

Quarterly Report – Secondary PTSD (PTSD ‘2’) October 2023

The Secondary PTSD Program leaders for the 2023 – 2025 term are:

Wynella Bethards – Vice Chair, Eastern Implementation and Coach

Barbara Coan – Vice Chair, Midwest Implementation and Coach

Nina Schloffel – Chair and Western Implementation and Coach

With the pandemic, many Secondary PTSD groups chose to put in-person sessions on hold. Eventually, circumstances were such that group members and leaders drifted away. As a team, we understand that our first priority is to develop a strategy and timeline to re-introduce Secondary PTSD to our membership. As chair, I am confident that the right people are in place to develop, then implement the successful re-introduction of the Secondary PTSD program. More to follow.

Nina Schloffel – Program Chair, Secondary PTSD

For now, my PTSD ‘2’ Group has been on hiatus. I have ordered material from the VA and will be sharing it with Nina and Wynella. I also have plenty of material for the Veterans Day Parade and booth on November 11th in our community in Marshfield. I am very excited about sharing our AVVA programs.

Respectfully Submitted,

Barbara Coan, Midwest PTSD ‘2’ Vice Chair

Wynella Bethards, our Eastern Vice Chair, has been involved with State and Chapter Bylaws updates. Look for Wynella’s contributions in our next report.