

## District 5 Meeting

Second Wednesday,  
6:45 p.m.

1412 6th Street E  
Menomonie, WI

Zoom ID: 716 081 9669

Password: 300 255

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# The District 5 View

Serving AA in Pierce, Pepin, Buffalo, Eau Claire and Trempealeau counties, and portions of Saint Croix, Dunn and Chippewa counties

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## District 5 DCM summary for July

Dear District 05,

I hope all is well with you and your loved ones and that you are enjoying summer with friends and family! A special thanks to Shane R., GSR from Flimsy Reed, for facilitating the July monthly GSR meeting. Hope you were easy on him.. Hee Hee!



I was on vacation in July with my family, staying up on Madeline Island on Lake Superior. Since we last met in June, I've been blessed to be instrument of love to my wife, whose mom is dealing with breast cancer and to be there for a sponsee who lost his mom to an illness this past week. We lead rich, full, productive lives being there for each other!

In our last meeting, a committee was formed to look at having a summer or fall picnic hosted by District 05. I will be reaching out to those individuals soon and will put it on the agenda for the August monthly meeting.

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## In this edition:

- ♥ August Calendar of Events
- ♥ News from AA districts, area and General Services Office



**Step 8** Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all.

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Special events:

The Area 74 newsletter, **Here and There**, is available [here](#).

**District 4’s picnic** is Aug. 14 in Stevens Point. See attached flyer.

**Workshops on the Traditions** continue in River Falls on Thursdays. See attached flyer.

# August 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 <u>Public Information</u>  <u>Treatment</u>	10	11  District 5 6:45 p.m. Zoom ID: 716 081 9669 Password: 300 255	12	13	14  District 4 Picnic Jordan Park East, Stevens Point Noon to 7 p.m., flyer attached
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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**Tradition 8** Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers.

## News from AA districts, area and General Service Office

- ♥ How are things going in your home district? Read about it the [District 5's committee minutes](#).
- ♥ To keep up with the location of meetings in the district as well as information on which meetings you can attend online, be sure to visit [district05.org](http://district05.org).
- ♥ A new publication, *Sharing from Behind the Walls* that tells stories from those who are incarcerated, is available [here](#).
- ♥ A [video](#) on aa.org describes the structure of AA for those who may be lost in all the acronyms.
- ♥ The Grapevine has a new [publisher](#).
- ♥ An online version of Daily Reflections is available [here](#).

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I continue to facilitate the monthly Area 74 DCM call and continue to speak at the Eau Claire County Jail on a regular basis.

I have AA business cards provided by the public information committee for you to hand out in your regular AA meetings, to the committee chairs or any one of you.

Please reach out to me if you would like these AA business cards. In closing I know it's only August, but elections are just around the corner and our two-year commitments are coming to an end.

I encourage GSRs, officers, and committee chairs to start looking and talking in your homegroup meetings about being of service to the alcoholic who still suffers for the next two years!

Shane Speckien,  
Alcoholic!

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productive lives being  
there for each other!



**8th Concept** The trustees are the principal planners and administrators of overall policy and finance. They have custodial oversight of the separately incorporated and constantly active services, exercising this through their ability to elect all the directors of these entities.

# **DISTRICT 04 AA PICNIC**

**JORDAN PARK EAST**

5800 JORDAN RD, STEVENS POINT, WI 54482

**AUGUST 14, 2021 NOON-7PM**



**PICNIC KICK-OFF MEETING AT NOON**

**DINNER SERVED AT 4:30PM**

**PLEASE BRING A DISH TO PASS**

**SPEAKER MEETING 6PM**

**BARB K. FROM CUSTER, WI**

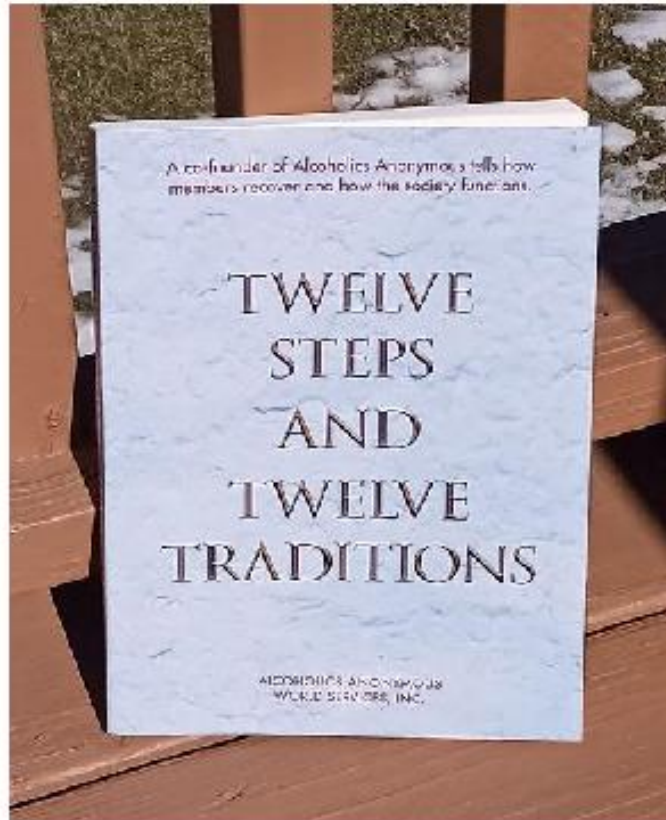
**ENJOY THE BEACH,  
HORSESHOE**

**TOURNAMENT, CORNHOLE TOSS,  
MUSIC, KARAOKE, GAMES,  
FOOD, FELLOWSHIP, AND FUN!**

# 12 Traditions Workshop

**Starts – Thursday April 1<sup>st</sup> 2021**

**Time – 6 pm to 7 pm; Where – River Falls Alano Club**



**We will go through a tradition every week.**

**Bring your 12 x 12, if you have one. We also will have copies at the club, if you need one.**

**Everyone welcome, especially sponsors and sponsees**

**Questions? Call Wynne M 715-821-8248 / Myron M 715-220-6056**