

DISTRICT 24 NEWSLETTER

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CONCEPT VIII	
“The trustees are the principal planners and administrators of over-all policy and finance. They have custodial oversight of the separately incorporated and constantly active services, exercising this through their ability to elect all the directors of these entities.”	
RESPONSIBILITY DECLARATION I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there, and for that I am responsible.	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.
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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>

Quarterly Reports

Accessibility Quarterly District 24 Newsletter Report

Rita D24 accessibility Chair
July 18, 2026

Hello District 24,

Our 3rd quarterly of the area 72 Accessibility committee took place on Zoom with Bud, area 72 accessibility chair, a few DCMs standing in for their district, and a handful of district committee members. Attendance was low, possibly due to summer schedules.

Committee Accessibility members checked in and shared what they are doing in their districts.

Highlights include:

- Some districts have an accessibility committee. There would be a chair and others who volunteer to assist the committee and discuss how to be helpful to the group. As a committee of one, I would benefit from having help or to discuss idea or to stand in for a quarterly 💡. Now I have an accessibility alternate, Sheree, to discuss things with and plan together.
- The topic of serving remote communities came up as an area of accessibility. Some chairs expressed the idea of a remote community being those members who are in assistive living or retirement homes, or convalescent living.
- Our next quarterly will be October 17, 2026. It will be hybrid.

Thank you,

Rita N

D24 Accessibility Chair

Dist24accessibility@area72aa.org

Schedules District 24 Newsletter Report

We had 2500 as of 5/20/26 and are less than half way to October and used over half the schedules. We have about 1000 currently. I think we made the right choice. The time to reorder is approaching. And a deposit/order is due by 9/9/26.

PI/Literature table at Evergreen State Fair:

I am coordinating volunteers and invite you to take a 4 hour shift so we can have a table of literature in the booths building during the fair. The dates are from 8/27-9/7 and shifts are 9:30, 2pm, and 6pm. Admission to the fair and parking are provided, come early stay late. Please contact me at 206-471-1224.

Thank you,

Desi

District 24 Schedules Chair

District 24 Business Meeting Agenda for August 5th, 2026

District 24 Business Meeting Agenda
August 5th at 7:00 PM
ZOOM MEETING

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82739714442pwd=aDk0eENIMlpSVERwUWdHelRPNjVJUT09>

Meeting ID: 827 3971 4442 / Password: 441729

Open with the Serenity Prayer:

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Reading of short form Concept 8:

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

PLEASE 😊

Birthdays: August

Presentation/Guest: None

GSR Check In/Reports: (by table to the mic)

Feedback about the Delegate Report Back – if you went?

Reports:

Secretary – Guy H – *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 – July Quarterly

Alt Accessibility – Sharee L

Archives – Kimberly E

Alt Archives – Heidi P

Corrections – Jason M

CPC – Kevin H

Alt CPC – Angela J

Detox – Eric H

Alt Detox – Dan K

Event Coordinator – Rachel O

Grapevine/Lit – Pat B

Greater Seattle Intergroup Rep – Bobby T

Newsletter – Sam P

Alt Newsletter - Trevor

PI – Brad

Alt PI – Tonya R

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 – July Quarterly

Alt Treatment – Conrad

Web Chair – Bob M – July Quarterly

Young People's Chair – John B - July Quarterly

Alt Young People's Chair – Brendan B

Zoom Coordinator – David Z

-Anything else to share?

Alternate DCM – Jan H – Pre-Assembly info., Getting ready for October ☺

DCM – Lisa J – July Quarterly, Speed Dating Event

Old Business:

Welcome Conrad!! Our Alt Treatment chair ☺

New Business:

5 Takeaways – ☺

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

Unity Declaration:

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Area 72 Events August 2026

Date	Time	Type	Event	Location
Aug. 1	10:00a-2:00p		Area CPC Quarterly Meeting	SNOCO, Everett Meeting ID: 833 4771 9488 Passcode: SERVICE
	10:00a-2:00p		Area Archives Quarterly Meeting	St. Matthews Lutheran, Renton Meeting ID: 895 8451 3370 Passcode: Archives
	10:00a-2:30p		Pre-Assembly: Southern Districts	East Park Church, Vancouver 15815 NE 18th St., Vancouver
Aug. 2	1:30p-6:00p		Pre-Assembly: Pierce County Districts	Good Shepherd Lutheran, Tacoma 140 E. 56th Street, Tacoma
Aug. 8	10:00a-11:00a		Monthly Corrections Meeting	Virtual Meeting ID: 828 6821 9335 Passcode: 343910
	10:00a-2:00p		Area Public Information Quarterly Meeting	Puget Sound CSO, Tacoma Meeting ID: 896 5804 3250 Passcode: Publicinfo
	10:00a-2:00p		Area CPC In Action Workshop	Sequim Foursquare Church, Sequim 9090 Old Olympic Hwy Sequim
	11:00a-4:00p		Pre-Assembly: Seattle/Central Districts	St. Joseph's Church, Seattle 732 18th Ave E. Seattle
Aug. 9	2:30p-7:00p		Pre-Assembly: Eastside Districts	St. Matthews Lutheran, Renton 1700 Edmonds Ave NE, Renton
Aug. 15	10:00a-2:00p		Pre-Assembly: Peninsula Districts	St. Andrews Episcopal, Port Angeles 510 E. Park Ave, Port Angeles
Aug. 16	9:00a-10:30a		Registrar Workshop	Virtual Meeting ID: 633 540 5154 Passcode: registrar
	10:00a-2:30p		Pre-Assembly: Northern Districts	Skagit PUD Building, Mount Vernon Zoom ID: 934 6898 3588 Passcode: 586529
	12:00p-2:00p		Area Archives Work Party	Area 72 Archives Repository, Lakewood 3905 Steilacoom Blvd SW, Lakewood
Aug. 22	11:00a-3:30p		Pre-Assembly: Spanish Districts	528 N Tower Ave, Centralia
Aug. 23	11:00a-3:30p		Pre-Assembly: Virtual/Online Districts & Catch All	Virtual Meeting ID: 897 5424 1781 Passcode: Area72
Aug. 30	12:00p-1:30p		Area 72 Treatment Roundtable Workshop	Virtual Zoom ID: 812 5591 9512 No Password
	2:00p-6:00p		Delegate's Report Back	Steilacoom Community Church, Steilacoom 1603 Rainer Street, Steilacoom
	3:00p-4:30p		Google Basics Workshop	Virtual Meeting ID: 471 680 0414 Passcode: Area72

Legend:  In person ·  Virtual ·  Hybrid

District 24 Business Meeting Minutes July 1st, 2026

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CTO 7:01pm July 1, 2026

In Attendance: Jan H, Guy H, Tanya R, Chris, Dave N, Rachelle O, Rachelle T, Bob O, Bill G, Colleen S, Greg S, Sharriee L, John B, Finn S, Dan K, Bobby T, Darcee C, David P, Terry R, Glen C, Justin D, Noah, Dave Z, Liz C, Nelson, Kayla, Heidi P, Kim E, Joyc B, Jason M, Sue Mc, Debbie S, John M, Conrad M, Cheryl M, Barbara S, Angela J, Rian B

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Reading of short form Concept 7:

The Conference recognizes that the chief initiative and active responsibility in most world service matters should be exercised by the trustee members of the Conference acting as the General Service Board.

Birthdays: July Rachelle T 7, Cheryl 9, Colleen 2, Terry R 8,

Conrad is making himself available for the Alt Treatment Chair – voted in.

GSR Check In/Reports: (by table to the mic)

Tanya R- WANS- Fellowship 1st Sunday of the month @ 530p, August they turn 18

Finn Alt GSR On Awakening Lynnwood-August 1st picnic, flyers are available in the newsletter

Secretary – Guy H – *motion to approve Meeting Minutes Justin 1st, Rachelle 2nd passed-Guy asked that GSR's submit their reports via email to ensure it gets correctly entered

Please send quarterly reports and flyers to the Secretary!

Treasurer – Glen C – See the newsletter- motion to approve 1st Justin-2nd John B-approved

Alt Treasurer – Greg S

Accessibility – Rita N –

Alt Accessibility – Sharriee L

Archives – Kimberly E

Alt Archives – Heidi P

Corrections – Jason M-June quarterly in Mt Vernon-Many volunteer positions available in the NCC-Putting in bid for 2028 NCC in Seattle-IMSS is working to create an outside sponsorship program.

CPC – Kevin H

Alt CPC –

Detox – Eric H – He has been seeing a lot of people return, and a big uptick in things other than alcohol. The detox staff really like having us.

Alt Detox – Dan K-

Event Coordinator – Rachele O-Saturday the 18th is the D24 picnic

Grapevine/Lit – Pat B

Greater Seattle Intergroup Rep – Bobby T – GSIG meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month.

Last month GSIG had 136 calls, 93 chats and 1 12 step call.

There are phone slots available, please let your home groups know.

After 26 years in the current location, GSIG must move. There is a relocation committee, if you have any ideas or are interested, reach out to 2028@seattleaa.org

They had the spring assembly, there were 46 people in person, 6 online with a total of 38 voting members.

No group or District brought any motion for consideration.

The board took no action on the following topics

Should GSIG sell non-conference approved literature? i.e.: Drop the Rock, 24Hr a Day, Sermon on the Mount, New Pair of Glasses etc.

Should GSIG sell non literature items? i.e.: coins, b-day cards, book covers etc.

GSIG only received 87 responses out of all the meetings it serves, please take a vote at your home group meeting and pass the numbers on to Bobby T, or respond to the poll online

Newsletter – Sam P

Alt Newsletter -

PI – Brad

Alt PI – Tonya R— She got a hold of the Sno-Isle library system for contacts to go in and assess their literature needs.

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- We have schedules, help yourself!

Third Legacy – Terry R-July AA service resumes

- Aug Area 72 PI chair anonymity and social media discussion
- Sept Assembly pregame
- Oct Speed Dating event – Start at 6
- Nov Post game for assembly
- Dec may not show up

Treatment – Cheryl M

Alt Treatment – Conrad

Web Chair –

Young People's Chair – John B.

Alt Young People's Chair - Brendan

Zoom Coordinator – David Z-All is well

-Anything else to share?

Alternate DCM – Jan H – This October is the Area election, read the area newsletter to get to know the people you will be voting for. She attended the PNC, and was amazed at the grace of all the panelists. 15 Delegates were present. “Do not let what you don't know, stop you from doing what you can do.”

DCM – Lisa J – absent

Old Business: Debbie asked about who to call about volunteering for the fair, there is a flyer at the back of the newsletter.

Nelson asked if Jan emailed the info about the report back

Sharee asked about accessibility in meeting spaces

New Business: no new business.

Liz asked about registration for the assembly. Discussion and answers followed.

5 Take aways, Tanya will meet with SnoIsle, Phone slots available at GSIG, District picnic July 18th, Speed dating coming up, OA picnic August 1st

Motion to close 7:47

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Treasurer's Report (Bank Statement)

Checking/Savings 6/26/26 thru 7/25/26

Checking		Savings	
Beginning Balance	1,723.54	Beginning Balance	3,002.17
Deposits/Credits	1,987.06	Deposits/Credits	1.04
Withdrawals/Debits	(1,279.99)	Withdrawals/Debits	-
Ending Balance	2,430.61	Ending Balance	3,003.21
		Total Assets	5,433.82

CHECKING DEPOSITS / CREDITS

Received From	Group ID	Deposit Date	Amount	Check/MO #	Comments
Dividend/Interest		6/26/2026	0.09		
We Are Not Saints	684145	7/1/2026	35.70	151	
Edmonds Group	113795	7/1/2026	60.00	1088	
Mill Creek Discussion	630769	7/17/2026	119.70	22-123902527	
AMAA Lynnwood	525867	7/17/2026	300.00	1561	
D24 Picnic Money Deposit		7/21/2026	845.00		
Gunny Sack Hill	178910	7/24/2026	626.50	1993	
Dividend/Interest		7/24/2026	0.07		
Total Deposits/Credits			1,987.06		

CHECKING WITHDRAWALS / DEBITS

Paid To	Check/MO #	Deposit Date	Amount	Comments
Costco	1075	7/23/2026	(691.46)	D24 Picnic food
Alderwood Safe Storage	Debit #8408	7/20/2026	(85.00)	Storage Unit
Lynnwood Alano Club	1073	7/14/2026	(92.00)	June/July newsletters
Stay Beyond Inn	Debit #8408	7/12/2026	(167.80)	WWA72 Qtrly DCM Hotel stay
Little Creek Casino	Debit #1050	7/12/2026	(218.90)	WWA72 Assembly Alt DCM Hotel
Cheryl M	1074	7/10/2026	(24.83)	GSIG directories for Treatment
Total Withdrawals/Debits			(1,279.99)	

SAVINGS DEPOSITS / CREDITS

Received From	Check/MO #	Deposit Date	Amount	Comments
Dividend/Interest		6/26/2026	0.58	
Dividend/Interest		07/24/26	0.46	
Total Deposits/Credits			1.04	

SAVINGS WITHDRAWALS / DEBITS

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

Total Overall Deposits/Credits	1,988.10
Total Overall Withdrawals/Debits	(1,279.99)
Net Income	708.11

Budget vs Actuals

	2026 Budget	April	May	June	July	2026 Actuals	Remaining Budget
INCOME							
Homegroups & Private Donations		518.36	434.18	93.38	1,141.90	4,776.82	
Assembly Scholarship	194.20					-	194.20
Gratitude Potluck Dinner		2,912.00				2,912.00	
Picnic Raffles & Donations					845.00	845.00	
Misc Income			45.14			368.76	
Checking / Savings Interest		1.22	0.55		1.20	5.47	
TOTAL INCOME		3,431.58	479.87	93.38	1,988.10	8,908.05	
EXPENSES							
Accessibilities	40.00					-	40.00
Archives	200.00	86.53	50.00			136.53	63.47
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.	2,500.00	68.48	60.00	247.00	386.70	1,349.08	1,150.92
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					15.60	14.40
Treatment / Bridging the Gap	40.00				24.83	64.83	(24.83)
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					-	900.00
Newsletter Printing Costs	500.00			132.00	92.00	320.00	180.00
P.O. Box Yearly Rental Fee	244.00					250.00	(6.00)
Storage Unit Rental Fee	972.00	81.00	81.00	81.00	85.00	571.00	401.00
Website Hosting Fee	300.00	420.00				420.00	(120.00)
Zoom Annual Subscription Fee	177.00	188.08				188.08	(11.08)
Technology Fund	500.00						500.00
Miscellaneous Fund	100.00			47.21		88.45	11.55
7th Tradition Donations (Splits)						2,590.00	(2,590.00)
Cost of Printing Schedules	1,300.00		748.84			748.84	551.16
D24 Annual Picnic	1,200.00				691.46	691.46	508.54
D24 Gratitude Dinner	1,800.00	1,286.05	614.98			1,901.03	(101.03)
Evergreen State Fair Contribution	150.00	250.00				250.00	(100.00)
Host a Quarterly Funding	1,250.00		135.00			376.90	873.10
TOTAL EXPENSES	12,703.00	2,380.14	1,689.82	507.21	1,279.99	10,121.80	2,581.20
NET INCOME		1,051.44	(1,209.95)	(413.83)	708.11	(1,213.75)	

*DO YOU WANT TO GET INVOLVED
IN GENERAL SERVICE??*

FIND CONNECTION

AT

**DISTRICT 24'S
GENERAL SERVICE**

"SPEED DATING" EVENT.

Learn about the opportunities we
have in General Service, see what
job tugs at your soul and

MEET YOUR SERVICE MATCH!

OCTOBER 7TH @ 6PM

ST. HILDA'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

15224 52ND AVE W

EDMONDS 98026



ON ZOOM:
ID: 827 3991 4442
PASSWORD: 445799

Area72 North Districts Pre-Assembly

Host Districts 2, 3, 4, 11, 12, 19, 24, 42 and 46

Sunday August 16th, 2026

10:00am to 2:30pm

The Pre- Assembly gives GSRs an opportunity to discuss,
and understand the Motions, and Discussion Topics on
the Agenda for the upcoming Area72 Assembly.



Mt Vernon Pud Building

1415 Freeway Drive

Mount Vernon WA 98273

This will be a Hybrid Event

Meeting id: 934 6898 3588 Passcode 586529

Be sure to bring your favorite finger food potlucky dish to share Yum!

EDMONDS GROUP SPEAKER MEETING POTLUCK** 2026

Last Tuesday of the Month

- Bring a Side Dish Or Desert
- May 26th Shanon D
Smoked Roast Beef
- 30 Years
- June 30th Mary R
- 44 Years
- Smoked Salmon
- July 28th
- August 25th



Starts at 5:00 pm Speakers
at 5:30 pm Cedar Valley
Grange Hall 20526 52nd
Ave W
Lynnwood WA 98036

**DISTRICT 24
PUBLIC INFORMATION
Committee Volunteers Needed**

Are you interested in helping spread
the message of AA to those who need it.

We need **YOUR** help in making
this happen.

Monthly Committee Meeting
TBD - 1 Hour

We will brainstorm ideas to get
the message out to the Public!

Contact Information
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