

Spring Appreciation Breakfast 2024 in Review

The Intergroup's breakfast event on 4/21/24 was a success, thanks to the members of our Fellowship who stepped up to serve in various ways: offering advice based on experience from past Intergroup events, advertising and fielding questions from various members/groups, selling tickets to the event, selling 50/50 raffle tickets (also: helping me to find a way to get ticket rolls for the 50/50 at the last minute because I realized on my way to the Fire Hall that they were the one thing I forgot at home), checking folks in at the door, selling literature, presenting the readings, and sharing their experience, strength, and hope with all who attended.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Level Volunteer Fire Hall prepared a delicious spread, as usual. They also beautifully decorated the hall and quickly cleaned up afterward, which took a lot of the "heavy lifting" off of our shoulders.

During the Sobriety Countdown, led by our Chairwoman, we learned that our attendees' continuous sobriety ranged from one day to nearly 50 years! This is undoubtedly my favorite part of our Intergroup's breakfast events.

We sold a total of 206 tickets and, of those, 170 people attended. Given the Fire Hall's capacity of 325, I would like for the Council to think about how we can get more people to attend.

The 50/50 raffle grossed \$1,284 in ticket sales, of which the Intergroup and our lucky winner each received \$624 – a great result, especially considering that sales started a little later than planned due to my ticket mishap. The overall event revenue is TBD but estimated at \$500 of income for the Intergroup.

Thanks again to all who helped to make this fellowship event a success!

-Steffani M., NEMDAA Secretary