

Chairman's Preview Aug 2021

We continue to adjust to the global emergency that keeps forcing us to innovate and adopt new and different practices to serve the still suffering alcoholic and to serve each other. I am conscious of the fact that I'm not the same person that I was before the pandemic and there's no way back there either. However, I'm grateful for my sobriety and the people that are part of that today.

I'd like to thank District 70 for all the work done to make the Summer Assembly possible. The results; great number of new attendees to an assembly, successful registration method implemented by our brilliant Area Registrar, Claudia and the highlight, our awesome presenters sharing from their heart on different topics on all the workshops.

We presented one item new business with suggestions for changes in the book, *Living Sober*. We voted on the motion regarding a request to the trustees' literature committee for a one-page summary of the six Warranties after a reconsideration at the Post Conference Assembly.

CNCA takes its inventory every two years at the Fall Assembly (this year, it will be in November 6. We are asking for your help to collect suggested inventory questions from districts, groups, and members. Submissions due by September 25.

As we continue to hear of AA meetings and groups reopening in person, Area Officers are considering resuming in-person Area Committee Meetings in January 2022, although we do not know what that will look like. We also do not know if committees and sharing sessions will return to in-person meetings.

At our next ACM, we will continue the discussion for the distribution of the CNCA newsletters (Comments / Comentarios) electronically or by mail, and a motion funding the cost of \$4,640 for the translation of the CNCA Discussion and Reports section of the *Area Motions Book*.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve.

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