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

November 10th-16th, 2019

TO GROW UP

"As we grow spiritually, we find that our old attitudes towards our instinctual drives need to undergo drastic revisions. Our demands for emotional security and wealth, for personal prestige and power all have to be tempered and redirected." Reprinted from "As Bill Sees It", p. 330 with permission from AA World Services.

INTERGROUP NOTES

The next meeting of the Intergroup Council will be on Tuesday November 12th at 7 p.m. at the Office, 28 Centennial Lane, Aberdeen.

The Thanksgiving Alcathon will be held at Grace Reformed Episcopal Church, at the corner of Fountain and Stokes in HDG. 10a-10p, meetings on the odd hours, and dinner at 4. Food, coffee, water and fellowship! If you would like to donate any part of a meal, please see the sign up sheet attached, or contact Marsha S. (office@nemdaa.org) to get signed up. HOME GROUPS: This year we would like home groups to host a meeting at the Alcathon, and select a speaker and format for each meeting. If your group would like to sign up, please see the sign up sheet attached, or contact Marsha S. (office@nemdaa.org) to get signed up. [attached]

As the holidays are approaching.... if there are any particular books you would like the office to order for you from Hazelden, the Grapevine or AA World Services, please contact the office at 410-272-4150 or e-mail the office at office@nemdaa.org.

DISTRICT NOTES:

District 11 will be holding elections for District Committee Member and other district positions on Friday, December 6 at the monthly District meeting at 6:30 pm at Bethel Lutheran Church, Rtes 272 and 40, North East. Join the fun, enhance your sobriety and help ensure the future of AA. Consult your sponsor or the service manual for position descriptions and suggested qualifications. Or just come to the meeting and learn!

GROUP NOTES:

Beginner's Big Book [formerly named Rising Sun Big Book] will be having a Potluck dinner Wednesday, Nov. 20th from 6-6:30 followed by a meeting. All are invited! Bring a dish if you wish. It meets at West Nottingham Presbyterian Church, 1195 Firetower Rd, Colora.

The Three Legacies Group will celebrate their 38th Group Anniversary on December 3rd at 7 pm with food and social followed by a speaker at 8 pm. All are welcome.

Thanksgiving Day Gratitude Meeting. It is said that a grateful alcoholic won't drink! Please join the Early Bird Group, 8:30 Thanksgiving Morning, 11/28/19, at the North East United Methodist Church, in North East, as we continue our tradition of celebrating recovery with gratitude. This is an open meeting. Family and friends are welcome; coffee & refreshments served.

Bel Air Women's Big Book *WILL NOT MEET* on **Thanksgiving Day.**

The **Darlington 12 Step Group WILL NOT MEET** on **Thanksgiving Day.**

Join other members of AA at these Thanksgiving meetings in Bel Air on Thanksgiving Day. In addition to the noon and 7:30 meetings at the Mann House, there will be meetings at 10 am, 2 pm, 4 pm and 6 pm hosted by Bel Air Big Book and sponsored by District 28. Light refreshments and snacks will be provided. All are welcome to these open meetings!

The Start Living Group which meets in Havre de Grace has been closed due to a scheduling conflict with the hospital on Sunday nights at 7:30 p.m. and will no longer meet.

WE REGRET THE PASSING

We regret the passing of Harold F. [Bucky] --a long time member of Alcoholics Anonymous. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends at this time.

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| ANSWERING SERVICE: November 10th-24th '19 Chairperson: Jeff L. @ office@nemdaa.org November 10 | 11 Nov Nicole W. Buzz K. Michael B. Ed R. | Stay for the Miracle Emmorton Beginners Cut It Out How It Works | 1 year 32 years 5 years 3 years |
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| INSTITUTIONS: November 10-23 '19 Chairperson: Alex B. @ office@nemdaa.org | 14 Nov Philip K. John W. Margie R. | Any Lengths Living the Steps Came to Believe | 6 years 35 years 1 year |
| 10 Nov Providence (HMH) Emmorton Group (Union Hospital) | 15 Nov Jim R. | Happy Hour | 13 years |
| By the Book (PP Rehab #22) 11 Nov North East Friday Night (PP Rehab #22) | 16 Nov Jerry Rick R. | Fresh Start New Beginnings | 3 years 30 years |
| Nov Don I (HCDC-Men) Jarrettsville 12 Step (PP Rehab #22) | 17 Nov Tyrone B. | Sunday Morning Now | 13 years |
| 14 Nov Delta Big Book (HC Homeless Shelter) 15 Nov Beware the Four Horsemen (PP Rehab #22) Good News (HCDC-Men) | 18 Nov Brea F. David R. | Monday Night Raw Cut It Out | 5 years 3 years |
| 16 Nov Howard Z./Dan D (HCDC-Men) 12 Step Group (William St. Tuesday) (HMH) Sylvia V (PP Rehab #22) | 19 Nov Santino Dale Y. | Third Tradition HOW | 12 years 1 year |
| 17 Nov Sobriety on Friday(HMH) Pat J(Union Hospital) | 20 Nov Michelle W. Brad A. | THINK Bel Air Wednesday | 26 years31 years |
| HOW(PP Rehab #22) | 21 Nov John H. | Came to Believe | 1 year |
| 18 Nov New Life [Aberdeen](PP Rehab #22) 19 Nov Joppa Morning Group(HCDC-Men) Acceptance(PP Rehab #22) | 22 Nov Jeff D. Pauline R. | North East Friday Happy Hour | 1 year 46 years |
| 21 Nov Happy Hour | 23 Nov Zach C. | New Beginnings | 1 year |
| 22 Nov Sunlight of the Spirit [Edgewood](PP Rehab #22) Bel Air Big Book(HCDC-Men) | Shawn P. Women for Sobriety 6 years The next bulletin cutoff is Wednesday, November 13th for group notes and anniversaries occurring from November 17th-30th. | | |
| 23 Nov Greg G. ———————————————————————————————————— | A FINAL THOUGHT | t, God can bring you through | |

ANNIVERSARIES: November 10-23 '19

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

| 10 Nov Tony S. | Sunlight of the Spirit [Edgewood] | 5 years |
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| Kathy F. | Delta Big Book | 44 years |
| Mitch B. | Sunday Morning Now | 24 years |