

BALTIMORE INTERGROUP COUNCIL OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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"We conceive the survival and spread of Alcoholics Anonymous to be something of far greater importance than the weight we could collectively throw back of any other cause. Since recovery from alcoholism is life itself to us, it is important that we preserve in full strength our means of survival."

Pg. 177, Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions, with permission of AAWS

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The next Intergroup Meeting will be on October 12, 2009 at 8:00pm at the Episcopal Cathedral of the Incarnation, Saint Paul St. & University Pkwy. Enter from the Saint Paul St. side of the building. The New Rep. Meeting begins at 7:30pm.
- The next Institution Committee meeting will be on Friday, October 16, 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 Sponsors or Co-Sponsors: Central Laundry, Wednesday; Good Shepherd, Tuesday, 6:30pm; and MCIJ, Thursday, 7:00pm. 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 open shifts on the Answering Service: Sunday, 10:00am to 2:00pm; and Monday, 6:00pm to 10:00pm; and every other Tuesday, 6:00pm to 10:00pm. Please call the Intergroup Office if you are interested, or if you wish to be listed as a Substitute for the Answering Service.
- The Baltimore Intergroup always needs the support of its member Groups. This is as important now as it ever has been. Most groups are more than generous in our efforts to be self-supporting. But donations from the Groups have already begun to drop off. Summer is typically a slow time. But please consider helping us to achieve our 7th Tradition goal. *"Self-supporting alcoholics? Who ever heard of such a thing? Yet we find that's what we have to be. This principle is telling evidence of the profound change that A.A. has wrought in all of us."* Pg. 160, Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions, with permission of AAWS.

GROUP ANNIVERSARIES WITH GUEST SPEAKERS AND REFRESHMENTS

Old Town Women's will celebrate 17 years on Saturday, October 10, 2009 with refreshments after the 2:00pm meeting.

(21202)

Essex Eye Opener will celebrate 37 years on Thursday, October 15, 2009. (21221)

Serenity Big Book will celebrate 53 years on Monday, October 26, 2009. (21042)

REMINDER: Celebration of Individual Anniversaries have to be called, mailed, or faxed to the Intergroup Office by the 10th of the previous month to be included in the Bulletin. *Please call in the date of the celebration, not the actual anniversary date!!*

MEETING CHANGES AND OTHER INFORMATION

Mustard Seed will again host Family Movie Night on October 16, 2009 at 8:45pm, after the 7:15pm meeting. For more information, call Holly at 410-922-9598. (21216)

CORRECTION: Open Hands now meets at 8:00pm, *not 8:15pm or 9:00pm.* (21213)

CORRECTION: The Phelps Luck meetings, and all meetings at the Alano Club, are re-locating, September 26, 2009, to 9231 Rumsey Rd., Bay 1. The meeting schedule will remain the same. (21045)

Wayside has been re-activated at the Bethel Outreach Center, 1429 McCulloh St. It meets at 6:00pm on Mondays. (O) (D) (NSM) (21217)

Working With Others has moved to the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 1131 Mace Ave. (21221)

Hope Sunday is now known as **Sunday Hope**, and has moved to The Memorial Apartments, 301 McMechen St. (21217)

P.U.S.H. (Pray Until Something Happens) has been reactivated. It meets at The Memorial Apartments, 301 McMechen St., Saturdays at 5:00pm. (O) (NSM) (D) (H)

CORRECTION: There is only one 12:00pm meeting at the 857 Club on Wednesdays: the "Wednesday Afternoon Meeting." "A Step At A Time" has been discontinued. (21224)

Tuesday Big Book Study meets only on Tuesdays, not on Wednesdays as stated in the Directory. (21224)

Ebenezer Sunday Night has been changed to **South Carroll Sunday Night.** (21157)

Reisterstown Primary Purpose meets only on Saturdays at 5:30pm, not on Mondays as appears in the Directory. (21136)

Park Heights and **Park Heights Women's** meetings have moved to 4000 Park Heights Ave. (21215)

Chance to Grow will not meet on Sunday, October 4, 2009, that date only. (21206)

Security Noon is now located near the EAP Offices in the Annex Building at the Social Security Complex. (21235)

NEW MEETINGS

Bolton Hill Speakers, Building, 1411 Eutaw Place, basement, **Tuesdays**, 7:00pm. (O) (NSM)

West Friendship Wednesday Night, St. James United Methodist Church, 12470 Old Frederick Rd. (Rt. 99 E. of Rt. 32, 8:00pm. (O) (NSM) (D) (H) (21104)

Hope Is Found Here, Mays Chapel United Methodist Church, 11911 Jenifer Rd., Thursdays, 7:00pm. (C) (D) (Big Book) (21093)

Bowie Friday Night Speaker's, Sacred Heart Church, 16501 Annapolis Rd. (Rt. 450), 8:30pm. (O) (NSM) (20715)

NEEDS SUPPORT

Arundel North Sunday Morning, Anne Arundel County Center, First Floor, Balto. & Anpls. Blvd and Crain Hwy., 10:30am. (21061)

DISCONTINUED

Korean A.A., United Methodist Church, 2204 Mayfield Ave. (21213)

The Last Gaspers, St. John's Lutheran Church, 226 Washburn Ave. (21225)

Carney/Cub Hill, St. Issac Jogues, 9215 Old Harford Rd. (21234)

Love In Action, 3114 W. North Ave. (21223)

Dorsey, Dorsey Christian Chapel, 11851 Lime Plant Rd., New Market. (21774)

IN MEMORIAM

We regret the passing of our friends in the Fellowship: Lamar R., long time member of the Sunday Morning Breakfast at the 857 Club; and Arthur R. of the ABC Group.

MGS AREA 29- DISTRICT MEETINGS and OTHER NOTIFICATIONS

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)

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.