

**Dist 30 Meeting Minutes (Area 75)**  
**Aug 2, 2024 6:30pm at the Wesley Ave Alano Club**  
**www.rockcoaa.net**

**Attendees:** Joel B, Heather Z, Lori B and her grandpup, Mark C, Jim F, Cathay G, Gary L, Jim McC, Damid McK, Randy W

Meeting opened with the Serenity Prayer, 8th tradition and 8th concept read

**Treasurer’s Report - Peter R**

2024	
<b>August Dist 30 Beginning Balance</b>	<b>\$ 1,003.08</b>
<b><u>Donations</u></b>	
July Basket	\$ 14.00
HOW	\$ 5.00
<b><u>Expenses</u></b>	
None	\$ -
<b>Aug Ending Balance</b>	<b><u><u>\$ 1,022.08</u></u></b>
Less Prudent Reserve	<b>\$ (120.00)</b>
<b>Spendable Balance</b>	<b><u><u>\$ 902.08</u></u></b>

<b>Aug Round-up Beginning Balance</b>	<b>\$ 3,500.00</b>
<b><u>Donations</u></b>	
	\$ -
<b><u>Expenses</u></b>	
None	\$ -
<b>Aug Ending Balance</b>	<b><u><u>\$ 3,500.00</u></u></b>

- Pending/planned expenses
- 84 PO Box - Due End Of Jan
  - 250 District Schedule Printing
  - 60 Semi-Annual Rent - Jan / July

**DCM Report** - Heather Z asks that everyone read off the emails forwarded from GSO and Area.

**GSR Reports**

**Early Risers** - Gary reported attendance is steady but down a little from previous years. Quite a few newer people coming in, which is great! Topic is usually based on the daily reading and they meet every morning.

**Keys to the Kingdom** - Jim reported they're doing well. Attendance fluctuates from 12 to a packed room. Financially they're secure.

**Unity Group** - no report

**Steps to Success** - Jim reported that attendance has picked up over the past few weeks!

**Milton Tue, Thur and Fri all 7pm** - no report

**No Name Group** - Randy reported the Monday night big book is doing good with 5-6 in attendance and the study is in depth. The Friday meeting averages 3-9 people.

**Men in Recovery** - David reported lots of newcomers showing up which is awesome and the meeting is doing well. They meet on Tuesday's at 7pm. The annual picnic is coming up on Aug 13th. Cook at 5pm, eat at 6pm, meeting at 7pm at Sportsman's Park. Food will be pulled pork accompanied by beans and potato salad. Bring a dish to pass if you wish. Everyone is welcome!

**Edgerton Monday Discussion Group** - no report

**Edgerton Thursday Noon** - no report

**Blackhawk Good Fellowship** - Jim reported for Scott that attendance is 15+ for their Fri night speaker meetings.

**The Gifts Group** - meets on Wed only, no more Saturdays. No report

**Beginner's Group** - no report

**New Voices** - no report

**We are who we are** - Judy reported the women's group is doing really well with several new people attending.

**As Bill Sees It** - no report

**Mid Morning Group** - no report

**KISS** - no report

**TNT** - no report

**WOW** - no report

**HOW** - Cathy reported they're glad they kept the meeting going with 4-5 people attending and even had 13 last week.

## **Committee Reports**

**Archives** - Randy attended and reported that a few people donated some items including the district's 2nd roundup and some old literature.

**Women's Corrections** - Lori B

The women's meetings are going well. Any women interested in helping out with the women's corrections AA meetings please contact Lori at 608-346-5656. Meeting bi-weekly due to the on-going construction.

### Requirements:

Six months consecutive sobriety/Completed  
Application/Completed PREA video & test/Submit paperwork to  
Capt. DeRemer at the Rock Co. Sheriff's Dept.

Upon completion of the above Brandon or Lori will be in  
contact with you for meeting schedule. Please contact one of  
them before you begin the process!

**THANK YOU!**

They meet bi-weekly on Wed at 6:30pm and the meetings last until 8 or 8:30pm. The NA groups only come in twice a month so the inmates really appreciate having weekly AA meetings. Both the men and women really appreciate all of the AA literature that the district and others have donated. So thank you to everyone who's participated directly and indirectly through you meeting donations to the groups that do donate to the district. Inmates can have one on one visitors from the AA community.

**Men's Corrections** - Jim. The men's meeting meets on opposite weeks of the women (due the construction). The meetings are well attended and the inmates are well behaved. Brandon has a new phone #. If any men are interested in getting involved with the men's corrections meetings contact him at 608-371-4476. Currently there are 4 men cleared and helping run the meetings.

**PI/CPC** (Public Information and Cooperation with the Professional Community) - Open position. No AA meetings listed in community events in the Janesville Gazette. We continue to contact them.

**MAICO** - Heather mentioned to make sure to read those MAICO newsletters.

**Treatment** - Position open. Lori reported she talked with Zach and he wants to continue to speak at Crossroads. Zachary absent. I am unable to attend District Meetings due to the fact I now work Friday night. I am still speaking every 3rd Thursday of the month at Crossroads for Nan and will continue to do so for the foreseeable future. Lori B. is handling the 3rd Wed of the month at 6pm-7:30-pm in the evening meeting and has volunteers/speakers lined up as well thru October.

**Literature/Grapevine** - Joel reported - Grapevine communicates the experience, strength, and hope of its contributors and reflects a broad geographic spectrum of current A.A. experience. Throughout its history the magazine has been a forum for the varied and often divergent opinions of A.A.s around the world. You can submit a story, caption for the monthly cartoon and vote on the future captions as well at [aagrapevine.org](http://aagrapevine.org). You can download and try the Grapevine and LaVina apps for free from the Apple App Store and the Google Play Store. This month's featured section is "Dating & Relationships." Members share experiences about sober dating and how their relationships have changed since they got to AA. Each year, Grapevine holds a competition for photographers to be featured in our Wall Calendar. We'd love to see your most striking photographs that reflect the joy of living, serenity, and other sobriety themes. Entries for the 2025 Wall Calendar must be received by Dec 1, 2024. Contributors of selected photos will receive a complimentary copy of the new Wall Calendar in which their photo appears and a Grapevine Pocket Planner. You can also learn more about the 2025 International AA Convention in Canada.

Audio and visual media help to carry A.A.'s message of recovery. Public service announcements (PSAs) are available for the public and professionals. We can provide PSAs in a variety of formats as needed for TV and radio broadcasts. Find other media here to reach young people, professionals working with alcoholics, and others.

<https://www.aa.org/resources/media> AA has three newsletters for you to explore that are intended for various audiences. Box 4-5-9, About AA (for professionals) and Sharing from Behind the Walls. You can order and view AA literature, pamphlets and guidelines directly from AA at [onlineliterature.aa.org](http://onlineliterature.aa.org). AAWS encourages ordering of literature and other items via your local groups, Intergroups and Central Offices.

## **Old Business**

Concern regarding needing a TRP to enter Canada if you've had a DUI, since Canada is hosting the 2025 International Conference. District will find out more information and report back.

Motion passed to send \$250 to MAICO, Area 75 and GSO.

Last chance to get meeting schedule changes in before Pete prints them off. Only known additional change is that the Gifts Group needs a new contact person.

## **New Business**

2025 AA World Conference Frequently asked questions

<https://www.aa.org/international-convention-2025-faqs>

More information on attending the 2025 AA World Conference if you have a criminal record and/or an alcohol or drug offense

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada/inadmissibility/overcome-criminal-convictions.html>

**Next district meeting is Fri Sep 6th at 6:30pm at the Wesley Ave Alano Club.**

Check out <https://rockcoaa.net/events.html> for all the event fliers!



AA SPEAKERS with  
 AA SUMMER PICNICS  
 started by  
 AA WEDNESDAY NIGHT  
 METHODIST CHURCH  
 MEETINGS SINCE 1983  
 JUNE 12 JULY 10  
 AUGUST 14 September 11



**SPRINGS PARK, DELAVAN**

HWY 11 TO MAIN STREET SOUTH  
 AT THE END TURN RIGHT

5PM - FELLOWSHIP

6PM - COOKOUT

7PM - SPEAKER

BRATS, HOT DOGS, AND  
 ITALIAN SAUSAGE PROVIDED

**BRING A DISH TO PASS  
 AND A CHAIR!**

CONTACT: JEAN 262-203-2914



GREEN COUNTY AA  
Marathon Meeting Festival



During Cheese Days in Monroe, WI

**SEPT 21, 2024 8:30 am-11pm**

*St. John's UCC - 1724 14th St, Monroe, WI 53566*

**Meetings, Speakers, and Panels  
Potluck, Raffles, Fellowship, & Cheese**

Breakfast: 8:30 am – 9 am; Meetings, Panels, and Speakers 9am – 1pm

Lunch Potluck, Raffle Drawing, Break -1pm-2pm

Meetings, Panels, & Speakers 2pm – 6pm; Dinner Potluck, Raffle Drawing, Break -6pm-7pm

7pm-11pm Meetings, Panels, & Speakers 10:50 Last Raffle Drawing

**Please bring a dish to pass, a newcomer, or just yourself.**

If your group is interested in holding a meeting , please contact: Carolyn 608-345-1730 or Jeff 323-790-6171

## Happy, Joyous, and Cheese Marathon Meetings

September 21, 2024 – St. John's UCC; 1724 14th St, Monroe, WI 53566

8:30 am – 11 pm

### SCHEDULE

#### IN 7:30-9a SET UP – 830-9a REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST

1. 9:00 – 9:50a GRAPEVINE (MEETING) - Monroe
2. 10:00-10:50a JAYNE's GROUP (PANEL) - Madison
3. 11:00-11:50a EARLY BIRD GROUP (PANEL) ??? - Monroe
4. 12:00-12:50p NG SOBRIETY FEST (SPEAKER) – New Glarus

#### BREAK 1:00-1:58p LUNCH (POTLUCK & RAFFLE DRAWING)

5. 2:00-2:50p MONONA AL-ANON (PANEL) - Monona
6. 3:00-3:50p SEAN's MEETING (MEETING) - Madison
7. 4:00-4:50p (NEED A GROUP)
8. 5:00-5:50p (NEED A GROUP)

#### BREAK 6:00-6:58p DINNER (POTLUCK & RAFFLE DRAWING)

9. 7:00-7:50p (NEED A GROUP) (Love to have the SPEAKEASY meeting)
10. 8:00-8:50p (NEED A GROUP)
11. 9:00-9:50p (NEED A GROUP) (Thinking NA or an AA Young people's Group)
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#### LAST RAFFLE DRAWING (START CLEAN-UP)

Our suggestion to groups is to have either speaker meetings or panels for their meeting. This may be the first meeting for many people, those types of meetings help newcomers identify. If you prefer to do your normal meeting format, we welcome that as well. Your meeting is autonomous, you have the freedom to choose what your group conscious decides is best.

We will be honored to have you and your group during this event.

Thank You Very Much.

CALL JEFF 323-790-6171 to sign up your group.



