New York North 2018AWSC/Spring Assembly May 5, 2017 Convention Coordinator Report

I have been a lot new service position as NYN Conventions Coordinators. Thanks to Nancy, for providing me with the tools to pick up where she left off..

Here are the upcoming conventions and host Districts.

- Spring 2018 District 5 & 26 May 4-6 @ High Peaks Resort, Lake Placid
- Fall 2018 District 15 September 21-23, 2018, Comfort Inn and Suites, North Syracuse
- Spring 2019 Districts 29 & 25 May 17-19, 2019, Rochester, New York
- Fall 2019 District 21 Comfort Inn and Suites, North Syracuse

We are looking for hosts for 2020 and beyond. I know it may sound like a daunting project, but you will not be doing it alone. I am here to help, as are past hosts and other members of NYN. All are willing to share their ESH with you. From my own experience as a host, we did not do it perfectly and did it the best we could. It was one of the most rewarding services to Al-Anon I did. I learned lot about where I was in my recovery and where I need grow. And to me it was just plain FUN!

Something I would like Districts to think about, on the last NYN Panel, there was discussion about "Dim and Dark" Districts (Districts that NYN does not hear much from). What about hosting a convention in one if these Districts? Maybe there is a District right near you, that you don't hear much from, but know there is recovery there. Possibly hosting the convention in that District may spark some interest in being more involved in NYN. Just a thought (and not mine, idea thrown out during the last panel).

If you are interested in hosting a Spring or Fall Convention or have any questions about it, just send an email and I will be happy to share my ESH on it.

Yours in Service Kevin M