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**BOARD OF REGENTS
MEETING OF JULY 21, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 A.M. by Wendy B., Chair, Board of Regents.

Present: Bernie G., Bob W., Calvin C., Wendy B. and Karen H. International Executive Secretary.

Present by Telephone: Betty B., Herb B., Tom M. and Richard C.

Absent: John C.

John C. was on the phone but his vote will not count since he is not present.

Wendy B. reminded everyone that recording of this meeting is not permitted.

1. A. The minutes of the June 16, 2018 Board of Regents meeting were approved as submitted.

Motion seconded and passed
For – 8 Against – 0 Abstained – 0

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- B. The operating statement for June 2018 was approved as submitted.

Motion seconded and passed
For – 8 Against – 0 Abstained – 0

2. OLD BUSINESS

A. LIFELINERS

There were 4 new Lifeliners as follows:

1 from Nevada, 1 from New Jersey, 1 from Oklahoma and 1 from Texas.

NEW CANS

There were no new Cans.

GROUP INFORMATION REQUEST FORMS RECEIVED
PRIOR TO SENDING STARTER KITS: 5

Phoenix, AZ; Lowell, MI; Las Vegas, NV; Mathews, NC and Fargo, ND

PRISON STARTER KITS SENT: There was 1 Prison Starter Kit sent.

- B. UPDATE ON MONEY FROM CANCUN.
There was \$3,626.00 returned from the Barcelo Tucancun Hotel. Since \$4,400.00 was originally sent on deposit \$774.00 was subtracted for use of audio equipment at the Trustee meeting. Some Trustees that requested refunds since they did not make the Trustee Meeting will be receiving refunds. There will be a final report at the August Board of Regents meeting.
- C. UPDATE ON THE DFEH DISCRIMINATION/HARASSMENT FILING.
Our attorney has sent a 10 page letter to the Department of Fair Employment and Housing. This letter explains that Gamblers Anonymous International Service Office has never had 5 employees, plus other pertinent information relating to this issue, therefore this complaint is frivolous and should not go any further.

3. NEW BUSINESS

- A. REVIEW STATUS OF BANK ACCOUNTS AND OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION RELATED TO THE I.S.O.

All data on bank accounts were looked over. As of July 1, 2018 we have \$27,992.14 more than we did on July 1, 2017. The Hotline Debit card will be closed out before the August meeting. Also the June 30 Year End Inventory was reviewed.

- B. REVIEW STANDING RULES.

A motion was made to change item 3 of the Standing Rules. The motion was to remove (with approval of I.E.S.).

Motion seconded and passed

For – 8 Against – 0 Abstained – 0

A motion was made to change item 4 of the standing rules. The motion was made to change item 4 to:

On January 1st of each year employees with 90 days or more of continuous employment with The International Service Office will be entitled to forty (40) hours of paid sick leave per year. New employees sick leave will be accrued at a rate of one (1) hour of sick leave for every 30 hours worked. Any unused sick leave at the end of the calendar year (December 31st) will be paid.

After much discussion there was a motion to table item 4 until the proper wording is decided.

Motion seconded and passed

For – 8 Against – 0 Abstained – 0

C. REVIEW INSURANCE COVERAGE OF THE CORPORATION.

There was a motion to table until August meeting.

Motion seconded and passed

For – 8 Against – 0 Abstained – 0

D. B.O.R CHAIR EXPENSE REPORT FROM CANCUN B.O.T. MEETING.

The past Chairman Bob W. presented his expense report as follows:

DAY	DATE	ITEM	AMT	TOTAL
Fri	4/27/18	Lodging Hotel Barcelo Tucancun	\$125.00	\$ 125.00
Fri	4/27/18	Round Trip Hotel Ground Trans.	\$ 40.00	\$ 165.00
Sat	4/28/18	Lodging Hotel Barcelo Tucancun	\$125.00	\$ 290.00
Sun	4/29/18	Lodging Hotel Barcelo Tucancun	\$125.00	\$ 415.00
Mon	4/30/18	Lodging Hotel Barcelo Tucancun	\$125.00	\$ 540.00
November	2017	Cancun Registration	\$ 30.00	\$ 570.00
January	2018	Airfare(Round Trip) LAX to Cancun	\$397.20	\$ 967.20

The total cost of \$967.20 was \$232.80 less than the \$1,200.00 that was approved in April.

Motion seconded and passed

For – 7 Against – 0 Abstained – 1

Per the Standing Rules a Roll Call vote was taken as follows:

For-7	Against-0	Abstained-1
Bernie G.		Betty S.
Bob W.		
Calvin C.		
Herb B.		
Richard C.		
Tom M.		
Wendy B.		

The collection in the amount of \$ 20.00 was taken and the meeting closed with the Serenity Prayer at 10:20 A.M. The next meeting of the Board of Regents will be held on August 18, 2018 at 9:30 A.M.

Today’s Board of Regents meeting had 0 persons call in and listen.

Respectfully submitted by Bob W., Recording Secretary

STEP 8

Gamblers Anonymous should remain forever non-professional, but our service centers may employ special workers.

When the History on page 1 of the Combo Book was written, I wonder if when “they” said “groups are flourishing throughout the world”, “they” really had any idea the size our Fellowship would be today.

Gamblers Anonymous still believes that the members are the most qualified to conduct the affairs of the Fellowship. At one time the Gamblers Anonymous **National** Service Office was operated by one member, part time, out of a house. Today, Gamblers Anonymous **International** Service Office has three employees (one member and two “special workers”) all of whom work full time (if not more), and operates out of a suite of offices in an industrial park with over a 2,000 sf warehouse to house our literature.

The amount of Starter Kits for new meetings, purchased literature and requests for help throughout the world has really accelerated in the last few years. As our Red Book states, “The validity of professional assistance is not in question. Gamblers Anonymous members are urged to seek outside help, if required. However, if professional therapists were to operate within the Fellowship, their views might conflict with Gamblers Anonymous principles. By remaining non-professional, Gamblers Anonymous avoids the controversies that would inevitably arise”. With the onset of gambling throughout the country and the hundreds of offers that come into the International Service Office for help from counselors and gaming professionals it is comforting to know that we CAN & WILL remain “forever non-professional”.

HELP IS AVAILABLE!

On page 17, item #7: “We encourage everyone in Gamblers Anonymous to have a Pressure Relief Group Meeting ...”

Any member desiring individual assistance with his/her Pressure Relief, please contact John R. at committee.pressure@trusteewebsite.com. He will reply by email or phone if you provide your number.

This years' "Gratitude Week" is September 9 through September 15, 2018.

To All G.A. Members, Groups and Intergroups:

During the May 2011 Board of Trustees meeting in Cherry Hill a motion was made and passed as follows: Designate the week in which September 13th appears to be Gamblers Anonymous Gratitude week with all meetings in the world donating a percentage of their collection to G.A.I.S.O. (Amount to be determined by group conscience with 50% suggested.)

Over \$81,000.00 has been received over the last seven years from G.A Groups, Intergroups and Members worldwide that was designated just for "Gratitude Week".

Your International Service Office is once again asking for your help! Wouldn't it feel good to be able to give back to the Program that has given so much to all of us? And wouldn't it be great if we could surpass the amount we received last year so we can continue carrying the message to each and every person who is still suffering? Gamblers Anonymous meetings are now in 58 Countries and I know that number will continue to grow.

Therefore we are asking that your Group designates the week of Sunday, September 9th through Saturday, September 15, 2018 as this year's Gamblers Anonymous Gratitude week. As mentioned above (Amount to be determined by group conscience with 50% suggested). Please send your donations to G.A.I.S.O., P.O. 17173, Los Angeles, CA 90017 USA.

Thanking you in advance for your anticipated participation and if you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact us.

GROUP NEWS

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

My journey began on July 26, 1970, 48 years ago. Who knew what life would be like after 48 years of abstinence and recovery? The journey was slow but the 48 years moved ahead rather quickly. The lessons learned, some simple, some complicated resulted in one big truth, that I have no control of others, also defined as "people, places and things".

I can only keep my side of the street in constant repair. 2 ongoing beliefs have kept me in program; that I want a better way of life ad that I do not know if I have another recovery.

Attending meetings and not believing that I could control gambling made me a believer in regular attendance. Attending 2 to 3 meetings per week and being involved is my foundation for a good life.

I have worked and written and shared on the 12 Steps. Most recently I facilitated a 29 week Writing the Steps that was another learning experience.

ODAAT makes sense for me. I have been a Lifeliner for almost 48 years, it's a wonderful habit.

G.A. = life

Gambling = death.

With serenity, Bill B., Boynton Beach, Florida

Dear G.A.I.S.O.

As I said in my last correspondence, "we will send more donations if possible", so please accept the enclosed donation on behalf of the Yukon, Oklahoma Thursday night group.

Thank you again for all you have done for compulsive gamblers like me and my friends.

Sincerely, Laurence L., Yukon, Oklahoma

Note From I.S.O.: Laurence, thanks to you and the Yukon G.A. group for helping us carry the message to those who still suffer. We appreciate all that you do.

Hi Karen,

Today is another wonderful year for me in our fellowship. It has been 21 years and I could not have done it without all of the great people that I've met along the way.

I am so grateful for all I have been blessed with, as a result of my recovery journey.

To you and the I.S.O. Staff, thanks for all that you do!

Love and miss you, Debbie M., Chicago, Illinois

Hello Karen and I.S.O. Friends,

Enclosed please find my Lifeline donation along with our Wednesday Can (C159) for the month of August.

Local News....G.A. is alive and well in Westchester with meetings taking place every day. In June I celebrated 35 years clean which pales in comparison to a 95th birthday and then a 48th year celebration for Sol F., a "Giant and Fixture". Doves attended both celebrations and the true spirit of Gamblers Anonymous shone brightly.

With much affection, Harry F., White Plains, New York

Note From I.S.O.: Harry, as always, it is good hearing from you. Congratulations on your milestone of 35 years of abstinence and recovery in Gamblers Anonymous. May you have many more years, all One Day at a Time!

In Memory Of...

Dear G.A.,

Please accept this donation in memory of two longtime Scranton area G.A. members. Ed G., who had 27 years of abstinence, starting in New Jersey and Phil P. a G.A. veteran of 34 years.

Both Ed and Phil were active in the program and are missed.

Thank you, Bill M., Scranton, Pennsylvania

Dear Karen,

Please accept the enclosed check as a tribute and memorial donation for Mike C., who passed away on July 10, 2018. Mike had 27 years as a solid, strong, consistent G.A. member.

Mike was a steady, honest down to earth person with a wonderful smile. He will be sadly missed by so many people. He went far beyond the call of duty as far as giving himself to anyone in need.

God bless you Mike!

Jim S., Buffalo, New York

Dear Karen,

As Treasurer of Area 16A (Buffalo/Niagara Falls), I am submitting a donation on behalf of our members in memory of one of our longtime members, Mike C.

Mike was an active member and strong supporter of G.A. for over 27 years. His presence at meetings always provided members, new and old, a sense that there is a better way to live our lives.

Mike's death was unexpected as he suffered an apparent heart attack while attending his grandson's little league baseball game. Although tragic, his attendance at the game is a clear example of how a normal way of thinking and living can be attained through recovery. He was a very dedicated family man.

Mike was a living example of recovery, always staying true to the program and showing that "meetings make it"!!!

Mike C., the Eyeglasses Guy, will be dearly missed by all in Area 16A. He touched many lives.

Sincerely yours, Jack G., Derby, New York

Hi Karen,

Enclosed is a donation in memory of Judy M., long time G.A. member and founding Secretary of the Joppa, Maryland Gamblers Anonymous Group.

Judy passed away on May 10, 2018 in Baltimore after battling serious health issues. She was my sponsor since 2002 and I credit her sincere guidance and direction in helping me stay free from a bet that entire time.

Judy had achieved just over 32 and one-half years of successful recovery in the Gamblers Anonymous program. By that measure, Judy was the senior female G.A. member in the State of Maryland at the time of her passing. She often reminded us all, "There are no coincidences, only God-incidences".

Judy is truly missed by everyone who knew her!

Thank you Karen for all that you and the entire G.A.I.S.O. team do every day to support our program!

Sincerely, Dan M., Bellefonte, Pennsylvania

Note From I.S.O.: As I've said, way too many times, it once again saddens me to hear of the passing's of four dedicated Gamblers Anonymous members. Thank

you to Bill M., Jim S., Jack G. and Dan M. on their respective letters informing us of the “sad news” about our fellow brothers Ed G. and Phil P., from the Scranton, Pennsylvania area; Mike C., from the Buffalo/Niagara Falls, New York area; and fellow sister Judy M., from Joppa, Maryland. Our heartfelt condolences go out to each of their families and many friends.

Article XVIII, Election of Trustees, Section 5 of the Gamblers Anonymous Guidance Code has been updated effective February 2016 to read as follows:

“The International Executive Secretary shall list the results of the Board of Trustee elections in the Life-Line bulletin within 90 days of the deadline for areas to notify the I.S.O. of the Trustee Election results. The listing will include area number, location, Trustee(s) elected and vacancies.”

The following are the Trustees Election results for the term of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2020 that were received as of August 3, 2018.

**AREA 1 – CENTRAL CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES AREA, AND HAWAII –
3 TRUSTEES**

Ara H. Gagik G. Guy H.

AREA 1A – ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA – 2 TRUSTEES

Dean W. Jack R.

AREA 1B – INLAND EMPIRE, PALM SPRINGS AND SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA – 2 TRUSTEES

Anita R. Laura M.

AREA 2 – NORTHERN CALIFORNIA – 4 TRUSTEES

Roger L. Beth Z. Harold A. Mark S.

AREA 2A – ALASKA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA – 1 TRUSTEE

Glenn N.

AREA 2B – GREATER SACRAMENTO – 2 TRUSTEES

Joyce M. VACANT

AREA 2C – MONTANA, CASPER, AND NORTHERN WYOMING – 1 TRUSTEE

Debbie W.

AREA 2D – SASKATCHEWAN – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 2E – MANITOBA – 1 TRUSTEE

Cheryl R.

AREA 2F – IDAHO AND EASTERN WASHINGTON – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 2G – OREGON AND VANCOUVER, WASHINGTON – 2 TRUSTEES

Connie M. Kevin Mc.

AREA 2H – WESTERN WASHINGTON NORTH OF LONGVIEW TO THE CANADIAN BORDER AND WEST OF THE WEST OF THE CASCADE MOUNTAINS - 2 TRUSTEES

Lori C. Lyla A.

AREA 2J – NORTHERN ALBERTA – 1 TRUSTEE

Patricia D.

AREA 2K – SOUTHERN ALBERTA – 1 TRUSTEE

Allan G.

AREA 3 – SOUTHERN NEVADA; MESQUITE, NEVADA; ST. GEORGE, UTAH; CEDAR CITY, UTAH; BULLHEAD CITY, ARIZONA; AND PAHRUMP, BEATTY AND OVERTON, NEVADA – 4 TRUSTEES

Franklin H. Mark S. Rob P. Terri K.

AREA 3A – SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA – 3 TRUSTEES

Butch G. Carson J. Robert C.

AREA 3B – COLORADO, UTAH-NORTH OF CEDAR CITY AND SOUTHERN WYOMING - 2 TRUSTEES

Rick F. VACANT

AREA 3C – NORTHERN NEVADA INCLUDING INCLINE VILLAGE, SUSANVILLE, CALIFORNIA AND SOUTH LAKE TAHOE, CALIFORNIA - 1 TRUSTEE

VACANT

AREA 3D – ARIZONA AND NEW MEXICO – 2 TRUSTEES

Mark M. Dave A.

AREA 3E - SOUTH DAKOTA, AND WESTERN NORTH DAKOTA - NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 3F – ARIZONA-SPANISH SPEAKING - 1 TRUSTEE

Paulo H.

AREA 4 – ONTARIO, CANADA – 2 TRUSTEES

VACANT VACANT

AREA 5 – ENGLISH QUEBEC AND LABRADOR – 1 TRUSTEE

Tom R.

**AREA 5A – NEWFOUNDLAND, NEW BRUNSWICK, NOVA SCOTIA
AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION**

AREA 5B – ALL FRENCH MEETINGS IN QUEBEC – 2 TRUSTEES

Adrien R. Anne D.

**AREA 5C – OTTAWA AND EASTERN ONTARIO – NO TRUSTEE
ALLOCATION**

AREA 6 – SOUTHERN FLORIDA – 3 TRUSTEES

Jo Anne B. Richie S. Steve C.

**AREA 6A – PENSACOLA, PANAMA CITY, CENTRAL AND NORTHERN
FLORIDA – 2 TRUSTEES**

Mike R. David T.

**AREA 6B – WEST COAST OF FLORIDA, PANAMA, JAMAICA,
PUERTO RICO AND TRINIDAD – 3 TRUSTEES**

Ronald B. Steve P. VACANT

**AREA 6C – SOUTH CAROLINA AND NORTH CAROLINA – NO
TRUSTEE ALLOCATION**

**AREA 6D – GEORGIA AND NORTHERN ALABAMA, NORTH OF
MONTGOMERY – 1 TRUSTEE**

Richard G.

**AREA 7 – LOUISIANA, MISSISSIPPI, AND LOWER COAST OF
ALABAMA – 2 TRUSTEES**

Iris D. Patricia M.

**AREA 7A – AUSTIN, HOUSTON, GULF COAST AND SOUTH TEXAS - 2
TRUSTEES**

Deborah S. VACANT

**AREA 7B – ARKANSAS AND THE REST OF TEXAS - NO TRUSTEE
ALLOCATION**

AREA 7C - OKLAHOMA – 1 TRUSTEE

Jim G.

AREA 8 – ILLINOIS AND NORTHERN INDIANA – 4 TRUSTEES

Allen H. Bob C. Fred L. Pamela E.

AREA 8A – EASTERN IOWA, SOUTHERN MINNESOTA AND BAY CITY, RIVER FALLS AND NEW RICHMOND, WISCONSIN – 2 TRUSTEES

Ernie N. VACANT

AREA 8B – NEBRASKA, WESTERN IOWA, KANSAS, AND KANSAS CITY AND WESTERN MISSOURI – 2 TRUSTEES

Brian J. Linda J.

AREA 8C – EASTERN NORTH DAKOTA, NORTHERN MINNESOTA, ASHLAND, SUPERIOR, HAYWARD, AND WASHBURN, WISCONSIN - 1 TRUSTEE

Deni L.

AREA 8D – EASTERN MISSOURI AND SOUTHERN ILLINOIS INCLUDING SPRINGFIELD AND QUINCY – 2 TRUSTEES

Jo K. VACANT

AREA 8E – WISCONSIN – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 9 – MICHIGAN AND NORTHWEST OHIO – 2 TRUSTEES

Cesare G. Janet S.

AREA 9A – SOUTHWEST ONTARIO, CANADA – 1 TRUSTEE

Patricia D.

AREA 10 – CENTRAL AND NORTHERN OHIO (EXCLUDING TOLEDO) AND ERIE, NEW CASTLE AND WARREN PENNSYLVANIA – 2 TRUSTEES

Beth S. Greg H.

AREA 10A – WEST VIRGINIA (EXCLUDING JEFFERSON COUNTY), WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA AND STUBENVILLE, OHIO – 3 TRUSTEES

Norm B. Tom L. VACANT

AREA 10B – CINCINNATI AND DAYTON OHIO; INDIANAPOLIS, ANDERSON AND SOUTHERN INDIANA, KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE – 2 TRUSTEES

Gary B. Steve B.

**AREA 11 – MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, MAINE, VERMONT,
AND NEW HAMPSHIRE – 3 TRUSTEES**

Jeff H. John L. Stacey A.

**AREA 12 – NEW JERSEY AND NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA – 6
TRUSTEES**

David M. Frank M. John F. Ted S.
Walter G. VACANT

**AREA 13 – EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA AND DELAWARE – 3
TRUSTEES**

John B. Marla J. Scott S.

**AREA 13A –MARYLAND, WASHINGTON, FAIRFAX COUNTY,
VIRGINIA AND JEFFERSON COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA – 2
TRUSTEES**

Nan V. Tom M.

**AREA 13B – SOUTH NEW JERSEY COUNTIES – BURLINGTON,
CAMDEN, ATLANTIC, SALEM, GLOUCESTER, CUMBERLAND AND
CAPE MAY– 2 TRUSTEES**

Andy G. Craig F.

**AREA 13 C – VIRGINIA (EXCLUDING FAIRFAX COUNTY) – NO
TRUSTEE ALLOCATION**

AREA 14 – LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK – 4 TRUSTEES

Ira C. Maury C. Stuart B. Tom K.

**AREA 15 – NEW YORK CITY AND SURROUNDING AREAS - 6
TRUSTEES**

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VACANT VACANT

**AREA 16 – EASTERN UPSTATE NEW YORK INCLUDING THE
ALBANY AREA WEST TO BATAVIA, FROM BINGHAMTON NORTH
TO THE CANADIAN BORDER – 2 TRUSTEES**

Frank K. VACANT

**AREA 16A – WESTERN NEW YORK FROM BATAVIA WEST TO
NIAGARA FALLS FROM LAKE ONTARIO SOUTH TO THE
PENNSYLVANIA BORDER INCLUDING JAMESTOWN – 1 TRUSTEE**

Daniel L.

AREA 17 – CONNECTICUT AND WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS - 2 TRUSTEES

John R. Ron W.

AREA 18 – NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY AND NEW ZEALAND – 4 TRUSTEES

Alison M. Daphne C. Jeremy M. Russell K.

AREA 18A – VICTORIA, SOUTH AUSTRALIA AND TASMANIA - 2 TRUSTEES

Mark C. Yvonne R.

AREA 18B – QUEENSLAND, NORTHERN TERRITORY AND WESTERN AUSTRALIA – 2 TRUSTEES

VACANT VACANT

AREA 19 – ARGENTINA – 2 TRUSTEES

Dario B. Elena D.

AREA 20 – URUGUAY – 1 TRUSTEE

Carlos C.

AREA 21 – SPAIN – 2 TRUSTEES

Angel B. Juan M.

AREA 22 – SOUTH AFRICA – 1 TRUSTEE

Dudley B.

AREA 23 – RIO, BRAZIL – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 23A – SAO PAULO, BRAZIL – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 24 – SWEDEN – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 25 – ITALY – 2 TRUSTEES

Francesco E. VACANT

AREA 26 – SOUTH KOREA – 2 TRUSTEES

Jaekyu C. Tony L.

AREA 27 – HUNGARY – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 28 – MEXICO - 1 TRUSTEE

Martha G.

AREA 29 – MOSCOW, RUSSIA AND SURROUNDING AREAS – 1 TRUSTEE
VACANT

AREA 30 – LATVIA – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 31 – LITHUANIA – 1 TRUSTEE
VACANT

AREA 32 – JAPAN – NO TRUSTEE ALLOCATION

AREA 33 – COLOMBIA – 2 TRUSTEES
JUAN C. MOISES H.

AREA 34 – VENEZUELA – 2 TRUSTEES
VACANT VACANT

AREA 35 – PARAGUAY – 1 TRUSTEE
VACANT

AREA 36 – SOUTHEAST OF THE REPUBLIC OF IRELAND (WATERFORD, WEXFORD, CARLOW, KELKENNY AND TIPPERARY SOUTH) – 1 TRUSTEE
VACANT

ANNOUNCEMENT OF UPCOMING EVENTS

New York and Long Island Intergroups & Gam-Anon Unity 2nd Annual Unity Picnic

Also New York Intergroups's Walk-A-Thon

Sunday, September 16, 2018

Cantiague Park

480 West John Street

Hicksville, NY 11801

For information email isomain@gamblersanonymous.org

Gamblers Anonymous Area 10 Mini-Conference

“Changing Your Life”

September 28 – 30, 2018

Crowne Plaza Hotel

5300 Rockside Road

Independence, Ohio

For information email GA.Area10@yahoo.com

Southern Alberta Intergroup Mini-Conference

October 12 & 13, 2018

Winston Heights Mountview Community Hall

527 27th Avenue N.E.

Calgary Alberta

For information email conference@albertaga.net

Long Island Intergroup Walk-A-Thon

October 14, 2018

11:00 AM

On Monroe Blvd on the Long Beach Board Walk

Rain or Shine

For information email isomain@gamblersanonymous.org

16th Annual Memorial Meeting

Hosted by Monday Woodbury

October 15, 2018

7:45 – 10:00 PM

United Methodist Church

577 Woodbury Road

Woodbury, New York

For information email isomain@gamblersanonymous.org

2018 Minnesota Mini-Conference

October 19 – 21, 2018

EnVision Hotel

701 Concord Street South

South St. Paul, Minnesota

For Information visit their website at minnesotaga.com

2018 Annual Toronto Gamblers Anonymous Marathon

Saturday, November 3, 2018

Montecassino Hotel

3710 Chesswood Drive

Toronto, Ontario

For information email marathon2018@gamblersanonymoustoronto.org

Arizona GA/Gam-Anon Mini Conference

Honesty Openmindedness Willingness to take off the mask

Saturday, November 3, 2018

First Southern Baptist Church of Scottsdale

5230 N. Scottsdale Road

Scottsdale, Arizona

For information email isomain@gamblersanonymous.org

Long Island Intergroup's 20th Annual Gamblers Anonymous Breakfast

Sunday February 3, 2019

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Holiday Inn Plainview

215 Sunnyside Blvd

Plainview, New York

For information email isomain@gamblersanonymous.org

Long Island Gamblers Anonymous & Gam-Anon Mini Conference

April 7, 2019

8:15 AM - 4:30 PM

Holiday Inn Plainview

215 Sunnyside Blvd

Plainview, New York

For information email isomain@gamblersanonymous.org

2019 Spring International Conference

May 31, - June 2, 2019

The Galt House

Louisville, Kentucky

Please see flyer this bulletin

2019 Fall International Conference

October 18-20, 2019

Holiday Inn & Suites Pointe-Claire

6700 TransCanada Highway

Point-Claire, Quebec

For information email isomain@gamblersanonymous.org

ANNIVERSARIES

48 YEARS	BILL B.	7/26	Boynton Beach, FL
46 YEARS	STAN K.	8/29	Naples, FL
39 YEARS	FRANK J.	8/5	South Hills, PA
	BARRY L.	8/6	Woodbury, NY
	CARMEN	8/15	Reno/Sparks, NV
37 YEARS	TEDDY K.	8/31	Freehold, NJ
36 YEARS	MITCH W.	8/14	Wantagh, NY
35 YEARS	BART S.	8/28	Baldwin, NY
33 YEARS	BOB O.	8/2	St. Patrick's, NY
	ARNIE L.	8/12	Rochester, NY
	BOB G.	8/23	St. Patrick's, NY
32 YEARS	JOE L.	8/14	Roseland, NJ
	IRVING B.	8/14	E. 31 st St., NY
31 YEARS	DAVE B.	8/28	Douglaston, NY
	RAY G.	8/30	Forest Hills, NY
30 YEARS	BOB G.	8/12	Ocean Pkwy., NY
	BUD A.	8/13	Reseda, CA
	ROLLO V.	8/31	Las Vegas, NV

29 YEARS	CHARLIE T.	8/3	Verona, PA
	CARMINE M.	8/7	Pomona, NY
28 YEARS	HARLAN S.	8/7	Wantagh, NY
	JOE H.	8/22	Rochester, NY
27 YEARS	RICHIE H.	8/4	Staten Island, NY
26 YEARS	ED E.	8/13	Inland Empire, CA
25 YEARS	TERI R.	7/19	Charlotte, NC
	BRUCE W.	8/2	Reseda, CA
	LAURA G.	8/19	Las Vegas, NV
	STU W.	8/22	Sayrewoods, NJ
	GRANT M.	8/25	Downey, CA
24 YEARS	HARVEY R.	8/4	San Diego, CA
23 YEARS	KATHY H.	6/10	Downers Grove, IL
22 YEARS	JIMMY D.	8/7	Mission Viejo, CA
	KEVIN M.	8/16	Zephyrhills, FL
21 YEARS	MACK T.	6/15	Sacramento, CA
	JOE C.	8/1	Rockville Centre, NY
	JEFF M.	8/10	Naples, FL
	JOEY F.	8/20	Mt. Vernon/New Rochelle, NY
	SONGJUK H.	8/28	Suwon, Korea
20 YEARS	BRIAN B.	6/14	Downers Grove, IL
	KATHY B.	8/6	Roseburg, OR
	DAVE T.	8/21	E. 31 st St., NY
19 YEARS	GARNETT P.	8/6	Greensboro, NC
	GIZELLE T.	8/7	Chilliwack, BC
	BARBARA T.	8/25	San Diego, CA
18 YEARS	SUE H.	8/3	Sarasota, FL
	LYNDA H.	8/3	Nanaimo, BC
	MIKE K.	8/7	Chilliwack, BC
	PHILLIP C.	8/20	Bronx Our Savior, NY
17 YEARS	VICKI F.	7/10	Lee's Summit, MO
	DAVE A.	8/12	Ventura, CA
	RICKY C.	8/31	East Meadow, NY
16 YEARS	DENNIS G.	7/1	Joliet, IL
	RITCHIE R.	7/27	Santa Monica, CA
	ALLAN L.	8/6	Sheepshead Bay, NY
	MAXINE S.	8/9	Manahawkin, NJ
	NICK M.	8/28	Ft. Myers, FL
15 YEARS	TOMMY B.	8/5	Las Vegas, NV
	GLEN B.	8/10	San Diego, CA
	BRENDA JOY R.	8/18	Las Vegas, NV
	ANNA A.	8/24	Blackwood, NJ
14 YEARS	BARRY M.	7/25	Lee's Summit, MO
	LYNNETTE P.	8/7	Las Vegas, NV
	BILL C.	8/7	Mahopac, NY
	FRED T.	8/13	Reseda, CA
	PETE B.	8/25	Toms River, NJ
13 YEARS	JAKE B.	8/15	Manasquan, NJ
	GEORGE W.	8/21	St. Andrew/St. Vincent, NY
	PAUL C.	8/22	Patchogue, NY
12 YEARS	PHIL N.	8/4	Church on the Hill, NY
	JENNY N.	8/11	San Diego, CA
	SCOTT O.	8/14	West Bridgewater, MA
	ELMER F.	8/15	Windsor, ON
	MIKE B.	8/27	Summit, NJ

12 YEARS (cont)	JEREMY S.	8/28	E. 31 st St., NY
11 YEARS	MARLA K.	7/19	Lee's Summit, MO
	BRIAN F.	8/5	San Diego, CA
	MICHAEL R.	8/12	Santa Monica Beach, CA
	MATT	8/12	Reno/Sparks, NV
	DAVID M.	8/13	Summit, NJ
	JOANNE A.	8/21	Las Vegas, NV
	ED Z.	8/23	Bloomfield, NJ
	BRENT P.	8/31	Yonkers, NY
10 YEARS	RACHEL G.	7/24	Shawnee, KS
	TREY D.	8/3	Henderson, NV
	SAM S.	8/5	Santa Monica Beach, CA
	MIKE P.	8/7	Harrisburg, PA
	SUSIE W.	8/11	St. Clare's, NY
	CHUNCHUN Y.	8/13	Suwon, Korea
	MIKE F.	8/19	San Diego, CA
	DALE B.	8/25	Rancho Cucamonga, CA
	THEODORE B.	8/26	San Diego, CA
	MARK M.	8/28	Rochester, NY
	MORDY H.	8/28	Cropsey, NY
9 YEARS	DUANE M.	7/9	Overland Park, KS
	STEVEN M.	8/1	Tampa, FL
	TERRIE F.	8/5	San Diego, CA
	RALPH C.	8/13	Ft. Myers, FL
	KAREN T.	8/18	San Diego, CA
	JOE B.	8/18	Edison, NJ
	LINDA C.	8/19	Settlement House, NY
	GEORGE M.	8/21	Kissena, NY
	MARTIN G.	8/28	E. 31 st St., NY
	ALAN O.	8/31	Gardena, CA
8 YEARS	CARL M.	6/25	Rochester, NY
	ERNESTO M.	8/2	San Diego, CA
	PETE K.	8/5	Union, NJ
	DAVE C.	8/10	Mission Viejo, CA
	DAVID	8/10	Azusa, CA
	ROB P.	8/13	Sheepshead Bay, NY
	FRANK D.	8/14	San Diego, CA
	LEE W.	8/20	Burbank, CA
	ERIC G.	8/28	Westlake Village, CA
	CHRIS N.	8/31	Voorhees, NJ
7 YEARS	CHUCK A.	7/4	Lee's Summit, MO
	ROY S.	7/30	South Pasadena, FL
	CHRIS S.	8/1	Mount Holly, NJ
	JUN D.	8/2	San Diego, CA
	ANTONIO	8/5	Reno/Sparks, NV
	CHRIS G.	8/5	Settlement House, NY
	JOE S.	8/7	Staten Island Huguenot Rcvry, NY
	COLETTE H.	8/10	San Diego, CA
	DEB G.	8/10	Ft. Myers, FL
	JOE D.	8/15	Willow Grove, PA
	GAGIK G.	8/20	Burbank, CA
	TERESA W.	8/22	Loma Linda, CA
	ELLEN T.	8/29	New Port Richey, FL
	HAYDEN E.	8/29	YMCA Townhouse, NY

7 YEARS (cont)	MICHAEL W.	8/31	Gardena, CA
	CRAIG B.	8/31	Oakland, PA
6 YEARS	DOT R.	6/8	Arundel, QLD
	ANN K.	6/21	Downers Grove, IL
	MARCELLA H.	6/26	Woodbury, NY
	JUDY M.	6/30	Clearwater, FL
	JANET C. (2)	8/1	San Diego, CA
	GABY S.	8/5	Ocean Pkwy., NY
	DAN S.	8/6	Smithtown, NY
	JEFF S. (2)	8/7	E. 31 st St., NY
	GAIL K.	8/8	Forest Hills, NY
	MELANIE R.	8/8	E. 79 th Street, NY
	JUDY S.	8/10	Shawnee, OK
	NATHAN D.	8/12	Five Towns, NY
	EDWARD P.	8/13	San Diego, CA
	DEBBIE L.	8/13	Bronx Our Savior, NY
	PAUL W.	8/13	Mt. Vernon/New Rochelle, NY
	BRUCE C.	8/25	Tampa-USF, FL
5 YEARS	KAREN R.	6/9	Lisle, IL
	PEGGY P.	7/13	Tucson, AZ
	EDDIE M.	8/1	Sayrewoods, NJ
	BRUCE K.	8/2	Paramount/Lakewood, CA
	CHRIS M.	8/2	Paramount/Lakewood, CA
	ARTHUR B.	8/4	Edison, NJ
	VINNY C.	8/5	Immanuel Lutheran Church, NY
	RICHARD G.	8/7	San Diego, CA
	CRAIG P.	8/17	East Meadow, NY
	PAM R.	8/19	Las Vegas, NV
	CINDY R.	8/19	Beaver, PA
	HARRY W.	8/20	San Diego, CA
	LEO H.	8/20	Pomona, NY
	KELLI B.	8/21	Las Vegas, NV
	ANGELA M.	8/21	Harrisburg, PA
	MATT F.	8/27	Woodbury, NY
4 YEARS	ANNE B.	6/4	Redcliffe, QLD
	JUDY C.	7/29	Santa Monica Beach, CA
	STEPHANIE S.	7/29	Kansas City, MO
	OSCAR V.	8/3	San Diego, CA
	KATHY N.	8/7	Roseburg, OR
	HOWARD I.	8/10	Azusa, CA
	JERRY Y.	8/13	Roxbury Cheviot Hills, CA
	DANGDONT N.	8/13	Suwon, Korea
	MICHAEL W.	8/27	Sheepshead Bay, NY
	WAYNE L.	8/27	Oceanside, NY
	YURI S.	8/28	Squirrel Hill, PA
	JEROME B.	8/30	Windsor, ON
3 YEARS	JANE T.	6/17	Sacramento, CA
	RICHARD R.	7/15	Lee's Summit, MO
	MIKE K.	7/22	Lee's Summit, MO
	JACK C.	8/1	E. 79 th Street, NY
	JOHN K.	8/4	San Diego, CA
	PAUL S.	8/6	Vails Gate, NY
	RALPH S.	8/8	Rockville Centre, NY
	JEAN W.	8/9	Wheeling, WV

3 YEARS (cont)	CAROLE V.	8/10	Greensburg, PA
	BOBBY E.	8/12	San Diego, CA
	MIKE S.	8/13	Roxbury Cheviot Hills, CA
	MURPHY A.	8/16	Charlotte, NC
	DANNY D.	8/18	San Diego, CA
	MIKE L.	8/18	Staten Island, NY
	FRANK Mc	8/19	San Diego, CA
	JIM E. (2)	8/19	San Diego, CA
	WADE D.	8/21	Roseland, NJ
	ENDRY T.	8/22	Rockville Centre, NY
	BRIAN H.	8/22	Charlotte, NC
	LINDA K.	8/25	Downey, CA
	BILL P.	8/26	South Hills, PA
	FAITH B.	8/27	Reno/Sparks, NV
	BARBARA J.	8/27	Squirrel Hill, PA
	RUDY L.	8/28	Staten Island Huguenot Rcvry., NY
	AARON Z.	8/31	San Diego, CA
2 YEARS	SAL B.	6/20	Massapequa Park, NY
	ALEX I.	8/1	Brandon, FL
	ANTHONY G.	8/1	Plantation, FL
	LANCE M.	8/2	Las Vegas, NV
	JOE G.	8/4	Marlton, NJ
	ADAM F.	8/6	Kew Gardens, NY
	KAT J.	8/12	Lakeland, FL
	JENNIFER A.	8/13	San Diego, CA
	CATHRYN T.	8/13	White Rock, BC
	RITA H.	8/14	Las Vegas, NV
	JOHN H.	8/17	San Diego, CA
	JOHN M.	8/20	Lindenhurst, NY
	KEN K.	8/21	San Diego, CA
	RICHARD M.	8/22	YMCA Townhouse, NY
	BERT S.	8/24	East Meadow, NY
	KATHIE A.	8/24	Steubenville, OH
	MARSHA H.	8/24	Greensburg, PA
	SHERRI P.	8/25	Downey, CA
	MARY H.	8/25	Basking Ridge, NJ
	KEVIN R.	8/25	East Northport AM, NY
	ROBERT K.	8/25	St. Clare's, NY
	ANA N.	8/26	Plantation, FL
	JOHN T.	8/27	Bronx Our Savior, NY
	JOHN S.	8/27	Mt. Vernon/New Rochelle, NY
	JOHN N.	8/27	Pomona, NY
	KIM T.	8/27	Poughkeepsie, NY
	KIM T.	8/28	Bridgewater, NJ
	TRISH G.	8/28	St. Andrew/St. Vincent, NY
1 YEAR	JOE A.	6/9	Rochester, NY
	SENGAR.	7/17	Downers Grove, IL
	MIKE O.	7/19	Kansas City, MO
	ASHLEY G.	8/1	San Diego, CA
	LAURA S.	8/1	Las Vegas, NV
	DENNIS J.	8/1	Bensonhurst Rcvry Rm., NY
	CAROLE H.	8/2	Las Vegas, NV
	JOHN R.	8/2	Rutgers, NJ
	ERIC	8/2	Edmonton, AB

1 YEAR (cont)	JUSTIN S.	8/3	Forest Hills, NY
	BRAD N.	8/3	Harrisburg, PA
	RAY V.	8/7	Las Vegas, NV
	JERRY R.	8/7	Las Vegas, NV
	MARK B.	8/7	Greensburg, PA
	JOOHO K.	8/9	Irvine, CA
	MICHELLE V.	8/9	San Diego, CA
	YANGLIM G.	8/9	Nongseong, Korea
	JOAQUIN C.	8/11	Church on the Hill, NY
	GUY C.	8/11	Surrey, BC
	STEVEN S.	8/12	Windsor, ON
	LORRAINE L.	8/13	Vails Gate, NY
	MARIAN S.	8/13	Nutley, NJ
	MIKE R.	8/13	Smithtown, NY
	NONHYUN B.	8/13	Incheon, Korea
	ANDREW P.	8/14	Douglaston, NY
	STEVE H.	8/14	Greensburg, PA
	JIMMY M.	8/17	48 th St., NY
	KERRY R.	8/18	Las Vegas, NV
	BOKDAI Y.	8/21	Cheongju, Korea
	OSONG K.	8/21	Cheongju, Korea
	SUGOK Y.	8/21	Cheongju, Korea
	CHRISTIAN M.	8/22	E. 79 th Street, NY
	JAY C.	8/23	New Hyde Park, NY
	CHLOE S.	8/24	48 th St., NY
	ERIC J.	8/27	South Hills, PA
	ADRIANNA H.	8/28	Colts Neck, NJ
	TODD B.	8/28	Mahopac, NY
	ANTHONY M.	8/29	Sayrewoods, NJ

INDIVIDUAL LIFELINER DONATIONS JULY 2018

ARIZONA (7)	80.00	MINNESOTA (1)	30.00
AUSTRALIA (1)	10.00	MISSISSIPPI (2)	50.00
CANADA (1)	100.00	MISSOURI (1)	2.00
CALIFORNIA (64)	2,993.00	NEVADA (17)	457.00
COLORADO (1)	25.00	NEW HAMPSHIRE (1)	40.00
CONNECTICUT (3)	125.00	NEW JERSEY (25)	599.00
FLORIDA (24)	599.00	NEW MEXICO (2)	20.00
GEORGIA (2)	50.00	NEW YORK (16)	590.00
HAWAII (1)	50.00	OHIO (1)	10.00
IDAHO (1)	50.00	OKLAHOMA (3)	65.00
ILLINOIS (3)	70.00	OREGON (3)	40.00
INDIANA (2)	30.00	PENNSYLVANIA (6)	125.00
KANSAS (2)	120.00	SOUTH CAROLINA (1)	20.00
KENTUCKY (2)	60.00	TEXAS (2)	65.00
LOUISIANA (3)	30.00	VIRGINIA (1)	20.00
MARYLAND (1)	15.00	WASHINGTON (1)	10.00
MASSACHUSETTS (1)	18.00		
MICHIGAN (2)	25.00	TOTAL (204)	\$6,593.00

INTERGROUP LIFELINER DONATIONS JULY 2018

Detroit/Toledo Intergroup	50.00
TOTAL (1)	\$50.00

I.S.O. CAN CONTRIBUTIONS JULY 2018

ARIZONA

C872	Tucson Thursday PM	25.00	C874	Tucson Saturday AM	26.00
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CALIFORNIA

C4	Anaheim Wednesday 7:30 PM	33.00	C187	Sacramento/Fair Oaks Saturday PM	42.50
C6	Gardena Friday	54.00	C188	Sacramento Tuesday PM	54.00
C8	Downey Saturday	66.13	C192	Downey Thursday	76.00
C9	Hollywood Saturday	12.00	C194	Orangevale Friday PM	26.00
C11	Paramount/Lakewood	49.00	C413	Rancho Cucamonga Monday	10.00
C12	Reseda Monday	75.00	C463	Costa Mesa Monday 7PM	10.00
C15	Reseda Thursday	20.00	C464	Stockton Thursday	10.00
C16	Anaheim Monday PM	21.00	C578	Westside/Santa Monica Wednesday	20.00
C18	Santa Monica Friday	171.00	C588	Burbank Friday	24.00
C21	Cheviot Hills Monday	20.00	C638	Colton Friday	13.00
C23	Ventura Sunday	22.00	C755	Anaheim Friday AM 9:30 Step Study	5.00
C24	Oxnard Saturday AM	47.00	C765	Fair Oaks Thursday AM	76.00
C28	Anaheim Sunday 6 PM	31.00	C841	Azusa Friday	32.00
C29	Anaheim Tuesday Noon	5.00	C858	North Hollywood Tuesday	27.00
C31	Rancho Cucamonga Sunday	9.00	C863	Rancho Cucamonga Thursday	10.00
C40	Norwalk Monday	80.00	C949	Mission Viejo Friday PM	72.00
C41	L.A. Intergroup	6.00	C952	Loma Linda Wednesday	15.00
C46	Anaheim Women Preferred Saturday 10 AM	30.00	C1002	Burbank Monday	52.00
C77	San Diego Intergroup	503.00	C1105	Sacramento Stop & Grow Saturday AM	56.00
C82	Anaheim Thursday 7:30 PM	21.00	C1012	Irvine Thursday 7:20 PM	37.00
C111	Reseda Saturday	11.00	C1013	Culver City Sunday	60.00
C114	Rancho Cucamonga Sunday Spanish	10.00	C1158	Westlake Tuesday	36.00
C183	Sacramento Monday PM- Young Adults	18.00	C1226	Santa Monica Beach	62.00
C185	Sacramento Thursday	41.00			

CALIFORNIA (cont)

C1282 San Juan Capistrano Monday 7 PM	10.00	C1411 Rancho Cucamonga Monday Noon	12.00
C1283 Baldwin Park Thursday Spanish	10.00	C1417 Rancho Cucamonga Friday	10.00
C1285 Rancho Cucamonga Saturday PM	10.00	C1442 Burbank Tuesday AM	2.00
C1302 Roseville Friday	32.00	C1481 North Hollywood Thursday	30.00
C1309 Loma Linda Tuesday	20.00	C1538 Anaheim Tuesday 6 PM	15.00
C1352 Saturday Dana Point AM	17.00	C1576 Redding Thursday	12.00
C1397 Rancho Cucamonga Tuesday	26.00	C1637 Anaheim Friday 11:15 AM	26.00
C1403 Rancho Cucamonga Wednesday	19.00	C1687 Redding Monday	9.47
		C1694 Auburn Wednesday	17.50
		C1700 La Verne Wednesday	15.00
		C1724 Inland Empire Intergroup	18.00

CONNECTICUT

C51 Coventry Wednesday	14.00
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FLORIDA

C251 Clearwater/Windmoor Thursday	41.75	C976 Clearwater Windmoor Wednesday	25.00
C260 Plantation Tuesday	40.00	C1627 Delray Beach Thursday- 12:15 PM	76.00
C278 Delray Beach Sunday	56.00		

ILLINOIS

C61 Joliet Monday	11.00	C425 Elk Grove Village – St. Nicholas	25.00
C65 Willa Rawls Manor	15.00	C430 Hoffman Estates Alexian Brothers Wednesday	50.00
C66 Bloomingdale	6.00	C528 Bolingbrook	75.00
C70 Deerfield Wednesday PM	40.00	C532 Romeoville	15.00
C71 Forest Park Friday	20.00	C739 Hinsdale Friday	70.00
C72 Edison Park Tuesday	50.00	C1104 Downers Grove Saturday	80.00
C74 Cherry Valley Saturday AM	15.00	C1109 Downers Grove Wednesday	58.00
C76 Lisle	12.00	C1207 Lisle Women's Monday	29.00
C146 Elgin Sunday	14.00	C1376 Buffalo Grove Friday	18.00
C147 Chicago-St. Johns Thursday Night	20.00	C1377 Algonquin/Lake In The Hills	9.00
C418 Schaumburg/Bartlett	55.00	C1460 Morris Hospital Monday	10.00
C422 Park Ridge Saturday AM	23.00	C1511 Downers Grove Thursday	20.00
C423 Naperville	25.00		
C424 Schaumburg-St. Marceline	50.00		

MASSACHUSETTS

C792 Hanson Thursday PM	28.00	C796 Duxbury Monday	27.00
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MICHIGAN

C484 Livonia Monday PM 21.00

NEVADA

C42 G.A. of Southern Nevada 1,946.00

NEW JERSEY

C670 Ocean Thursday 23.40 C671 Roseland Friday AM 11.00

NEW YORK

C142 Queensboro 30.00 C680 48th Street 100.00
C346 St. Clare Saturday 246.00 C1162 White Plains Thursday 50.00
C614 White Plains Saturday AM Men's 20.00

OREGON

C552 Portland Thursday-St. John 49.21 C1056 Gladstone Saturday 19.00

PENNSYLVANIA

C203 Penn Hills Saturday 6.00 C210 Verona Sunday 4.00
C208 South Hills Tuesday 20.00

TEXAS

C1438 Ft. Worth Saturday AM 55.00

WASHINGTON

C386 Kennewick 37.00

**GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS
JULY 2018**

ARIZONA

Gilbert Wednesday 100.00
Prescott Tuesday – VA Hospital 40.00

CALIFORNIA

Lincoln Wednesday 19.00
Menlo Park Sunday 20.00
Pinole Monday 23.00
Rancho Mirage Tuesday PM 40.00
Rancho Mirage Wednesday 25.00
Sacramento Tuesday AM 102.35
Stockton Tuesday 10.00

COLORADO

Littleton Sunday 50.00

FLORIDA

Boca Raton Monday-Women Helping Women 15.00
Boynton Beach Tuesday 30.00
Coral Springs Sunday 20.00
Delray Beach Thursday-Crossroads 110.00
Delray Beach Sunday-Crossroads 75.00
East Ft. Lauderdale-Oakland 100.00
Indialantic Thursday 50.00
Plantation Thursday 133.00

ILLINOIS

Lansing Tuesday 37.00

INDIANA		St. Albans Thursday-	
Indianapolis Thursday PM	10.00	Stepping into Unity	52.00
LOUISIANA		Staten Island Tuesday-	
Lafayette Thursday	15.00	Huguenot	10.00
Opelousas Monday-Out		Staten Island Wednesday-	
of Action	30.00	St. Vincent	50.00
MASSACHUSETTS		Staten Island Sunday Step	15.00
West Bridgewater	32.00	Syracuse Saturday AM-	
MAINE		Sunshine	10.00
York Saturday AM	25.00	Vailsgate/Orange County	
MINNESOTA		Monday	25.00
Duluth Monday Noon	20.00	West 46 th Street Monday	
Maplewood	8.00	Morning	40.00
Minneapolis Wednesday-		West 46 th Street	
Living Table	3.75	Thursday AM	20.00
MISSOURI		Yonkers Thursday PM	100.00
St. Anthony's Friday-		NORTH CAROLINA	
St. Louis	50.00	Chapel Hill Monday	25.00
NEW JERSEY		OHIO	
Bridgewater Tuesday	10.00	Dublin Monday	120.00
Carlstadt Wednesday	25.00	Hamilton Thursday	20.00
Edison Saturday AM	80.00	OKLAHOMA	
Freehold Friday	25.00	Tulsa Wednesday/Friday @	
Linwood Thursday	50.00	Boston	20.00
Metuchen Tuesday	50.00	Yukon Thursday	60.00
Parlin/Old Bridge	25.00	OREGON	
Rutgers	50.00	Eugene Springfield	50.00
Toms River Saturday	25.00	Woodburn Monday	50.00
Toms River Sunday	25.00	PENNSYLVANIA	
Voorhees Tuesday Nooners	25.00	Bethlehem Thursday	24.00
NEW MEXICO		Broomall Friday	20.00
Albuquerque Sunday 1PM	50.00	Collegeville/Trappe Thursday	50.00
Espanola Thursday	17.00	Harrisburg Monday	40.00
Little Cloud Saturday AM	13.00	Havertown Monday	50.00
Santa Fe Tuesday	30.00	NE Philadelphia Sunday-	
NEVADA		Nazareth	49.00
Grupo Nuevo Amanecer	25.00	Philadelphia Tuesday-	
NEW YORK		Roxborough	25.00
Bronx -Our Savior	120.00	Philadelphia Saturday-	
Brooklyn- St. Francis Xavier	69.00	Hunting Park	25.00
East 35 th Street Monday	20.00	Willow Grove Wednesday	20.00
East Northport Saturday PM	25.00	UTAH	
Eastside	100.00	Salt Lake City Monday	25.00
Howard Beach Tuesday	30.00	WASHINGTON	
New York Thursday Bar	40.00	Bellevue Wednesday	10.00
Northport Sunday	25.00	Issaquah Wednesday	5.00
Pomona Tuesday	230.00	Milton Saturday	25.00

WASHINGTON (cont)		Tacoma Monday	25.00
North Seattle Tuesday-		Tacoma Thursday	20.00
Greenwood	45.00	Tacoma Women's Thursday	10.00
Omak Overcomers	20.00	KOREA	
Redmond Saturday AM	20.00	Seoul	50.00
Snohomish Friday PM	10.00		

**INTERGROUP CONTRIBUTIONS
JULY 2018**

Chicago	36.00	Mississippi Beach	45.00
Columbia-Williamette	27.37	New England	44.50
Detroit/Toledo	132.98	New Jersey	150.00
Greater Sacramento	30.00	New York	260.00
Inland Empire	50.00	Northern California	100.00
L.A. Intergroup	150.00	Orange County	37.59
Minnesota Region 8-C	500.00	South Florida	100.00

**NATIONAL HOTLINE DONATIONS
JULY 2018**

Area 1	L.A. Intergroup	14.00
Area 1B	Inland Empire Intergroup	25.00
Area 6	South Florida Intergroup	20.00
	Balance from Closed Debit Card	114.01

**BULLETIN SUBSCRIPTIONS
JULY 2018**

Seven Subscriptions for a Total of \$328.00

**ONE TIME DONATIONS
JULY 2018**

Pittsburgh Wheeling Intergroup, Pennsylvania
In honor of Scott R.'s 20 year pinning

Spokane Valley, Washington
In appreciation of Brenda C.'s 2 years of a gambling Free Life

Verona Sunday, Pennsylvania
In honor of Jen S. on her 1 year pinning - June 10th

Rochester Monday, New York
In honor of the 1 year anniversary of Dee B.

Hamilton Thursday, Ontario
From the Step Day Mini-Conference
with our thanks for your services

Jim S., Arizona
In memory of my father, Jim S. from Nebraska

Roseland Friday morning, New Jersey
Special one-time donation from our treasury

Linda and Roy M., California
In honor of Bud A.'s 30th Anniversary in Gamblers Anonymous

Rochester Friday, New York
In honor of the anniversary's of Joe A., 1 year
and Carl M., 8 years

Board of Regents, California
July Board Meeting Donation

G.A. of Southern Nevada, Nevada
In loving memory of Jimmy R. our friend and brother in recovery

Bill M., Pennsylvania
In memory of two longtime Scranton area G.A. members;
Ed G. and Phil P.

Buffalo/Niagara Falls Area, New York
In memory of Mike C.

Rochester Monday, New York
In memory of Michelle H.

Jim S., New York
In memory of Mike C. from Buffalo, New York

Rochester Monday, New York
For the August anniversaries of Arnie L., 33 years;
Joe H., 28 years and Mark M., 10 years

Bill B., Florida
In appreciation of 48 years ODAAT (One Day at a Time)

**GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE OFFICE
ANNUAL BUDGET**

	Budget thru June 2019	FY 2017 thru June 2018	\$ Change Actual/Budget
Revenue:			
Contributions			
Group Contributions & Gratitude			
Week	\$ 68,040.00	\$ 66,640.97	\$ (1,399.03)
Lifeliners	\$ 87,600.00	\$ 85,721.02	\$ (1,878.98)
ISO Can Contributions	\$ 64,800.00	\$ 64,063.67	\$ (736.33)
Intergroup & RSO Contributions	\$ 20,400.00	\$ 20,707.90	\$ 307.90
One Time Donations	\$ 24,000.00	\$ 33,651.13	\$ 9,651.13
National Hotline Donations	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,078.00	\$ (122.00)
Walkathon	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 3,529.00	\$ (71.00)
Total Contributions	\$ 269,640.00	\$ 275,391.69	\$ 5,751.69
Bulletin Subscriptions			
Bulletin Subscriptions	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 2,008.00	\$ (392.00)
Total Bulletin	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 2,008.00	\$ (392.00)
Literature Sales			
Sale of Literature	\$ 240,000.00	\$ 237,825.21	\$ (2,174.79)
E-Reader	\$ 50.00	\$ 43.60	\$ (6.40)
Literature Shipping	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 28,623.28	\$ (1,376.72)
Sales Tax Collected	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 2,590.11	\$ (109.89)
Returned Items Fees Refund	\$ -	\$ 80.00	\$ 80.00
PayPal Fees	\$ 6,121.00	\$ 5,993.81	\$ (127.19)
Total Literature Sales	\$ 278,871.00	\$ 275,156.01	\$ (3,714.99)
Conference/Trustee Meetings			
Conference/Trustee Meeting Proceeds	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 10,316.49	\$ (1,683.51)
Trustee Meeting Donations	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,481.00	\$ (19.00)
Seed Money Returned	\$ 4,500.00	\$ -	\$ (4,500.00)
Total Conference/Trustee Meeting	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 11,797.49	\$ (6,202.51)
Other			
Interest from Checking Account	\$ 6.00	\$ 5.69	\$ (0.31)
Miscellaneous Reimbursements	\$ 100.00	\$ 51.10	\$ (48.90)
Other - Workers Comp Refund	\$ -	\$ 179.00	\$ 179.00
Uncategorized Income	\$ -	\$ 3.70	\$ 3.70
Total Other	\$ 106.00	\$ 239.49	\$ 133.49
Total Revenue	\$ 569,017.00	\$ 564,592.68	\$ (4,424.32)
Expenses:			
Literature and Bulletin Expenses			
Literature	\$ 90,500.00	\$ 85,954.56	\$ 4,545.44
PayPal Fees	\$ 6,180.00	\$ 5,993.81	\$ 186.19
Quarterly Sales Taxes	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 2,641.00	\$ 59.00
Postage	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 43,750.00	\$ 1,250.00
Bulletins	\$ 10,200.00	\$ 9,306.55	\$ 893.45
Visa/MC Service Fee	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,302.14	\$ 197.86
Wire Transfer Fee	\$ -	\$ 15.00	\$ (15.00)
Total Literature and Bulletin Expenses	\$ 156,080.00	\$ 148,963.06	\$ 7,116.94

**GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE OFFICE
ANNUAL BUDGET (cont)**

	Budget thru June 2019	FY 2017 thru June 2018	\$ Change Actual/Budget
Conference/Trustee Meeting Expenses			
I.E.S. Expenses for Trustee Meeting	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,054.24	\$ 445.76
BOR Chair Expenses for Trustee Meeting			
Meeting	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,701.10	\$ 798.90
BOT Chair Meeting Expenses	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 6,257.07	\$ 3,742.93
Seed Money/Conference Collections/ Refunds	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 4,400.00	\$ (2,400.00)
Total Conference/Trustee Expenses	\$ 17,000.00	\$ 14,412.41	\$ 2,587.59
General Administrative and Other			
Rent + Cam Fees	\$ 56,750.00	\$ 55,377.44	\$ 1,372.56
Office Expenses	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 14,441.01	\$ 558.99
Payroll	\$ 200,050.00	\$ 211,095.13	\$ (11,045.13)
Payroll Taxes	\$ 16,205.00	\$ 17,091.20	\$ (886.20)
Employee Benefits	\$ 4,800.00	\$ -	\$ 4,800.00
Health Insurance	\$ 22,800.00	\$ 19,240.72	\$ 3,559.28
Payroll Processing Fees	\$ 2,100.00	\$ 2,043.59	\$ 56.41
Telephone Bill	\$ 5,820.00	\$ 5,681.69	\$ 138.31
Electric Bill	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 3,288.56	\$ 311.44
Accounting Fees	\$ 9,750.00	\$ 9,500.00	\$ 250.00
Professional Services (Office Assistant)	\$ 26,100	\$ 10,181.25	\$ 15,918.75
Lease/Maintenance Postage Meter and Scale	\$ 1,620.00	\$ 1,505.25	\$ 114.75
Workers Comp Insurance	\$ 2,580.00	\$ 2,093.00	\$ 487.00
Workers Comp Settlement	\$ -	\$ 5,000.00	\$ (5,000.00)
Fidelity Bond Insurance	\$ 750.00	\$ 726.00	\$ 24.00
Office Contents Insurance	\$ 1,900.00	\$ 1,745.00	\$ 155.00
D&O Liability Insurance	\$ 2,220.00	\$ 1,810.00	\$ 410.00
Insurance for 10/18 BOT Meeting	\$ -	\$ 259.55	\$ (259.55)
Maintenance/Monitor Bay Alarm	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,361.55	\$ 138.45
Quarterly Air Conditioning/Heater Maintenance	\$ 300.00	\$ 350.00	\$ (50.00)
Computer/Internet & App Expense	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 1,806.50	\$ 1,793.50
Match for Employee IRA	\$ 5,705.00	\$ 5,457.00	\$ 248.00
Deposit to National Hotline Debit Card	\$ 600.00	\$ 602.42	\$ (2.42)
Software Training	\$ 450.00	\$ 93.75	\$ 356.25
Temporary Help	\$ -	\$ 3,120.00	\$ (3,120.00)
Accounting/Legal Fee	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 600.00
Returned Checks/Bank Fees/Adj	\$ -	\$ 79.91	\$ (79.91)
New Equipment, Including Computers	\$ 1,000.00	\$ -	\$ 1,000.00
Literature Committee	\$ 1,000.00	\$ -	\$ 1,000.00
National Hotline Publicity Expense	\$ 1,000.00	\$ -	\$ 1,000.00
Help or Initiate Meetings	\$ 5,000.00	\$ -	\$ 5,000.00
Maint/Repair Misc. Equipment	\$ 1,500.00	\$ -	\$ 1,500.00
Total G&A and Other	\$ 395,500.00	\$ 374,911.83	\$ 20,588.17
Total Expenses	\$ 568,580.00	\$ 538,525.99	\$ 30,054.01
Net Cash Flow	\$ 437.00	\$ 26,066.69	\$ (25,629.69)

**GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE OFFICE
OPERATING STATEMENT
JULY 2018**

CASH IN OPERATING ACCOUNT JULY 1, 2018		\$ 76,956.07
RECEIPTS FOR JULY		
Group Contributions	\$ 3,612.10	
Lifeliners	6,643.00	
I.S.O. Can Contributions	6,302.96	
Intergroup Contributions	1,663.44	
Bulletin Subscriptions	328.00	
One-Time Donations	880.50	
National Hotline Donations	173.01	
Sale of Literature	17,006.18	
Literature Shipping	2,343.00	
Sales Tax Collected	179.10	
E-Reader Payment	2.04	
Orlando Board of Trustee Meeting Registrations	430.00	
Cancun B.O.T. Meeting – Hotel Refund	3,626.00	
Interest From Checking Account65	
Pay Pal Literature Processing Fees	454.07	
TOTAL		<u>\$ 43,644.05</u>
CASH AVAILABLE FOR JULY		\$ 120,600.12
DISBURSEMENTS FOR JULY		
Rent	\$ 4,622.34	
Payroll	15,837.60	
Payroll Taxes (Federal & State)	1,211.56	
Quarterly State Sales Tax	533.00	
Secretary of State Filing Fee	20.00	
Postage	2,500.00	
Office Expenses	530.88	
Payroll Processing Fees	161.32	
Health Insurance	1,376.80	
Telephone	470.85	
Electric Bill	349.38	
Professional Services	1,731.25	
Computer/Internet Expense	99.00	
Visa/MC Service Fee	80.84	
Match For Employees Simple IRA	475.16	
Bulletins	1,311.43	
Literature	9,046.56	
Cancun Refunds	90.00	
Wire Transfer Fee for Cancun Hotel Refund	15.00	
Pay Pal Literature Processing Fees	454.07	
TOTAL		<u>\$ 40,917.04</u>
CASH IN OPERATING ACCOUNT AS OF JULY 31, 2018		\$ 79,683.08
INCOME IN EXCESS OF DISBURSEMENTS		+ \$ 2,727.01

Gamblers Anonymous Gratitude Month

Who?

All Gamblers Anonymous Members, Groups, Intergroups and R.S.O.'s

What?

During the May 2015 Board of Trustees meeting in Cherry Hill, New Jersey a motion was made and passed as follows:

Make the month of September **"GRATITUDE MONTH"**.

Where?

ALL AROUND THE G.A. WORLDWIDE FELLOWSHIP

When?

Every year from September 1st to September 30th

Why?

It's time to recognize your local Members, Groups, Intergroups, R.S.O.'s (Regional Service Offices) and the I.S.O. by coming together. Plan your socials, Mini-Conferences, fellowship events, picnics and fundraisers during the month of September in appreciation of Gamblers Anonymous and having G.A. meetings available in 57 Countries (and growing)!



So many of our, and others, lives have been saved by the Gamblers Anonymous Program since the beginning of that first G.A. meeting on September 13, 1957.

Let's all get involved and give back to a program that has given so much to us!

And don't forget about **"GRATITUDE WEEK"** which is held every year during the week in which September 13th appears to help G.A.I.S.O. continue carrying the message to each and every person who is still suffering.



How?

Email the I.S.O. at www.isomain@gamblersanonymous.org or contact your local Trustee

Louisville, Kentucky Invites You to the
2019 International Spring Conference
Another Chance - Take My Hand

May 31 - June 2, 2019

The Galt House

140 N. 4th Street, Louisville, Kentucky 40202 • (800) 843-4258

HOTEL, MEALS AND REGISTRATION

Plan	Package	Hotel	Meals/Registration	Total
A	2 People, 2 Nights, 8 Meals	*\$ 129.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 608.00
B	1 Person, 2 Nights, 4 Meals	*\$ 129.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 433.00
C	2 People, 1 Night, 4 Meals	*\$ 129.00	\$ 260.00	\$ 389.00
D	1 Person, 1 Night, 2 Meals	*\$ 129.00	\$ 130.00	\$ 259.00
E	Registration & Saturday evening banquet		\$ 90.00	\$ 90.00
F	Registration only		\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00
G	Saturday evening banquet		\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00

Room rates of \$129 are guaranteed 3 days prior and 3 days following the conference. **Deluxe rooms are available for \$149.00.** Room rates do not include taxes. Please make all reservations by **April 29, 2019.** *Hotel reservations are to be made directly with The Galt House. The toll-free number is 1-800-843-4258. When booking your room, mention the **2019 International Spring Conference.** Reservations must be made by April 29, 2019, in order to ensure the conference rate.

Note: We recommend that you fly into Louisville International Airport (SDF). Airport transportation can be arranged by calling The Galt House. Hotel shuttles are available. Self-parking \$10 per day and Valet parking \$28 per day.

For Conference information go to: www.gamblersanonymousgreaterlouisville.org

Registration For 2019 International Spring Conference

Registrant #1: Plan Choice _____ Full Name _____

Name on Badge _____

Registrant #2: Plan Choice _____ Full Name _____

Name on Badge _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone: _____ **E-Mail:** _____

Amount Enclosed** _____ **A minimum deposit of \$40 is due with any registration

Please note that the last date to receive a refund on registration and meals is April 30, 2019

Make check/money order for meals and registration only payable to:

2019 International Spring Conference

2814 Milburn Ave.

Louisville, KY 40220

Where would you be today without G.A.? Become a Lifeliner Today!

A Lifeliner is a member of the G.A. fellowship who cares enough about the financial well being of G.A. to make a monthly donation. This donation helps to insure that G.A. will always be there for the compulsive gambler who still suffers.

You will benefit by becoming a Lifeliner because...

- ... it offers you a way to give back to the program that has given you so much.
- ... it allows you to make a commitment to the program in a more direct way.
- ... it helps the International Service Office to spread the message to those who haven't yet been blessed as you have.
- ... it makes you one of a special group of people who do a little extra for the program that saved their lives.
- ... it gives you a sense of responsibility.
- ... it helps you remember that Gamblers Anonymous needs you as much as you need Gamblers Anonymous.

We are self supporting through our own contributions.

How often have you thought or heard: "Gamblers Anonymous saved my life. I can't do enough to repay the program for what it has done for me."

One of the ways you can give is by becoming a Lifeliner. Simply fill out the bottom of this flyer and send it to I.S.O. with your personal monthly tax deductible contribution and you will receive a receipt by return mail along with an envelope for your next month's contribution. It's that easy!!

Do it today – it's the right thing to do!

I PLEDGE A MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION AMOUNT OF: _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY & STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

Please mail this with your initial contribution to:

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS I.S.O., P.O. BOX 17173, LOS ANGELES, CA 90017

Thank you for your support!!