

2023 Convention Chair Report to Assembly

June 11, 2022

Hello Everyone!

For those of you who don't know me, I am Deborah C., a grateful member of this worldwide fellowship and I am honored to be your 2023 CT AFG Convention Chair.

- I am thrilled to announce that the 45th AFG Convention 2023 will be held **IN-PERSON**
- This is the first time since 2019 that we will gather together face to face.
- **The convention will be a 2-day event held at the Hartford Sheraton South 100 Capitol Boulevard, Rocky Hill on Saturday March 25, 2023 - Sunday March 26, 2023.**
- We have received the seed money in the amount of \$5000 from the Area and will be changing signatories on the Convention account
- We will need sub-committees that we did not have with the virtual format and we are looking for members to join the 45th CT AFG Convention Committee.
- We would love to see participation from as many districts in the Area as possible.
- I have learned that service has offered many opportunities to grow and to give back to this amazing fellowship. It is also a great way to meet other members. Please consider joining us.
- Our first convention planning committee meeting will be **September 11, 2022 from 1pm-3pm at the Hartford Sheraton South 100 Capitol Boulevard, Rocky Hill**, so committee members will have the opportunity to see the venue.
- We will meet on Zoom for several of our meetings which will be convenient and reduce the need for travel expenses.
- An email address is set up in order to communicate with Convention2023@ctalanon.org
- I am also very pleased to announce our 2023 Convention Co-Chair, Janice R. It has been a pleasure serving on past committees with Janice and I look forward to working with her to plan the 2023 convention.
- Janice will now say a few words about the theme contest. Thank you everyone and hope to see you at our first convention meeting on September 11th and now here's Janice.

Respectfully submitted,

Deborah C.

2023 CT AFG Convention Chair