

Northeastern Maryland Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous



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PIPELINE TO GOD:

“The minute I figure I have got a perfectly clear pipeline to God, I have become egotistical enough to get into real trouble. Nobody can cause more needless grief than a power-driver who thinks he has got it straight from God.”

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INTERGROUP NOTES:

Due to the Labor Day holiday, **District 11** will hold its monthly business meeting on **Tuesday, 7 September**, at 6:30 PM at North East United Methodist Church. Group Service Representatives are encouraged to attend.

District 30 meets the second Monday of each month at 7:00 pm at the Grove Presbyterian Church on East Bel Air Ave, in Aberdeen. The next monthly meeting will be **13 September**. Will your home group be in represented?

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 September**. **Orientation for new IGRs** will be available at 6:30pm, prior to the meeting.

District 28/29 meets at 7:00 pm on the **3rd Wednesday** of every month at St Mary’s Church on St Mary’s Church Road in Abingdon. The next meeting will be on **15 September**.

In the Directory there is a mistake on the location of the Saturday 5:00 PM, **12 Step Recovery** group. It should be listed as meeting at the **Mann House, 28 Williams Street**.

The **26th Annual Fall Conference**, hosted by Maryland General Service, will at the Clarion Hotel in Hagerstown on **28 – 31 October**. For additional information see the MARGENSER web site: <http://www.marylandaa.org/>

The **Young and the Restless** group’s meeting time, in the Directory, should be changed to read **7:00 PM**

Included with this weeks Bulletin is a listing of the **August Group contributions**. Many thanks to all that so generously contributed.

GROUP NOTES:

There will be **no meetings** at St. Mary’s Episcopal Church, Abingdon, on **5-12 September** due to church activities.

The **Daily Reprieve** group, 7:00PM at Grace Methodist church in Aberdeen, will not meet on Saturday, **11 September** due to church activities

WAYS AND MEANS:

The **Northeastern Maryland Intergroup Fall Gratitude Breakfast** will be held 8:00 - 11:00 am on **3 October** at the North East Fire Hall. Tickets are \$10.00 and are now available from Kellie info@nemdaa.org, of the Freedom group, Oakie B. of the HOW group, or the office.

INSTITUTIONS: 5 – 18 September 2010

Chairperson, Mike info@nemdaa.org

- 5 Sep: **Sobriety On Friday / Howard B. / HOW**
- 6 Sep: **Spesutia**
- 7 Sep: **Bel Air Wednesday / Burt L. / SWAN**
- 8 Sep: **Rising Sun**
- 9 Sep: **Happy Hour**
- 10 Sep: **HOW / Three Legacies**
- 11 Sep: **Good News / Calvary 12 Step / Port In A Storm**
- 12 Sep: **Bel Air Big Book / Lester D. Joppa 12 Step**
- 13 Sep: **Good News**
- 14 Sep: **Howard B. / Jeff P. / Martha H.**
- 15 Sep: **Mark D.**
- 16 Sep: **Pocket of Enthusiasm**
- 17 Sep: **Forest Hill Tuesday / Providence**
- 18 Sep: **Ken P. / Ryan / Beware the Four Horsemen**

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ANSWERING SERVICE: 5 – 19 Sep 2010

Chairperson Jim H. info@nemdaa.org)

5 Sep: **Sobriety On Friday**
6-----9 Sep: **Williams Street**
10-----12 Sep: **Joppa Jaywalkers**
13-----19 Sep: **Three Legacies**

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| 13 Sep | Laura P. Rita L. | Spirit of Life Caring and Sharing | 1 year 21 years |
| 14 Sep | Joel R. Georgia K. | Third Tradition Freedom | 5 years 3 years |
| 15 Sep | Bethany B. | The Young and The Restless | 2 years |
| 16 Sep | Rebecca T. | Any Lengths | 5 years |

OFFICE NOTE:

The office will be **closed** on Monday, **6 September** for the Labor Day holiday. The **Williams Street** group will need to pick up the Answering Service at **9:00 AM** on that day.

Once again a limited number of copies of the **75th Anniversary** edition of **Alcoholics Anonymous Comes of Age** will soon be available at the office. Availability will be announced when they arrive. First come, first served.

ANNIVERSARIES: 5 – 18 September 2010

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| 5 Sep | Charlie H. Larry P. Jim W. | Sunday Morning NOW New Life Three Pertinent Ideas | 5 years 26 years 6 years |
| 6 Sep | Bob P. Bill L. Roland W. | Bel Air Big Book Spirit of Life Aberdeen Monday | 22 years 17 years 6 years |
| 7 Sep | Jerry D. Oakie B. Wayne D. | Third Tradition HOW Search For Serenity | 2 years 19 years 2 years |
| 8 Sep | Janice K. Jerry C. Jerry C. | T.H.I.N.K. Elkton Beginners North East Big Book | 31 years 20 years 8 years |
| 9 Sep | Brandon P. Heather R. | Any Lengths North East 12 & 12 | 1 year 1 year |
| 12 Sep | Marty W. | Recovering Spirit | 4 years |

The next Bulletin cut-off is **NOON, 8 September**, for group notes and anniversaries from **12 - 18 September 2010**.

AND A FINAL THOUGHT:

At first I thought the 'God thing' was a crutch. Turns out it was stilts.

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