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AN ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE: As we write this edition of the SCI Report, we are filled with an overwhelming feeling of gratefulness for the unprecedented level of cooperation we have received from A.A. groups from across Minnesota. Recently, members within District 1 of Area 35 invited us to speak at the Wild Rice Roundup. SCI put on a Saturday morning workshop on “Sponsorship” there and provided the speaker for Saturday night. Additionally, the West Central Regional Trustee and the

Area 36 Delegate have both agreed to speak at our annual convention in September. Finally, SCI just received a donation from a new group in Central MN bringing donations from individual groups to nearly twenty. Thank you to everyone involved in this effort to “Carry the Message.” We are most grateful for your support.

COOPERATION WITH THE PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY (CPC):

SCI has a robust CPC program. Last year we provided A.A. information to over 130 professionals. To illustrate, a member from SCI presents information on A.A. to nearly a dozen professionals in the alcoholism field monthly. Additionally, Alan S., a SCI volunteer, recently presented information on A.A. to over 50 nursing students at St. Cloud State University (SCSU). Lastly, later this spring SCI will present information on the “A.A. Solution” to members of the Central MN Mental Health Task Force.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED: SCI has nearly forty volunteers who bring meetings into the St. Cloud Prison, speak at treatment centers and clinics, put on workshops and PI booths, and help with our annual convention (Sep 19, 2026). However, we always have room for more. As one of our SCI volunteers likes to say, “There’s plenty of service work to go around.” If you or your group are interested in “Carrying the Message,” please come to one of our monthly business meetings. We’d love to provide you with an opportunity to work your 12th Step.

WHEN IS THE NEXT SCI BUSINESS MEETING? Please join us at our next business meeting on **Mar 9, 2026, at 6pm in the Midtown Office Building, Suite 302.** If you would like to attend virtually, you’ll find instructions to do so on the landing page of our website. Just scan the QR code on the top of this page, and you’ll be taken to our webpage.



The below announcements are provided as a service by SCI to the fellowship. The listing of these events does not imply endorsement or sponsorship of the event.



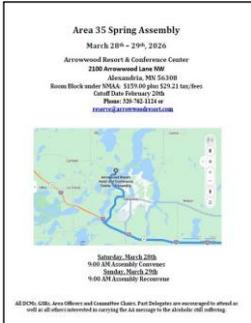
19TH ANNUAL BIG OLE ROUND-UP – MAR 6-8, 2026:

Join us for the 19th Annual Big Ole Roundup held at the Holiday Inn in Alexandria, MN, March 6-8, 2026. Throughout the weekend there will be AA and Al-Anon meetings, speakers, and a workshop led by the guest speakers. There will also be literature and merchandise available to purchase. See schedule and more information on the area 35 website, www.area35.org. Registration is required.



ANNUAL STEARNS COUNTY ROUND-UP – MAR 28, 2026:

The 2026 Stearns County Round-up, featuring speakers and food, is scheduled for March 28, 2026, in Cold Spring, MN. This is a new location for the Round-Up, and it is sure to be a good one. Guest speakers from A.A. and Al-Anon will be there to inform and inspire attendees. The doors will open at 5:30pm and dinner will be served at 6:30pm. There is an Open Meeting at 8pm where everyone is welcome. Join the good folks of Stearns County for this annual celebration of serenity and sobriety. For more information, call Dean at: 320-429-1258.



ANNUAL AREA 35 SPRING ASSEMBLY – MAR 28-29, 2026:

The 2026 Area 35 (Northern Minnesota) Spring Assembly is scheduled for March 28th – 29th, 2026, at the Arrowwood Resort & Conference Center, 2100 Arrowwood Lane NW, Alexandria, MN 56308. Note: This assembly is for all DCMs, GSRs, Area Officers, and Committee Chairs. Past delegates and others A.A. members willing to “Carry the Message” are also encouraged to attend. Important items like the Area Budget and other topics pertinent to A.A. in northern Minnesota will be discussed and voted upon.



43RD ANNUAL GRATITUDE NIGHT – APRIL 11, 2026:

This Annual event, to support the Minneapolis Intergroup, is sure to be a crowd pleaser. Sometimes referred to as the “A.A. Prom,” the theme for this year’s event is “Sobriety Under the Stars.” Held once again at the Minneapolis Convention Center, the event fee is only \$25. The Minneapolis Intergroup provides a wide variety of services for the greater Minneapolis area. Services like: An A.A. assistance telephone line, a bookstore, an A.A. Orientation Meeting, a website, and meeting directories. Come out and support this important organization and enjoy some “Sobriety Under the Stars.”

SAVE THE DATE: Our 13th Annual SCI AA Convention will be held on Saturday, **September 19, 2026**. Mark your calendars for this annual celebration of sobriety!