



Delegate Report

Area 29 Panel 74

February, 2025

Working Together, Increasing Trust



Conference Agenda Review Committee (CARC) season is upon us. This is not just a review of the agenda items to help prepare the Delegate and Alternate Delegate for the General Service Conference. This is an opportunity for DCM's, GSRs, MGS committee chairs and all Area 29 A.A. members become the informed group conscience of Alcoholics Anonymous



General Service Highlights

Appointed Committee Members (ACM):

A.A. members who have strong experience in a field / subject

Trustees Literature Committee—Deadline: April 15, 2025

ACM will serve as leader of working group for pamphlet development.

Pamphlet on Asian and Asian-American alcoholic in A.A.

Pamphlet on the transgender alcoholic in A.A.

Call (212) 870-3019, or email literature@aa.org

Plain Language Big Book

First printing - 70,000 copies sold out in 17 days.

Backorders reached 24,000 copies.

2nd printing 100,000 Copies.

40, 000 left in inventory

3766 sold internationally

Archives (AAWS)

5,400 requests 2024—110 group history inquiries.

Acquisitions include a rare 1951 wire recording of Bill W., which is being prepared for digitization.

Corrections (AAWS)

75 new correctional facilities accessed digital literature

19400 tablets Total tablets deployed

Survey: gather shared experience on brining AA into correctional facilities.

General Service Cont.

Accessibilities

Military Veteran A.A. Members Interview Project

Veterans of the United States or Canadian Armed Forces to participate in a unique opportunity to share their experiences

militaryoutreach@aa.org.



[Veterans](#)

General Service Board weekend

As the chair of the Conference Literature Committee, I was invited to attend the 1st quarter general service board weekend in New York the last weekend in January. In addition to attending the Trustee Literature Committee meeting I attended the General Service Board, Corrections, Public Information, International, and Cooperation with the Professional Community / Treatment and Accessibilities committees meetings.

It was a very busy weekend with lots of information. The most important thing I took from this weekend is the Trustees, committee members and General Service Office staff work tirelessly for this fellowship. Their dedication to helping the still suffering alcoholic is unwavering and a true joy to see.



Where can I get General Service Information?

What's New: Newly redesigned, provides highlights of what's happening in AA.



[What's New](#)

Box 459: A useful source for A.A. news.



[Box 459](#)

Alcoholics Anonymous World Service

AAWS Highlights: Meeting of the AAWS, Inc., Board of Directors



[AAWS Highlights](#)

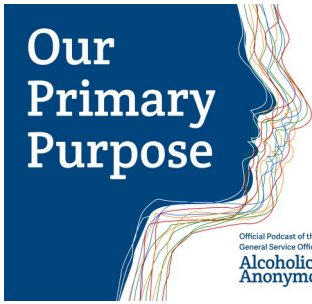
CARC - Conference Agenda Review Committee: help prepare the Delegate for the General Service Conference.

Conference Agenda: List of items for Conference Committees to discuss and make recommendation to the conference.

General Service Conference: Annual Meeting of Delegates and Trustees as the conscience of our whole society in its world affairs.



Jargon



Our Primary Purpose

Official podcast from GSO. Through interviews with GSO staff and voices from A.A. history and the Fellowship today, we explore how GSO supports A.A. to carry the message of recovery to those who need it most, which is Our Primary Purpose.



[Podcast](#)

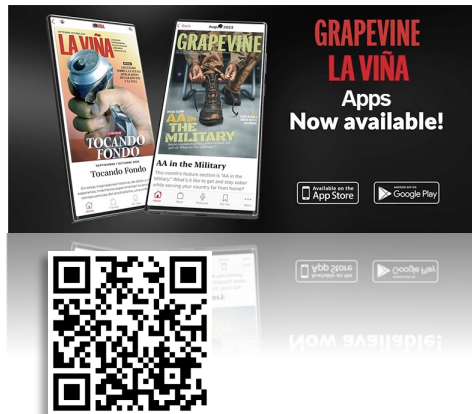
New episode every Tuesday



Registration Open

\$160 Before April 15, 2025, \$185 After
Virtual
 \$60 Big Meeting Video Product
 \$35 Virtual Session Program Track.
 This is a two-day 8 session virtual program

GRAPEVINE & LA VIÑA



The AA Grapevine Half-Hour Varsity Hour



[GV Podcast](#)

NERAASA Northeast Region A.A. Service Assembly

February 21-23 Virtual

NERAASA 2025

Host: Area 45 Southern New Jersey

(neraasa.org)

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[Registration now Open!](#)

Delegate Activity

Recent		Upcoming	
Dec 15	NERD Zoom	Feb 16	NERD Zoom
Dec 18	MGS Panel mtg	Feb 18	NERAASA Archives cmte
Dec 20	Remote Community Cmte	Feb 18	Remote Community Cmte
Dec 30	Remote Community Cmte	Feb 19	NERAASA Inventory cmte
Jan 4	DCM/ADCM mtg	Feb 21-23	NERAASA
Jan 6	NERAASA Archives cmte	Feb 26	General Service Conf Sharing Session
Jan 14	NERAASA Archives cmte	Mar 1	DCM/ADCM mtg
Jan 15	NERAASA Inventory cmte	Mar 8	CARC 1
Jan 16	Delegate Chair Orientation	Mar 8	CARC 2
Jan 18	Area Strategy Mtg	Mar 9	CARC 4
Jan 19	NERD Zoom	Mar 14-16	NERD (Maine)
Jan 26	Conference Literature Cmte	Mar 22	Assembly
Jan 28	NERAASA Archives cmte	Mar 23	CARC 3
Jan 31—Feb 3	General Service Board (NYC)	Apr 2	MGS Panel mtg
Feb 4	Remote Community Cmte	Apr 5	DCM/ADCM mtg
Feb 5	MGS Panel mtg	Apr 27—May 3	General Service Conference (NYC)

Respectfully submitted,
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Always available to come to your District meeting, Committee meeting, Home group or anywhere I can be of service.