## 2019 Convention Chair Report AWSC February 2019 Report dated: January 21,2019

## **IMAGINE**

The 30th North Florida Area Convention September 6-8,2019

Registration is \$35.00, \$10.00 for Alateen. Join us at the Trade Winds Resort, Rooms start at \$139.00 per night, free parking for hotel guests. Pre purchase a box lunch for \$20.00 and \$40.00 for the Saturday Night Banquet. Publicity Items: Neck Wallets \$6.50 Water bottle is \$12.00; T-shirts are \$15.00. (2XL are \$17.00). Our website is www.convention2019.d7afg.org where you can register online or print out a form, fill it out and mail it in. We have a Spanish page for those of you who prefer registering in Spanish. Plan to visit the boutique, raffle and literature tables in the pavilion. Entertainment has your Friday and Saturday evening events planned

The convention has need for an Alateen Chairperson.. send me an email if you are an AMIAS and willing to get involved in this amazing convention.

The Convention Committee ran the logo by our Delegate to ensure that the Al-Anon Symbol trademark was not altered in any way. The publicity chairperson then created the IMAGINE logo.

According to the Area Charter, the Convention Chairperson becomes an Ad Hoc Member of the Board of Directors (BOD) for the period of time he/she is Convention Chairperson. This is primarily due to contractual and financial obligations that the Convention has with respect to the business of Al-Anon, Area 9. I will represent the Convention on the BOD for approximately one year. This is a new role for the Convention Chairperson and I embrace the opportunity.

Since the 2018 Fall Assembly the following has taken place:

- 2018 and 2019 Chairs met for turnover meeting where each of the 2018 chairs turned over a jump drive to the 2019 corresponding chairs. TECHNOLOGY no heavy binders.
- Registration for the convention, box lunch and banquet ticket and hotel reservations are up to speed. Our treasury has funds to meet our needs. REGISTER EARLY

Drafted program schedule and finalized the workshop packages to be assigned and distributed at AWSC to all districts.

Literature Chairperson ,using KBDM, will determine how we move forward. Do we purchase literature from District 7 ? or The World Service Office ?

Prepared Raffle flyer, Hospitality flyer and Boutique flyer for distribution to districts at AWSC

Prepared the program for the Serenity room and distributed flyer at AWSC.

Spanish program and AA program are ready to meet the diverse need of our fellowship.

Please see me if you are spiritually lead to volunteer. IMAGINE all the People living the Al-Anon way In loving service Kathy S 2019 Convention Chairperson