

Alternative Delegate Report

AWSC Meeting
March 20, 2021

My goal over the next three years is to increase NYN's number of Forum subscriptions. Currently, Forum subscription numbers are broken down by state. The total number of group forum subscriptions between January and February declined by 8. Bring the total of group subscriptions for New York to 68. During the same time period, personal subscriptions dropped by 20 to 693.

At one time WSO was able to provide every AI-Anon/Alateen group with a free Forum subscription and groups were encouraged to pay for an additional subscription. Based on the state's group subscription number, many groups no longer have the Forum available for use at their meetings. Forum issues can be used as a meeting topic, given to a newcomer, shared with interested members, or used in a public outreach project. An annual subscription only costs \$11. I encourage District Representatives to remind their groups of the benefits of having a group subscription to the Forum.

Additionally, I am initiating a monthly Forum challenge. A winner will be drawn randomly each month from all correct responses. The challenge is included in my monthly Northern HiLights' article. Given that the January/February issue was not distributed on time, the first challenge deadline is extended to April 15th.

Respectfully submitted,
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