Area 50, Panel 74 Presents...

G.S.R. Resources

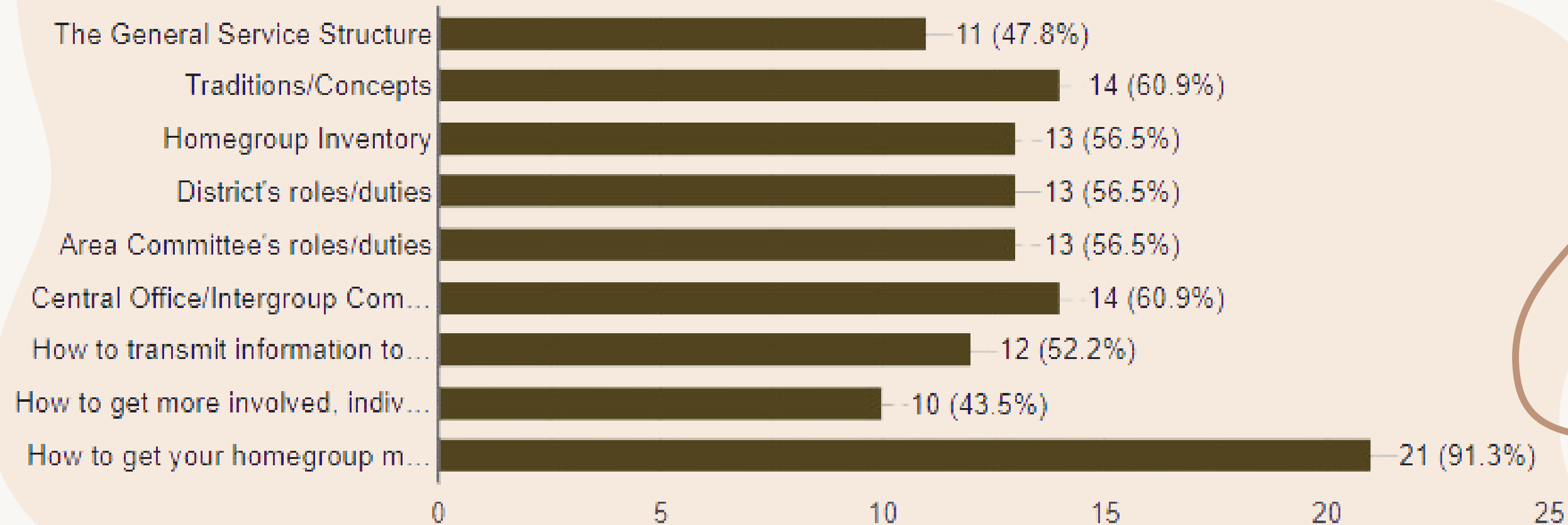Virtual Coffee Hour

Taking a Pulse Survey
A way to get YOUR input on how we can best serve you

Category	Value
The General Service Structure	11 (47.8%)
Traditions/Concepts	14 (60.9%)
Homegroup Inventory	13 (56.5%)
District's roles/duties	13 (56.5%)
Area Committee's roles/duties	13 (56.5%)
Central Office/Intergroup Com...	14 (60.9%)
How to transmit information to...	12 (52.2%)
How to get more involved, indiv...	10 (43.5%)
How to get your homegroup m...	21 (91.3%)

Check your email for the link!

A Vision FROM You

T.T.L.O.
2016-2017

Began the process of "Turning the Lights On" in Area 50

Districts formed back up and participation in the General Service Structure began to take shape once again
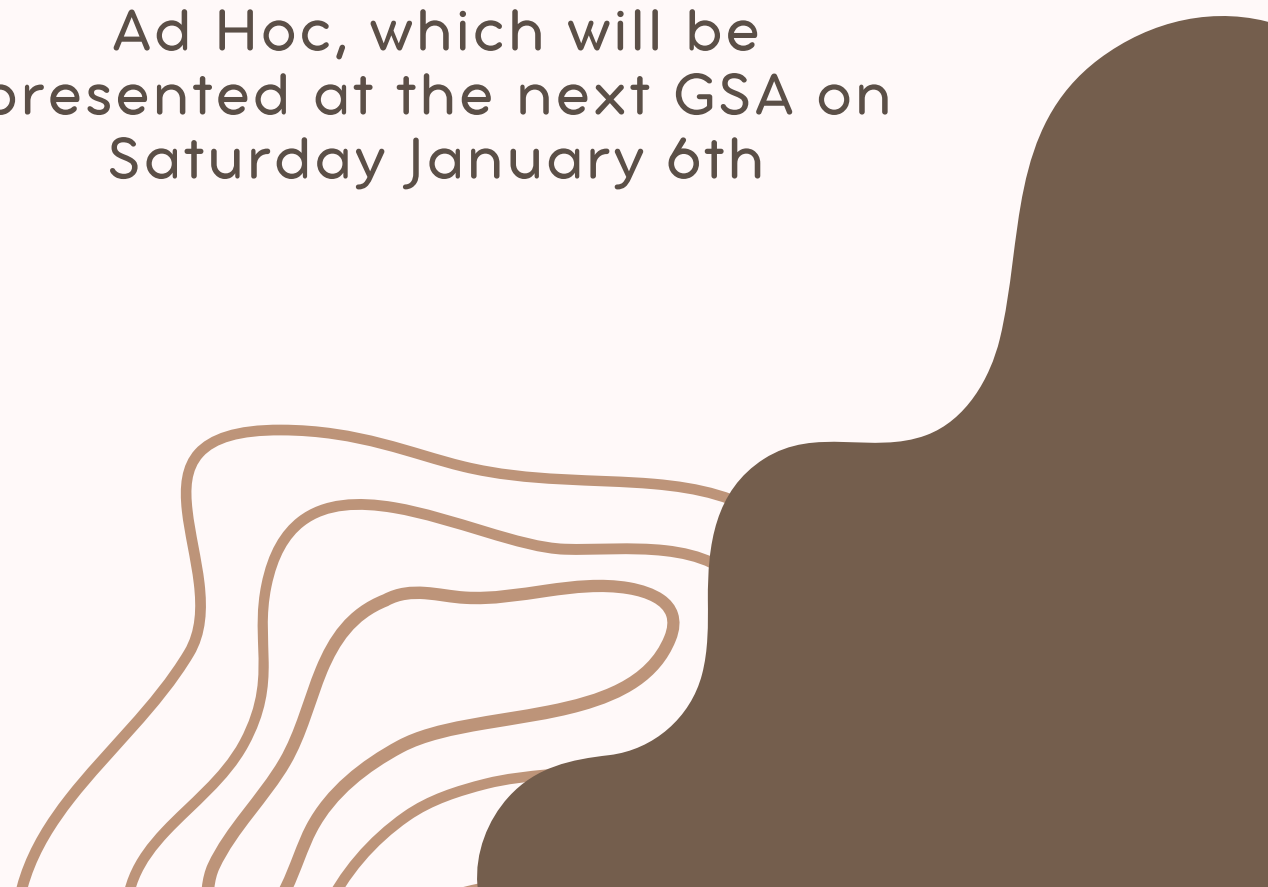
Area Inventory
&
Ad Hoc
2022-2023

After COVID put a bit of a halt to the momentum of T.T.L.O., the Area decided to hold an Area wide inventory to reassess and reevaluate where we were at as as Area

An Ad Hoc Committee formed after to review all of the material – roundtables, the findings from Nikko O, etc.

"A Vision FROM You"
2024

The results concluded by the Ad Hoc, which will be presented at the next GSA on Saturday January 6th

New Panel? What's that?

Panel

The Delegate, Area Chair, Committee Chairs, and Committee Members that are elected to serve for the designated term of the Area they're elected in.

First Panel was in 1950, hence entering into Panel 74!

Area 50

Area 50 has service elections for our Panels every two years on the odd year.
Our Panels are even numbered, because we are an even numbered Area!

Panels are every year, however the term for service is 2 years

For example with Panel 72 > Panel 74, elections for the service chairs were held in 2023, to begin in 2024
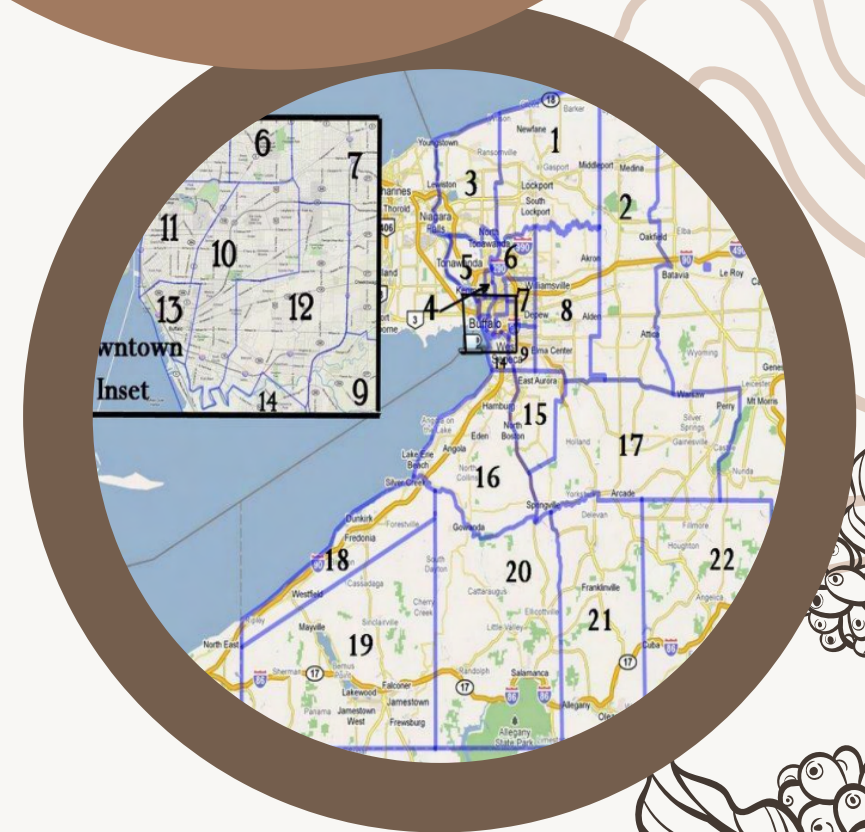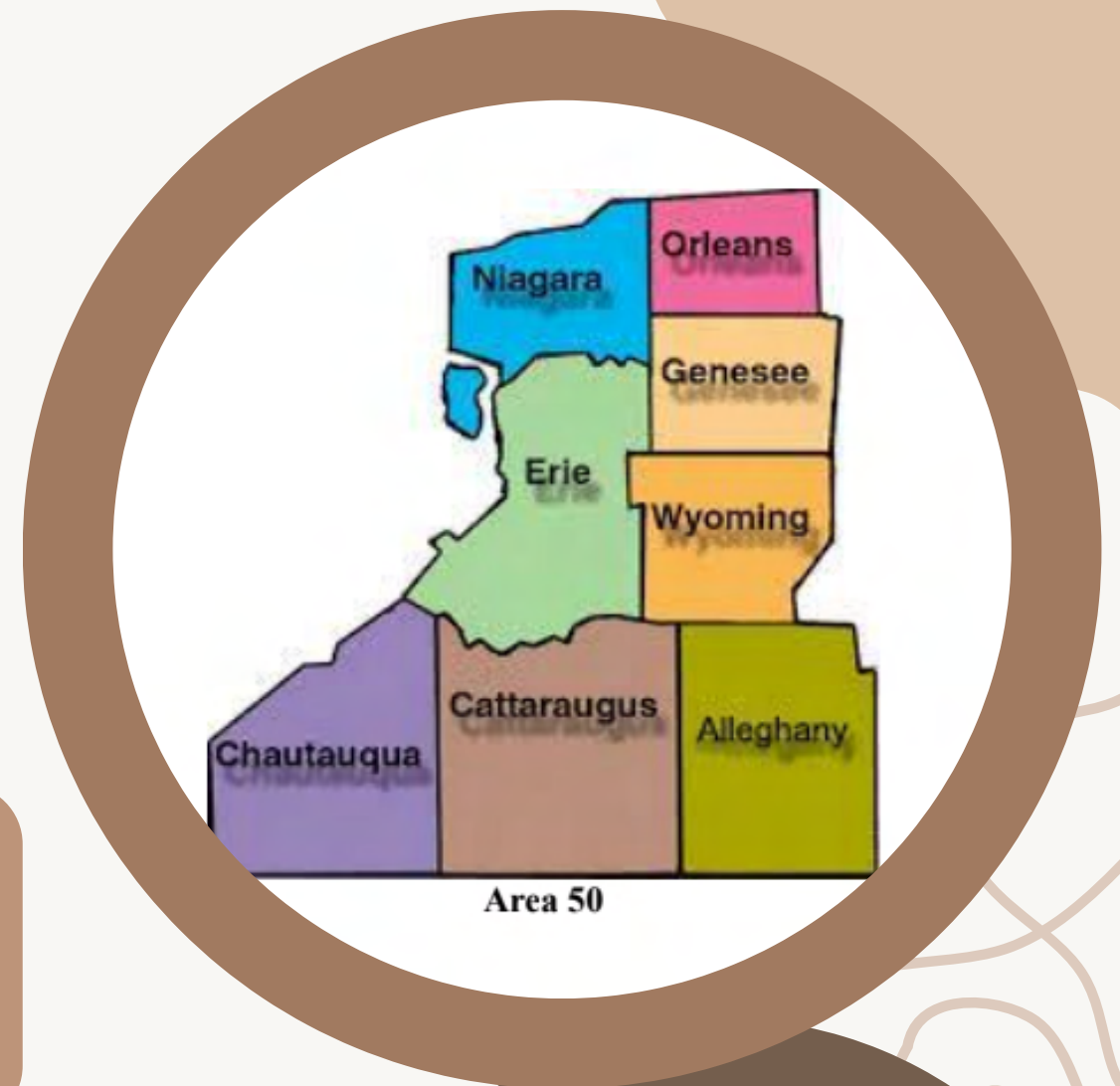
Transitional = Great time to get involved!

Area 50

New Panel = Everyone is new to their positions
Learn, grow & build new connections, together!

GSRs can participate on committees as well!
Continue to grow and be A PART of!

ANYtime is always a great time to get involved!
The only meeting we're late to is our first one!
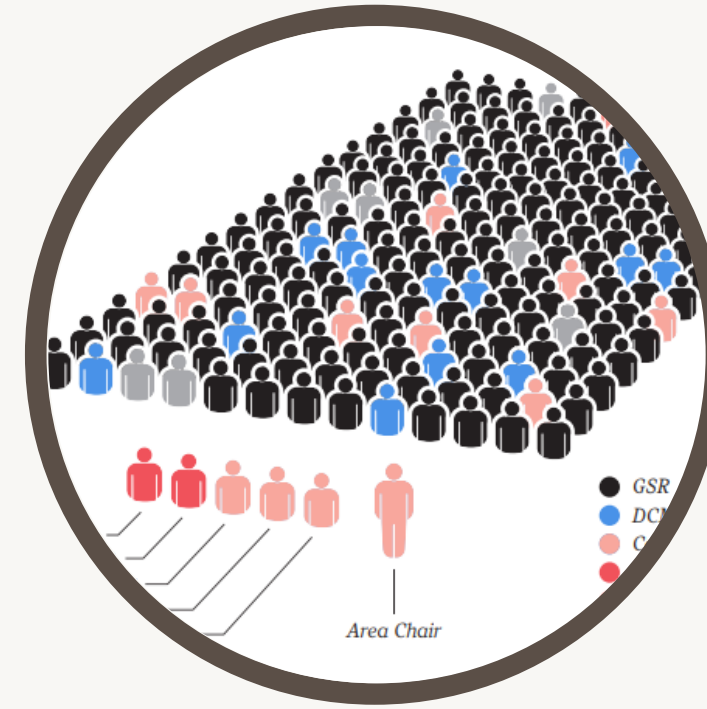
How to get connected...

Area 5O WNY Website

www.area5Owny.org

Attend your District Meeting

Find out your District and when they meet; can refer to the Area Website calendar for meeting days/time

Attend the GSA
Four GSAs a year in Area 5O

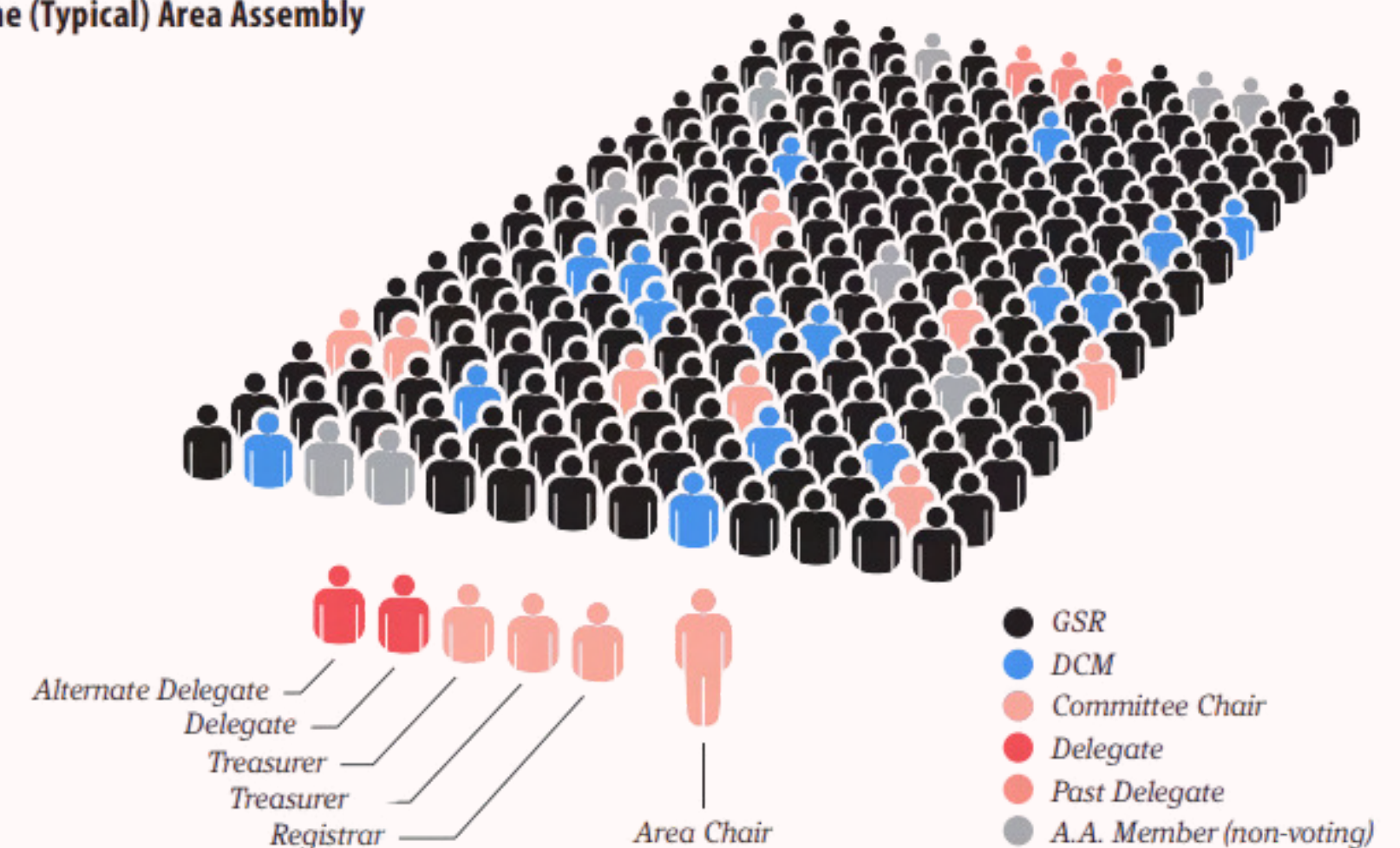Next is January 6th! (this Saturday!)

Why attend the GSA?

- **Share** in inspirational experience with others involved in Service

- **Deepen** your level of sobriety by being of service to others

- **Learn** more about yourself & where you may fit in the General Service Structure

- **Gain** new tools in sobriety

- **Help** carry the message to the alcoholic who still suffers, Tradition 5
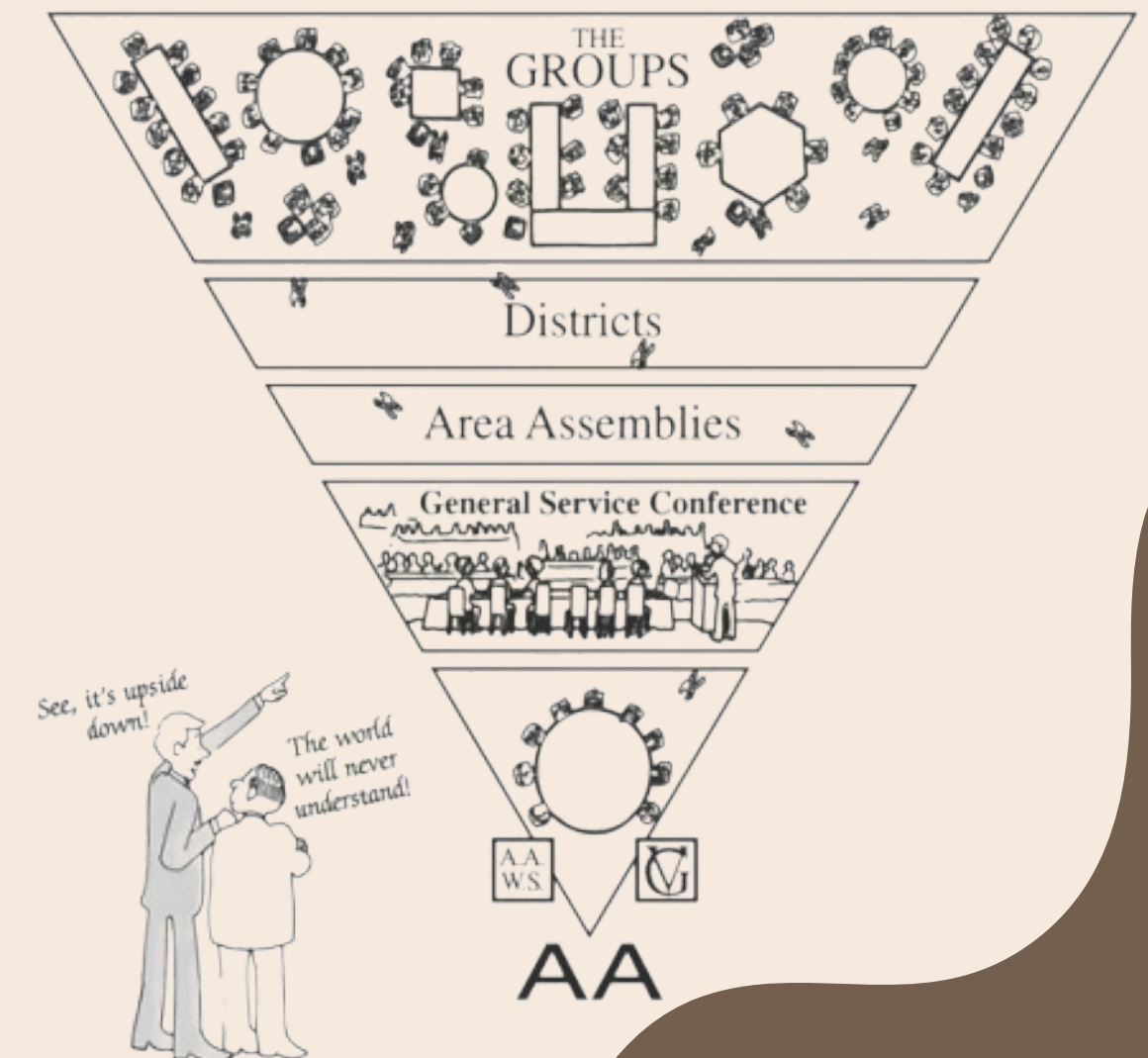
- Get **connected**, get **informed**

The (Typical) Area Assembly

Alternate Delegate
Delegate
Treasurer
Treasurer
Registrar
Area Chair

- GSR
- DCM
- Committee Chair
- Delegate
- Past Delegate
- A.A. Member (non-voting)

What to expect?

- Find out what District you are in, and connect with others in your vicinity

- Hear about matters affecting the legacy of AA

- Service Committee Fair! https://area50wny.org/

- Meet & speak with Committee Chairpersons and Committee Members

- Literature available for purchase

- Lunch! Laughs! and Love!

Saturday Jan 6th
10am–2pm
Holy Trinity Lutheran
1080 Main St, Buffalo

Hybrid option available

If driving/rides are an issue – lets carpool!

Parking lot is small(ish) but street parking is available nearby

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Literacy "Survey"

How should we treat

A.A. Founders' writings?

HOW SHOULD WE TREAT A.A. FOUNDERS' WRITINGS SUGGESTED QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION

1. Do you think that A.A. Founders would object to or embrace revisions to their writings? If yes, why? If not, why?

2. Do you think the Founders' writings are effective in reaching new members? If not, what measures do you think can be taken to resolve this issue?

3. What reasons would you consider for changing our Founders' writings?

4. How do you feel about changing A.A. Founders' writings to replace outdated references?

5. What suggestions do you have for preserving the Founders' writings, along with keeping pace with our current A.A. Society and its future?

6. Should there be a special Conference process for approval of changes to our Founders' writings? (e.g., super, or qualified majority – 75%, and/or 2-year consideration process.)

7. What additional ideas, thoughts or suggestions can you share about changing or not changing the Founders' writings?

I Am Responsible...

When anyone, anywhere,
reaches out for help,
I want the hand of A.A.
always to be there.
And for that: I am responsible.

Thank You!

Questions? Concerns? Comments? Email us!

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