

Northeastern Maryland Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous

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Office Hours: Tuesday-thru-Thursday 10:00 am–3:00 pm.
Friday 10:00am – 5:00pm, Saturday 10:00am – 2:00pm
Sunday and Monday: Closed

February 10-16, 2019

FEARLESS AND SEARCHING:

"My self-analysis has frequently been faulty. Sometimes I have failed to share my character defects with the right people; at other times, I confessed their character defects rather than my own; and still other times, my confession of defects has been more in the nature of loud complaints about my circumstances and my problems." [Grapevine, June 19158] *Reprinted from "As Bill Sees It" p. 261 with permission from AA World Services.*

REGIONAL NOTES:

Register now for **NERAASA 2019 [North East Regional Alcoholics Anonymous Service Assembly]** to be held on **February 22-24 at Delta Hotels by Marriott in Hunt Valley, MD.** To register online go to www.neaasa.org--or by mail using the attached form. [Registration form attached]

The 49th Annual Area 29 Maryland State Convention hosted by Maryland General Service will be **June 28th-June 30th in Frederick Maryland at the Clarion Inn Frederick Event Center.** [flyer and registration attached]

An **AA Corrections Workshop** for all current and future Corrections Volunteers will be sponsored by **Maryland General Service Area 29 Corrections Committee on Saturday March 23rd from 9 am to 2 pm** (registration begins at 8 am) at **Severna Park United Methodist Church, 731 Benfield Road, Severna Park, Md. Lunch - \$6.00 donation.** [flyer attached]

DISTRICT NOTES:

District 28 is sponsoring a **Back to Basics Beginners Meeting.** Work the steps in the same format that was used in the early days of AA. **The workshop will be four-one and 1/2 hour sessions.** Each participant will be paired with a 'sharing partner' or come with your own. Find out what it meant to be a card-carrying member. **When: Wednesdays, February 13 and 20 (remaining workshop times) from 7-8:30 pm. Where: Church of the Reconciliation, 128**

Bond St., Bel Air. Parking and entrance in the rear of building off Lester Way. **Hosted by Bel Air Big Book.**

District 28 meets the third Wednesday of every month @ **Bel Air United Methodist Church, Room 202 at 7 pm.** New GSRs are welcome to arrive as early as 6:30 for an informal introduction to District service. The next meeting is Wednesday, February 20th.

District 30 meets **Wednesday, Feb 13, 7 p.m. at Grove Presbyterian Church in Aberdeen.** Come and get involved in the service structure of our Fellowship.

INTERGROUP NOTES:

Mark your Calendars: **It's Bingo Time! NEMDAA Awareness and Bingo Night, Saturday, February 16th, Level Volunteer Fire Hall, 3633 Level Village Road, Havre de Grace 21078. Bingo 7:30-10 p.m. Doors Open @ 7:00 pm.** Cash Prizes, Snacks and Beverages for Sale. **Donation \$15.00.** Tickets at Intergroup Office and at meetings .

THE NEMDAA Intergroup needs some help with an **IT project** and is looking for volunteers with the following skills: **Website Design and Management, IT Security, Backups and Recovery, Database Administration and Program Management.** Please contact Patrick J. @ office@nemdaa.org or 410-272-4150 if interested.

The next **Intergroup Council** meeting will be held on **Tuesday, February 12th at the Intergroup Office at 7pm,** 28 Centennial Lane, Aberdeen.

GROUP NOTES:

Aberdeen Monday Night WILL NOT MEET February 11th due to church activities.

The Just for Today Group, Thursday in Rising Sun, **WILL NOT MEET** on **February 21st** due to church activities **March 1st the Edgewood Noon Group** and **March 6th** the **Joppa 12 Step Group** will be moving to **Presbury United Methodist Church, 806 Edgewood Rd., Edgewood.** Meetings will continue at same venue and time as usual

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thru February. The **Edgewood Noon Group** will continue to meet at the same time on **M, W, F at noon.**

The **SWAN Group** **WILL NOT MEET Monday, Feb 18th or Monday, February 25th** due to church activities.

The **SWAN group** will hold its **17th anniversary celebration (open to all) on Monday, March 18th at Jane's United Methodist Church in Rising Sun.** Desserts and fellowship **start at 7 followed by the meeting at 7:30 pm.,** which will feature the play, "Snow White and the Seven Character Defects."

The **Aberdeen Ladies Group** will not be meeting on **February 12th** due to church activities.

ANSWERING SERVICE: February 3-17 '19

Chairperson: Jeff L. @ office@nemdaa.org

Feb 10-----**Living the Steps**
Feb 11-17-----**Happy Hour**
Feb 18-24-----**Three Pertinent Ideas**

INSTITUTIONS COMMITTEE: February 10-23 '19

Chairperson: Howard Z. @ office@nemdaa.org

11 Feb **Gratitude Group**------(PP Rehab #22)
12 Feb **New Beginnings**------(HCDC-Men)
John O.------(PP Rehab #22)
14 Feb **Bel Air Big Book**------(HC Homeless Shelter)
15 Feb **Monday Night 12 Step Recovery**---(PP Rehab #22)
Mark D.------(HCDC-Men)
16 Feb **Dave Pons**------(HCDC-Men)
Acceptance Group------(HMH)
How It Works------(PP Rehab #22)
17 Feb **THINK**------(HMH)
Jeff P.------(Union Hospital)
Kingsville Speakers------(PP Rehab #22)
18 Feb **Freedom Group**------(PP Rehab #22)
19 Feb **Forest Hill Friday Night**------(HCDC-Men's)
Happy Hour------(PP Rehab #22)
21 Feb **Hickory 12 Step**------(HC Homeless Shelter)

22 Feb **Solution for Living**------(PP Rehab #22)
Forest Hill Tuesday------(HCDC-Men)
23 Feb **Mike K.**------(HCDC-Men)
Havre de Grace Thursday------(HMH)
Stopped in Time------(PP Rehab #22)

ANNIVERSARIES: February 10-23, 2019

The following anniversaries represent a total of ??? years of **continuous sobriety** and ongoing recovery.

10 Feb	Al L.	Sunday Morning Now	24 years
11 Feb	Mo B. Nancy W.	Emmorton Beginners How It Works	18 years 12 years
12 Feb	Frank J. James B.	Joppa Morning Group Third Tradition	3 years 9 years
14 Feb	Kat W. Adrienne S.	Back to Basics Bel Air Women's Big Book	38 years 8 years
15 Feb	Brian S.	Spesutia	31 years
16 Feb	Jack M.	New Beginnings	1 year
17 Feb	John W. Clarence U. Scott C.	Sunlight of the Spirit Sunday Noon (Mann Hse) Recovering Spirit	6 years 39 years 2 years
18 Feb	Gailen B. Dee D. Chris M.	Monday Night Raw Emmorton Beginners Cut It Out	1 year 7 years 3 years
20 Feb	Sue C. Mark B.	THINK Edgewood Noon	9 years 5 years
21 Feb	Jeanne S. Fran P. Megan F.	Any Lengths North East 12 & 12 Came to Believe	3 years 23 years 18 years
23 Feb	Shannon L.	Women for Sobriety	1 year

The next bulletin cutoff is Wednesday **12-Noon February 13th** for group notes and anniversaries occurring from **February 17-March 2, 2019.**

AND A FINAL THOUGHT:

The greatest enemies of us alcoholics are resentment, jealousy, envy, frustration and fear. [Big Book, page 145]