

2017 Delegates Report

Hi All,

Happy New Years to you all, hoping that you had a wonderful holiday. I haven't sent out a Delegates report since early fall my apologies, so I had thought I had better put something together for you.

The Assembly in St. John's was a great weekend of fellowship and Service, with our G.S.O. Sandra W.. Although we didn't get very far with our inventory, I feel it was a great start. Sandra's overview of the inventory is included in the minutes under Area Inventory, which are posted on our website under Area documents.

As most of you know the Manuscript Litigation is in the process of being dropped. This item I am certain will be on the agenda for the up coming G.S.C.

I was disappointed that the Pre Conference was not passed at the Assembly, but I accept the Groups conscience. Since the Assembly Districts 1 informed me that they will be holding their own Pre Conference and District 2 will be dedicating two district meetings two the Conference agenda items. A couple of groups in Lab City also want to be a part of the Conference process as well and plans to look at a couple of agenda items and provide with some feedback. This is so encouraging.

In early December I went to Lab City/ Wabush after I was contacted by a member looking for support and a little guidance. While I was there I attended a couple of meetings and spent Saturday afternoon giving reports and participating in a sharing session. It was agreed that we should video feed one of the Service Weekends to them as that have access to an awesome facility, and would love to see and take part in the bigger picture. I also met the new G.S.R. form the Lab City Groups who is looking into attending the Service Weekend in St John's. It was a great weekend of fellowship and service. A.A. is alive and well in Lab City and Wabush.

It's has been an interesting last couple of months, as I received many emails with election results from approximately 46 Area. I did my best to welcome each new Delegate and Alternate, and I look forward to meeting them at the Conference. My friend Earl C. Area 81 and Jim M. from New Hampshire were elected as Delegates for their Area and I am excited to serve with them at the Conference. I also was honoured to received an Loving Invitation to do a presentation at the 68th General Service Conference, on "Today's Alcoholic " Inclusion not Exclusion, many thanks to those who helped me in putting that together. This Presentation will be included in the Final Conference Report.

I will finish by saying that this past year has been amazing, I am humbled to have served Alcoholics Anonymous as your Delegate. I have met hundreds of new friends from all over the U.S.A. and Canada, I got to see Bill W. and Dr. Bobs vision and faith in us at work at the 67th General Service Conference. Looking forward to Serving Alcoholics Anonymous and Area 82 with you all in 2018 and allow me say thanks to you all for your service to Alcoholics Anonymous.

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