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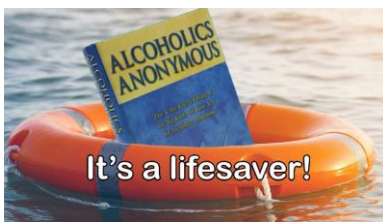
100 EDITIONS OF THE SCI REPORT: When the first edition of the SCI Report came out 100 months ago, we had a small subscriber list. We questioned whether it was even worth the time and energy to do a newsletter. Nonetheless, we forged ahead because we believed we could provide a valuable service to the region's A.A. groups, i.e., providing prompt and essential information about 12 Step opportunities and A.A. events. Our first edition went out to approximately 100 people and at once the feedback told us we were on to something.

Today, our subscriber list has over 2,000 names! We continue to publish on the first of the month and our mission hasn't changed. We created the SCI Report to let A.A. groups know about 12 Step opportunities in Central MN and to let the A.A. fellowship know about upcoming A.A. gatherings. We want to thank all our faithful subscribers for their messages of encouragement and appreciation for the SCI Report. Here's to the next 100 editions!



12 STEP OPPORTUNITIES: Currently, SCI has 18 distinct locations in Central MN where we provide either A.A. speakers or A.A. meetings. We recently added Paynesville to the locations where we “carry the message.” Now our service work takes us as far north as Little Falls and as far south as Eden Prairie. If you or someone in your group has a passion for “carrying the message,” please come to our next Intergroup meeting. There are ample service opportunities for everyone. If you're

unable to attend the business meeting, you can always reach us on our SCI hotline at: **320-204-6005.**



WHEN IS THE NEXT SCI BUSINESS MEETING?

Please join us at our next business meeting on **Aug 10, 2026, at 6pm in the Midtown Office Building, Suite 302.** If you would like to attend virtually, you'll find instructions on the landing page of our website. Also, please save the date of

September 19, 2026, to attend our 13th Annual SCI (A.A.) Convention. We have a new location and format for this year's event. However, coffee is still free and admission is still \$5.00. Tickets are now on sale and available from any SCI Representative.



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.



JULY 31- AUG 2, – 20TH ANNUAL BILL AND LOIS WEEKEND:

The 20th annual gathering of friends of Bill and Lois will take place on the first weekend in Aug at Camp Hiawatha near Deer River, MN. This weekend will be filled with camping, campfire meetings, and speakers from Grand Rapids, MN and Montana. Activities to engage in over the weekend besides AA and Al-Anon meetings include volleyball, tether ball, paddleboards, kayaks, fishing and swimming. Registration is only \$20 and scholarships are available. If you would like more information, please contact **Eva R: 612-743-8523**.



AUGUST 7-9, – 18TH SUMMER WILD RICE ROUNDUP:

This incredible weekend will be held at the Sandhill Bible Camp which is found six miles south of Fosston, MN on County Rd. 3. Attendees are encouraged to bring their own bedding and warm clothes for cool evenings. AA and Al-Anon speakers will fill the weekend as well as swimming, horseshoes, volleyball and cribbage. Campfires will conclude the day and there and provide opportunities to practice mindfulness and meditation. For more information about this weekend please contact **Pam at: 612-250-1171**.



AUGUST 14-16, – 49TH ANNUAL CORNHUSKER ROUNDUP & OR THE MINNEAPOLIS INTERGROUP OPEN HOUSE ON AUG 15:

Journey on 35W to I-80 to attend the 49th Annual Cornhusker Roundup Aug 14-16. However, if you don't want to drive out of town, you can always attend the Minneapolis Intergroup's Unity Open House on Aug 15.



SATURDAY SEPT 19, – 13TH ANNUAL SCI CONVENTION

This annual one-day event is a fantastic opportunity to get the newcomer interested in attending A.A. functions. It is a one-day convention that provides attendees with information on A.A. service opportunities, helpful hints for recovery and other useful information. Featured speakers are our: West Central Regional Trustee, and our Area 36 Delegate. Doors will open at 11:30am and admission is still only \$5. Come for an hour or stay for the day. You won't be disappointed that you did. Tickets are on sale now and can be bought from any SCI Intergroup Representative. For more information call the SCI hotline at: **320-204-6005**.