

OHIO AREA CONVENTION (2025) COMMITTEE REPORT TO THE OHIO ASSEMBLY

Ohio Area Convention 2025 will be August 1,2,3 in the Cleveland area – please put it on your calendar.

September 2024

The committee met in August 2024

We agreed that the theme of the OAC 2025 will be **“Rockin’ Our Recovery”**

We agreed on a “save the date” flyer design. We will send the flyers to the Area/State website. Shelly suggested we send it to the Area Secretary, Daisy (oh44sec@gmail.com) and request that Daisy send it to GR/DR/Groups and LDC/AIS (intergroup) offices. Shelly said that the Ohioarea.org web coordinator may be able to put updated information re the convention on that site periodically.

We discussed convention pricing and agreed that convention registration and convention Saturday night dinner would be paid for separately.

We considered the decision of a sit-down dinner verses a buffet and voted to have a sit-down dinner given that the costs are nearly identical.

We discussed how to cover the cost for the registration and dinner for the Alateens and that will be further discussed. We may invite an Alateen leader in our area to join the committee.

We discussed a variety of ways to raise money. Shelly (as the Area representative on the committee) relayed options that other convention committees have used and reminded us of the 7th tradition that we need to be self-supporting. This discussion will be continued.

We agreed to have registration only online (to simplify the information transfer from the treasurer to the registration chair, and the need/cost for a PO Box or putting more work on the volunteers of the AIS/LDC Office.)

Report respectfully submitted by Sydney P., and Kat P., Co-chairs of the OAC 2025 committee (Cleveland AIS/LDC Office)