

DISTRICT 24 NEWSLETTER

October 2025!!!

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CONCEPT X

“Every service responsibility should be matched by an equal service authority, with the scope of such authority well defined.”

RESPONSIBILITY DECLARATION	DECLARATION of UNITY
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Please email Dist.24.newsletter@gmail.com for corrections to District Committee contact names or email.

Join us for our **Third Legacy presentation potluck**, the
1st Wednesday of every month at 6PM.

We will be discussing the Concepts as well as reading and discussing the
AA Service Manual. Bring your favorite dish to share, ***and then...***

Join us for our District 24 business meeting, the **1st Wednesday of every month.**

LOCATION!

**St. Hilda's Episcopal Church
15224 52nd Ave W
Edmonds, WA 98026**

...and on Zoom

Meeting ID: 827 3971 4442 / Password: 441729

This month's Area 72 quarterlies and events go to

<https://area72aa.org/events>

Also: See pages 5-6

AA Meetings – Hybrid, Zoom and In-Person

<https://area72aa.org/meetings>

Don't Forget to Check Out our New "District 24 Website"

<https://district24.org>

District 24 Business Meeting Agenda

October 1st, 2025, at 7:00 PM

ZOOM MEETING

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82739714442pwd=aDk0eENIMlpSVERwUWdHeIRPNjVJUT09>

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Open with the Serenity Prayer:

God, grant me the serenity, to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can and the wisdom to know the difference.

Responsibility Declaration:

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Reading of short form Concept 10:

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Housekeeping: Smoking/Vaping – 25ft from the entrances, cleaning up our mess, general respect for the church.

PLEASE 🙏🙏

Birthdays: October

Presentation: PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIRD LEGACY AT 6PM FOR OUR 2025 ASSEMBLY PRE-FUNK!! MIKE B WILL BE JOINING US FOR ASSEMBLY Q&A.

GSR Check In/Reports:

Any, and all feedback on –

- o Assembly questions?

Reports:

Secretary – Sandi K – *motion to approve Meeting Minutes

Please send quarterly reports and flyers to the Secretary!

Treasurer – Glen C - *motion to approve Treasurer's report

Alt Treasurer – Greg S

Accessibility – Rita N

Alt Accessibility – Open

Archives – Kimberly E

Alt Archives – Heidi P

Corrections – Jason M – September Quarterly

CPC – Kevin H

Alt CPC – Angela J

Detox – Eric H

Alt Detox – Dan K

Event Coordinator – Rachel O – Gratitude Banquet March 28th

Grapevine/Lit – Pat B – September Quarterly

Greater Seattle Intergroup Rep – Bobby T

Newsletter – Sam P

Alt Newsletter – Trevor J

PI – Brad G

Alt PI – **Open**

Registrar – Liz C – If you're new in your position, please come talk with me so we can get you registered with Area 72 ☺

Schedules – Desi H

Third Legacy – Terry R

Treatment – Cheryl M

Alt Treatment – **Open**

Web Chair – Bob M

Young People's Chair – John B

Zoom Coordinator – Doug W

Alternate DCM – Jan H – GSR Survival Tips

DCM – Lisa J –

- PRAASA info and reports. (Old business)?
- Friday night dinner.
- What's App.

Old Business:

- District 24 sponsored dance? Service recruiting event?
- Report from Sound/Video Ad Hoc Committee?
- Anyone standing for our Alt. Treatment Chair?

New Business:

- Canva subscription

5 Takeaways – either from the District Meeting or from a Pre-Assembly you went to, or both ☺

Contact dcm24@area72aa.org if you want to add new agenda items to this list

Unity Declaration:

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.

District 24 Business Meeting Minutes – September 3rd 2025, at 7:00 PM

In attendance: Anjela, Bob M, Bobby T, Brad, Cheryl, Christine, Chuck, Dave N, Desi, Devon, Eric, Finn, Glen, Greg, Guy, Sandi, Jan, Lisa, Jason, Joey, Justin, Kimberly, Liz, Rachel O, Rachel T, Rita, Sam, Sarah, Terry, Tracy, Suzanne, Trevor, DJ, Heidi, Ben, Seiji, Trevor

Open with the Serenity Prayer: Responsibility Declaration: Reading of short form Concept 9:

Housekeeping: Smoking/Vaping – 25ft from the entrances, cleaning up our mess, general respect for the church. PLEASE

Birthdays: None

GSRs:

Rachel GSR Sisters: Will discuss topics. Susan alt is here as well. Someone specifically asking me to take this position, and it helped me to say, “Yes!”

Bob Tug: Suggest limited publication to opt in / out of newsletter. Should bus ads be left up to area or should it be the groups?

Secretary Sandi: Motion to Pass Minutes: 1st Justin /2nd Greg Passed Unanimously.

Treasurer Glen: More money in than out. Ending Balance 4897.77 – Savings drawing interest - \$3400. Deposit from District Picnic Raffle/Donations. \$983 AA birthday donation from Astri . Groups that sent \$\$ helped us! See P&L.

DCM Lisa: when do we want to begin preparing for finance committee. Lisa to bring back up at Nov meeting. Set a meeting for early December. Set budget by mid-December.

Motion Made to Pass Treasurer Report. Passed Unanimously.

Greg Area Assembly Treasurer: GSRs need to sign up.

DeTox: Eric – short one woman for Sunday Night every other 6-7pm at Detox. Interested send email to Eric.

Event Coordinator Rachel: No report.

Samuel Newsletter: District 24 Newsletter – Motion Made Trevor Alt Newsletter

Bobby – 18 in person 11 online including ASL. 13K group contributions. Thank you. Please continue. Greeting cards in stock down there. Need special events coordinator. AA Seattle 80th year. Planning an event. Burien Dist 32 Assembly 145 calls, one 12th step

Brad Did not attend August quarterly. Needs an alt.

Liz Registrar: See Liz if need to register home group.

Desi Schedules: October 5th last date to get into this next round of schedules. Needvolunteers to check in online/in person.

Terry: 3rd Legacy Pre-funk next month. Mike B – DCM from the past. Chair for hostcommittee. Will talk about what to expect. Looking for new topics. Please let Terry know.

Young Persons: Nominate Seinji – alt chairperson. Passed Unanimously. Lots of growth for young people. Would like to put a committee together.

Jan Area Alt DCM. Assembly Survival Guide: GSRs and DCMs. Mostly the same content. Here's what to focus on: 1 ultimate authority that is expressed in our group conscience. Serving AA. Go with this primary thought. Drink water and eat well. Watch caffeine & sugar intake to avoid sugar crash and cranky attitude. Sleep well the night before. Saturday can run quite late. Leave debating skills at home. This is a "Spiritual Experience". Do your best to be Happy, Joyous & Free.

Lisa DCM: Area Assembly coming up. Friday Night – No host dinner. Let's get together. Open Mic. Introduce yourself. Great practice. Share what home groups are saying. Ask questions – make comments. Desi – alt sign up for volunteers. Lisa has preassembly packets available. Also has notes sheet. When you report back to your HGs - this is a good tool. Write why you did what you did. In case the HG didn't have all the info and you voted differently than what was discussed in your HG.

Old Business: Registration Oct Assembly.

Sound Committee: Guy – Different set up today. Worked well. Need to Kiss the Mic.

New Business: Terri – District 24 invited to Saltwater Park – Richmond Beach – bring side dish to share. 11-5pm this weekend.

Guy: District 24 sponsored dance. Would like to have one. Great way to bring people into service and connect.

Glen: District 24 has some scholarship money for Area Assembly. Just ask.

PRASA Guy – who do we pay for? Bring it to groups. Have discussion sooner than later. District 24 does not have bylaws – or no one knows where they are. Rotation to rotation – discussed each year and voted. When Lisa went – both DCM and Alt DCM went. Glen: please send something on it so we can review. We are hosting PRASA 2027.

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Closed at 8:47 with the Unity Declaration

Treasurer's Report (Bank Statement)

Checking / Savings Report 08/26/25 thru 09/25/25

Checking		Savings	
Beginning Balance	4,897.77	Beginning Balance	3,411.23
Deposits/Credits	698.01	Deposits/Credits	0.98
Withdrawals/Debits	(870.64)	Withdrawals/Debits	-
Ending Balance	4,725.14	Ending Balance	3,412.21
			Total Assets
			8,137.35

CHECKING DEPOSITS / CREDITS

Received From	Group ID	Deposit Date	Amount	Check/MO #	Comments
We Are Not Saints	684145	9/5/2025	\$28.56	147	
MLT - Wed	27732	9/5/2025	\$27.90	5022	
OPPN	705339	9/5/2025	\$388.95	1023	
Pyramid Group Edmonds	113796	9/5/2025	\$100.00	10107066487	
TUG	177017	9/10/2025	\$122.60	2604	
Celebrate Life	617947	9/23/2025	\$30.00	256	
Total Deposits/Credits			\$698.01		

CHECKING WITHDRAWALS / DEBITS

Paid To	Check/MO #	Deposit Date	Amount	Comments
Jan H	1031	9/25/2025	(17.99)	D24 supplies
Alderwood Safe Storage	Debit #8408	9/20/2025	(72.00)	Storage Unit
Lynnwood Alano Club	1029	9/6/2025	(118.00)	July-Sept newsletters
Lynnwood Alano Club	1030	9/6/2025	(75.00)	June 21st D24 Roundtable
USPS	Debit #9650	9/5/2025	(122.00)	Annual PO Box fee
Liz C	1015	9/5/2025	(25.08)	Gratitude Banquet
Tom L	1026	9/3/2025	(440.57)	D24 Picnic Food
Total Withdrawals/Debits			(870.64)	

SAVINGS DEPOSITS / CREDITS

Received From	Check/MO #	Deposit Date	Amount	Comments
Interest		9/26/2025	0.98	
Total Deposits/Credits			0.98	

SAVINGS WITHDRAWALS / DEBITS

Paid To	Check/MO #	Deposit Date	Amount	Comments
Total Withdrawals/Debits				
			-	

Total Overall Deposits/Credits	698.99
Total Overall Withdrawals/Debits	(870.64)
Net Income	(171.65)

Budget vs Actuals

2025 Budget vs Actuals

	2025 Budget	June	July	August	September	2025 Actuals	Remaining Budget
INCOME							
Homegroups & Private Donations		98.64	632.16	436.89	698.01	6,216.07	
Assembly Scholarship	194.20					-	194.20
WWA72 January 2025 Qtrly						3,800.30	
Gratitude Potluck Dinner						2,901.25	
Picnic Raffles & Donations				983.00		983.00	
Checking / Savings Interest			2.15	0.95	0.98	10.50	
TOTAL INCOME		98.64	634.31	1,420.84	698.99	13,911.12	
EXPENSES							
Accessibilities	40.00					-	40.00
Archives	200.00	63.00				63.00	137.00
Coffee Maker	40.00					-	40.00
CPC	40.00					-	40.00
Corrections	40.00					-	40.00
Detox Chair	40.00					-	40.00
D.C.M. / Alt D.C.M.	2,000.00		49.02	502.00		2,049.98	(49.98)
Grapevine & Literature	40.00					-	40.00
Public Information	40.00					-	40.00
Registrar	20.00					-	20.00
Schedules Chair	40.00					-	40.00
Secretary	40.00					-	40.00
Third Legacy	40.00					-	40.00
Treasurer / Alt Treasurer	30.00					-	30.00
Treatment / Bridging the Gap	40.00					-	40.00
Web Master	40.00					-	40.00
Young People's Representative	40.00					-	40.00
Zoom Coordinator	40.00					-	40.00
District Meeting Rental Fee	900.00					450.00	450.00
Newsletter Printing Costs	480.00		89.50		118.00	365.00	115.00
P.O. Box Yearly Rental Fee	232.00				122.00	122.00	110.00
Storage Unit Rental Fee	936.00	72.00	72.00	72.00	72.00	648.00	288.00
Website Hosting Fee	300.00					300.00	-
Zoom Annual Subscription Fee	166.00					176.85	(10.85)
Miscellaneous Fund	1,500.00				17.99	220.52	1,279.48
7th Tradition Donations (Splits)	-					-	-
Cost of Printing Schedules	1,300.00					565.05	734.95
D24 Annual Picnic	1,000.00			644.76	440.57	1,085.33	(85.33)
D24 Gratitude Dinner	1,200.00				25.08	1,598.73	(398.73)
Evergreen State Fair Contribution	150.00					150.00	-
Host a Quarterly Funding	800.00	120.73	75.00		75.00	439.66	360.34
WWA72 January 2025 Qtrly						5,400.22	
TOTAL EXPENSES	11,774.00	255.73	285.52	1,218.76	870.64	13,634.34	
NET INCOME		(157.09)	348.79	202.08	(171.65)	276.78	

RECOVERY | UNITY | SERVICE

WANTED

VOLUNTEERS FOR THE 2025 ASSEMBLY

WE NEED SHIFTS FILLED FRIDAY, SATURDAY, AND SUNDAY

- SET UP
- CLEAN UP
- REGISTRATION
- TIMERS
- SOBRIETY COUNTERS
- BOSSES
- PARKING
- FOOD MONITORS
- GENERAL

SHIFTS FROM 2 HOURS TO AS LONG AS YOU WOULD LIKE

OCT. 3-5, 2025
LYNNWOOD CONVENTION CENTER
 Please Contact Stephanie S. (206) 227-2909



Stapling Party

OCT 19
NOON TO 4PM.

LET'S GET THESE NEW AND UPDATED SCHEDULES STAPLED AND READY TO BE DISTRIBUTED!!

FINGER FOOD POTLUCK
CLEAN UP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

SNOHOMISH ALANO CLUB'
SKY VALLEY
625 FORD ST.
SNOHOMISH, WA



Alcoholic's Anonymous

Young At Heart

New Young People's Meeting
Tuesday Nights from 7-8 P.M.

**Located at St. Hilda & St. Patrick
Episcopal Church**

15224 52nd Ave West, Edmonds, WA. 98026

Young. Sober. Together.

No Age Required 😊

You don't have to do this alone!

VOLUNTEER FOR A SHIFT
AND REPRESENT AA @
THE NAADAC 2025
CONFERENCE
OCT 11-13

We need



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National Association of
Addiction Treatment Providers
- Hyatt Regency, Bellevue