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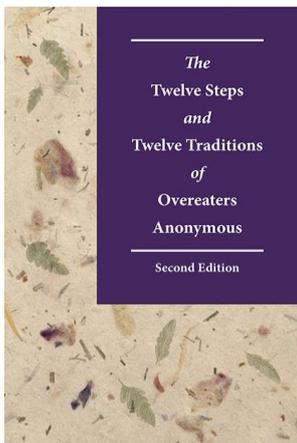
OAGB Literature News

Welcome!

The Literature Service has a new Literature Liaison Officer following Alan completing his term on the National Service Board. Thank you Alan for all your work and welcome Catherine! More from Catherine below.

NEW LITERATURE

12 Steps & 12 Traditions of Overeaters Anonymous (2nd Edition)

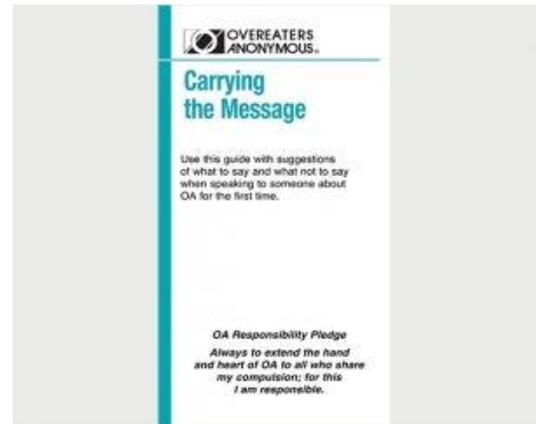


This updated and improved edition of OA's keystone book. Revised for clarity and inclusivity with a restructured Step 4 chapter. Read how, through working the Twelve Steps and studying the Twelve Traditions, members have found physical, emotional and spiritual recovery.

Now available from the OAGB Literature Shop Priced at £16.95, which reflects the cost of bringing the books in from the US. We are currently waiting for permission to print the book here in the UK.

Order via our online shop @ www.oagb.org.uk or by post. Cost of postage included in the above prices. An order form can be downloaded from the website.

Carrying the Message (Wallet Card)



With more than thirty tips, this pocket guide has great suggestions of what to say and what not to say when speaking to someone about Overeaters Anonymous for the first time. Price .55p each or £4.95 for 10.

Twelve Traditions Pocket Guide (Wallet Card)



Practice the Principles of the Twelve Traditions in OA meetings and everyday life with this new Wallet Card. Price .55p each or £4.95 for 10.

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PRINT LIAISON OFFICER

Pam's term of 5 years in the above role will be coming to an end in the Spring of 2019 and we are looking for someone to replace her and to work with her over the next 12 months to learn the ropes. It involves liaising with our Administrator Deborah, WSO, the Graphic Designer and the Printers to organising the printing in the UK. It is a very rewarding position and if you are interested, please contact Pam via lit.admin@oagb.org.uk for a full job description.

A Message from Catherine

Hello, I'm Catherine and the current Literature Liaison Officer for OAGB. I'm still new to serving on the National Service Board and even newer to this role.

Here's what I know so far:

We are so very lucky to have a literature service that runs so well for our fellowship. Not many countries worldwide have this.

We have an amazing team of people who make the literature service work so well. It's a wonderful service to our fellow compulsive Overeaters, especially the still suffering ones, as literature is something we are often hungry for when we first join OA.

How books and leaflets and other items get to your door has changed over the years. I am just starting to get my head round this finely tuned operation. Luckily, I am based near to 'Literature HQ' and feel confident that working together, we can continue to be proud members of the fellowship.

Thanks,
Catherine

The Literature Service will be attending the *Heart of England Convention* in Birmingham on the 13th to the 15th July so please come along and say hello. We will have a selection of literature available for sale.

Please bring cash/cheque as we do not have facilities to pay by card.

The Literature Team

Catherine - Literature Liaison Officer
Deborah - Administrator (paid employee)
Pam - Print Liaison Officer
Packer - Phyll (Herefordshire)
Packer - Juliet (Buckinghamshire)
Packer - Chic (Glasgow)

Recent Price Increases

As from 1st February, the Literature Service have reluctantly had to increase the prices of OA Literature.

We have managed to hold the majority of the price of books and pamphlets for several years but if we are to maintain a viable literature service for OA in Great Britain, this is no longer the case and a price increase has been necessary.

Although we now print a significant number of our pamphlets and books in the U.K., the literature we still purchase from WSO in America has been greatly affected by the volatility of the exchange rate, making the US literature very expensive for us to purchase. This has meant that the savings we have made by printing in the U.K. is offsetting the extra cost of the US literature.

The OA Great Britain Literature Service is dedicated to supplying OA literature within Great Britain, spreading the word of what OA can offer to the suffering compulsive eater. We want to give you the opportunity of purchasing the full range of literature and to this end, we have needed to increase our prices accordingly.

Remember - Please continue to purchase your literature from us and support OAGB. Any surplus goes into carrying the OA message of recovery. www.oagb.org.uk

Thank you!

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