

OA CCI Meeting

November 16, 2025

2:30pm

- I. Opening
 - a. Serenity Prayer
 - b. CCI Purpose Statement
 - c. OA Pledge
 - d. Step/Tradition/Concept
 - e. Standing Rules
 - f. Introductions
- II. Business
 - a. Elections:
 - i. Vice Chair
 - 1. Candidate Leigh Ann M. elected unopposed.
 - ii. Secretary
 - 1. Candidate Dennis G. elected unopposed.
 - iii. Delegate Position #1
 - 1. Candidate Beverly B. elected unopposed.
 - iv. Delegate Position #2
 - 1. Candidate Allen B. elected unopposed.
 - b. CCI Meeting Guidance: Tradition Four
 - i. After an intruder was at an in-person meeting, there was a question whether there should be a CCI policy on this. Based on Tradition Four, CCI has no guidance and this is up to the meeting's group conscience to decide how to handle intruders. Marilyn asked for a discussion and ideas for groups.
 - ii. Reps shared different ways their groups handle it. Including using buzzers to get in the building and making sure everyone leaves the meeting safely. Other reps said they would bring it to their group for discussion.
 - iii. Each meeting is in a different location and someone shared having a discussion with your building's owner/curator would be helpful.
 - iv. Marilyn asked Dennis to send out some links that Beverly sent by message to the next e-blast.
 - c. 2025 Goals:

- i. Pre-intergroup workshop before the December CCI meeting on December 7th at 1pm and will be hosted by the Saturday 10am Big Book meeting.
 - 1. Event will be about staying abstinent through the holidays and will include a skit, speaker and discussion.
 - 2. Updated Flyer will be forthcoming
 - d. 2026 Goals are forthcoming.
 - i. This includes showcasing/spotlighting our committees.
 - ii. If you have any goal suggestions, please email ccimarilynd@gmail.com
 - e.

III. Board Reports

- a. Chair Report by Marilyn
 - i. Report focused on Region 5 Assembly. WSO Theme of 2026 is “The Power of WE”.
 - ii. Ohio Day of Sharing was discussed and will be held August 1st, 2026. Location TBD but in the Columbus area.
 - iii. 19 voting reps at the Assembly. There were 62 eligible reps/delegates but only 19 attended.
 - iv. Next CCI board meeting is December 1st at 5:30pm. Starting in 2026, Board meetings will change to 5pm the first Monday of every month.
- b. Vice Chair Report by Leigh Ann
 - i. See Events Committee report.
- c. Secretary Report by Dennis
 - i. Some grammatical edits were already sent to Dennis and will be corrected.
 - ii. There was a request to better summarize the Delegate funding proposal change. Dennis will make this change and send out the updated minutes.
 - iii. Reps voted to approve the October minutes as verbally amended.
- d. Treasurer Report by Julie B.
 - i. Total checking balance of \$18,378.93 (this includes reserves)
 - ii. October revenue: \$379.50
 - iii. October expenses: \$641.28 which includes the deposit for the website redesign/RFP.
 - iv. YTD Income: \$2,553.00
 - v. YTD Expense: \$4,613.37
 - vi. New address for CCI payments:

1. PO BOX 22009
Akron, OH 44302
 2. Flyer forthcoming and will be updated on the website.
- vii. Discussion over whether Monday night newcomer meeting should still have their Zoom account being supported by CCI. More discussions to come.
- e. Delegate Report by Beverly
 - i. First page of report was summarized just for individual meetings.
 - ii. Information on Conflict Resolution was also included (and also sent out in the CCI meeting chat. Dennis will e-blast this link out).
 - iii. Ohio Day of Sharing: CCI will be providing the flyer and coordinating the basket raffle and 50/50 raffle.
 - iv. Assembly voted that all Spring assemblies will be virtual and Fall assemblies will be in person. Locations will vary, including a proposal to possibly meet prior to a Region 5 convention. Next Region 5 convention will be in Indianapolis on Labor Day weekend 2026.
 - f. Delegate Report by Allen
 - i. Report forthcoming but discussed 12th Step Within committee for Region 5 is working on their 12/12 event. WSO is not doing any event on 12/12.

IV. Committee Reports

- a. Events Committee by Leigh Ann
 - i. IDEA Day is on November 23rd at UH St John's Medical Center in Building 2 in Westlake, Ohio. From 10am-3pm. With a one-hour break for lunch in the middle (bring a brown bag lunch or get from cafeteria).
 - ii. Pre-CCI meeting workshop is on December 7th (CCI meeting is the same day—two weeks early).
 - iii. New Years Day marathon is 9am-3pm. Zoom event. Goal is to get all out-of-town speakers.
 - iv. Unity Day: February 28th: 10am-3pm
 - v. Save the Date: Weekend of May 15-17th, 2026: CCI Retreat at a retreat center. Details forthcoming.
 - vi. Region 5 Convention information: "Flutter into Freedom." Theme is the 12 Freedoms. (Labor Day weekend) September 4-6, 2026 @ Crowne Plaza at the Indianapolis Airport, Indianapolis, IN
- b. Public Information Committee by Yvonne

- i. Billboard posters for Toledo (10 ft by 20ft): 2 go up on November 24th and 2 on December 7th. Posters will stay up at least two months each. Cleveland billboard just came down.
 - ii. CCI has business-card-sized cards that members can request from the onebox to hand out about OA if interested. Marilyn has them and is ordering more and will bring some to IDEA day.
 - iii. Principles of the Traditions series will be ending. Thank you to all the meetings who participated in these series!
 - iv. Twelfth step within committee is highlighting the Region 5 12/12 workshop.
 - v. Super committee only has 5 members and would love more members. Please consider joining!
- c. Communications Committee by Gwenn
 - i. Process has started working with Design Mojo to design the new website. Leigh Ann is serving as a de-factor as Creative Director. Design Mojo will be sending a draft soon of the redesign.
 - ii. Onebox had 8 reach outs from newcomers. 2 emails and 6 calls.
- d. By-Laws Committee by Beverly
 - i. No report but will be sending updated Policy Manual to be posted on the website.

V. Questions/Concerns

VI. Announcements and Closing