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## RACINE AREA CENTRAL OFFICE'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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### Tradition 7

*"Every AA group ought to be self-supporting, declining outside contributions.."*



### July Focus

#### Seventh Step Prayer

*My creator, I am now willing that you should have all of me, good and bad. I pray that You now remove from me every single defect of character which stands in the way of my usefulness to You and my fellows. Grant me strength, as I go out from here, to do Your bidding.*

### Step 7

*"Humbly asked him to remove our shortcomings."*

## Step 7

Step Seven of AA's Alcoholics Anonymous Twelve Step program of recovery is about getting rid of character defects and replacing them by practicing humility & spiritual principles. Working on the seventh step requires constant thoughtfulness and commitment to being honest, courageous and humble.

When working on steps four and five we discovered our assets and our shortcomings. With Step 6 we became prepared to deal with these qualities so that in Step 7 we could be ready to act.

Moving into step seven actually involves us in the personal change of actively letting go of our shortcomings, actions and feelings that are liabilities. This change requires effort and action.

Simply asking for your shortcomings to be removed does not automatically make them go away. It is up to you to be aware and make new choices. Many people in recovery find comfort that their higher power can and does remove their character defects shortcomings when asked.

While working on the previous six steps you've been stripping away age-old layers of denial, ego, self-centeredness and other liabilities that consumed you when you were active in your disease. When we arrive at step seven we are ready to stop thinking so much about what we are going to get in life and start looking at what and how we can contribute to others in the world.

***“In my experience my higher power has never left me empty handed; everything I have lost has been replaced with something better. I was asked to put down the drink and the drug because my higher power wanted me to pick up something greater. This is humility to me.”***

***– Jason Wahler***

## Step 7(continued)

***“Humility is the solid foundation of all virtues.” – Confucius***

When it comes to working your seventh step, the quality of humility really breaks down to having a reasonable perspective of yourself. It is quite simply seeing the truth of your life and your place in the world. In AA terms it is the practiced art of being “right-sized.” When you humbly ask your Higher Power to remove your shortcomings you are recognizing that you are neither too big nor too small. Gone is your self-entitlement or grandiosity; as is your shame, regrets or unworthiness.

You’ve actually already taken your very first act toward humility, by admitting your powerlessness and unmanageability. Typically when practicing step seven recovering addicts realize that humility is not a state of being in despair or groveling, but a state of peace, serenity, and acceptance of “life on life’s terms.”

In The Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions it is stated, “the attainment of greater humility is the foundation principle of each of AA’s twelve steps.” The seventh step of AA is an ongoing opportunity for us to embrace the pursuit of humility as a fundamental aspect of staying sober.

***“We cannot tell what may happen to us in the strange medley of life. But we can decide what happens IN us – how we can take it, what we do with it – and that is what really counts in the end.” – Joseph Fort Newton***

When practicing our seventh step we are exercising our freedom from addiction by developing our assets, discarding defects and making new choices.

## Step 7 (continued)

### **Getting Right-Sized: Step Seven Questions & Actions**

Part of getting right-sized in Step Seven means making changes with the activity of our minds in addition to accepting and expressing our emotions. We learn to gradually bring the different parts of ourselves into a healthy balance as we practice new living skills. For some people a daily dose of prayer, meditation, and affirmations is very useful.

### **Here are some questions to help guide you through Step Seven:**

How has my understanding of my higher power grown?

How have the previous six steps prepared me for step seven?

How does being aware of my own humility help when working the seventh step?

How do I plan to ask a God of my understanding or higher power to remove my shortcomings?

How does the spiritual principle of “surrender” work for me in step seven?

Am I comfortable with prayer and meditation- even if it means making up my own?

Has my sense of perspective or “reality” been out of proportion lately?

Have there been times when I have been able to stop from acting on a character defect and practice a spiritual principle instead?

Are there any shortcomings that have been removed from my life or at least diminished in their power over me?

### **You can also use affirmations. Here are some suggestions:**

- I accept all of me, the “good” and “bad.”
- Today I will develop an asset and release one shortcoming.
- I will remember that I have choices and freedom today.

Remember this: spiritual principles meet us at our point of action- so while we cannot control the course of life, we can control each and every spiritual move we make.

**Go to it and get to work!**

ALCOHOLICS  
ANONYMOUS



# Our Stories

## The Struggle *by Jon L.*

This is a letter to the struggling dry drunk. I have been there,

I spent a long time there. I spent too much time there. I would not want to go back there. I do not wish that alcoholic purgatory on anyone.

As in the alcoholic situation that brings every one of us into this fellowship, I was making my life a lot more lonely and complicated than it needed to be.

Although I am unique and my situation and the stories are my own, the way to deal with it in a healthy constructive and life affirming way is not. Without the big book, the meetings and the fellowship I have no sobriety. There are some people who can abstain from alcohol and live a perfectly happy and manageable life; I am certainly not one of them. I spent over two years dry from alcohol in this purgatory.

This alcoholic purgatory was the loneliest of places to be. Without the alcoholic crutch I used to suppress feelings good and bad I had no such tool at this time. I was not aware of the level of anxiety depression and unmanageability that my life was at. I used alcohol to console myself in my darkest times, I used alcohol to celebrate in my best times. Alcohol was present in the highest of highs and the lowest of lows. I cannot even recall prior to me joining AA the last social function that I went to willingly without an abundance of alcohol. Without the alcohol to keep me company and my mind occupied I strictly dwelled on the negative aspects of my life, all of them real or not. I thought when I arrived in AA that how can I stay sober from alcohol for my whole life I am young and to be honest I had some great times drinking with friends and family. As I logically look now though the effects and consequences of my alcohol consumption that unadulterated fun and alcohol rarely if ever went together for me. In fact, at the end of my drinking career rarely were fun and alcohol at the same pre-party, party, and after party. Fun surely was not there when the two-day hangover was there. Fun was most assuredly not present when the recollection of events and the dealing with the repercussions of my actions inventory or wreckage was assessed the next day.

I have been free of alcohol for 61 months now, but I have been in the program for only about 40 of them. My life was actually becoming more unmanageable while I was in the state of dry drunk purgatory. The lonely empty feelings that were once filled with alcohol became so life consuming and debilitating that I was desperate to find and try something new and different. This program to me is my free therapy. It gives me chance to listen. It gives me chance to talk. It gives me a chance to live. I had never been one to express feelings or talk about meaningful issues good or bad. This program not only encourages it but demands it for success. The people I have met have been extremely helpful and encouraging. The objective of this program is empathy; encouragement and selflessness some of the greatest qualities one can have and employ in life. I have worked with a sponsor and working through the steps and life in general. Life keeps happening around me good and bad but I now am better equipped to deal with the BS life throws at me. The gift of AA and its people are a blessing in my life now and I hope forever. Life it gets better daily, one 24-hour period at a time.

Sincerely Jon L.

I once was dying a slow painful death  
I made you watch, sometimes stare  
Often unaware of the affect I had on you  
You were there, why I will never know  
I gave plenty of reasons to pack up and go  
YOU never left, never wavered  
And loved me when I did not like Myself  
Nursed me back to health countlessTimes  
It was time- I took the reigns and  
Participate in life and recovery to share  
The best of times and weather the worst  
Too, its because of you I believe in us  
As I rebuild the trust, but the love never  
left---Thank you for the Gift.



## Thank You to the Following Groups for Your continued support to Your Central Office

Anonymous Donations  
Benjamin House Sun 10am downstairs  
Benjamin House Mon 6pm 12&12  
Benjamin House Wed 6pm ISM's  
Benjamin House Board  
Burlington Tue & Fri Riverwood Church  
Burlington 12&12 Tue 9:30am  
Burlington 12&12 Fri 9:30am Big Book  
Burlington 12&12 Sat Women's Group  
Burlington Sunday 10am 12&12  
Paddock Lake 12 Step Monday 7pm #607942  
Union Grove Mon 7:30 Design for Living



## *Here are the June financial listings for Your Central Office!*

Racine Area Central Office Summary of Income/Expense 2021

<b>Income Summary:</b>	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Donations-Groups	1112.17	1102.05	1169.63	1098.66	692.16	858.40							6033.07
Office Sales	175.60	763.85	983.45	622.85	239.40	229.60							3014.75
Charge and Debit Card Sales	1350.45	554.05	221.20	192.15	181.05	63.10							2562.00
Rent-Groups	335.00	491.00	762.00	523.00	300.00	550.00							2961.00
Transfer from Savings													0.00
Fellowship Day													0.00
Gratitude Cans	417.07												417.07
Small donation can (office)	12.16	13.93	26.83	11.78	4.70	5.63							75.03
Big donation box (meeting room)													0.00
District 36 Hotline (bill split)													0.00
District 17 Hotline (bill split)						180.00							180.00
<b>Total Income by Month</b>	<b>3402.45</b>	<b>2924.88</b>	<b>3163.11</b>	<b>2448.44</b>	<b>1417.31</b>	<b>1886.73</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>15242.92</b>

<b>Expense Summary:</b>	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Rent & Water	1030.00	1030.00	1030.00	1030.00	1030.00	1030.00							6180.00
Electric (Heat & Air)	218.35	335.68	227.78	225.88	188.91	143.71							1340.31
Internet/Telephone - Spectrum	170.96	170.96	170.96	170.96	170.96	170.96							1025.76
AT & T cancellation	116.28	5.00											121.28
Sam's Club Membership													0.00
Office & Maint. Supplies	205.02	5.25	102.92	180.60		72.88							566.67
Credit Card Fees	22.65	63.21	20.13	16.65	32.96	15.74							171.54
Bank Fees	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00							60.00
Literature & Merchandise	95.20	990.51	1443.70		659.80	47.00							3236.21
District 17 (donation error)		50.00											50.00
Website													0.00
Wisconsin Sales Tax	472.19												472.19
Liability Insurance				858.00									858.00
Wisconsin Business Tax Registration													0.00
Repair and Maintenance	120.00	120.00	188.25	860.00	120.00								1408.25
<b>Total Expenses Month to Month</b>	<b>2460.85</b>	<b>2780.61</b>	<b>3193.74</b>	<b>3352.09</b>	<b>2212.63</b>	<b>1490.29</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>15490.21</b>

Account Balances  
 Checking: \$5,187.02  
 Savings: \$3,176.68

**A.A. RESOURCES LOCATED IN AREA 75 - SOUTHERN WISCONSIN**

The following are the telephone numbers and addresses of the four local central offices and one intergroup located in southern Wisconsin.

**Madison Area Intergroup Central Office (MAICO)**

2000 Engel St, Suite 104  
Madison, WI 53713  
(608) 222-8989  
Fax: (608) 663-9097  
E-mail us at [info@aamadisonwi.org](mailto:info@aamadisonwi.org)  
Website: <http://www.aamadisonwi.org/>

**Racine Area Central Office (RACO)**

3701 Durand Avenue, #225 LL-B  
Racine WI 53045  
(262) 554-6611  
E-mail: [racostaff@racinecentraloffice.org](mailto:racostaff@racinecentraloffice.org)  
Website: <http://www.racinecentraloffice.org>

**Winnebago land Central Office - Fond du Lac**

P.O. Box 572  
280 North Main Street  
Fond du Lac, WI 54936-0572  
(920) 922-7512  
E-mail us at [winnebagoilandco@gmail.com](mailto:winnebagoilandco@gmail.com)  
Website: <https://www.fonddulacaa.org/>

**Milwaukee Central Office**

7429 W. Greenfield Avenue  
West Allis, WI 53214  
(414) 771-9119  
Website: <http://www.aamilwaukee.com>

**LaCrosse Intergroup**

Box 1212  
LaCrosse, WI  
(800) 886-0695



## Events

The Alano Club – [racinealanoclub.com](http://racinealanoclub.com)

**Picnic**

**Saturday, August 13th**

**12noon – Pritchard Park Large Pavilion**

The Grove Club – [thegroveclub.com](http://thegroveclub.com)

**Picnic**

**Saturday, July 16th**

**11:30am**

See website for details and other events

The Benjamin House – [benjaminhouseracine.org](http://benjaminhouseracine.org)

**A Day in the Country**

**Saturday, July 23rd**

**9am-9pm**

**(See Flyer next page)**

**Benjamin House  
4848 County Trunk H  
Franksville, Wi**

**Day in the Country**

**July 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

**9am to 9pm**

**Panels at 10am, 1:30pm and  
3:30 pm**

**Speaker at 6:30pm**

**\$1 for each meat item, lunch at  
noon, dinner at 5pm. Dish to pass  
appreciated.**





# **35<sup>th</sup> Annual Wolf River – Nicolet AA Camping Trip**

## **August 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> 2022**

**Saturday Night Speaker  
Jess W. – McHenry**

### **Where:**

**Bear Paw Outdoor Adventure  
Resort & Campground  
N3494 Hwy 55, White Lake, WI  
54491**

- Campsites \$25 Per Site (~6  
People) Per Night**
- Cabins from \$90 Per Night**

**For more info contact:**

**Casey R. @ 847-409-8197 or  
Noah W. @ 317-361-0384**

**CALL BEAR PAW AT 715-882-3502  
TO RESERVE A CAMPSITE/CABIN  
AND MENTION THIS TRIP AS  
SITES ARE BLOCKED OFF FOR  
OUR GROUP**

**More info and lodging details at  
[www.bearpawoutdoors.com](http://www.bearpawoutdoors.com) Call to  
reserve as units are on hold!**

**Friends/Family are welcome!**

**Many great activities - Rafting,  
Hiking Trails, Volleyball, Hot  
Showers/Bathrooms on site**

**Saturday night open speaker and  
bonfire!**



42nd

## Green Lake Round-Up

42nd

August 19, 20, 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022Green Lake Conference Center – www.glcc.org  
W2511 State Road 23 Green Lake, WI 54941Open AA MeetingsFriday 8 PM Scott S., PA  
Saturday 8 PM Tina A., CA  
Sunday 10 AM Pete K., WIClosed AA Meetings**ALKATHONS**Pillsbury Robley Room: Fri 10 PM – Sat 9 AM  
Sat 10 PM – Sun 9 AM

Sat 10 AM, Famous "Meeting in the Field" (field between the tennis courts and play area)

Open Al-Anon Meeting

Saturday 6 PM Angie M., WI

Closed Al-Anon Meeting

Saturday 10 AM at the "Tea House"

**Bring the whole family! There's something for everyone!!**

(Camping, biking, swimming, boating, hiking, golf, volleyball, fishing, fellowship...)

**Saturday Special Activities****"Amy S." 5K Fun Run/Walk**  
Saturday 7:45 AM, race starts at 8 AM  
Register at Pillsbury Hall**Volleyball Games-All day Saturday**  
At the sand courts...  
Show up and ask to play!**- Event Registration: \$15.00 per person -****Bill W. tickets available – please reach out to Dianna G. (414) 943-3342**All proceeds are split according to the 7<sup>th</sup> tradition to carry our AA message (less conference expenses).

Accommodations are separate from the event registration.

**Pre-Registration:**Make checks payable to:  
**"Green Lake Round-Up"**Mail payment and registration form to:  
**Green Lake Round-Up**  
**P.O. Box 684**  
**Menomonee Falls, WI 53051****Event Contacts:**

Dianna G. (414) 943-3342

Scott M. (414) 444-8713

**greenlakeroundupwi@gmail.com**

Event sponsored by:

**"Monday Night Action Group"- Mondays 7:30 PM**

Holy Cross Lutheran Church

W156N8131 Pilgrim Rd. - Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

**On-site registration Friday****3 PM to 5 PM****Country Store****On-site registration Friday & Saturday****6 PM to 8 PM****Pillsbury Hall**

Note: We will not send confirmations prior to the Round-Up. Pre-registrations can be picked up at the On-site registration locations.

**Pre-registration helps us with up front expenditures we incur. Please mail it in NOW!**.....  
Detach along line and mail in bottom portion.  
.....

Green Lake Round-Up registration form. One Person per Form please!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

(Registration is \$15 per person) Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Willing to be of service? (circle one): *Alkathons**Clean-Up Greeting Registration Set-Up Misc.*

Please print your name (with city and state)

as you'd like it to appear on your name tag.

**Applies only to those pre-registered.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_



**August 19, 20, 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022**

Green Lake Conference Center – [www.glcc.org](http://www.glcc.org)  
W2511 State Road 23 Green Lake, WI 54941

### On-Site Accommodations

- **On-site camping and lodging:** Green Lake Conference Center manages all on-site accommodations.  
Call 1 (920) 294-3323, website [www.glcc.org](http://www.glcc.org)
- **Directions:** From Milwaukee, take US 41 North to Fond du Lac, exit West on Hwy 23 to Green Lake Conference Center (a few miles west of the village of Green Lake, WI).

### Off-Site Accommodations

#### Off-Site campgrounds:

- Green Lake Campground, W2360 Hwy 23.....(920) 294-3542 0.3 miles
- Hattie Sherwood Campground, S. Lawson Drive.....(920) 229-1828 1.5 miles

#### Off-Site Hotels/Motels near the conference center:

- Dartford Inn, N6264 Lawson Drive, Green Lake, WI.....(920) 290-1671 .dartfordinn.com
- Keipe Hotel, 536 Mill Street, Green Lake, WI..... (920) 294-6484
- Mc Connell Inn, 497 South Lawson Drive, Green Lake, WI.....(920) 294-6430 .mcconnellinn.com
- Bay View Motel & Resort, 439 Lake Street, Green Lake, WI.....(920) 294-6504 .bayviewgreenlake.com
- Cobblestone Suites, 2 Westgate Drive, Ripon, WI.....(920) 748-5500 .staycobblestone.com
- Ripon Welcome Inn and Suites, 240 East Fond Du Lac Street, Ripon, WI....(920) 748-2821  
[www.riponwelcomeinn.com](http://www.riponwelcomeinn.com)
- **There are other establishments for camping and lodging in the area...**

### Marina

#### (off-site boat and slip rentals)

- Action Marina boat rentals, 485 Park Drive, Green Lake, WI.....(920) 745-2600 · [actionmarina.com](http://actionmarina.com)



# **Fellowship day 2022: Saturday, Sep 17th**

**NEVER ALONE AGAIN**

**Racine Area Central Office (R.A.C.O)**

**Starts @10:30am**

**AA & Al-anon Panels starting at 11am**

**Area 75 Literature & Grapevine Reps at 3PM**

**AA Recovery Skit 3:30pm**

**Free Chili Dinner served at 4pm**

**Bake Sale provided by Al-anon & Alateen**

**Free coffee**

**50/50 Raffles throughout the day**

**Al-anon Speaker at 5PM**

**Melissa G**

**AA Speaker 6pm**

**Rebeca B**

**All recovery community welcome**

**All money received supports**

**Racine Area Central Office**



# AA WORKS

## Come & Get It!

### 2022 AREA 75 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

of Alcoholics Anonymous

November 4—6  
Chula Vista Resort, Wisconsin Dells  
Hosted by District 20



Register online!



**Bring  
the family!**  
\$109/nt Room Rate  
includes resort access  
for all guests!

**Area 75  
Assembly  
& Elections**

**AA Speakers**

**ALKATHONS**

**Ice  
Cream  
Social**

**Al-Anon  
Speaker**

**Standing  
Committee  
Meetings**

**AA & Al-Anon Panels**

**Banquet Buffet**

**Entertainment**

First 100 registrants are entered to win a set of Conference recordings!

#### Registration Form

One Person Per Form, Please Print

Circle one: AA Al-Anon Alateen

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Accessibility and/or dietary accommodation needs \_\_\_\_\_

#### Please Check Desired

Pre-Registration	\$20.00	
Sat. Night Italian Buffet*	\$32.00	
Sunday Plated Breakfast*	\$15.00	
Select one: <input type="checkbox"/> Cheesy Scramble <input type="checkbox"/> Fruit Platter		
Donation	\$	
Total Enclosed	\$	
*See menus on reverse. Must Register to attend. Onsite Registration fee is \$25.		
Make Checks Payable To:	Area 75 Conference Treasurer PO Box 8322 Madison, WI 53708	
Or Register Online:	www.eventbrite.com Enter: 2022 Area 75 Annual Conference	

# RACO Steering Committee Positions Needed!!

“Having had a spiritual awakening as the result of these steps, we tried to carry this message to alcoholics, and to practice these principles in all of our affairs.”

*These positions are still available as of the Steering Committee meeting on July 6th, 2022. Please reach out to those looking to do service work – thank you.*

The following positions are still needed for the Steering Committee moving forward in 2022.

- \* Treasurer (5 years sobriety required)
- \* Co-Treasurer (3 years sobriety required)
- \* Secretary (2 years sobriety required)
- \* Co-Secretary (1 year sobriety required)
- \* Co-Chairman (3 years sobriety required)

Talk with your sponsor, sponsees, home groups and others you know in the fellowship who might be interested in this important (and fun) 12<sup>th</sup> step work. The Steering Committee meets the first Wednesday of each month at 6:30pm at the Central Office (RACO).

Please consider donating your faith, hope and strength to the group as we continue to try and help the next suffering alcoholic one day at a time!



# Services and Service Opportunities

**RACO Volunteers Needed!!**

**We can help fill your volunteer positions by listing them with us!**

Call RACO at (262) 554-6611 or e-mail us to volunteer and we will get you trained!

## Kenosha / Racine Oxford Houses

Are you in early recovery or know someone who is? The Oxford House concept, which emphasizes that “together we can democratically run a clean and sober house” is helpful to gaining the strength and support to achieve longterm sobriety.

With separate houses for both men and women, there are Oxford Houses in both Kenosha as well as Racine—providing the support and accountability to help in early recovery. For more information, or to request an interview, please call (262) 800-3840 or visit [www.oxfordhouse.org](http://www.oxfordhouse.org) for a history, vacancies, locations and applications. Let the Oxford House help you or someone you love get a jumpstart into a happy and healthy life of clean and sober living today!

## RACO Bookstore

The Racine Area Central Office's bookstore has all of your recovery literature needs (some Spanish versions available). Bookstore is open during normal office hours and debit/credit cards are accepted. Stop in today for your or your groups' literature needs!

## Volunteer Positions

***Come join us in the fellowship.***

***Looking for volunteers to help in the following areas:***

***People Interested in doing 12 Step Work and working with those “Young in Sobriety”-8pm at 12&12 Club 724 Pine St Burlington***

***Staffing Volunteers @ RACO- please contact the RACO office.***





# Help is Everywhere

## District/Club Information

District 17		Racine, Wisconsin	
Racine Alano Club 1140 Douglas Ave. Racine, WI 53404 (262) 634-9902	The Grove Club 1037 Grove Ave. Racine, WI 53405 (262) 634-9656	Benjamin House 4848 Highway H Franksville, WI 53126 (262) 886-9611	
Benjamin House Website: <a href="http://www.benjaminhouseracine.org/">http://www.benjaminhouseracine.org/</a>			
District 7		Kenosha, Wisconsin	
Kenosha Alano Club 630 56 <sup>th</sup> St. Kenosha, WI 53140 (262) 654-8246	Outcasts 1310 63 <sup>rd</sup> St. Kenosha, WI 53144	Southport Lighthouse Recovery Club 8017 Sheridan Rd. Kenosha, WI 53143 (262) 653-9800	
Kenosha Alano Club Website: <a href="http://kenoshaalanoclub.org">http://kenoshaalanoclub.org</a>			
District 36		Burlington 12 x 12 Club 724 N. Pine St. Burlington, WI	
West Racine/Kenosha County			
District 6		Walworth County Alano Club 611 E. Walworth St. Delavan, WI 53115 (262) 740-1888	
Eastern Walworth County			
District 12		Eastern Lake County, Illinois	
Alano Club of Waukegan 2419 Washington St. Waukegan, IL 60085 (847) 662-9640		Zion-Benton Alano Club 228 Sheridan Rd. Winthrop Harbor, IL 60096 (847) 746-9842	
Alano Club of Waukegan Website: <a href="http://alanoclubwaukegan.com/">http://alanoclubwaukegan.com/</a>			
Waukegan Hotline: (847) 623-9660			
District 10		Antioch Recovery Club 311 E Depot St.; Suite C Antioch, IL 60002 (847) 838-1882	
Western Lake County			
Antioch Recovery Club: <a href="http://www.antiochrecoveryclub.org/">http://www.antiochrecoveryclub.org/</a>			
Antioch Hotline: (847) 395-5988			

Racine Area Central Office <i>Officers/Steering Committee</i>	
Chairperson	Geoff G.
Co-Chairperson	Open
Secretary	Open
Co-Secretary	Open
Treasurer	Open
Co-Treasurer	Open
Staffing Coordinator	Doreen G
Co-Staffing Coordinator	John B
Newsletter	Chris J
Co-Newsletter	Open
Hotline Chairperson	Chris W
Co-Hotline Chairperson	Mike
Literature Chairperson	Open
Co-Literature Chair	Rachael M
Procurement	Open
Co-Procurement	Open
Webmaster	Dave W
Co-Webmaster	Rebecca B
Advisor	Toni M
Advisor	Tom M.
Advisor	Jon K
3701 Durand Avenue #225B	
Racine, WI 53403	
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