

Delegate's Corner  
January 2017

Hi Everyone,

I hope that 2017 is treating you all well. I plan to put out a monthly update to keep you apprised of my activities.

On December 20<sup>th</sup> I received an email from Eva S. informing me that I was on the Policy/Admissions committee, and to be honest I didn't know what that committee did. So my homework began, I also received the History and Actions of the committee which dates back to 1952, and the previous actions concerning conference admissions dating back to 1955. These two documents were forwarded to Kirk our Alt. Delegate.

On January 1<sup>st</sup> I was given access to the Conference Dashboard, this allowed me to see a list of Delegates with whom I would be working with at the Conference. On the Dashboard there was a Communications kit with forms I had to fill out and return to the Conference Coordinator.

On January 6<sup>th</sup> I submitted the Area 82 highlight which is a brief overview of our Area. This will be included in the Final Conference Report. (Thanks Trudy for your assistance).

On January 23<sup>rd</sup> I booked my airfare, and I am happy to say that I was able to get a direct flight to New York.

Through out the month I have been receiving emails from Dave H. Email Coordinator, he sends out questions from other Area Delegates looking for feedback on certain issues. These range from hosting Area Assemblies, getting young people involved, web committees, electronic 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition payments, and are Assemblies a closed meeting? It's great to be able to share Area 82's experience with them.

I am looking forward to attending CERAASA next month in Moncton, it would appear for now that my work load is fairly light for the weekend, but that could change with one email. Hoping to see a good turnout from Area 82.

On a more personal note I have been shopping for suits and dress clothes the last little while and I should at least look sharp at the Conference.

Once again thank you for allowing me to be your Delegate, it is a privilege and honour to serve you and Alcoholics Anonymous. I look forward to seeing you all soon.

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