

DISTRICT 2
February 2020 AWSC

2019 was a very good year for us as we continue holding district meetings monthly. Our format is an AFG meeting from 10:00 to 10:45AM followed by the business meeting from 10:45 to 12 :00PM. During our AFG meeting in 2018 we studied the Twelve Steps, 2019 The Twelve Traditions and for 2020 have begun the study of the Twelve Concepts. Groups volunteer to speak on the Concept or perform a skit. We voted as a group to hold our monthly D2 meetings at First United Methodist Church in High Springs. It is the central most point of our District, and we have a wonderful relationship with the church staff. The meetings in 2019 were well attended and members seem to be happy with the location.

An Area 9 Service Workshop, *Imagine*, hosted by District 1 was held in Ocala on October 26th. It was well attended and we all learned how important service in Al-Anon is to our recovery.

We have a few unfilled service positions including Alternate DR, Alateen Coordinator, Newsletter Coordinator, and Archives Coordinator. However, it is an election year. We are encouraging new members to step up and fill all positions. We have added Policy Committee Chair and Steering Committee Chair this panel who are doing some amazing work.

District 2 now has 31 meetings per week, including 2 introductory meetings. Our one ALateen meeting has closed, but not due to lack of interest, the teens became the age to attend Al-Anon. We are always looking for ways to start new Alateen meetings through our Public Outreach. There is also an Al-Anon meeting on certain Friday nights at the Marion County Women's Jail in Ocala.

There are two Workshops planned for 2020. A Workshop on Safety in Al-Anon Meetings, *Love vs Insanity*, will be held February 29th in Lake City. Districts 1,2,3, &4 are holding a Conflict Resolution Workshop, *Conflict Café*, on April 4th in Gainesville.

The District 2 website has been revamped and continues to gain new features. Please visit alanonfla2.org for the latest information. On the website you will find our District Newsletter, also new this panel.

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