

# Northeastern Maryland Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous



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**5 - 11 FEBRUARY 2012**

## CONVICTION AND COMPROMISE:

“One qualification for a useful life is give-and-take, the ability to compromise cheerfully. Compromise comes hard to us “all or nothing” drunks. Nevertheless, we must never lose sight of the fact that progress is nearly always characterized by a series of improving compromises.”

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## INTERGROUP NOTES:

The **Intergroup Council** meets the second Tuesday of each month at **7:00 PM** at **St. Paul’s Lutheran Church** located at 201 Mt Royal Ave, (just off Route 22) in Aberdeen. The next meeting will be on **14 February**. Orientation for new IGRs begins at 6:30 pm prior to the meeting.

## GROUP NOTES:

The **Bel Air Big Book** will be celebrating their **17<sup>th</sup> Group Anniversary** on 13 February. There will be food and refreshments at 6:30 pm followed at 7:30 pm by the meeting with a guest speaker.

The **SWAN** group will be hosting a potluck dinner on Feb. 6, 2012 at 6:30pm followed by a meeting at 7:30pm. All are welcome to attend!

The **SWAN** group will be celebrating its **10<sup>th</sup> group anniversary** on Feb. 20, 2012 beginning at 6:30pm with a potluck dinner followed by a meeting at 7:30pm. Please come help us celebrate!

## DISTRICT NOTES:

**Is Your Home Group in Cecil County?** Please join us on Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 PM for our District Monthly Meeting. Topics for this month include: Sharing/Workshop Planning, Proposed Maryland General Service Assembly Meeting, Two-Year Budget Planning and a Discussion of Tradition 2. The meeting will be held at the **North East Methodist Church** in North East, Md. For more info. & directions please contact Georgia at [info@nemdaa.org](mailto:info@nemdaa.org).

**District 30** meets the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm at the First Presbyterian Church on the corner of Franklin and Stokes Streets in Havre de Grace. The next monthly meeting will be **8 February**.

Included with this Bulletin are the of the **January District 28/29** meeting minutes.

**District 28/29** will be presenting “**A New Beginning, A New Happiness**” pre spring fling on 10 March at the Bel Air United Methodist Church. See the enclose/attached flyer for additional information.

**District 28/29** will be presenting a “**Big Book Study**” on **12 & 19 February** and **4 & 11 March** at Upper Chesapeake Health, 500 Upper Chesapeake Dr., in Bel Air. See the enclosed/attached flyer for additional information

## INSTITUTIONS: 5 – 18 February 2012

Chairperson, Howard Z. [info@nemdaa.org](mailto:info@nemdaa.org)

5 Feb: **Search For Serenity / Keith B. / Any Lengths**

6 Feb: **Spesutia**

7 Feb: **Calvary 12 Step / Rising Sun / S.W.A.N.**

8 Feb: **Freedom**

9 Feb: **Bel Air Big Book**

10 Feb: **Darlington Harmony Big Book**

11 Feb: **Good News / Walt B. / Acceptance**

12 Feb: **THINK / Spirit of Life / Lighthouse**

13 Feb: **Good News**

14 Feb: **Joppa Jaywalkers / Spirit of Life / North East Big Book**

15 Feb: **Freedom**

16 Feb: **Hickory 12 Step**

17 Feb: **Forest Hill Tuesday / Solution For Living**

18 Feb: **Jeff H. / Beryl F. / Havre de Grace Thursday**

Included with this Bulletin is the **Institution Schedule** for **12 February** through **24 March 2012**

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**ANSWERING SERVICE: 5 – 19 Feb 2012**

Chairperson: Jeffrey W. [info@nemdaa.org](mailto:info@nemdaa.org)

5 Feb: **Gratitude**

6-----12 Feb: **Bel Air Friday Night**

13-----19 Feb: **Happy Hour**

**ANNIVERSARIES: 5 - 18 February 2012**

5 Feb	<b>Chuck M.</b>	Sunday Morning NOW	<b>18</b> years
6 Feb	<b>Alaina</b>	SWAN (open to all)	<b>1</b> year
7 Feb	<b>Jim O.</b>	Third Tradition	<b>13</b> years
8 Feb	<b>Susan T.</b>	Joppa 12 Step	<b>5</b> years
	<b>John B.</b>	Lighthouse	<b>22</b> years
9 Feb	<b>David</b>	Higher Power	<b>2</b> years
	<b>Tim B.</b>	Just For Today	<b>18</b> years
	<b>Sterling</b>	Chesapeake Thursday	<b>1</b> year
10 Feb	<b>Randy S.</b>	Spesutia	<b>11</b> years
11 Feb	<b>Shannon</b>	As Bill Sees It	<b>1</b> year
	<b>Leisa S.</b>	Early Bird 12 in 12	<b>4</b> years
12 Feb	<b>Brandon W.</b>	Williams Street	<b>1</b> year
13 Feb	<b>Christine K.</b>	Harmony Big Book	<b>1</b> year
	<b>Lance P.</b>	How It Works	<b>1</b> year
14 Feb	<b>Bill P.</b>	Three Legacies	<b>2</b> years
	<b>Adrienne S.</b>	Bel Air Women	<b>1</b> year
	<b>James B.</b>	Third Tradition	<b>2</b> years
	<b>Nancy N.</b>	Stay Stopped	<b>3</b> years
15 Feb	<b>Dan S.</b>	Joppa 12 Step	<b>2</b> years
16 Feb	<b>Jeff K.</b>	One Day At A Time	<b>1</b> year
17 Feb	<b>Jeff R.</b>	Happy Hour	<b>1</b> year
	<b>Brian S.</b>	Spesutia	<b>24</b> years

The next Bulletin cutoff is **15 February** for group notes and anniversaries from **19 - 25 February 2012**

**AND A FINAL THOUGHT:**

Today is the oldest you have ever been yet the youngest you will ever be; so enjoy this day while it lasts.