LANSING CENTRAL AA
GENERAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
June 1, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 by Doug G. with the Serenity Prayer and Unity Statement.

Roll Call: Carrie H. – 23 of 29 groups (Quorum)
Readings: 6th Tradition-John R. 6th Concept-Christy
Volunteers for next month: 7th Tradition-Nate S. 7th Concept-John W.
Additions to Agenda: None.
Approval of May 2026 Minutes (as corrected): 1st Christy 2nd-Monica Z. All in Favor – YES
Corrections included changing the current readings to 5th tradition and concept instead of 4th and changing the next month's tradition and concept to 6th, not 5th.
Standing Committee Reports
Treasurer: Present –Treasurer Nate S. He presented financial statements that showed a $1233.17 loss for the period January 1-June 1, 2026. He noted that Protessional Fees were paid in a different month than the previous year and were $500.00 higher due to a price increase by the firm that prepares the tax documents. He also indicated that the Balance Sheet was updated to reflect Inventory Accuracy (less $20,000.00). It was suggested that this be noted on future balance sheets throughout the year. He noted that Alternate Treasurer Tony B. worked with Belinda to update the budget to a $0.00 balance.
Answering Service: Present – Dolores P. announced there are 3 open shifts, and other shifts that need help. The Executive Committee will talk about possible summer hours at their next meeting. It was suggested that the open shifts be emailed to the entire group so that the GSRs can promote them at their meetings. It was also suggested that the vacant shifts be promoted in the newsletter, with the clause "open at this time". It was agreed that the current flyer be updated. Doug G. will look at the flyer and make updates. Mike agreed to put it in the next newsletter.
Group Liaison: Vacant.
Treatment: Absent – Lacey M. A list of contributions for the Treatment Committee was provided, totaling $1,225.51.
Corrections: Present – Mardi M. provided a written report and noted that only one meeting was cancelled due to volunteer cancellations. She mentioned they continue to gain volunteers. They are still working on the possibility of working with Eaton and Clinton Counties. She supplied the group with a copy of the flyer made by co-chair Kelly C. highlighting the ways that people can support the Lansing Central AA's Corrections Committee.
Newsletter: The June newsletter is out. There are currently two helpers working with Mike (Andy and Allison). It was noted that the June newsletter was copied at Staples with a higher fee of $4.00 per newsletter. The Executive Committee will discuss the newsletter price at its next meeting. It was noted that the newsletter committee needs AA members to profile for July and August.
C.P.C.: VACANT
Membership: Present – Carrie H. Alisa agreed to take roll call at the July 6 meeting, as Carrie won't be able to attend.
Activities: Present – Monica Z. Everyone was thanked for attending The Celebration of Sobriety. It was noted that 141 people attended (approximately 20 more than last year). It was also noted that we need to have more Turkey and Ham available next year. Monica asked that the monies collected at Celebration of Sobriety (50/50, basket, and literature sales) be credited to Celebration of Sobriety income. The next events scheduled are the Annual Picnic on August 23rd, at Patriarche Park from 10 am – 2 pm, and the Open House at Central on November 21st. The committee is also working on putting together a Sponsorship workshop. The next meeting of the committee is June 11th, 5:30 pm, at the Lansing Central AA office.

It was asked why the Schedule of Events was not updated and included in the June newsletter, as well as why no events appeared on the website. It was noted that it was unknown that the group wanted an event schedule in every newsletter, as well as a lack of volunteer service. The Social Media/Web position

is currently Vacant. It was noted that the volunteers do not need to be a GSR to service on the Social Media/Web committee.
Fundraising Committee: Present co-chairs Lisa R. and Delores M. No report. It was noted that the event that took place in in the Allen Street Neighborhood turned out to be one artist in AA that agreed to donate a portion of what he sold to Central. It was agreed that Central's name shouldn't have appeared on the flyer, but it was too late to stop it.
Public Info: Vacant.
Office Manager: Present – Belinda T. The office will be closed on Friday, July 3rd.
Archives: Absent-David W.
Social Media/Web: VACANT
Executive Committee Secretary: Present – Denise M. It was noted that someone will need to take minutes at the July 6th meeting as Denise will be out of town.
Chair Elect: Present - Wally J. No report.
Member at Large: Present – Justin W. Suggested changes to the bylaws were provided in writing (see attached). 1st Wally J. 2nd-Nate S.. All in Favor – YES. Justin will talk to Belinda regarding updating other areas of the bylaws.
Chairman: Present-Doug G. He is looking into possible summer hours for the office, as well as a possible answering service.
District 6: Present -Pam M. No report.
Alano Club West: Absent -Don W.
Old Business: District 6 Representative: Steven announced he was sent by District 6 as an Alternate in Pam's absence. He talked about the ways District 6 is looking to use the excess funds they have, to include possible grants and purchasing literature for groups that need it. The group agreed that we need to check with Belinda to figure out if working with District 6 violates any of the traditions. People were invited to attend District 6 meetings, which take place on the last Wednesday of the month at Edgewood Church at 6 pm (zoom is also available).
New Business: Approval of 2026 Budget Revisions, as presented:). 1st Wally J. 2nd-Lisa R. All in Favor – YES

Closed with the Responsibility Statement
Adjourned at 7:15pm Next Meeting July 6, 2026, 6:00 pm