



Milwaukee Central Office Event

“The Spiritual Journey of Alcoholics Anonymous, from Ohio to Wisconsin”

Nancy S., past Area 75 Archivist will be providing a power point presentation with the start of Alcoholics Anonymous in Ohio and its journey to Wisconsin.

Date: Saturday December 8, 2018

Social Hour: 12:00pm to 12:55pm displays of A.A. history to be viewed

Presentation Time: 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm, ten-minute breaks during presentation

**Location: Christ the King Lutheran Church
1600 N. Genesee Street
Delafield, WI**

Coffee, Tea and Water will be provided.

Greater Milwaukee Central Office

“Welcoming Newcomers and Aiding AA Groups In Our Community.”

“BETWEEN-US”

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This Christmas Will Be Different

Two AAs tell how they know, this year

THIS Christmas will be different. I'm already shopping for it. Shopping for man-made gifts--and for the Christmas spirit which, many drinks ago, I forgot could clutch at the heart with [quick](#) spasms of joy. I'm doing very well with my [shopping](#).

This Christmas:

I will drive with my two sons and their mother in search of the perfect tree. I will do this thoroughly and well in advance of the Day. The tree must be a Norway spruce, the variety that *experienced* fathers say lasts longer and smells exactly right.

I will, not hurriedly snatch the nearest scraggly evergreen in the lot next to the North Street tavern, bighearted hand the attendant a \$10 bill

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I Just Can't Get Christmas-ish

TIME was, in days of yore, and I was warmed by the Gulp Stream, when I could give you as loud a Merry Christmas as the next fellow and maybe something about New Year's too, but even then it was more of a swish than a wish and I really didn't give a hoot-hoot. But now since AA and all these changes (I have taken to black clothes and try to look saintly) I have become a little perturbed about my attitude to Christmas. . . now that the blessed season is open.

My thoughts (ha ha) run something like this: if AA tells me to go out and give a fellow a hand and I do and thus become happier, more satisfied and get a better life than I ever knew was possible from such things as that, then it seems to me if I could

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Greater Milwaukee Central Office AA
 Profit & Loss
 October 2018

Income

4000 · Literature Sales	9,500.05
4050 · Between Us	195.00
4070 · Contributions	7,199.86
4090 · Gratitude Boxes	18.00
4090 · Open Meeting/Dinner	2,500.00
4130 · Personal Contributions	94.31
4150 · Coffee, Candy, Soda, Other	729.47
48900 · Shipping and Delivery	17.55
Total Income	<u>20,254.24</u>

Cost Of Goods Sold

5,705.52

Expense

51100 · Freight and Shipping Costs	209.85
6045 · Coffee, Candy, Soda	11.67
6050 · Credit card fees	191.02
6345 · Open Meeting / Dinner	3,192.90
6500 · Office	3,391.50
6600 · Payroll	9,473.20
Total Expense	<u>16,470.14</u>

Net Income -1,921.42

<u>Account Balance</u>	Total Income	20,254.24
Checking Account 3,334.23	Minus Total COGS	5,705.52
Savings Account 43,972.41	Minus Total Expenses	16,470.14
Prudent Reserve CD 163,805.25	Equals Net Income	-1,921.42

What is the Prudent Reserve?

The A.A. guideline document produced by A.A. World Services, Inc., suggests a prudent reserve for a central office or intergroup be fixed somewhere between one and twelve months' operating expenses. The prudent reserve is not available for everyday use. It is only meant for startup and twelve months of operating expenses, in an emergency

Meeting Space Available

- **Chase Commerce Center Bldg 28**, 3073 S Chase Ave at Oklahoma. Contact: craig.bergland@gmail.com for more information.
- **Christ United Methodist Church**, 5200 S 48th St. Greenfield WI 53221. Wheelchair accessible space available. Contact: Jo, 414-421-0202 or email: christumcl@sbcglobal.net
- **Galano Club-LGBT Friendly** at 7210 W Greenfield Ave. West Allis, has meeting space available for recovery groups. Plenty of free parking. Contact Deb S. at 414-759-7149 or Email: galanoclub@gmail.com



Fifth Annual "Crooked Retreat"
 Women's AA & Al-Anon



Spirituality of Imperfection
January 25 – 27, 2019

Retreat is Friday evening thru Sunday noon

The Redemptorist Retreat Center
1800 N Timber Trail Lane Oconomowoc, WI.

Join us for Contemplation, Fellowship, and Fun

Registration Fee: \$200

(Includes two nights lodging in a single room, six meals, coffee service 24/7)

Partial Scholarships available

For Retreat & Scholarship Information: Contact

Ann S. at: crookedandjoyous@yahoo.com

A non-refundable deposit of \$75 must be received by January 11, 2019

\$125 balance is due by Friday night at the retreat.



YAY! SANTA'S COMING

We, the Alano Family, invited Santa to visit us this year.

Please come and sign-up your children to receive a gift from Santa Claus himself.

Children need to be signed up By December 1st, so Santa and his elves can get an accurate count of the number of gifts to bring.

PLACE: EASTSIDE ALANO CLUB.

1521 PROSPECT AVE, MILWAUKEE WI. 53202

DATE: Sunday December 16th

TIME: 4:30pm, until 6:30 pm

(AA meeting also at 4:30 pm)

Santa is bringing gifts and snacks. We will be singing Christmas Carols and playing fun games for the kids.

WE NEED DONATIONS OF GIFTS VALUED AT \$10 PER GIFT SO ALL CHILDREN RECEIVE THE SAME VALUE OF GIFT

ANY QUESTIONS CONTACT DEE OLSON @ THE ALANO OR (414) 722-0296 PLEASE ALL DONATIONS IN BY DECEMBER 1st.

AA Under Water

A U.S. NAVY submarine, diesels pounding, glides swiftly toward its rendezvous. There are no hitches for the crew know their jobs well. The sub twists and turns, seeking [shelter](#) in the depths--spiralling first this way, then that. There are no explosions to smash lights and valves for this is peacetime . . . merely another training routine.

The engine rooms are silent now and the men reminisce over the last liberty port, make plans for the next. Others swap sea stories over coffee. In the radio room a ritual is being performed--strange for submarine life. The radioman pulls out a heavy wooden mallet from under a locker. He sets this on a narrow shelf. Next he lifts out a thick [blue book](#) and sets it alongside the mallet. Finally he posts a small [sign](#) on the door.

All is [ready](#) now and in a little while two crew members [enter](#), each carrying a cup of coffee. One squats on the deck, for the cramped space doesn't allow more than two chairs. No greetings are necessary for these men live side by side in a hollow pipe some 300 feet long, day and night. One man bangs the mallet, says a few words and all three bow their heads for a moment of silent prayer.

The sign on the door reads: "AA Meeting Tonight." The mallet is the Chairman's gavel, and the blue book is a copy of *Alcoholics Anonymous*. This is the "Dolphin" group of AA, named after the emblem of the Submarine Service, meeting as all AA groups do to "solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism."

The members are the same as you would find in any AA group. One had been pronounced "hopeless" several years before by Navy doctors. He has been sober nineteen months. The second was on the verge of his first trip to the psych ward. He has been sober four months. The third was well along the downward path that is alcoholism. He has been sober several weeks. All three, weak in themselves, know that in the group alone lies their strength, and they have gathered again to share it.

Long weeks at sea in a submarine can be trying to any man. Restlessness grows: nerves are on edge; well-intentioned words can lead to anger; the strongest of men can become irritated over a spilled cup of coffee or a stubbed toe. Were these feelings permitted to grow, they could be disastrous to an alcoholic trying to maintain his sobriety. But these three have their quiet meetings, twice weekly.

Each meeting helps to renew their emotional stability; each meeting strengthens the wall between past and present; and each meeting adds one more beam to the structure of once-shattered lives being rebuilt.

There is a Power greater than ourselves which makes this rebuilding possible and it is present, even beneath the sea.

-- Bill O.
Key West, Florida

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Groups represented 7, 48, 59, 74, 100, 124 132 Women, 140 Shorewood, 394 Step Topic, 11th Step Open AA, Another Chance Tuesday Night, Big Book Readers, Big Book Study Hales Corners, Brown Deer Monday Night, Butler Sunday Night, Common Solutions, Conscious Contact Discussion, Honest and Able, How It Works Big Book, Keystone 12 Promises, Mayflower Gp. Monday Night Women's Waukesha, New Berlin Big Book, Pick-A-Topic Gp, Real Needs Real Help, Reality Gp, Restore Us To Sanity, Saturday Morning Big Book, Spiritual Solutions, Stepping Into Promises Women, Sussex Friday Night Action, Terrific Tuesday Big Book, TGIF Menomonee Falls, There Is A Solution/Pewaukee, Tuesday A.M. Big Book/12 & 12 Study, Tuesday Night Grapevine, Women's Freedom. I'm sorry if I have missed anyone that was in attendance.

Nancy S. opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m. with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

Bank Balances on page two.

New secretaries introduced themselves, and made announcements.

ALL MEETINGS listed in our meeting directories should routinely contribute to the AA Service Entities; Milwaukee Central Office 50%, GSO in New York 30% and Area 75 Committee 10% and to your Districts 10%.

Renew Between-U's subscriptions now. \$9 yr. for 3 copies/mo. or \$18 yr. for 6 copies/mo. All subscription run through December. **NEW subscriptions welcome.**

BIRTHDAY CLUB! We celebrate birthdays, and we'd like to help you celebrate yours! Send us a donation of \$1 for each year - or more if you'd like - and we'll print your birthday in the Between-U's Newsletter. Include

your Home Group, and we'll print that too! Just fill in the form found on page 6 of this newsletter.

Volunteers are needed for the helpline, some overnight and some Saturdays (9-1 or 1-5). Also, some in-office hours available now. You need to have at least 1 year of sobriety, a Home Group and Sponsor. Call Nancy or Dan.

Guest Speaker: Brent H., spoke extensively about the Area 75 Conference & East Central Regional Conference. October 18-20, 2019. Flyers available for information.

Central Office Spring Thing is set for Saturday April 13, 2019. To be held at Davians Event Center, N56W16300 Silver Spring Dr, Menomonee Falls, WI 53051 Tickets available through the Central Office 414-771-9119.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer at 7:20 p.m.. Next meeting is Tuesday January 8, 2019 at 7 p.m. Next Board of Director's meeting is January 9, 2019 at 6:30 p.

Deaf Access Committee (DAC) September 2018	
Balance:	\$6,080.97
Contributions:	\$1,554.09
Interpreter :	\$ 320.00
Awareness Event	
Expenses:	\$239.90
Donations:	\$740.00
Annual Cost of interpreters for 3 meetings a week @\$160 per meeting is \$24,960	
Leslie P. with questions: eclvr@wi.rr.com	

ORIENTATION for GSR'S

Second Tuesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. prior to the secretary's meeting, at the Milwaukee Central Office. Call before you come 414-771-9119

DISTRICT MEETINGS

DISTRICT INFO ON THE WEB:

<https://www.area75.org/page/districtmeetings>

1. JACKSON, LaCROSSE, MONROE, VERNON, & TREMPLEALEAU; 2 & 18 GREEN LAKE & MARQUETTE CNTY'S & PART OF WAUSHARA; 8 & 30 ROCK; 9. CRAWFORD, GRANT, IOWA and LAFAYETTE; 19 & 37. RICHLAND & SAUK; 20, 21 & 26 DANE; 31. COLUMBIA CNTY; 35. GREEN; 37. JUNEAU CNTY'S

(Check the web address above for meeting info.)

3. MANITOWOC & SHEBOYGAN CNTY'S 3rd Wed. of month, 6:30 p., Even numbered months at 1907 Club, 2908 N. 21st St., Sheboygan. Odd numbered months: Alano Club, 404 S 29 St Manitowoc

6. WALWORTH CNTY 2nd Tue. 7:30 p. Feb. Apr. June. Aug. Oct. and Dec. only, Walworth Alano Club, 611 E. Walworth St., Delavan

7. KENOSHA CNTY 3rd Sun. of month, 4:00 p., Kenosha Alano Club, 630 56th St.

10. Spanish District. Contact: Salvador G. at 414-446-0158. Meets every 2nd & 4th Sunday 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. 1663 S. 6th Street, Milw.

11. JEFFERSON CNTY Meets last Wed. at 5:30 p.m. Moravian Church, 301 College St., Lake Mills,

12. WASHINGTON CNTY 1st Wed. of month, 6:00 p., the Jackson Community Center N165W20330 Hickory Ln., Jackson, WI. 53037

13. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 3) 1st Sun. of month, 1:00 p, St. Matthias Church, 111 E. Main, Waukesha

14. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 6) 4th Wed. of month, 7:00 p, Milwaukee Central Office 7429 W Greenfield Ave., P.O. Box 13011, Wauwatosa WI 53226

16. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 6) 1st Wed. of month, 7:00 p, Milw. Central Office, 7429 W Greenfield Ave.

17. RACINE CNTY (1 of 2) 3rd Sun. of month, 1:00 p, Grove Club, 1037 Grove Ave., Racine

23. DODGE CNTY 1st Wed of month at 7:00 p, Dodge Cnty Alano Club, 115 N. Lincoln, Beaver Dam, call to confirm 920-583-3142

24. OZAUKEE CNTY 3rd Tue. of month, 6:30 p., Peltz Center for Jewish Life, 2233 W Mequon Rd. Mequon

25. FOND du LAC CNTY 2nd Tue. of month, 6:30 p., Gratitude Club, 295 Ruggles St., Fond du Lac

27. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 6) 3rd Wednesday of month, 7:00 p.m. Covenant Lutheran Church, 8121 W Hope Ave, Milwaukee WI 53222

28. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 6) 1st Mon. of month, 7:00 p, Bay View United Methodist 2772 S Kinnickinnic Ave. Bay View, WI 53207

29. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 6) 1st Mon. of month, 7:00 p, Luther Memorial Church, 2840 S 84th St., West Allis, WI 53227

32. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 3) 4th Tuesday of month, 6:30 p, Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church, 470 Oak Crest Dr., Wales WI.

34. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 3) 1st Tue. of month, 6:30 p, Northwest Alano Club, N88W17658 Christman Rd., Menomonee Falls

36. RACINE/KENOSHA (1 of 2) 2nd Tues. month 6:00 p.m., 12 & 12 Club, 724 N Pine St., Burlington

38. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 6) Last Sunday of month 4:30 p.m. All Saint Cathedral, 818 E Juneau Ave.

SEND ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS TO:
7429 W. Greenfield Ave, West Allis, WI 53214,
dan@aamilwaukee.com

Hey--Santa!

DEAR SANTA CLAUS,

Hold tight to your seat--look who's writing! Bet you never thought you'd hear from me, after lo these many, many years. Just thought I'd pen you a line to tell you some startling news . . . I don't want anything for Christmas this year, not one blinking solitary thing.

I got to thinking it over, about the time the stores let all the stops go and started pouring out their special "Come in and get your shopping done early" music, and I came to the conclusion that I'm one of the luckiest gals going, and there really isn't a darn thing I want this year--except to be allowed to go on as I have been these past years. For, Dear Santa, I'm the proud wife of an AA member.

In case you haven't gotten the word way up there in your icy homeland, AA stands for Alcoholics Anonymous. A group of people, all with a common problem--alcohol--are banded together in a fellowship for the purpose of learning how to cope with this problem. And a grander bunch of men and women you'd never want to meet. They have regular meetings and

have a wonderful plan of life all laid out before them called the Twelve Steps. A helping hand is always out--and no sermons, either. They've all been through the same mill.

The wives and husbands of AA members have their own part in this program, too. A lot of them belong to the Al-Anon Family Group. They also have their own meetings and their own program, based on the AA's

Twelve Steps. And they are folks that are just as swell as the AAs themselves--always trying to help and, like the AAs, constantly trying to improve themselves. Try to find another group that does that!

So, dear Santa, with a roof over my head, all I want to eat and a couple of nice healthy kids--

plus a wonderful sober husband, thanks to God and AA--what the heck do I need anything else for? Have a good time this Christmas, Santa, and don't worry about me. There just isn't anything I want for Christmas this year.

-- Mary A.
Springfield, Illinois

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2 Bucks In The Basket... Make it a Reality, not just a dream!



"Every AA group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions."

Tradition Seven, Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions,
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Spirituality and Money

"While the work of the group treasurer often involves many details, it is important to remember that the money the treasurer oversees serves a spiritual purpose: it enables each group to fulfill its primary purpose of carrying the A.A. message to the alcoholic who still suffers. This is the fundamental work of A.A. and to continue it the group must keep its doors open. The group treasurer is an important part of this Twelfth Step work."

CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS

WAUPUN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION
AA Meeting Sat. , 8:00a.m.-9:30 a.m. Dale C. 920-387-4229 after 5 p. clearance.

MILWAUKEE COUNTY HOUSE OF CORRECTION, 8885 S. 68th St. Franklin WI.

MILWAUKEE COUNTY JAIL 9th & State Milwaukee WI.

MILWAUKEE SECURE DETENTION CENTER, 1015 N. 10th St. Milwaukee

Milw Women's Correctional Ctr. 615 W Keefe Ave. Milwaukee

FOX LAKE CORRECTIONAL, Box #147, Fox Lake, WI 53933 Closed meetings Tue. & Fri. from 6:00 -8:00 p.m.

JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL 411 S. Center St., Jefferson, WI, Mtng. held on Mon. at 7:00 p.m., Contact: Scott N. 920-397-0170

RACINE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION for MEN Mtngs: Sun. 8:30 AM, Dane Rx Unit; Wed. 7:00 p. and two meetings on Thursday at 7:00 p. English and Spanish. Call Paul H. (262) 537-2884

TAYCHEEDAH CORRECTIONAL, Meetings are held every Tuesday, 5:45 -7:30 p.m., Gloria K. (920) 921-2395

FEDERAL CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION, P.O. Box 1085 Oxford, No Meeting!

FEDERAL CORRECTIONAL Satellite Camp, New Path Group, P. O. Box 1085 Oxford, WI. Meetings Wed. at 1:30 p.m.

OAK HILL AA GROUP, OAK HILL WCI 5212 Hwy M, P.O. Box 140 Oregon, WI 53575 Meetings Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. and Sunday at 6:30 p.m. Contact: Rick B. (608) 235-5154

THOMPSON FARM, RT. 2 DEERFIELD, WI., Closed meeting Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. Contact: Tom Dickert, (608)764-5755

ROBERT ELLSWORTH CORRECTIONAL, 21425A Spring St., Union Grove, 53182 Call for AA Meeting times: Contact Jennifer H. 262) 237-1294 or Cheryl P. (262) 914-3970.

KETTLE MORAIN CORR., Box 31, W9071 Forrest Dr., Plymouth, AA Thr. at 6:00 p.m. Contact Mike L (920) 898-4782.

MILWAUKEE COUNTY CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE: meets at 6:30 p.m. on the 2nd Monday every odd numbered month at All Saints Cathedral, 818 E. Juneau, Milwaukee, WI 53202. Donations should be sent to: **MCCC, PO Box 270544, Milwaukee WI 53227-0544.** Call coordinator: Kôtá at (262) 385-3443, email: mcccocoordinator@gmail.com w/ Corrections volunteers must go through the committee to get AA literature to take into the various facilities. Milwaukee Central Office no longer handles the funds.

Area 75, Southern WI, Calendar of Events 2018
Madison Senior Center (MSC),
330 W. Miiflin St., Madison, WI,
except where otherwise noted.
Area 75 Conference & East Central Regional Conference
Check "www.area75.org" for information.

- **Milwaukee Central Office:** 7429 W Greenfield Ave, West Allis, WI 53214 gmco@aamilwaukee.com
- **Area 75 Treasurer:** PMB #167, 5464 N Port Washington Rd., Glendale WI 53217
- **General Service Office:** G.S.O.,
- P O Box 459, Grand Central Station, New York, N.Y. 10163
- **Area 75 Corrections, Bridging the Gap and Treatment write to:** PMB # 170, 5464 N Port Washington Rd., Glendale WI 53217
- **Milwaukee Deaf Access Committee:** www.milwdac.org; Email: MilwaukeeAreaDeafAccess@gmail.com; Mailto: Deaf Access Committee, P.O. Box 1982, Waukesha WI 53186

Central Office Contributions - October 2018
89 Groups Contributed Thank You!

Group Name	Group #	Amount
#240 Mon Big Book	150771	64.89
#261 GP	114317	50.00
#269 GP	117134	145.00
#287 Early Risers	119029	13.00
#125 GP	145828	53.00
#34 Serenity Seekers	137081	100.00
#40 Sherwood	138806	60.00
17th Step Open AA Meeting	WAK-A6	60.00
24 Hr Club Mon-Sat 6:30 a.m.	711522	63.00
Airport Group	159599	100.00
Beginner's Meeting	MIL-TA	60.00
Big Book Study, Promise View	720616	60.00
Broken Arrow	MIL-FB	60.00
Clockwise GP	637077	30.00
Coffee Pot GP	713673	30.00
Cross Roads GP	119518	25.00
Each Day A New Beginning	147336	30.00
Early Bird	613662	60.00
Early Bird Rogers Memorial	624742	60.00
Elm Grove Living Sober	655770	250.00
First Step	719600	40.00
Franklin Tue Night	635640	60.00
Fri Night Candlelight St Anskars	126720	60.00
Fri Night Young Peoples Big Book	120493	25.00
Fri Noon 12 & 12	170973	84.00
Friday's Feast	MIL-FB	101.70
Friendship Gr. Lake Area Club	655114	75.00
Friendship House Jewish Recovery	128753	193.90
Gateway, Pass It On Club	MIL-TJ	22.80
Get A Life	631316	60.00
Gopher Sun Night	MIL-WM	27.05
Grapevine Topic	125948	78.21
Happy Joyous and Free, Pass It On	MIL-FM	21.69
Homes and Aids	648668	60.00
Homesy Plus	618300	50.00
Inic Group	630093	50.00
Jim's Sun Night 1st Step	630740	60.00
Jump Start, Pass It On Club	719963	60.00
Juneau Peaches, Mar's	684326	60.00
Just For You	628213	120.00
Keep It Simple Simple	174350	135.00
Kcala Group	605030	60.00
	679397	40.00
	143751	69.00

Lake Geneva Kitchen Table	125465	25.00
Life House	133473	18.00
Made a Decision Pass It On Club	613466	60.00
Maryfar Ladies	114336	125.00
Santly GP	142070	160.00
Mon Independence	MIL-WM	173.50
Mon Night Women's Waukesha	114085	302.26
New Beginnings Occomowoc	67659	153.68
Oak Creek Fr	114112	180.00
Old School House Group 309	163906	133.00
Real Needs Real Help	715054	60.00
Ref edions II	616378	120.00
Rule 62 Men's GP	173372	169.50
Sacred Heart Franklin	133002	60.00
Sat Morning Big Book	135286	50.00
Spiritual Solutions	MIL-WM	35.60
Stepping Into Promises Women's GP	674846	36.00
Sun Morning Gratitude	687077	30.00
Sun Morning Wake Up	179880	30.00
Sussex Fri Night Action	617666	60.00
There is a Solution/Pewaukee	147489	420.00
There is a Solution/Waukesha	605313	123.65
Thoughts 4 Today	173128	49.95
Tr Nooners Waukesha	654047	60.00
Tr Simply Sober	135140	60.00
Tr Success Step	714366	50.00
Time To Start Living	MIL-FB	54.06
Traditions 101	665767	60.00
Tue Night St Ansker	MIL-TM	35.47
Tue Reflections	653264	100.00
Twelve Promises Discussion	MIL-TH	124.56
Victory Group	38325	38.25
Waukesha County Alamo Club	163882	60.00
We and Our GP	500.00	500.00
We Us and Ours GP	140790	25.00
Wed Night Wisdom	167194	45.00
We Come Back	145180	193.00
West Bend The Night	690831	193.34
When All Else Fails	667042	60.00
Wind Lake Steps & Promises	114462	30.00
Women's AA GP	124728	100.00
Women's Big Book-Step	699855	30.00
Written For Us	650509	25.00
	163986	10.00
	717595	40.00
TOTAL	7,199.86	

All the groups listed in your When and Where should be contributing regularly to the support of your Central Office. We want to be here when anyone reaches out for help. A big thank you to everyone, for all you do.

JOIN the BIRTHDAY CLUB!

We celebrate birthdays, and we'd like to help you celebrate yours!
Send us a donation of **\$1 for each year of Sobriety**- or more if you choose- and we'll print your birthday in the Between-Us Newsletter.
Include your Home Group, and we'll print that also!

All request must be by the 12th of the previous month.
Late arrivals will appear the following month.

Just fill in the form below and mail, with your donation, to:

Payable to: "Greater Milwaukee Central Office"
Memo: Birthday Club
7429 W Greenfield Ave
West Allis WI 53214



\$ _____ enclosed.

I will have _____ years on _____ / _____ / _____ .

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: () - _____

Email: _____

Home Group: _____



"Written for Us"

Annual Holiday Open Meeting

When:

Saturday, December 15, 2018

10:00 a.m. to Noon

AA Speaker - Lisa

Al-Anon Speaker - Sharon Y.

Where:

Milwaukee Central Office

7429 W. Greenfield Ave.

West Allis, WI 53214

Food and Fellowship

"BETWEEN-US"

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Current subscription holders please note: If you do not renew by December 31, you will not receive the January issue. Please renew or subscribe early to avoid missing any issues.
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Group Name _____ Group ID _____
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Full Name and Address to Mail Between-Us to _____

Check One: Street _____

Group _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 or
 Individual _____ Total Number of copies _____ Total Amount Enclosed: _____

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GROUP SUBSCRIPTIONS: \$18.00 per year for 6 copies per month.
 Add \$9.00 for each additional 3 copies.

A subscription to the Between-Us would make a nice gift for someone who cannot afford an individual subscription. Or if your group does not have funds available an individual could subscribe in the group name (help carry the message).

Reading the Between-Us is a nice way to keep in touch with activities in the local community. Don't be left out. Subscribe Now.!

This form or facsimile should accompany your payment. Mail or return to:
 Milwaukee Central Office, 7429 W. Greenfield Ave., West Allis, WI 53214



AA Groups Need Your Support

- **Mondays at 7 p.** Group 29, St Catherine Church, 5101 W Center St, Milwaukee WI 53210
- **Tuesday 8:30 a.m.,** Home At Last, 6705 Northway, Greendale, WI (men and women welcome)
- **Wednesday 11 a.m.** Gp10-17, St Veronica's 353 E Norwich, Milwaukee 53207
- **Wednesday 6 p.m.** Women's Big Book, Martin Luther Church, 9235 W Bluemound Rd. Milw. 53226
- **Wednesday 8 p.m.** Menomonee Falls, Gloria Dei Church, W180N7863 Town Hall Rd. 53051
- **Thursday at 12:15 p.m. and Wednesday 5:30 p.m.** St. John's Cathedral Complex, 831 N. Van Buren St. Milwaukee 53202
- **Thursday 8:30 p.m.** Gp 22, Underwood Memorial Baptist, 1916 Wauwatosa Ave, 53213
- **Friday at 7 p.m.,** NCIC Gp 24, NCIC Church 2328 W Capitol Dr, Milwaukee WI 53206
- **Friday at 7 p.m.** First Things First, St Margaret Mary, 3930 N 92nd St. Milw 53222
- **Friday 9:30 p.m.** Big Book, Martin Luther Church 9235 W Bluemound Rd. Milw. 53226
- **Friday 8 p.m.** Candlelight, St Anskar Episcopal, N48W31340 Hill Rd Hartland WI (Hwy's 16 & 83)
- **Saturday 11 a.m.** Big Book, St. Pius X Church, 2506 Wauwatosa Ave. Wauwatosa WI 53213

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and mumble over my shoulder to the family that "I'll be right back. Gonna pick up some cigs."

I'll consult a few of the boys' closest-mouthed friends to make sure that my choice of slacks, sports jackets and Argyle socks will meet the possibly peculiar but nevertheless rigid standards of two junior high school undergraduates. I have thrilled already to the new-found satisfaction of carefully selecting for Ray a camera he will want to show to his cronies. I haven't, with absolute finality, decided which hi-fi record player will best withstand the monotonous offbeat of Donny's "Rock 'n' Roll" album.

But I've mailed an early order for a subscription to their favorite sports weekly. I think that a January copy of the magazine, tied to the tree and flecked with fake snow, will better announce my intent than last year's halting "must-have-been-delayed-in-the-mail" apology.

We'll all have fun trimming the tree on the day before *this* Christmas. I'll not get tight-lipped if the kids pop a few baubles. I'll not glance up with a sickly smile from beneath a toppled stepladder and shattered ornaments--and expect responsive laughter.

Later, after junior-grade bedtime, I'll actually be a help to Blanche in wrapping gifts. These gifts will have been paid for.

On this Christmas morning my sons will not have to wait at the top of the stairs, tense, while I moan out of bed, shrug into a robe and arrange a grin of sheer rapture. I'll be ready for the

big moment when they are, and just as impatient.

If my children have Christmas morning smiles this year, I'll see them. My eyes focus sharply now, even in the morning. With steady fingers I will untie my presents, needing no embarrassed help. I will not goof, but will identify my Christmas tie clasp as a tie clasp, not as a money clip.

When my sons and their mother go off to church this Christmas morning, to thank the One really responsible for our new happiness, I will not dart into the kitchen for a number of quick snorts and a retch. Nor will I drag back to bed, promising myself (with scornful disbelief) that I'll be up and freshly shaved when they return. I will be at church with my family, and with Him.

When the others sit down to turkey this Christmas, I will sit down, too. I will not, from behind the kitchen door, choke out "be right with you!" between hurried last-minute gulps from a bottle.

I will say grace, and I will mean every quiet, happy word of it.

I will. . .? How many times have I dreamed this dream. . . alone?

But this year. . .well, it's somehow different. I have faith, now, that it will be different. . .if I take care of each Today in easy grace. Now I do not dream alone. So pray with me, good AA friends, that it will all be true when Christmas comes to our house.

-- J. W. S.
White Plains, New York

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From the Grass Roots

My Finest Christmas Gift

MY finest Christmas gift was a telephone call from a railroader who lives in a small town in Indiana. He was at the Chicago end of his run and needed a bit of AA, at least over the phone, to tide him over until he could get back to the fine AAs in Indiana. He'd done considerable research to find me (Margie and I had moved here from Fort I'd made the original five years back which had continued to drink for three he'd voluntarily gone to in Fort Wayne and managed talked to him before he was not thrown out the literature my name. He's now dry two must be many cases of the them five years later. By (my 1955 Directory is was able to supply this AA with information that would enable him to attend AA meetings in Chicago every night and Sunday morning.



-- Frank B.
Chicago, Illinois

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Monthly Central Office/ Intergroup Meeting!

Milwaukee Central Office
7429 W Greenfield Ave
West Allis, WI 53214

**Second Tuesday of Every
month, at 7:00 P.M. ALL
group Secretaries are en-
couraged to attend.**

There is a **New GSR orientation, at 6:30 P.M.**, call to give us a "heads up" if you are a new GSR, and want to attend the orientation. 414-771-9119.



**ASL
Interpreter**
Available: Meeting for Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Tuesdays 7:00 P.M., H.O.W To Club, 8930 W National Ave. West Allis WI 53227

SERVICE MANUAL STUDY

Meets 2nd Thursday each at 6:00 p.m.

Milwaukee Center
7429 W Grand Ave
West Allis

Find out more about the Service Manual and how to use it to any AA member, whether active or not.

**Will not meet in January.
February or March 2019. Also,
May will meet on 3rd Thursday**

Call for more information at 414-801-1111 or visit our website at www.aamilwaukee.com.
For more questions.

Spanish Speaking Meetings: Meeting at English Speaking Clubs

- GRUPO 5 CONCEPTOS, Pass It On Club, 6229 W. Forest Home Av, Milw, on Saturday at 8:00 p.
- GRUPO NUEVO AMANECER, Tri-County Unity Club, 104 N. First St, Wauwatosa, on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:00 PM and on Sunday at 11:00 AM
- GRUPO FE Y ESPRONZA, Gratitude Club, 295 Ruggles St. Fond du Lac WI on Wednesday at 7:00 PM and Sundays at 4:00 PM

**2018 Weekend Retreats
Jesuit Retreat House,
4800 Fahrwald Rd. Oshkosh,
WI 54901, call 800-962-7330
jesuitretreathouse.org**

Men and Women members of AA, Al-Anon

Total cost: 4 days \$390.00. Send a \$50.00 deposit with requests for specific dates to retreat house or call for info.

Men: Nov 29 - Dec 2, 2018.

Women:

Redemptorist Retreat Center, 1800 N Timber Trail Lane, Oconomowoc, WI 53066, (262) 567-6900 Email: rrc@redemptoristretreat.org Please call for reservations. AA and Al-Anon, \$250 three nights. Members of Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon as we discuss the 12 steps and related topics.

MILW. CENTRAL OFFICE

- **E-mail us at:** gmco@aamilwaukee.com
- **Hours: M, W, Th, Fr** 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. **Tuesday** 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., (until 7:30 p. on 2nd Tues. each month) **Sat.** 9 a.m. - 1p.m.
- **G.S.R. Orientation, 2nd** Tuesday 6:30 p., call first.
- **Secretary Meeting, 2nd** Tuesday 7:00 p.
- **Board of Directors Meeting,** Wed. following Secretaries Meeting, (odd numbered months) 6:30 p.
- **A. A. Meetings, Mon - Fri** at 12:15 p. & 4:00 p., Sat. 9:15 a., & 10:30 a.
- **Service Manual Study: 2nd** Thurs. of month at 6 p.m.
- **Dist. 14, 4th Wed.** at 7 p.m.
- **Dist. 16, 1st Wed.** at 7 p.m.
- www.aamilwaukee.com

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get this Yule business straightened out it might help things to get better still. And when it comes to die good things in life I want to get all I can. So, somewhere I have heard that Christmas deals, at least in part, with "good will towards men" and that's that old love-your-neighbor stuff. In my life there was room for only one love affair: that was with the daughter of Bacchus who lives in a wine bottle down by the railroad track. One love affair, I said, but I meant only one of those gay, giddy, romantic, all-the-world-loves-a-lover type.



But it seems there is another kind of love and it's a demanding, agonizing, can't eat, don't want and can't do without type of love--and this is the kind I have come to understand lately. It is not at all bad--only when you fight it--but has more to do with satisfaction than elation, with appreciation than emotion; and somehow I think I had to lose to win, as in AA I had to lose to

booze to win sobriety.

This is the kind of love I can understand a bit and go along with. I know I can't get lovey-dovey with my neighbor, but I also know I can't get along without him. He is important to me now; AA has shown me that, and although my motive may not be the best I will try to give him a fair shake if only for that reason. So maybe I'll never become a Santa Claus or croon carols under a lamp-post or let my affection show. . . but that doesn't mean I want to give someone a knock and if I try not to give out the knocks then I must be giving a boost now and then.

So don't go away mad if I don't seem to have the spirit! In fact, I will break down right now

and wish, from me and mine to you and yours: may it be a really Swell Noel.

-- J. V. B.
St. Johns, New Brunswick

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HAPPY, JOYOUS, BUT NOT FREE

(The Hollywood Christmas parade was a watershed lesson)

Bill W.'S spiritual experience of mid-December 1934, was an event of important historical significance, yet very few relate with it from their own moment of *sudden* "God-consciousness." However, I suffered the following illusion many years ago.

When I was sober about three months, and had yet to go through Twelve Steps, I experienced a similarity to what Bill W. jokingly referred to as a hot flash. Late one November night while in deep meditation, sitting on a pile of rocks protruding into the Pacific Ocean, I was suddenly overtaken with tremendous joy and exuberant fiery energy. I actually started running down Venice Beach through the night. I seemed to feel almost weightless; perhaps I could walk on water—good that I didn't. Ha! This Joyously overwhelming spell lasted into the early morning.

It occurred to me that I probably had *had* a similar experience as Bill W.! (p. 14) It seemed plausible that the obsession to drink had been lifted — perhaps I was now a recovered alcoholic! Time to relax and take it easy! I would never drink again! I had arrived! Well, I hadn't! The very next month, after a Christmas Day parade on Hollywood Blvd., I marched right into a bar and

almost ordered a gin and tonic — I only have God to thank that I didn't!

Appendix Two, "*Spiritual Experience*" (p.567) tells us that a spiritual experience or awakening causes "*a personality change sufficient to bring about recovery from alcoholism*" — that definition didn't apply for me! My exciting episode on



those rocks allowed me to become dangerously complacent.

As years pass, these joyous episodes still occur, albeit

to much lesser degree, but I have learned not to take them too seriously. The famous monk author, Thomas Merton, referred to such pleasant spiritual episodes as, "*The wrong flame.*"

This may be a symptom of an "AA Honeymoon," which is okay, but is certainly not a signal to become complacent. The good news is that I immediately went through the steps with a new sponsor. A few months later I was given a blessed release from that nagging compulsion to drink—it has never returned! Living the AA Steps has been my recovery solution—not simply attending meetings, but both are necessary for me to remain happy, joyous and *free*.

Bob S.

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Friday at 7:00 p.m., Brentwood Church of Christ, 6425 N 60 St Milwaukee. WI 53223

Friday at 7:00 p.m. NCIC Church, 2328 W Capitol Dr, Milwaukee WI. (open speaker on 2nd Fridays)

Saturday 7:30 p.m. 7210 W Greenfield Ave, West Allis 53214

DISBANDED GROUPS

HOW It Works, Monday 7pm, met at Oak Creek Centennial Church, 8853 S Howell Ave, Oak Creek.

Candlelight Grat. HOW To Club Sat. 10:30 pm

OTHER CHANGES

11th Step Candlelight, previously at "Hummingbird Center" **NOW meets at Lutheran Church of Great Spirit, 3127 S Howell Ave, Mondays at 6:30 p.**

Shorewood Gp at Kingo Church 8 pm Tuesdays **MOVED** to Christ Church, 5655 N Lake Dr Whitefish Bay still Tue at 8 pm.

Impaired Professionals Tuesday 7:30 p. formerly at Roger's West Allis, **NOW meets at Holy Trinity, 11709 W Cleveland Ave, West Allis Tues. at 7:30 p.**

Tues Meeting for Deaf and Hard of Hearing, moved to HOW To Club 8930 W National Ave, and now starts at 7:00 p.m.

Tues Night Hales Corners Step/Topic, 12300 W Janesville Rd, Hales Corners...previously at 7pm. **NOW starts at 6:30 pm.**

Tuesdays, Elizabeth Ann Seton, 12700 W Howard Ave, New Berlin, formerly at 8:00 p.m. **NOW starts at 7:00 p.m.**

Gp 23, used to meet at 8pm. NOW meets at 7:30 pm. Wednesday at 74th and Lapham. West Allis.

Badger Gp. used to meet at 8pm. **NOW meets at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays in Brookfield.**

OPEN SPEAKER

Weekly & monthly speaker meetings listed in October 2018 When & Where

aamilwaukee.com/directory.html

Sundays at 10 a. Milwaukee Gp. 933 E Cen-

ter St, Milwaukee WI, 53212

Sundays at 6:30 p. VA Hospital 5000 W National Ave 3rd Floor Unit 3A

Every Friday 7:00 p. Christ the King, 1600 N Genesee Rd Delafield

1st Tuesdays at 7:30 p. First Congregational Church, 1111 N Chicago Ave South Milwaukee

Wednesdays at 7:00 p. Salem United Methodist Church, 541 Hwy. 59, Waukesha

1st Saturday 8:00 p. 24 Hour Club Open Meeting, 153 Green Bay Rd, Thiensville.

1st Saturday at 7:00 p. Dist.12, Living Word Lutheran Church, 2240 Living Word Ln., Jackson WI 53037

2nd Saturday at 7:00 p. Dist. 34, St. Francis Episcopal Church, N84 W16525 Menomonee Ave, Menomonee Falls, WI

2nd Sunday at 11:00 a. Alano Club 318 W. Broadway, Waukesha,

3rd Sunday at 11:00 a. Friendship Club 2245 W. Fond du Lac Ave. Milwaukee , WI

3rd Saturday 8:00 p. HOW To Club 8930 W. National Ave, West Allis

3rd Saturday 8:00 p. New Day Club 11936 N. Port Washington Rd, Mequon,

5th Saturday 3:00 p. How To Club, 8930 W National Ave, West Allis

4th Friday 8:00 p. Imago Dei Church, 2327 N. 52nd St., Milwaukee 53210

Last Wednesday 7:30 p. Gp 23 First Lutheran Church, 7400 W Lapham St, West Allis

Tuesday's at 7:00 p. March 29th, May 31st, Aug. 30th, and Nov. 29th, Christ the Servant Lutheran Church, 2016 Center Road, Waukesha WI 53189

Saturdays 7:30 p. Alano Club 1521 N. Prospect, Milwaukee.

Contact the Central Office via email: gmco@aamilwaukee.com, with changes.

MEETING ROOMS

12 STEP CLUB
 4102 W Townsend St.
 Milwaukee, WI 53216
 (414) 871-0610

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Wed. 11:00 a. Gp. 27
 Fri. 11:00 a. Gp. 61
 (12x12)
 Sat. 10:00 a. Beginner's
 7:00 p. Gp 6

CALL THE CLUB FOR INFORMATION ON OPEN A.A. MEETINGS, MEETINGS FOR OTHER FELLOWSHIPS and SPECIAL EVENTS.

Greater Milwaukee Central Office
 7429 W Greenfield
 West Allis WI 53214,
 414-771-9119
 (amilwaukee.com)

A.A. MEETINGS

Mon. 12:15 p
 4:00 p
Tue. 12:15 p
 4:00 p
Wed. 12:15 p
 4:00 p
Thur. 12:15 p
 4:00 p
Fri. 12:15 p
 4:00 p
Sat. 9:15 a. -
 - Newcomer
 10:30 a

LIGHTHOUSE ON DEWEY
 1220 Dewey Ave.
 Wauwatosa WI
AA MEETINGS

Sunday
 6:00 p. Jim's First Step
 7:30 p. Gp 78

Tuesday
 6:00 p. 11th Step
 Meditation Practice
 7:30 p. Professionals

Wednesday
 7:30 p. Big Book
 8:00 p. "RES-IPSA"

Thursday
 7:30 p. Alumni No 12

Friday
 7:15 p. Gp 74

Saturday
 10:00 a. Gp 59
 7:00 p. Big Book Topic

Milwaukee Group
 933 E Center St,
 (River West)
 Milwaukee WI 53212

A.A. MEETINGS

Sun. 10:00 a Open (Disc.)
 8:30 p. Big Book

Mon. 5:30 p. Big Book
 7:00 p. Open (1st Step)
 8:30 p. Topic

Tue. 7:00 p. Open (Topic)
 8:30 p. Open (Big Book)

Wed. 7:00 p. Open (Big Book)
 8:30 p. Topic

Thur. 6:30 p. Open (Topic)
 8:30 p. Step

Fri. 7:00 p. Beginner's
 8:30 p. Open (Big Book)

Sat. 8:30 p. Topic

Directory Changes

NEW MEETINGS

Sunday at 9:30 a.m., Hitting the Books, Lake Area Club, N60W35878 Lake Dr. Oconomowoc.

Sunday 6 p.m. 11th Step Prayer/Meditation, Rooted In Mindfulness Center, 4040 N Calhoun Rd Brookfield WI

Mondays 7:30 p.m. First Unitarian Society, 1342 N Astor St. Milwaukee, "**We Agnostics**".

Tuesdays at 6pm, Dry Hootch, 4801 W National Ave Milwaukee WI 53214

Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Immanuel Church of Christ, 501 Walnut St., West Bend WI 53095

Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. New Leaf Sober Living, 6401 W Oconto Place, West Allis WI 53219

Thursday 6:30 p.m., Aurora Hospital, 975 Port Washington Rd., Grafton WI 53024

The "Clubs" and "Rooms" listed here are not A.A. Clubs. A.A. DOES NOT HAVE CLUBS! A.A. neither endorses nor opposes such clubs. These are social clubs established by groups or individuals who are themselves recovering alcoholics. The A.A. group meeting at the club is available to any alcoholic - club member or not. The group is separate from the club and pays a fair rent for the use of the club facilities. Even though the group meets in a club that may be composed exclusively of A.A. members, and many members of the group may be club members, too, the relationship of the A.A. group itself to the club should be the same as it would be to a church, hospital, school, etc., in which it might rent space for its meetings.

**Brown Deer
 Monday Night Group
 Holiday Gathering
 Open Speaker Meeting
 Monday, December 17th, 2018**



6:30PM Doors Open
7:00 PM Meal provided by the Brown Deer Group

If you wish to, please bring a dish to pass

8:00PM AA Speaker, Brad G.

Abiding Savior Lutheran Church
 5214 West Luebbe Lane, Milwaukee
 (Corner of 51st & Bradley Rd)
 Open Meeting: All Invited



MEETING ROOMS

NEW DAY CLUB
11936 N. Port Washington
Mequon, (262) 241-4673
<http://www.newdayclub.net>

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Topic
11:00 a. Topic
5:00 p. Young People
7:30 p. Topic

Mon. 12:30 p. Tenth Step Gp
5:30 p. More about Alcoholism
7:00 p.
8:15 p. Men's Gp

Tue. 10:00 a. Topic
5:30 p. Big Book
7:00 p. Beginners Gp
8:00 p. Big Book Gp

Wed. 10:00 a. Topic
2:00 p. Promises Meeting
5:30 p. Step Meeting
7:00 p. Women's Lifeline

Thr. 10:00 a. Topic Meeting
1:00 p. Women's AA Gp
5:30 p. Topic Meeting

Fri. 10:00 a. Topic Meeting
5:30 p. Step/Tradition
8:00 p.

Sat. 10:00 a. Step Meeting
5:00 p. Fellowship of Spirit
7:00 p. Feelings
10:00 p. Young People

8:00 p. Open Meeting (held on 3rd Saturday of month only)

AL-ANON MEETINGS
Monday 6:30 p. Al-Anon
Tuesday 1:00 p. Al-Anon/ACOA
Thursday 7:00 p. Al-Anon
Contact club for info on other fellowships.

PASS IT ON CLUB
6229 W. Forest Home Ave
Milwaukee WI (414) 541-6923
passitonclub.com

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Sun. Wake Up
9:30 a. Reliance Open Disc.
11:00 a. Today's choice
3:00 p. Gratitude Plus
7:00 p. Big Book Readers

Mon. 7:30 a. Jump Start
10:30 a. First Step
4:00 p. Happy Hour Step Gp.
7:00 p. Open Introductory AA
7:30 a. Comin' Back Gp

Tue. 10:30 a. Keep It Simple
4:00 p. Drop the Rock
7:30 p. Three Legacies
7:30 p. Double Trouble DD/O

Wed. 7:30 a. Big Book Study
10:30 a. Pass It On
4:00 p. Happy Hr Promises
5:30 p. Courage to Change
7:00 p. We, Us & Ours

Thr. 7:30 a. Welcome Back Gp
10:30 a. Made Decision
5:15 p. As Bill Sees It
6:00 p. How It Works Disc.
7:00 p. Gateway Topic Gp

Fri. 7:30 a. Honesty Gp.
10:30 a. Came To Believe
6:00 p. Women's Fri. Kickoff
6:30 p. Thoughts 4 Today
8:00 p. Broken Arrow

Sat. 8:30 a. Early Bird
10:30 a. Happy Joyous Free
3:00 p. Twelve Promises
3:00 p. How It Works Big

Book
8:00 p. Spanish Speaking
8:00 p. Back to Basics 12x12

AL-ANON MEETINGS

Sun. 11:00 a. (Alateen)
Wed. 7:00 p. Fri. 7:30 p.
Thr. 7:00 p. Sat. 10:30 a.

LAKE AREA CLUB
N60 W 35878 Lake Dr
Oconomowoc, WI
(262) 567-9912
www.lakeareaclub.com

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Early Bird
11:00 a. Friendship Gp
6:00 p. Big Book
8:00 p. Gopher Sunday

Mon. 9:00 a. Positive Attitude
6:30 p. Otter Gp
8:00 p. Step/Tradition Stdy

Tue. 1:00 p.
4:00 p.
7:00 p. Life House

Wed. 8:00 a.
10:00 a. Back To Basics
6:00 p.
8:00 p.

Thr. 10:00 a.
4:00 p.
6:00 p. Women's Group
8:00 p. Grapevine Mtng

Fri. 12:30 p.
4:00 p.
6:00 p. Non-smoking
8:00 p. Old School House

Sat. 8:30 a. 11th Step
10:00 a. Big Book
5:30 p. Perfect Time B/B

AL-ANON MEETINGS

Mon. 7:00 p. Al-Anon
Tue. 9:00 a. Al-Anon
Wed. 7:00 p. Al-Anon

OPEN SPEAKER MEETING
Sat. 7:00 p. 2nd & 4th Saturdays
(AA and/or Al-Anon Speakers)

MEETING ROOMS

WALWORTH COUNTY ALANO CLUB
611 Walworth St.
(Hwy. 50 & 11)
Delavan, WI 53115,
(262) 740-1888

Sunday AA
10:00 a. Primitive Group
12:00 Noon Open Speakers
6:30 p. Delavan Discussion

Monday AA
7:30 a. Sunny Side Up
12:00 Noon Delavan Step Meeting
6:30 p. Former Miss Americas (Women's Step Group)
6:30 p. Delavan Men's Meeting

Tuesday AA
7:30 a. Sunny Side Up
12:00 Noon Delavan Noon Gp.
6:30 p. Delavan 12 Step Topic

Wednesday AA
7:30 a. Sunny Side Up
12:00 Noon As Bill Sees It Gp.
6:30 p. Delavan IT Meeting

Thursday AA
7:30 a. Sunny Side Up
12:00 Noon Delavan Noon Gp.
5:30 p. Step Sisters Women
6:30 p. Delavan Big Book Gp.

Friday AA
7:30 a. Sunny Side Up
12:00 Noon Big Book Study
6:30 p. Delavan Discussion

Saturday AA
7:30 a. Sunny Side Up
12:00 Noon Delavan Noon Gp.
6:30 p. Delavan Beginners Gp.

ALANO CLUB 1521 N. Prospect Ave., Milwaukee, WI, 53202 (414) 278-9102
<http://www.alanofoundation.com>

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:00 a. Gp 17 Step
4:30 p. Life Savers

Mon. 7:00 a. Early Morning
10:30 a. Gp 72 Topic
12:15 p. Big Book Meeting
6:30 p. Gp 40 Big Book

Tue. 7:00 a. As Bill Sees It,
10:30 a. Gp 70 Step
12:15 p. Gp 76
7:00 p. Beginners, 1st Step
8:00 p. (Big Book Study)

Wed. 7:00 a. AA
10:30 a. Gp 9, Step
12:15 p. Oasis Topic Gp
6:00 p. Chicks at Six Gp
7:30 p. AA
8:00 p. Gp 3, Step/Topic

Thr. 7:00 a. Big Book Meeting
10:30 a. Gp 97, Step
12:15 p. Here & Now Gp
5:00 p. AA
7:00 p. Sober and Out
7:00 a. Daily Reflections
10:30 a. Gp 21, Step
12:15 p. Gp 65
6:30 p. Here & Now
8:30 p. Gp 30 Tub Topic
12:15 a. Second Shifters (Sat.)

Sat. 11:00 a. Gp 87 Step
3:00 p. Spiritual Growth
7:30 p. Open Speaker
9:00 p. Here and Now
11:30 p. Late Night

AL-ANON MEETING
Sunday 10:00 a. Al-Anon

H.O.W. TO CLUB
8930 W. National Ave,
West Allis, (414) 543-2448
<http://howtoclub.info/>

M, W, F, Sat. 9 a. -11 p,
Tue Thr 9a. - 9p., Sun 8a to 9p.

Sun. 8:00 a. Eye Opener AA Gp.
10:00 a. Grass Roots (Steps)
4:30 p. Drop the Rock 6/7 Step
6:00 p. AA Topic Group
8:00 p. Sun. Sober & Serene

Mon. 11:00 a. Winner's Circle
5:45 p. Gp 132, Women's Gp
7:00 p. Big Book Gp.
8:00 p. New Hope Gp.
11:15 p. What's The Point

Tue. 11:00 a. Willingness Group
6:00 p. Tuesday Non-Smoke
7:00 p. Deaf/Hearing Impaired
8:00 p. 12 & 12 AA Meeting

Wed. 10:00 a. Foundations Meeting
6:00 p. AA Beginners Gp.
7:00 p. Women's Freedom
8:00 p. Promises Group
11:15 p. After Hours Gp

Thr. 10:00 a. But For Grace Of God
6:00 p. 6 PM Here and Now
8:00 p. How To Get It Going

Fri. 11:00 a. Priority Group
6:00 p. Big Book Group
8:00 p. R.U.S. For Us
11:15 p. Candlelight Promises

Sat. 9:15 a. Men's Topic
11:00 a. Pioneers Group
6:00 p. 1st & 12 Topic
*8:00 p. HOW To Saturday
*(Open meeting on 3rd Saturday)

WAUKESHA ALANO CLUB
318 W. Broadway
Waukesha, WI
(262) 549-6541

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 9:30 a. Sun Morn Sunlite
11:00 a. Sun Go-To-Mtng
(Open speaker 2nd Sunday & Breakfast)
7:00 p. (Open Step Gp)

Mon. 12:00 Noon
6:00 p. Beginners AA
7:00 p. (12 & 12)

Tue. 12:00 Noon

Wed. 12:00 Noon
5:30 p. Topic Gp

Thr. 12:00 Noon

Fri. 12:00 Noon T.G.I.F. Gp

Sat. 10:00 a. Gp 124
7:00 p. Closed Meeting

OPEN MEETINGS, DANCES & EVENTS
Call for information.

GALANO CLUB
- LGBT & All in Recovery -
7210 W Greenfield Ave
Suite 1, Lower Level
Milwaukee, WI 53214
(414) 276-6936
<http://www.galanoclub.org/>
galanoclub@gmail.com

MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:30 a. Step Topic

Mon. 7:30 p. Came To Believe

Tue. 6:00 p. 40 + Topic

Wed. 7:00 p. 12 x 12

Thurs. 7:30 p. Living Sober - ODAT

Fri. 7:00 p. Step/Topic

Sat. 7:30 p. Big Book & More

AL-ANON MEETINGS

Sun. 10:30 a. Al-anon

Meeting Space Available
See website for Club Events.
www.galanoclub.org

NORTHWEST ALANO CLUB*
N88 W17658 Christman Rd
Menomonee Falls WI
53051 (No Phone)

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 7:30 p.

Mon. 7:00 p. Just Do It Gp
8:00 p. Action Gp

Tue. 10:00 a. Step
8:00 p. Topic

Wed. 8:00 p. Step/Topic

Thr. 10:00 a. Step
6:00 p. Women's

Fri. 8:00 p. Step/Topic

Sat. 10:00 a. Step
7:00 p. Simply Sober Gp

AL-ANON MEETINGS

Wed. 8:00 p. Al-Anon

Fri. 8:00 p. Al-Anon

*This Club is a Smoke-Free environment. We have ample meeting space available for 12 Step groups. Contact the Northwest Alano Club by mail.

24 HOUR CLUB
153 Green Bay Rd.
Thiensville, WI

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Topic
10:00 a. Step/Topic
5:00 p. Step

Mon. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Topic
8:00 p. Men's

Tue. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Step/Topic
5:30 p. Big Book

Wed. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Big Book
5:15 p. Women's

Thr. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Topic
5:30 p. Step/Topic/Trad
8:00 p. Men's 12 & 12

Fri. 6:30 a. Topic
10:00 a. Step/12 & 12
5:30 p. Principles
8:00 p. Step

Sat. 6:30 a. Topic
8:30 a. Big Book/Steps
10:00 a. Big Book

8:00 p. Open Speaker Mtng. (1st Saturday Only)

UNITY CLUB
1715 Creek Rd
West Bend, (262) 338-3500
unityclub1715@att.net

AA MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:30 a.** Gratitude Gp.
8:00 p. Candlelight Gp.

Mon. 10:00 a. Monday A.M.
7:00 p. Men's
7:00 p. Women's

Tue. 10:00 a. Tuesday A.M.
6:00 p. 1st 164 Big Book
7:30 p. Beginner's
8:00 p. Step Gp

Wed. 10:00 a. Promises
1:00 p. Steps/Promises
8:15 p. Step Gp

Thr. 10:00 a. Big Book
7:00 p. EZ Dozen 12x12

Fri. 10:00 a. Step/Topic Gp
8:00 p. * Step Gp.

Sat. 10:00 a. Here & Now
7:00 p. Big Book

AL-ANON & ALATEEN MTNGS

Saturday 9:00 a. Al-Anon
Thursday 7:15 p. Al-Anon

* Open Mtng. Last Friday of month
** Open Mtng. 3rd Sunday of month (10:30 a.m.)

FRIENDSHIP CLUB
2245 W. Fond du Lac
Milwaukee, WI
414. 931.7033
Email: friendshipinc@sbcbglobal.net

MEETING SCHEDULE

Sunday
10:00 a. Friendship
11:00 a. Third Sunday
Open Meeting

Monday
10:30 a. Step Gp

Tuesday
7:00 p. Gp 43 Big Book

Saturday
10:30 a. Gp 112 Step

Call for information on other types of meetings.
Email: friendshipinc@sbcbglobal.net