

# PACE

“Positive Action Changes Everything”

The Mid-Hudson Intergroup Newsletter

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## APRIL MINITHON

In April, the Beacon groups sponsored the minithon “Spring Into Action” They opened with a skit which conveyed the dire possible consequences of relapse in the OA program. Then we wrote and shared on the positive actions we take daily to work our program. It was a powerful and uplifting event. Thank you to all those who helped plan and put on the workshop.

## REGION 6 ASSEMBLY

The Region6 Assembly was held in Albany. The primary concern this year is to encourage groups and intergroups to have adequate security measures in place to handle donations and expenses. It is recommended that more than one member be involved in all aspects of handling funds: collecting, counting, depositing, paying expenses. A monthly business meeting which includes a financial report should occur. This helps prevent any possible misuse of funds. Further information about the meeting can be found on the Region6 website.

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

July 12 – Intergroup meeting  
Aug 16 – To be announced  
Sept 13 – Intergroup meeting  
Oct 24-26 R6Convention

**12<sup>th</sup> Step Suggestion to groups: Keep old phone lists and call members that haven’t been at the meeting for awhile, on the 12<sup>th</sup> of the month.**

## DONATIONS:

Cornwall (Sat/Tues)	\$180.00
Cornwall (Wed.)	50.00
Ellenville	60.00
Harris	15.40
Minithon	41.00
NewPaltz(Wed)	100.00
Stone Ridge	60.00

**We appreciate group donations to Intergroup. They are the main income we have to pay for the hotline, website fee and other expenses. We also use them to send our representative to World Service Business Conference.**

## WORLD SERVICE BUSINESS CONFERENCE

WSBC was held in May. The main focus was

- to develop a plan of action to increase and strengthen membership around the world.
- It was decided to translate key pamphlets into other languages in order to include non-English speaking members. \$20,000 was provided to start.
- Further inclusion of virtual meetings into the OA structure was also addressed. Virtual meetings need to be in real time to be part of OA.

## Contact information:

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