



# Greater Rochester Area AIS Service Center

## JANUARY 2022

### EVENTS

#### AIS Monthly Meetings 2022, 10:00 a.m. Upcoming Meetings:

February 12	July 9
March 12	September 10
April 9	October 8
May 14	November 12
June 11	December 10

Meetings are hybrid and are held at the AIS Office,  
2480 Browncroft Blvd.  
Electronic Sign-in on website

Link to AIS Rochester meeting minutes:  
<http://aisrochester.org/minutes.html>

Link to upcoming Anniversary meetings:  
<http://aisrochester.org/anniversaries.html>

### Chairperson Report

Welcome everyone and best wishes for a Happy and Healthy 2022.

“An AIS exists to aid the groups it serves in the common purpose of carrying the Al-Anon message to the suffering families and friends of alcoholics”.  
(from Al-Anon guidelines G-4).

We represent seven districts: 2, 14, 19, 20, 25, 27, and 29. I have been in communication with present DR's and contacts. I'm hoping that the districts will work with one another by sharing information, (minutes and agenda) so we can learn from and support one another.

**District 2** - no DR at this time. Ellen V. is interested

**District 14** - Cindy R.

**District 19** - no DR at this time - contact is Cathleen.

**District 20** - no DR at this time.

**District 25** - Brenda L.

**District 27** - no DR at this time - contact Mike W. has stepped down.

**District 29** - Laura L.

Welcome to Pam, our Literature Coordinator, and many thanks to Rebecca for spoiling us over the years. We appreciate you!

Mel, thank you for being our Chair and for all the things you've done behind the scenes. You've been a great resource for me, I know where to go when I have Al-Anon questions.

For everyone else, thank you for continuing your great work and for your participation. I look forward to the next two years as your Chair, a day at a time, and I ask for your help and suggestions along this new path.

The Vice Chair position is still open. Responsibilities for this position are on our homepage. If you or anyone you know is interested, please contact me at the email address listed below.

Together We Can Make It.

Pat H., [chairperson@Aisrochester.org](mailto:chairperson@Aisrochester.org)

### Volunteering

Did you know volunteering is 1/3 of recovery? You ask “What can I do? I am only one person.” We are in need of volunteers to answer the phone, get the mail, and sell literature. If you are interested, contact Mel at [volunteers@aisrochester.org](mailto:volunteers@aisrochester.org)  
Looking forward to hearing from you!

### Webmaster Position

AIS is looking for a web designer. The website is designed using html, php, and CSS. AIS has its own hosting account and registered domain names, .org, .net, and .com. The site runs on a cPanel server. We are looking for someone who can work with the existing site to do updates, additions, email setup, maintenance, and working with cPanel. If interested, please reply to [website@aisrochester.org](mailto:website@aisrochester.org)



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### Local Group Highlights

The Thursday 7 p.m. evening "Good Old Gang" meeting in Avon, is in need of support. It is a face to face meeting. Please join them if you can. All are welcome!

We also have two beginners meetings; Wednesdays at 11 a.m. and Saturdays at 11:30 a.m. They both meet electronically and information about them is on our website.

### Outreach Committee

The Outreach Committee meeting is the third Wednesday of each month at 6:00. Come join us and share outreach ideas. We meet electronically and this information is on our website under activities.

### Electronic Questionnaire

WSO is asking for feedback on the service structure and area policies and procedures of registered electronic meetings going forward. They have formed an Electronic Meeting Thought Force. All Districts are asked to log in to New York North's website at [nynafg.com](http://nynafg.com) to complete a questionnaire to have input on these important decisions. The deadline to submit the form to January 31, 2022.

### Adopt a Library!

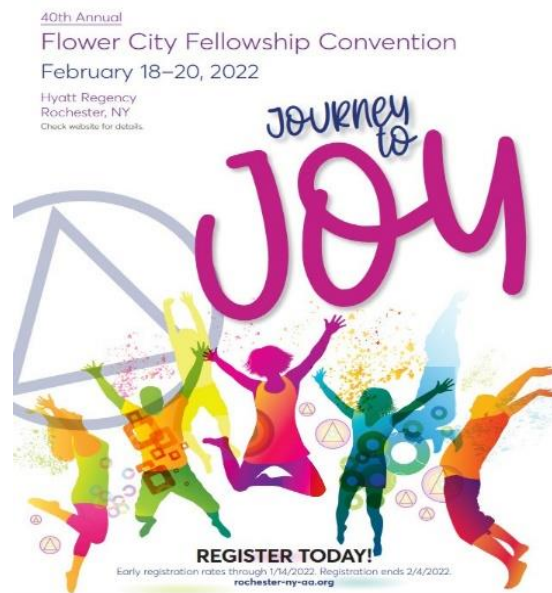
Some groups are adopting libraries, donating the Forum to them, and supplying and setting up displays of literature and meeting lists. A great way for groups to reach out to the community! Please discuss within your groups as a possible community service project

### Audit Help Needed

Help is needed at AIS for a one-time audit to review books and records of AIS Rochester with Finance Committee. If interested, please call or email through the AIS website.

### Flower City Fellowship Convention

The 40th annual Flower City Fellowship Convention will be at the Hyatt Regency in Rochester on Feb.18-20.



There are three ways to register:

1. Register online at [www.rochesteraa.org](http://www.rochesteraa.org)
2. On-Site Registration starts 2/18 at 1:00 p.m.
3. Go to [aisrochester.org](http://aisrochester.org) and click "activities" for the link. Print, complete, and mail in the form with payment.