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Office news:

Traffic at the AIS Office in December was very slow, the slowest it has been since last May. The AIS Office still needs individuals interested in training to fill in for Richard when he is ill or on vacation. The AIS Board would like to have at least three volunteers that have flexible schedules who would be available to serve. Please prayerfully consider this valuable service opportunity.

AIS BOARD Meeting:

At the last AIS Quarterly Membership Meeting in December, the Board Chairman was asked by an Alternate Group Rep to please include a report to the membership in this newsletter.

Greetings from the AIS Board of Trustees Chair:

Recovery is alive and well in the State of Oklahoma. I am truly grateful for the Worldwide Fellowship of Al-Anon. I would like to begin by saying thank you to Lori, Toby, Joan, Suzetta, Charlie, Michelle, Janis, Vicki, Cathy and Richard. Without this team of Board members, treasurer and office secretary, we could not have accomplished all that we have. I would like to especially thank all of those past Board members and volunteers that have come and gone before me for their contributions and efforts to give this fellowship the foundation that we still build upon today. As the March Board of Trustees Elections approach, I have good reason to reflect on the accomplishments of the last two years. Some of these accomplishments are:

- Improving the process of ordering literature using an online order form and receiving literature through the mail.
- Documenting the daily processes of the AIS office to support the effort of easily training new volunteers to run the office when the office secretary is not available.
- Resume selling AIS CAL at the quarterly Eat & Speaks.
- Begin monthly newsletters.
- Begin publishing/posting monthly newsletters on the Al-Anon website.

The March Board elections are upon us. It is imperative to our fellowship that we step up to service work and ask what you can do for Al-Anon. You are the lifeblood of our fellowship and I would urge you to prayerfully consider serving as a member of the AIS Board of Trustees. My life has been dramatically changed for the better through service work and the fellowship of Al-Anon. It has been an honor and a pleasure to serve you.

In Service, Recovery and Unity,

Mike McC., AIS Board of Trustees Chair

Meeting changes: The Enid meeting has moved to Grace Place, 802 S. Cleveland St.

Calendar of Events: February 5th, 2011 Sat., 1-3pm Eat N Speak hosted by Saturday Serenity