

ECCNA 29 Host Committee Meeting 3.10.26

1. Opening Serenity Prayer – All
2. Twelve Traditions – Rosemary
3. Roll Call – (quorum is half +1 from last mtg)

P: Present	A: Absent	A/E: Absent Excused	
POSITION	NAME		3/10/2026
Chair		Rosemary Hancock	P
Vice Chair		Lisa Sparks	P
Treasurer		Shawna Barr	P
Alt Treasurer		Jason Whitener	A
Secretary		Anita Sweet	P
Alt Secretary		Johnna Anderson	A
Site Liaison		David Hicks	P
Arts & Graphics Chair		Michael Stone	P
Arts & Graphics Vice Chair		Don Knapp	A
Auction Chair		Ben Beaumont	P
Auction Vice Chair		Ben Simpson	P
Convention Information Chair		Susan Harris	A/E
Convention Information Vice Chair		Edith Taylor	P
Entertainment/Fundraising Chair		Joe Toal	P
Entertainment/Fundraising Vice Chair		Bobbie Jo D.	P
Hospitality Chair		Estelle Hilfstein	P
Hospitality Vice Chair		Frank Jones	P
Marathon Chair		Cory Smith	A/E
Marathon Vice Chair		Mark Ramos	A/E
Merchandise Chair		John Phelps	P
Merchandise Vice Chair		Ray Schandera	P
Program Chair		Lindsey Page	P
Program Vice Chair		Bill McWhorter	P
Registration Chair		Sherry Hopkins	P
Registration Vice Chair		Kasey Fuller	P
Serenity Keeper Chair		Richard Esco	P
Serenity Keeper Vice Chair		Fred H	P

4. Previous Meeting Minutes – Approved
5. Chair Report - Rosemary (report attached)
6. Vice Chair Report – Lisa (report attached)
7. Treasurer Report – Shawna (report attached)
8. Site Liaison Report – David H

9. Subcommittee Chair Reports – *notes below or attached and included in the minutes.

Arts/Graphics-Michael/Don (report attached)

- a. Working on Convention Artwork
- b. Presented Convention Artwork – have time to consider & send feedback.

Auction-Ben

- a. Working on items for the raffle and the auction.
- b. Keeping inventory of items for batching & organization.
- c. Please reach out to them if you have items to donate.
- d. Had a good practice run from GRCNA

Convention Information-Susan/Edith

- a. Has been sending information to the Areas, H & I Chairs, and local treatment centers.

Entertainment/Fundraising-Joe/BobbieJo

- a. The fundraiser has been moved to **March 28th** in Conyers. Bring your best chili and be ready to welcome all who attend!
- b. Reminder – if you have raffle tickets, bring the \$ in March.

Hospitality-Estelle/Frank

1. was able to attend the last walk-through where I was able to get a very good grasp of the layout.
 2. was really impressed with the accessibility the accommodations available to us the size of the room that also has a great vibe like a gather room to socialize in.
 3. The thinking is to make purchases about a month out, so we have a good grasp on the numbers of registrars.
- Gratefully Estelle & Frank

Merchandise Chair-John/Ray

Programming- Lindsey (Tony is stepping down to focus on his family)

- a. Lindsey has prepared the programming schedule.
- c. hours of operation – nothing begins until Friday afternoon.

Registration-Sherry/ (report attached)

Serenity Keeper-Richard/Fred

- a. Had a call with Lisa to review the schedule.
- b. Will attend the fundraisers.

Marathon Chair & Vice-Chair –Cory/Mark

10. Old Business –

Convention Artwork –

- A&G sent the artwork to the committee for prior review.
- Time to vote!
- Motion to go with the first logo presented - **PASSED**

11. New Business –

12. Nominations/Elections —

- Lindsey as Programming Chair **PASSED**
 - i. Motion to nominate Joe, seconded by Lindsey
- Bill will move to Programming Vice-Chair **PASSED**

13. Open Forum –

- Discussion of Entertainment – why spend \$ on entertainment?
- May be an option to have a DJ – they just asked for a room night at a local hotel.
- Rosemary reminds the Subcommittee of their autonomy to decide what they can do, as long as they are within their budgets.

14. Announcements/Upcoming Events –

- **Fundraiser – Mar 28, 2026, 10 am-2 pm; 2800 GA-138, Conyers, GA 30094**
- Please pay attention to the suggested timeline!
- All Committee members need to be registered and on campus for the weekend.
- **Next college visit will be in MAY – waiting for the college to confirm which day.**

15. Next Meeting – **April 14, 2025, 7 PM**

- Tuesday, May 12 (Regular Meeting)
- Tuesday, May 26
- Tuesday, June 2
- Tuesday, June 9
- Tuesday, June 16

16. Closing Serenity Prayer

Host Committee Chair Report

Hey everyone!

We are 3 months away from the convention! I am so excited.

We have artwork to vote on tonight. I am excited to hear updates from all other subcommittees!

Friendly Reminder:

The merchandise and registration hours have to be approved by the board, along with merchandise pricing. They will also need to approve our main speakers. This is not a big deal as they will likely go with our recommendations. This can all be found in our host policy if you need to reference it. I am telling you this just so you know that I will present our decisions after we make them for final approval.

It was a quiet board meeting again and there's nothing for me to report to you from the last board meeting. I will be presenting all of our suggestions for merch vendors, registration packet vendors, entertainment suggestions and main speakers at the April board meeting for their approval.

John, Shawna, Lisa and I sold merchandise and spread the word about ECCNA on Sunday morning at GRCNA and it was a great way to get the word out!

We will do a final college visit in May, or very early June. I will get that date in the next week or 2, as I will ask that everyone attend.

If you are not registered, now is the time. Also, PLEASE be sure ECCNA is announced in all the meetings you are attending.

I am available should you need anything at all.

Thank all of you for serving with me. It's truly an honor.

Rosemary H
404-889-2142

Vice-Chair Report – 3.10.26

This past month I attended the board meeting. As Rosemary reported it was another short and sweet meeting. I also met with the Serenity Keepers Chair and Vice Chair. We reviewed the expectations for on site duties, preparing for on site, current list of volunteers and ordering t-shirts. Let them know admin will handle the golf cart rental but they will be responsible for the carts on site as well as the radios. Next I met with the Merchandise Chair and Vice Chair. We discussed which room to set up in on site, proposed vendors, proposed merchandise to sell onsite, onsite expectations and responsibilities and who can handle money. They are aware they need to obtain 3 bids for the merchandise order to be approved by the board as well as the operation hours onsite. This will be submitted at the April board meeting. Lastly I met with the Program Vice Chair and we reviewed and revised the first draft of the program, discussed proposed main speakers, format for workshops and main meetings and onsite expectations and responsibilities. Also discussed using a QR code for the program and adding some other information to the QR code as well. I attended GRCNA and was able to see what worked and what we may need to do different. Helped Merchandise sell shirts on Sunday morning and talked up the convention. Also sold several raffle tickets. I will be attending the fundraiser on March 21 in Albany and will give Rosemary my tickets and money at that time to take to Joe. I will out of town on March 28 and not able to attend the bingo fundraiser. Please let me know if you have any questions or need any assistance.

In loving service, Lisa S.

ECCNA 29 Treasurer Report

Date:	7/8/2025	8/12/2025	9/9/2025	10/14/2025	11/11/2025	12/9/2025	1/13/2026	2/10/2026	3/10/2026
Beginning Balance:	-	(12,836.14)	(12,954.73)	(13,451.71)	(15,422.93)	(14,215.25)	(17,962.74)	(26,253.47)	(44,932.53)
Less Adjustments:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Starting Balance:	-	(12,836.14)	(12,954.73)	(13,451.71)	(15,422.93)	(14,215.25)	(17,962.74)	(26,253.47)	(44,932.53)

Money In	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February
Registration	(11,469.00)	789.00	(515.00)	(256.00)	(154.50)	(154.50)	(8,562.94)	(16,180.78)	(12,912.78)
Merchandise	-	-	-	(705.00)	-	(1,445.00)	-	-	(250.00)
Fundraising	-	(950.00)	-	(1,440.15)	-	(1,132.00)	-	(3,985.00)	-
Newcomer Donation	(115.00)	-	-	(151.50)	(21.58)	(187.00)	-	-	-
Gross Profit	(11,584.00)	(161.00)	(515.00)	(2,552.65)	(176.08)	(2,918.50)	(8,562.94)	(20,165.78)	(13,162.78)
Square Fees	237.00			32.05		29.46			
PayPal Fees	12.09	42.41	18.02	6.83	5.85	5.05	272.21	523.81	428.98
Net Income	(11,334.91)	(118.59)	(496.98)	(2,513.77)	(170.23)	(2,883.99)	(8,290.73)	(19,641.97)	(12,733.80)

Money Out:	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February
AB Expenses		-	-	-	-	10.00	-	-	-
Host Admin		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Convention Info		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arts & Graphics		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Entertainment & Fundraising		-	-	-	480.00	-	-	-	-
Serenity Keepers		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hospitality		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Registration		-	-	-	-	-	-	51.50	-
Merchandise		-	-	542.55	897.91	-	-	911.41	-
Auction		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Program		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Site Costs		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expense	-	-	-	542.55	1,377.91	10.00	-	962.91	-

Net Profit:	(11,334.91)	(118.59)	(496.98)	(1,971.22)	1,207.68	(2,873.99)	(8,290.73)	(18,679.06)	(12,733.80)
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Accounting Adjustment	(1,501.23)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Ending Balance:	(12,836.14)	(12,954.73)	(13,451.71)	(15,422.93)	(14,215.25)	(17,089.24)	(26,253.47)	(44,932.53)	(57,666.33)
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Convention Information Report

March 10, 2026

The CI Committee has sent out the convention information to Areas and Regions considered part of East Coast. We have a few areas that we are working to get email contacts from a Regional Contact.

Currently we are working to get the Treatment Center contacts from the H&I Chairs to send out the convention information.

A question we have for this committee is the registration fee for the treatment centers to bring their residents? With this information we can then move forward with our communication to the H&I Treatment Centers for NE GA and Extreme Northern Area.

As a reminder: we have an email address: convention.info.eccna29@gmail.com.

In loving service,

Susan H. and Edith T.

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03/10/2026

Merchandise report

Hello to all. Lisa, Ray, and I recently have touched base via zoom to discuss merchandise hours and outside vendors. We came up with proposed hours of operation:

Friday: 3pm-7pm, 9pm-10pm

Saturday: 9am-5pm, 9pm-10pm

Sunday: 9am-12pm

Have sent three outside vendor proposals to the chair to be approved by the board. Parable Design, Living Clean soaps, and Clean Recovery Gifts. Will get three bids for the on site merchandise when we finalize the artwork.

ILS, John P.

Program Chair Report 03/10/2026:

Attached is the first draft of the program, times are subject to change due to not knowing the times or events of other subcommittees. When I have more information, I will update accordingly. Workshops are going to be 1 hour long with only 1 workshop speaker. The readings will only be read for the main speakers and speaker panel. Main speakers will be introduced by the chair. As of right now we have 1 speaker picked out for each of the main speaker meetings. Friday night Teddy A over 35 years clean from Chesapeake PA. Saturday afternoon there will be a speaker panel of 4 people. We checked with the board, and we do not need to vote on those speakers, and they do not have to meet the standard main speaker requirements, only the workshop speaker requirements. Saturday night David D over 10 years clean from Philly PA. Sunday morning Patti K over 25 years from Clearwater FL.

I am working on my list of chairs and workshop speakers; I am open to suggestions if anyone has someone in mind please reach out to me by phone or email.

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In loving service,

Lindsey P.

ECCNA 29 Young Harris, GA

Friday

3:30-4:30 pm

The Moment We Became Willing (Room 203 Student Senate Chambers)

Service Without Ego (Room 258 Bill and Judy Roberts Classroom)

5:00-6:30 pm Dinner

7:00-8:30 pm Friday Speaker (Room 112 Charles Suber Banquet Hall)

9:00-10:00 pm

From Survival to Surrender (Room 203 Student Senate Chambers)

When Control Stops Working (Room 258 Bill and Judy Roberts Classroom)

Resentment, Fear & The Fourth Step (Room 108 William C Hatcher)

10:00 (open for activity or open share meeting)

Saturday

7:00-8:00 am JFT meeting (Room 108 William C Hatcher)

7:30-9:00 am Breakfast

9:00-10:00 am

The Recovery Balance Beam (Room 203 Student Senate Chambers)

Integrity: When No One is Watching (Room 258 Bill and Judy Roberts Classroom)

Annual ECCNA Advisory Board Meeting *Open to public* (Room 108 William C Hatcher)

10:15-11:15 am

Beyond The Pink Cloud (Room 203 Student Senate Chambers)

Addiction More Than Drugs

Spiritual Fitness Check: Where Am I Today (Room 108 William C Hatcher)

11:30-1:00 pm Lunch

1:15-2:45 pm Speaker Pannel: Stories of Awakening (Charles R Clegg Fine Arts Building)

3:30-4:00 pm BID Meeting (Room 112 Charles Suber Banquet Hall)

4:00-5:00 pm

91 Days and After-What To Do? (Room 203 Student Senate Chambers)

Vulnerable on Purpose (Room 258 Bill and Judy Roberts Classroom)

Relationships- Family, Fellowship & Beyond (Room 108 William C Hatcher)

Auction Preview (Room 112 Charles Suber Banquet Hall)

5:00-6:30 pm Dinner

6:45 pm Group Photo (Charles R Clegg Fine Arts Building)

7:00-9:00 pm Main Speaker (Charles R Clegg Fine Arts Building)

9:30-10:30 Auction (Room 112 Charles Suber Banquet Hall)

10:30-11:30 Activity (Room 112 Charles Suber Banquet Hall)

Sunday

7:00-8:00 am SPAD Meeting (Room 108 William C Hatcher)

7:30-9:00 Breakfast

9:30-11:00 Speaker Meeting (Room 112 Charles Suber Banquet Hall)

ECCNA 29 – Registration Report

Submitted by Sherry H

Date: 9-76-80

Please make a note – Registration email is GeorgiaEccna@gmail.com

Please note – if you plan to register and have coupon codes emailed to you – please be sure to apply them before paying to prevent refunds – If you do not have or can't find your coupon codes, please call me!

If any committee members are asked, we are now just taking full registrations – the \$50 deposit option is no longer available. Full Reg and Day Passes, along with meal tickets are selling online.

At go live date...the total \$50 Registrations 247 + 5 day passes as of 12/9/25

As of today, Tuesday, March 10, 2026 – here is our breakdown:

- Village Rooms – sold out
- Appleby sold out except 1 female bed
- Tower rooms – 63 plus 11 singles are sold, still plenty available

Committee members registered in full = 24

Calculating **4 more needs to register** and should have received their codes via email. (this does include newly elected / changed positions.)

Requesting that all committee members please finish your registration as soon as possible!

Need a female = 1 slot in Appleby, to share with a female.

Please note – I have noted some requests, but the best way to guarantee who your share person is...please ask them to register as soon as possible.

Actual fully paid registered = 132

I have confirmed the following full registrations by dorm:

- Village = 20, sold out
- Appleby = 49 (leaves only 1 available, female)
- Tower = 63 (11 are single rooms)
- Currently, 48 Thursday evening sold

Day Passes sold = 40 (2 are cornhole, 1 raffle winner) paid

Meal Tickets sold = 12 Friday Dinner, 13 Saturday Dinner, 7 Saturday Breakfast & 5 Saturday Lunch, 5 Sunday Breakfast

Tasks Pending:

- Researching Registration Packet items – get 3 quotes – ready by Sunday to submit to board
 - Magnets, Stickers – GCI
 - Luggage Tags – GCI
 - Badges & Lanyards
 - String Bags

- Meal Tickets – have quote
- Meal times...registration closed
- Fire Escape Routes – Dorm room numbers
- Key Deposit Forms
- Meet with Vice Registration Chair to review ALL registration details – scheduled for March 15
- Reminder email to those who have not fully registered – will send in after reconciliation
- Need proposed schedule from programming – confirm timeline for reg desk.
- Set Registration Hours for Programming Committee to add, upon approval of AB

Budget Information:

- No expenses at this time, all work was processed electronically

Ongoing - Registration Assignments – Beds / Dorms

- Update list with all shared names
- Room assignments based on bed types / registration / shares
- Reconcile all registrations fully paid

Tasks completed:

- Distribute flyers to all Regions on East Coast, and additional regions
- Need updated flyer with full registration information to distribute to all areas & regions
- Upload flyer to NAWS Events & Calendar – currently posted - done
- Email invoicing for remaining balances due, 10% off list – COUPON CODE
- Email coupons for remaining registrants with full balance due Dorm room pictures & descriptions – Received from Rosemary, Young Harris website
- Obtain prices set by AB for full reg & meal tickets
- Set-up webstore with product / prices for registrations
- CAP quantities set for each room type (to not oversell)
- Pre-reg flyers (policy, 8 months prior to convention)

Direct Mailing:

- To all previous NA members on attendance roster
- Purchase envelopes

Budget for Registration Packets

- Set quantity with options for overage
- Registration badges
- Work with the Merchandise committee to gain three (3) bids for each item
- Registration items
- Pre-reg gift for 215
- Map of Facility / Parking
- Registration Packet Assembly

Submitted proposed budget:

<u>Registration</u>	<u>ECCNA 29</u>	
Mailings	\$200	200 @ .78 cents postage = \$156
Envelopes	\$20	
Pre-Reg Onsite Special	\$1,505	215 pre-reg on site, est \$7.00
Registration Flyers	\$600	at .10 cents each, estimated 6,000 flyers
Registration Packages	\$1,800	based on 500 total @ \$3.60 each
Misc	\$50	

Registration Operations

- Registration hours set – Host Committee & AB Approval
- Schedule – review with Programming Committee
- Dorm Room Keys signature forms created / received from YHC

Previously Reported:

Additional Registration Information: Samples received and look great!

- Met with GCI – Georgia Corrections Industries – see information,
 - Manufacture items made at Georgia State Prisons
 - Received quotes for a few registration items:
 - Magnets = 4 in, consider for pre-pre special items
 - Decals – 3 in
 - Street Blades
 - Ordered a few samples using pre-reg logo and NA symbol

****This logo was selected by the committee****



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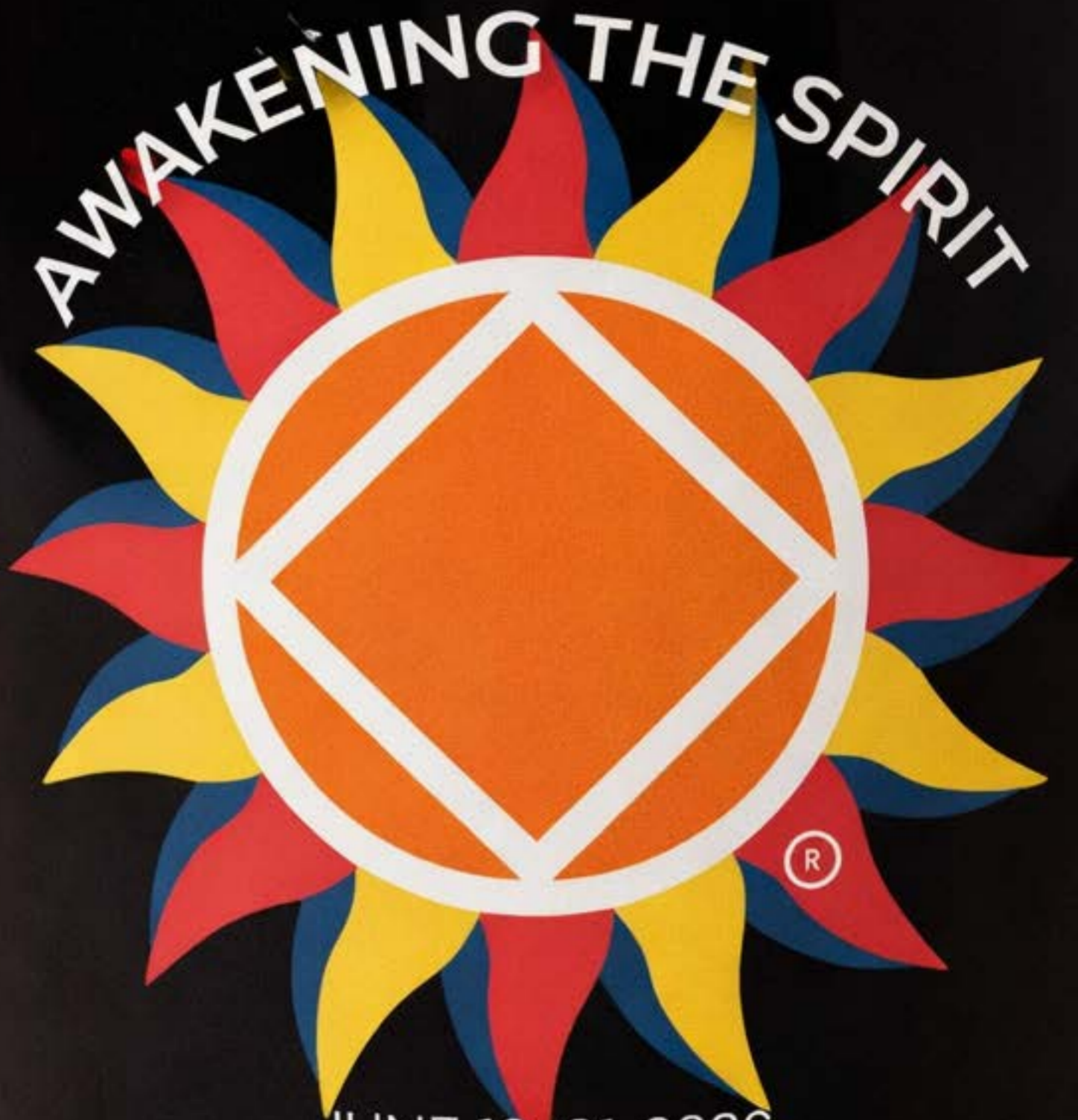
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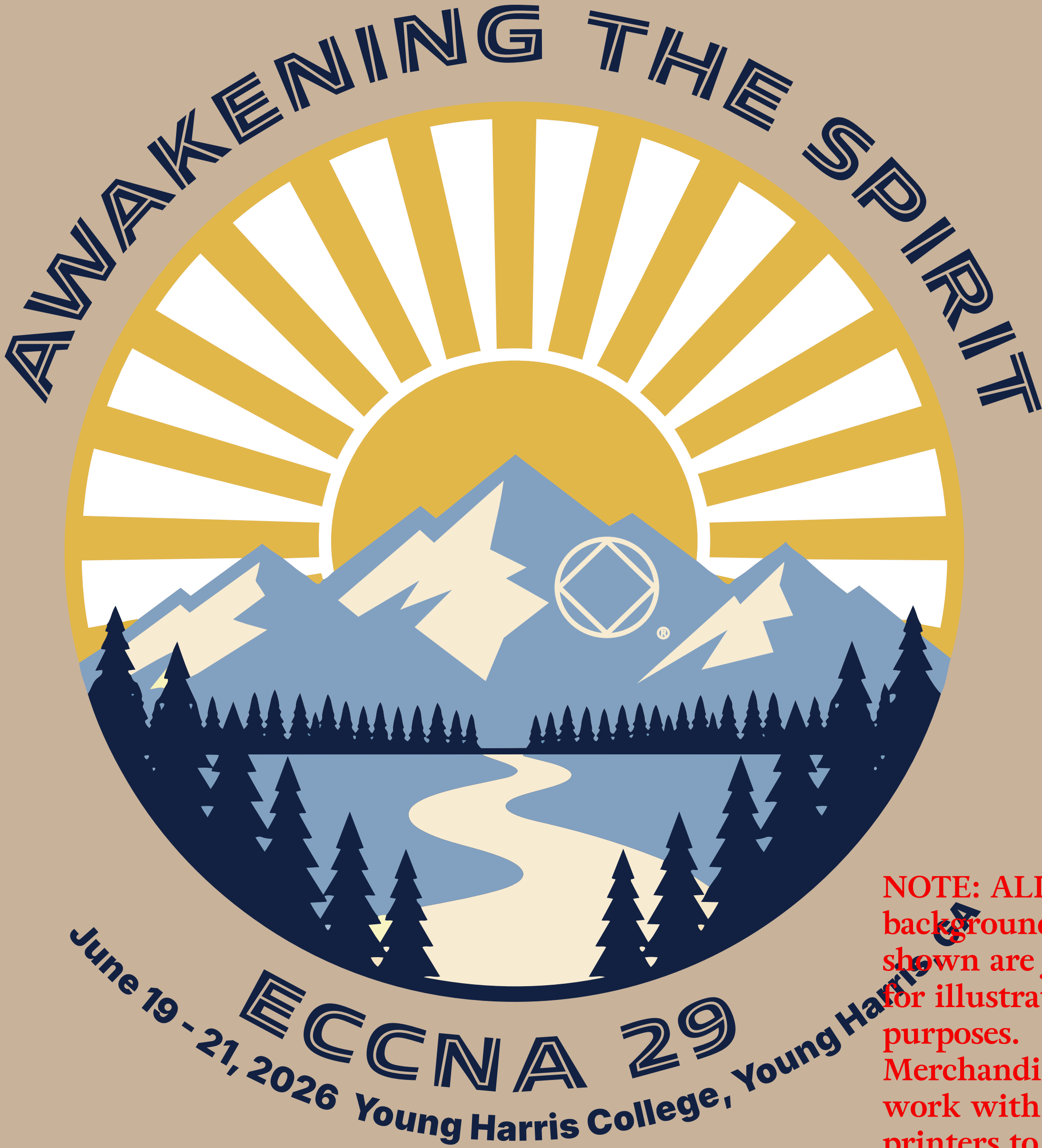
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Main Artwork



NOTE: ALL backgrounds shown are just for illustration purposes. Merchandise can work with printers to select the best colors!

Alternative artwork/colors. Will require additional edits before print to add dates, location.



Alternative artwork/colors. Will require additional edits before print to add dates, location. Might be nice on a mug or other Merchandise items. 4-colors

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Same situation as with previous page. Might be nice for alternative Merch items.



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Same situation as with previous page. Might be nice for alternative Merch items. We have previously used this as shirt pocket art with a different typeface.



Cannot be silkscreened but might be nice for other Merchandise items.

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