

## JUNE DCM REPORT

Hi everyone! I'm Rose and I'm an alcoholic serving as your Panel 75 DCM.

This month, I had the privilege of going to the June Assembly in Kelowna, which was attended by a total of 331 members. Since it's now an assembly instead of a quarterly event, GSRs were able to vote on motions. Although only one floor motion was presented and eventually withdrawn, the proceedings provided first-timers with invaluable practice for the upcoming Voting Assembly in September. There were several informative discussion sessions and a mini workshop on writing motions. This was timely for me as the Area CPC committee, of which I'm apart, received the "go ahead" at our breakout session to create a motion about CPC videos. The keynote address of the Assembly was the Delegate's Conference Report, and Drew wowed everyone with his unflinching account of his Conference experience. Drew's highlights of the 75th General Service Conference are contained in a leaflet that I will to distribute to you.

While a full record of the Assembly will be included in the upcoming Grassroots magazine, here are some other interesting tidbits from the assembly:

- Area has only three months of operating expenses before it must dip into its prudent reserve. Contributions have not kept pace with inflation, so Area asks that individuals consider donating a bit more than they did five years ago.
- Grapevine is no longer able to support itself solely through subscriptions and literature sales. As a result, it is considering reducing the number of monthly issues it releases. Additionally, they will be selling event cards on a trial basis.
- Abbotsford won the bid to the WRAASA regional forum in 2027.

Turning to another matter, I was approached by a member of the now-defunct Miracle Beach Campout committee to facilitate the retrieval and redistribution of remaining funds. I agreed to help and promptly handed the project over to Larry, who deftly navigated the situation to a positive conclusion for AA. I am truly grateful for his handling of this matter.

Finally, don't forget there will be an online Traditions workshop this weekend. And, in less than two weeks, the International Convention in Vancouver will take place from July 3-6. I hope to see you there!

In service,  
Rose