Northeastern Maryland Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous

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March 15-21, 2020

NO BOUNDARIES

Meditation is something which can always be further developed. It has no boundaries, of width or height or depth. Aided by such instruction and example as we can find, it is essentially an individual adventure, something which each one of us works out in his own way. But its object is always the same: to improve our conscious contact with God, with His grace, wisdom, and love. *Reprinted from As Bill Sees It, page 150 with permission from AA World Services.*

AREA ANOUNCEMENTS

CARC--The purpose of the **Area 29 Conference Agenda** Review Committees (CARCs) is to help prepare the Delegate for the General Service Conference. The CARCs are asked to review, discuss, and present selected Conference Agenda Items which will be brought before General Service Conference for consideration. **This year's CARC is being held at <u>St. Johns</u> <u>UMC, 216 W. Seminary Ave., Lutherville, MD, 21093</u> beginning at 1:00 pm on Sunday March 22. Your input is important.**

Mini-Conference-The purpose of the Area 29 <u>Mini</u> <u>Conference</u> is to provide a forum for Area 29's GSR's, DCM's, Area Officers and Committee Leaders to discuss the General Service Agenda items and related issues and concerns affecting Alcoholics Anonymous as a whole and to provide our Area 29 Delegate to the General Service Conference an informed Area conscience. The Mini Conference provides an opportunity for AA members to exercise their "Right of Participation" in the business and direction of AA. This year's Mini-Conference is April 4, St. Martin's in the Field 375-A Benfield Road Severna Park, MD 21146, beginning at 9:00 am. For more information go to Maryalndaa.org.

INTERGROUP NOTES

Website Updates – If you have any questions, suggestions, or problems accessing the new website, please e-mail <u>NEMDIntergroupChair@gmail.com</u>.

The **Spring Appreciation Breakfast** tickets are now available at the office or thru fellow AA members. **Time and Place: April 5th from 8:00 am to noon, at the Level**

Volunteer Fire Company, 3633 Level Village Road, Havre de Grace. Guest Speaker at 10:30 am. Donations are \$15.00. For more information contact the office @ 410-272-4150.

All meetings at Perry Point Building #22, meetings at Harford Memorial Hospital as well as Upper Chesapeake Hospital have been cancelled because of health precautions until further notice.

CANCELLATION; Spaghetti Dinner and Puppet Show. Due to updated advisories and mandates from the Federal Government, CDC Guidelines, Governor Hogan and Presbyterian Church we will be cancelling the function on **Saturday, March 14th. All monies for tickets will be reimbursed.** If you have questions, please email the **Intergroup Chair** at **georgia@nemdaa.org or the office.** We regret that we won't be able to fellowship with this large group on Saturday, but it is important to keep everyone and the church safe. **Ticket reimbursements will be available at the office when you return your ticket, but you must bring your ticket.**

DISTRICT NOTES

District 28 meets the **3rd Wednesday** of every month. The next meeting will be **March 18th** at **7 p.m.** at the **Bel Air United Methodist Church, 21 Linwood Avenue, Bel Air, 21014 room 202.**

GROUP NOTES

The Elkton Friday Big Book Meeting is need of your support! It meets Fridays at 7:30 pm at the Elkton Presbyterian Church, 209 Main St., Elkton.

There will be a new meeting starting on Tuesday, March 31 at 7:00 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalists of Fallston at 1127 Old Fallston Road, Fallston. The name of the meeting is BYOB-Bring Your Own Beliefs. [secular]

The We Are Not Saints group <u>WILL NOT MEET</u> March 17th at the United Methodist Church in Havre de Grace.

Right Road 12&12 will still be meeting **same time same place** but due to church activities will be meeting **downstairs instead of in the Chapel.**

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Upcoming Events and Dates to Remember:

District 28 Meeting - March 18th MGS Assembly Meeting – March 21st CARC-March 22nd MGS Mini Conference-April 4th Spring Appreciation Breakfast – April 5th Dance - May 2nd District 28-Delegate Report Back -May 20th

ANSWERING SERVICE: March 15-29 '20

Chairperson: Jeff L. @ 410-935-7757

March15	Any Lengths
March 16-22	By the Book
March 23-29	Providence Group

INSTITUTIONS COMMITTEE: March 15-28 '20

Chairperson: Missy E. @443-255-6837 [All Institution Commitments at Perry Point Rehab #22 and Harford Memorial Hospital have been cancelled due to health concerns] 15 Mar Providence------[HMH] Emmorton Group------[Union Hospital] Bv the Book------[PP Rehab #22] 16 Mar North East Friday Night------[PP Rehab #22] 17 Mar Don I.-----[HCDC-Men] Jarrettsville 12 Step-----[PP Rehab #22] 19 Mar Delta Big Book------[HC Homeless Shelter] 20 Mar Beware the Four Horsemen-----[PP Rehab #22] Good News Group------[HCDC-Men] 21 Mar Howard Z./Dan D.-----[HCDC-Men] 12 Step Group[Williams St. Tuesday]------[HMH] **Svlvia V**.-----[PP Rehab #22] 22 Mar Sobriety on Friday-----[HMH] Pat J.----[Union Hospital] HOW-----[-PP Rehab Bldg #22] 23 Mar New Life[Aberdeen]-----[PP Rehab #22] 24 Mar Joppa Morning Group------[HCDC-Men] Acceptance------[PP Rehab #22]

26 Mar Happy Hour-----[HC Homeless Shelter]

27 Mar Sunlight of the Spirit[E	dgewood][PP Rehab #22]
Bel Air Big Book	[HCDC-Men]
29 Mar Cross C	ILCDC Maril

28 Mar	Greg G	[HCDC-Men]
	Port in a Storm	[HMH]
	Keith	[PP Rehab #22]

ANNIVERSARIES: March 15-28 '20

The following anniversaries represent a total of ??? years ofcontinuous sobriety and ongoing recovery.15 Mar Shawn C.Elkton Beginners1 year

16 Mar Kate H.	Emmorton Beginners	1 year
Robin G.	Caring and Sharing	28 years
Paul H.	How It Works	45 years
Abby P.	SWAN[Open To All]	5 years
20 Mar Kenny Tissues	Sobriety on Friday	4 years
21 Mar Brandy J.	Fallston Early Saturday	2 years
Kitty	New Beginnings	8 years
22 Mar Ken N.	Elkton Beginners	7 years
23 Mar Jennifer D.	Emmorton Beginners	3 years
24 Mar Tim W.	Third Tradition	3 years
Sonny A.	Third Tradition	10 years
Amy D.	Aberdeen Ladies	5 years
Keith B.	Sober by the Bay	14 years
25 Mar George O.	Joppa 12 Step	31 years
Shirley B.	Edgewood Noon	3 years
Aeron A.	Lighthouse	14 years
27 Mar John D.	Happy Hour	32 years
28 Mar Lamont	New Beginnings	14 years
Frank S.	Hickory 12 Step	27 years
Ben H.	As Bill Sees It	5 years

Last names used at personal request. The next bulletin cutoff is Wednesday, **March 18th** for group notes and anniversaries occurring from **March 22-April 4th.**

A FINAL THOUGHT

We came, we came to, we came to believe.