

Chair Report: Pam A Fall 2013 Assembly - Syracuse NY

Updates

- I've been actively involved with the following committees/task forces:
 - ✓ Finance Committee – working on the 2014 budget and 2013 financial statements
 - ✓ Committee to review NYN's Assembly & Voting procedures – finalizing the document for approval today.
 - ✓ Committee on “Members Involved in Service Work Who Are Unable to Effectively Fulfill the Responsibility of the Position”: We set some goals to help our Trusted Servants succeed in positions and are currently updating the service position descriptions and developing a Service Resume to use for 2014 Elections. We are in the early stages of creating a procedure to address non-performance of Trusted Servants.
 - ✓ More details of the activities of these committees will be presented to you today by members of each committee.

- I keep busy writing my articles for the NHL.
 - ✓ I hope you are finding them both informative and useful on both a group and personal level.
 - ✓ Please take the time at your meetings to read an article or two at every meeting instead of just passing the NHL around.
 - ✓ The articles are written each month with a focus on a specific recovery topic as well as providing updates on happenings in NYN and in Al-Anon as a whole.

- I've also been busy with behind the scenes preparations for the AWSC & Assembly meetings.
 - ✓ Planned the August AWSC meeting and agenda
 - ✓ With input from the AWSC, prepared today's agenda for the assembly & the AWSC meeting.
 - ✓ Provided the handouts needed to conduct the meetings.
 - ✓ Ongoing communications with the host committee.
 - ✓ Responding to an array of emails from Committee/Task Force members. The majority of our work is conducted via email.

- I've been compiling the feedback from the Area Inventory forms that were distributed at the Spring Assembly.
 - ✓ 35 members completed inventory.
 - ✓ I'll be circulating the Inventory form again today and ask that if you didn't complete one in the spring to please do so today.
 - ✓ The purpose of the inventory is to provide a clear understanding of what the NYN Area is doing successfully and what areas we could improve on.
 - ✓ Everyone's voice matters, so please participate in the Area Inventory.

Thanks for giving me the opportunity to grow in Service.
Pam