, 1-year sobriety

The Treasurer is part of the EVI Steering Committee and leads the FAB. The Treasurer prepares the monthly financial statements and supervises the Bookkeeper.

Secretary

2-year term, 2-years sobriety

The Secretary produces and distributes the agenda for the EVI business meeting. The secretary also takes notes at the Steering Committee and EVI business meetings and distributes the final document to participants via email.

EVI Service Committee Synopsis

Members at Large (4)

Members at Large: 2-year term, 2-years sobriety (2 rotate each year)

There are four Member at Large positions that provide input and recommendations at EVI Steering Committee meetings. Members at Large may also be selected as members of the FAB or ad-hoc groups that are formed to address pertinent EVI topics.

FINANCIAL ADVISORY BOARD (FAB)

The Financial Advisory Board consists of the EVI Treasurer, Vice Treasurer and the Bookkeeper. One or two additional members are appointed by the Steering Committee. With assistance from the Service Committee, the FAB creates a proposed annual budget and provides a suggested prudent reserve figure. These proposals are first brought to the Steering Committee, and then to the EVI Body for approval. The FAB is also responsible for oversight of the Bookkeeper position under direction of the Steering Committee.

SPECIAL WORKERS

We adhere to Tradition 8, in which the last sentence states, "Our Twelfth Step is never to be paid for, but those whose labor in service for us are worthy of their hire". EVI has long employed the service of someone to process our bookkeeping. More recently we re-established the Office Volunteer Coordinator as a paid rather than volunteer position.

Bookkeeper

Maximum 5-year term with annual review by the FAB, 2-years sobriety,

The Bookkeeper is a paid position and not considered a volunteer. The Bookkeeper has a separate job description that is available at the EVI office. The Bookkeeper is a member of the Financial Advisory Board. The Bookkeeper reports to the Treasurer and is hired by the Steering Committee. As a paid special worker for EVI, the Bookkeeper is considered an ex-officio member of the Steering Committee and FAB.

Office Volunteer Coordinator

Maximum 5-year term with annual review by the Steering Committee, 1-year sobriety,

The most important function is to support the office volunteers in their service commitment. Tasks will include interviewing prospective volunteers; scheduling office volunteer shifts; buying office supplies; facilitating communication of information between the Steering Committee, the EVI Body, and the office volunteers. The Office Volunteer Coordinator is hired by and reports to the Steering Committee.

MONTH OF MAY

AA HISTORICAL DATES



1919—Bill W returns home from military service.

1935—May 11: From the Mayflower Hotel Bill W called Rev. Walter Tunks, who referred him to Henrietta Seiberling, who introduced Bill W to Dr Bob.

1935—May 12: (Mothers' Day)—Bill W & Dr Bob met at the Gate House home of Henrietta Seiberling.

1938—Bill W begins writing the book *Alcoholics Anonymous*.

1939—May 10: Clarence S announced to the Akron Oxford Group members the Cleveland members were starting a meeting in Cleveland & calling it Alcoholics Anonymous (AA Group #3).

1940—May 1: Rollie H, Cleveland Indians catcher, the first anonymity break on the national level.

1942—Richmond W, author of "Twenty-Four Hours a Day", had his last drink.

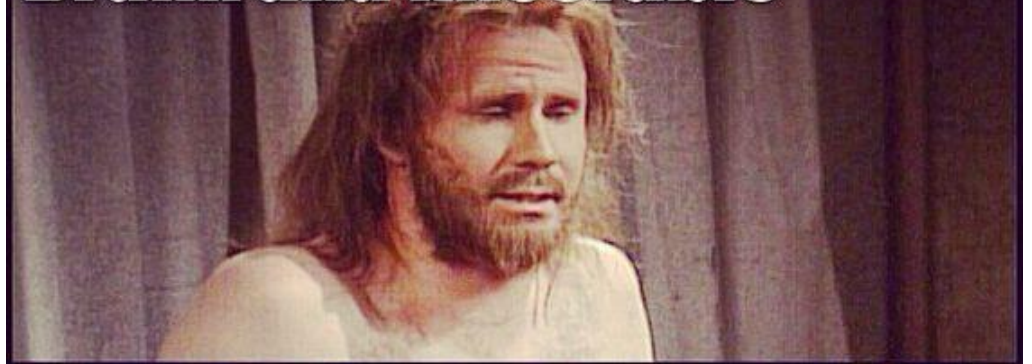
1946—The long form of the "Twelve Traditions" was published in the AA Grapevine.

1951—Al-Anon was founded by Lois Wikson and Anne B.



*Submitted by
Edd B,
North Hill
Men's Group*

Drunk and miserable



**Keep Coming
Back!**

SOBER AND FABULOUS

