

BALTIMORE INTERGROUP COUNCIL OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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“Even so has God restored us all to our right minds. To this man, the revelation was sudden. Some of us grow into it more slowly. But He has come to all who have honestly sought Him.
When we drew near to Him He disclosed Himself to us.”

P57, Alcoholics Anonymous, with permission of AAWS

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The next Intergroup meeting will be held on Monday, March 9, 2009 at 8:00pm at the Episcopal Cathedral, Saint Paul St. & University Pkwy. Enter from the Saint Paul St. side. New Rep. Meeting begins at 7:30pm.
- **Please Note:** The April Intergroup Meeting will be held on April 20, 2009, *not April 13, 2009*, due to church closing.
- The next Institution Committee meeting will be on Friday, March 20, 2009 at 7:00pm, University Baptist Church, 34th & Greenway. Orientation for new reps, new sponsors and co-sponsors begins at 6:30pm. **Please note:** Institution lists are now sent directly to the Reps, Sponsors, Co-Sponsors and all persons connected with the Committee in a separate mailing. Please call to enroll if you are a Rep or Sponsor. **Attention:** The following Institutions need Sponsor or Co-Sponsor help: Jessup Pre-Release (Fri), Brockbridge (Fri), and Helping Up Mission (Wed-7:30pm). **Please contact the Institution Committee Scheduler at 410-377-7216. All they need is your time every other week. Maybe you can't do it, but you know someone who can.**
- There are three openings on the Answering Service: Tuesday mornings, 6:00am to 9:00am, Wednesday evenings 5:00pm to 6:00pm, and alternating Saturday evenings, from 6:00pm to 10:00pm. If interested, please give John M. a call at 410-971-6892. **Please call the Intergroup Office if you can be listed as a Substitute for one of the regular volunteers.**
- The Gratitude Boxes brought in \$3,898.39, to date. Thank you for your generosity!
- The Sobriety Show will be held on Saturday, May 9, 2009 at the Tall Cedars Hall. **Stage hands and band members are needed this year** For more information, please call the Intergroup Office, 410-663-1922.
- The Sunday Breakfast at the 857 Club Group will host the annual “Old Timers Anniversary” meeting on Sunday, April 19, 2009 from 11:30am to 1:00pm. (21224)
- **Please Note:** The Anniversary Form should read “ Anniversaries for **April 2009**” need to be sent or called in by **March 10, 2009.**
- *Many, many heartfelt thanks to all for the generous support received by the Intergroup Office in 2008. It is truly appreciated and your help made it possible for the Office to meet the 2008 Budget.*

GROUP ANNIVERSARIES WITH GUEST SPEAKERS AND REFRESHMENTS

Ten Hills will celebrate 58 years on Thursday, February 26, 2009. Food and Fellowship begins at 7:00pm followed by the meeting at 8:00pm. (21229)

Linthicum Monday Night will celebrate 32 years on March 9, 2009. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. (21090)

Over The Rainbow's "Out to Lunch Bunch" will celebrate 4 years on Friday, March 13, 2009. (21221)

Arbutus Step will celebrate 4 years on Tuesday, March 24, 2009. (21227)

Druid Hill will celebrate 62 years on Thursday, March 26, 2009. (21217)

MEETING CHANGES AND OTHER INFORMATION

Simply A.A. has moved to the Baltimore First Seventh-Day Adventist Church, 3291 St. John's Lane, Ellicott City. (21042)
Jacksonville has changed the meeting time to 8:00pm. They meet at the Chestnut Grove Presbyterian Church, 3701 Sweet Air Rd. (21131)

Chesapeake Noon Monday has changed its format to an "As Bill Sees It" meeting. Donations of As Bill Sees It are welcome. (21122)

Reminder: Taneytown Tuesday Night meets at 7:30pm. (21787)

Existing Meeting: Woodbine Saturday Night, Morgan Chapel Church, Woodbine Rd. (Rt. 94) & Morgan Chapel Rd., Saturday, 8:30pm. (O) (NSM) (D) (21784)

Correction: Whitelock is not discontinued. It still meets at the St. Francis Center, 2405 Linden Ave., Sundays at 3:00pm. (21217)

Correction: Ellicott City Town & Country is also not discontinued. They meet at St. Agnes Nursing & Rehab. Ctr., 3000 North Ridge Rd., Sunday, 10:00am. (21042)

New Happiness alternates between being a Step meeting and a regular Discussion. (21117)

Do Not Be Discouraged will not meet April 14, 2009, that night only, as the building is closing at 5:00pm

Agape, the 11th Step meeting, has been changed to Mondays at 8:30am from Wednesdays. (21204)

Miracles Do Happen, Immaculate Heart of Mary, 8501 Loch Raven Blvd. at Joan Ave. is handicapped accessible. (21286)

Alameda is now non-smoking. (21239)

Montebello Monday is located at 3615 Harford Rd. & Chesterfield Ave. in zip code 21218, not 21213.

NEW MEETINGS

Ladies Night Out, Grace Church of Christ, 49 W. Baltimore St., Taneytown, Monday, 8:00pm.. (O) (NSM) (D) (H) (21787)

New Hope B.Y.O.Big Book, (formerly Howard Co.B.Y.O. Big Book), New Hope Lutheran Church, 8575 Guilford Rd., Saturday, 6:30pm. (O) (NSM) (D) (Big Book) (21046)

The Last Gasps, beginning March 7, 2009, St. John's Lutheran Church, 226 Washburn Ave., Saturday, 11:00pm. (O) (NSM) (D) (21225)

NEEDS SUPPORT

Glen Burnie H.O.W., building next to the North Arundel Church, 7602 Baltimore-Annapolis Blvd., Monday, 7:30pm. (21060)

Ellicott City Town & Country (see above).

Alameda, United Church of Christ, 5615 the Alameda, Sunday, 8:30pm. (21239)

IN MEMORIAM

We regret the passing of our friends in the Fellowship, Ernie Z., longtime member, Bill D. of the Curtis Bay Monday Noon Group, and Carol M. of the Wednesday Luncheon Group. Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to their families and friends.

MGS AREA 29- DISTRICT MEETINGS and OTHER NOTIFICATIONS

Please Note: The new mailing address for MGS is: P. O. Box 2683, Salisbury, MD 21802.

District 34 GSR monthly meetings will be on the first Wednesday of every month at 7:00pm. The meeting location is the Brooklyn United Methodist Church, 4th St. & Pontiac Ave. (21225)

District 9 (Carroll County) holds its meetings on the third Tuesday of every month at 7:30pm. The meetings are held at the Westminster Senior Center, 125 Stoner Rd. (21157)

District 10 will meet on February 28, 2009 at 5:00pm. The meeting will be held at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, 7001 Harford Rd. and there will be a guest speaker from Area 29. (21234)

AVAILABLE MEETING SPACES (a new category- a more complete list is available in the Intergroup Office)

Dreams International Coffee Shop, 620 Harford Rd. at Northern Pkwy. For further information, call John L., 443-643-6663

I AM RESPONSIBLE ~

When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of A.A. always to be there.

And for that: I am responsible.