

BALTIMORE INTERGROUP COUNCIL OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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Step Eleven

Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscious contact with God as we understand him

Tradition 11

Our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than promotion; we need always maintain anonymity at the level of press, radio and films.

Concept 11

The trustees should always have the best possible committees, corporate service directors, executives, staffs, and consultants. Composition, qualifications, induction procedures, and rights and duties will always be matters of serious concern.

“As a class, alcoholics are energetic people. They work hard and they play hard.”

Alcoholics Anonymous, pg. 146

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ▲ The next Intergroup meeting will be on November 13th at 8:00PM at the Episcopal Cathedral of the Incarnation, Saint Paul St. & University Pkwy. Enter from the parking lot, the meeting will be held in the Peabody room. The New Representative Meeting begins at 7:30PM.
- ▲ Please pass the 12th Step sign-up list around your groups. Taking 12th Step calls are an important way of helping newcomers walk through the doors of A.A. in your area. If you're able, please sign-up for multiple zip codes. Thanks for being willing to be of service.
- ▲ Pay tribute to beloved AA members who have passed on the Memorial Wall at the Bull Roast. Call the office for more details. 410-663-1922.
- ▲ We need volunteers! Help us make the Bull Roast a success by volunteering to set-up, clean-up, be greeters, take a shift on the prize wheels, or sell raffle tickets.
- ▲ Gratitude month is in November. Please call the office if you'd like to have a Gratitude Box sent to your group to pass around during the month of November.

INSTITUTION COMMITTEE

- ▲ The next Institution Committee meeting will be on Friday, November 17th at 7:00pm, University Baptist Church, 34th & Greenway (21218). Orientation for new representatives, new sponsors, and co-sponsors begins at 6:30PM. Please remember to include the Institution Committee with your group's year-end contributions. They can be mailed to: P.O. Box 605, Baltimore, MD 21203.
- ▲ Help wanted; Baltimore County Detention Center (Friday), MD General Hospital (Monday), Baltimore County Women's Detention Center (Monday), Patuxent Institute (Thursday), MD Correctional Institute-Jessup (Thursday).
- ▲ If you have old Grapevines, the Institution Committee can share them with inmates and inpatient residents. Please bring them to the Intergroup Office, Institution Committee, or the Intergroup meeting. Thank you

MEETING ANNIVERSARY

Hatch Group will be celebrating 49 years on November 13th at 8:30 pm (21204).

Claver will be celebrating 53 years on November 14th at 7:30PM with food served after the meeting (21217).

Highlandtown Friday at 11AM will be celebrating 45 years on December 1st. The potluck will begin at 10:00 am with the meeting at 11:00 am (21224).

Uplands Noon will be celebrating 2 years on December 5th. The potluck luncheon will begin at 11:00 am and the meeting starts at 12PM (21229).

MEETING CHANGES AND OTHER INFORMATION

Trudging the Road has changed its meeting location to Westminster Church of the Brethren, 1 Park Place and is now an **Open** meeting with Speakers (21157).

Progress AA has moved to Shot Tower, St Vincent De Paul Church, 120 N. Front Street at 7pm on Sundays (21202).

Brooklyn Keep Coming Back The 1st meeting of the month will be a speaker meeting (21225).

The Third Tradition meeting is now a CLOSED meeting (21220).

Cockeysville Saturday Speakers has changed its name to **Cockeysville Lit Study** (21030).

Thursday Big Book Thumpers have changed the time of their meeting to 7 pm and changed their name to **We Are Not Saints** (21120).

No Slips has moved to the Old Otterbein Methodist Church, 112 W Conway Street, effective Friday November 3rd, they have also changed their name to **No Slips-Otterbein** (21201).

Watch Your Steps has changed locations to 950 Essex Avenue and now meets on Friday at 7pm (21221).

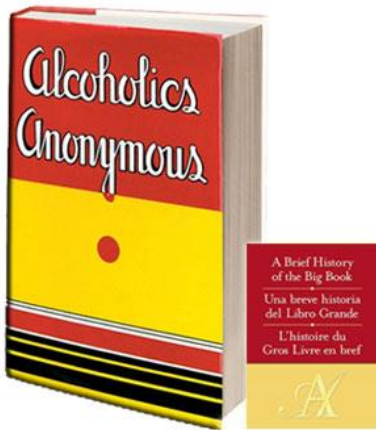
MEETING EVENTS

Halloween Dance October 28th from 8-Midnight at St Stephen's church, 901 Courtney Rd. Tickets are \$10 (21227).

Recovery for Life at 3717 E Baltimore St. will be hosting a Thanksgiving Alcahthon from 1pm-6pm, with a meeting every hour and a free 70's theme dance 9PM-12AM (21224).

NEW MEETINGS

Dipsomaniacs Group Tuesday at 6pm, St. Elizabeth of Hungary Roman Catholic Church, 2700 E Baltimore St—Enter on Lakewood Avenue (21224) (O)(D)(BB)(S).



NEEDS SUPPORT

Brooklyn Keep Coming Back needs support Thursday at 7pm 224 Washburn Ave. & 3rd St. St. John's Lutheran Church (D)(O)(21225).

Agape Women's needs support Tuesdays at 1:30 at Shepard Pratt; Gibson Bldg.; 3rd flr, 6501 N Charles Street (O)(D)(W)(21204).

Twelve Steps to Life needs support Tuesdays, 7:00 pm, at Sacred Heart of Jesus Christ, 600 S. Conkling St. (O)(D) (21224).

Hanover Street needs support Thursdays at 12pm, Friendship House 1435 S. Hanover St. (O)(D)(21230).

DISCONTINUED MEETINGS

Living the Recovered Life Thursday at 7pm, 52 Ironwood Circle, Baltimore, MD (21209).

Green Mile U-Turn Tuesday and Friday at 1pm, 514 N Crain Highway, Suite B, Glen Bernie (21061).

Easier Softer Way Columbia on Wednesday at 8:30pm, Phelps Luck Alana Club, Inc. 9231 Rumsey Rd., Bay 1 (21061).

Woodstock Sunday Night Sunday 8 pm, St. Alphonsus Catholic Church, 10800 Old Court Road (21163).

We Help Friday at 7 pm, Essex United Methodist Church, 524 Maryland Ave. (21221).

Melrose Wednesday Wednesday at noon, Cornerstone Church 4175 Hanover Price Manchester (21102).

IN MEMORIAM

Jerry N. longtime member of Magothy 12 & 12 and As Bill Sees It groups has passed away. Our deepest condolences are extended to his wife, Elizabeth, and family and friends. Also, condolences are sent to them in the loss of their daughter, Jennifer, from Wrath of Grapes, this past June.

We extend our condolences to Andrew K. of the Captain's Table in the loss of his father, George.

MGS AREA 29- DISTRICT MEETINGS AND OTHER NOTIFICATIONS

District 10 "Spirit of Rotation" elections will be held Saturday, November 4th 4PM-6PM at St. Luke's Church 7001 Harford Road (21234).

District 4 holds its monthly meeting every second Thurs. from 7:00 – 8:00PM at Idlewyld United Methodist Church, 928 Regester Ave. All are welcome. (21239)

District 9 (Carroll County) holds its business meetings on the third Tues. of every odd month and its Committee meetings on the third Tues. of each even month at 7:00PM. The meetings are held at the Crossroads Community Church, 895 Leidy Rd., Westminster. (21157)

District 10 meets at St. Luke's Church, 7001 Harford Rd., on the first Sat. of each month at 4:30PM (21234).

District 18 meets at the United Methodist Church, 6 Melvin Ave., on the first Sat. of each month at 10AM (21228/ 21229).

District 19 meets at St. David's Church, 4700 Roland Ave., on the last Sat. of each month at 10:00AM. (21210)

District 33 meets at Ashland Presbyterian Church, 116 Ashland Rd. on the first Sat. of each month at 11:00AM. (21030)

District 39 will hold its meeting on the second Sun. of every month at 7:00PM. The meeting will be held at St. Rita's Cafeteria, 2907 Dunleer Rd. (enter on Dunglew Rd.), Baltimore. (21222)

***The mailing address for contributions to Maryland General Services is:

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**"Whenever anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of A.A. always to be there. And for that, I am responsible."
Bill Wilson, AA Founder**