

RECOVERY IS THE SEED WE SOW, SOBRIETY WILL REDEEM US.
LET IT GROW, SHARE OUR LIVES...

"BETWEEN-US"

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Next Came a Personal House Cleaning

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Tradition Four
Each group should be autonomous
except in matters affecting other
groups or A.A. as a whole.

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Voting for God's Will? AA's Twelve Traditions: A Pattern of Practical Experience

"The Traditions are the essence of the experience of the groups and the movement. They were written by Bill in an attempt to distill and condense into usable form the knowledge that the groups and individual members have accumulated. . . . The Traditions are a pattern of practical experience, a guide that will spare others many headaches." Tom Y., Grapevine Editor, November 1949

As a veteran of a large, hard-drinking family and a business that disintegrated from the greed,

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Between-Us Subscribers!

Due to some strange and unique postal bulk mail pricing, it is cheaper for us to mail the group subscription in two separate envelopes of three each. This means that the group will receive six copies instead of five for the same low price of \$18.00.

Also, individual subscribers will receive three copies in their envelope. The price will remain the same, \$9.00. Share the extras with your friends. Thank you.



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I WILL never become a normal drinker. Because of a mental quirk or a physical allergy, or both, I can't drink. I have completely smashed the possibility that I am, or presently will be, like other people.

Now that the conclusion has been reached that I can't drink, what do I do? I stop drinking. Clearing my mind of all reservations, I formulate a sincere desire for total sobriety--I become willing to do anything to be freed from the obsession of alcohol.

The Program of Recovery as outlined in the 12 Steps of Alcoholics Anonymous has proved its infallibility in thousands of cases similar to mine. I have come to a state of open-mindedness which compels me to accept this positive evidence. Logic says, "Since all other things have failed, why not try this thing which has worked for so many?"

In order to bring about a personality change sufficient to start and maintain recovery from active alcoholism, I had to arrive at a conception of a Power Greater than myself. William

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Central Office, Inc., 7429 W. Greenfield Ave.,

Greater Milwaukee
Central Office AA
Profit & Loss
April 2011

	Apr 2011
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
4000 · Literature Sales	14,906.53
4050 · Between us	555.25
4070 · Contributions	4,656.77
4080 · Gratitude boxes	20.55
4130 · Personal Contri.	13.25
4150 · Other Income	220.98
4600 · Merchandise Sales	9.47
48900 · Shipping and Delivery Income	327.32
Total Income	20,710.12
Cost of Goods Sold	
5000 · Literature	9,763.11
50000 · Cost of Goods Sold	7.95
52900 · Purchases - Resale Items	5.64
Total COGS	9,776.70
Gross Profit	10,933.42
Expense	
59900 · POS Inventory Adjustments	-97.74
6020 · Automobile Expense	82.70
6045 · Coffee/Soda Expense	93.00
6050 · Credit card fees	199.00
6260 · Shipping and freight	263.71
6262 · Postage	209.90
6370 · License & permits	10.00
6500 · Office	2,804.46
6600 · Payroll	7,235.29
66900 · Reconciliation Discrepancies	0.01
6800 · Printing	800.00
Total Expense	11,600.33
Net Ordinary Income	-666.91
Other Income/Expense	
Other Expense	
Balancing Adjustments	610.50
Total Other Expense	610.50
Net Other Income	-610.50
Net Income	-1,277.41

CD Prudent Reserve	\$84,350.36
Money Market	29,949.57
Checking	1,920.36

AREA 75 EVENTS CALENDAR

1. Go to Area 75 website at: area75.org, 2. Look for the Area 75 Events Calendar on the right side of the page. 3. Events listed are color coded according to the area of office that listed them. 4. Click on the small down arrow at the top right hand corner of the Events listing for the color "key" to the area's events. 5. Click on the small down arrow in the middle (next to the date) to view a specific date or just use the scroll button to move up and down through the days listed.

Secretary Meeting, May 10, 2011

Groups represented: 6, 7, 14, 19, 48, 54 Humilitas, 83, 200, 201, 232, A New Day, Another Chance Tue Night, Badger Group, Came To Believe Waukesha Sunday, Early Bird Roger's Memorial, Fireside, Good Hope Sunday Night, Helping Hand, Honest and Able, How It Works, Keep Pass in It On, Milwaukee Group, Monday Night Women's Waukesha, Muskego Saturday Night, New Beginnings Mukwonago, New Beginnings Oconomowoc, New Berlin Friday Night, New Hope Trinity UCC, Oak Creek Friday, Palmyra Monday Night, Participation Open Meeting, Primary Purpose, Sun Morning Sunlight, Sun Night Grapevine, Sun Night Surrender, There is a Solution/Pewaukee, There is a Solution/Waukesha, T-N-T, Traditions Meeting Open Disc, Thoughts For Today, Trust Through Fellowship, Wanderers, WELL, Big Book, Women's Step and Promises Gp, and You're Closer Than You Think, I'm sorry if I have missed anyone that was at the meeting.

Meeting opened by Jim B. at 7:00 p.m.
Bank balances / April 30, 2011
Business Checking: \$1,920.36
Money Market Savings: \$29,949.57
Prudent Reserve CD's: \$84,350.36

Time to return the Gratitude Boxes. Try to get the to the office quickly.

Between-Us subscriptions: if your group hasn't paid yet for year 2011, now is the time. New Subscriptions will be "prorated" according to the date.
Central Office Jamboree on Saturday September 17, 2011. Milwaukee

Deaf, Deaf/Blind and Hard of Hearing AA Meeting List, ASL Interpreter available

- Thursdays at 8:00 p. St John Vianney Parish 1755 N. Calhoun Rd, Brookfield WI. **Open AA Meeting for everyone—Third Thursday of Month**, Wheel-chair entrance available.

Meetings are weekly closed AA meetings, except where otherwise noted. All meetings are Non-Smoking. **ASL Interpreter available.**

Contact John R. through Voice Relay Service 800-973-8024 / 414-546-3246 TTY/Voice.

E-mail at: johnreske9@yahoo.com
Contact George B. through Video Relay Service 866-483-1938 / 414-903-8905 TTY/VP

County Zoo. \$25.00, AA Speaker: Mildred F. from Toronto. Tickets available at Central Office or by mail. Free parking, come early and walk around the zoo.

Volunteers needed at Central Office, answer phones, greet visitors, or work the hotline from home, evenings and nights. Kathy or Dan 414-771-9119.

Kris W, outside sponsor House of Correction Women's meetings need volunteers, call her at 414-731-8572.

Nancy H, Area 75 Delegate was the guest speaker. Having just returned from the Annual Delegates Conference in NYC, she spoke to the group about the conference. Full report at the Spring Conference, Brookfield, May 20-22.

Meeting closed at 7:50 pm.

Next meeting is Tuesday June 14, 2011. at 7p.m. The next Board of Director's meeting will be Wednesday July 13, 2011 at new time of 6:30 p.m.

AA Groups Need Your Support

- **Gp 24, Sun. 10 a.m.** 12 Step Club, 4102 W Townsend St. Milwaukee, 53216
- **Monday at 1:30 pm.** Bethesda Community Center, 2845 W. Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, WI 5310
- **Thursday at 12:15 pm. and Wednesday 5:30 pm.** Topic both meet at: St. John's Cathedral Complex, 831 N. Van Buren St. Milwaukee, WI 53202
- **Broken Arrow Gp., Friday at 6:30 pm.,** Serenity Club, 3677 E Pulaski, Cudahy WI 53110

Orientation for GSR's

Second Tuesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. prior to the secretary's meeting, at the Milwaukee Central Office. Or, call Ken G. 608-221-2891, sherwood1@charter.net, to arrange for G.S.R. orientation at your district or workshop.

DISTRICT MEETINGS

DISTRICT

1. JACKSON, LaCROSSE, MONROE, TREMPLEAU & VERNON CNTY'S 2nd Sat. of month, 1:00 p.: Faith Evangelical Free Church, 6644 Hwy 16, Sparta WI 54656 (One mile west of Sparta)
 2. GREEN LAKE & MARQUETTE CNTY'S & PART OF WAUSHARA CNTY 4th Sun. of month, 4:30 p., St. John's Church 1211 W. Main St., Princeton
 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
 4. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 2nd Thr. of month, 6:00 p., Alano Club, 1521 N. Prospect Av.
 6. WALWORTH CNTY 2nd Wed. of month, 7:30 p., Walworth Alano Club, 611 E. Walworth St., Delavan
 7. KENOSHA CNTY 3rd Sun. of month, 4:00 p., Kenosha Alano Club, 630 56th St.
 8. ROCK CNTY (1 of 2) 1st Fri of month, 6:30 p., Good Shepard Lutheran Ch, 2447 Park St., Beloit
 9. CRAWFORD, GRANT, IOWA and LAFAYETTE CNTY'S Last Mon. of month, 6:30 p., West View Methodist, Madison & Hathaway, Platteville,
 10. Spanish District, at large. Contact Ernesto N. at 414 645-8591. Meets every Tue. at 5:00 p., 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., Jansen Family Park, Schuster Dr. West Bend
 13. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 4) 1st Sun. of month, 4:00 p, St. Matthias Church, 111 E. Main, Waukesha
 14. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 4th Wed. of month, 7:00 p, Milwaukee Central Office 7429 W Greenfield Ave., P.O. Box 13011, Wauwatosa WI 53226
 15. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) Last Sunday of month, 5:30 p, Milwaukee Room 933 E. Center St. Milwaukee
 16. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 1st Wed. of month, 7:00 p, Faith United Methodist Church, 400 S. 91st St.,
 17. RACINE CNTY (1 of 2) 3rd Sun. of month, 1:00 p, Grove Club, 1037 Grove Ave., Racine
 18. Combined with District 2. See "District #2"
 - 19/37. RICHLAND & SAUK CNTY'S Last Wed. of month, 6:15 p, in Rm 14, at Baraboo Civic Cntr.
 - 20/21 DANE CNTY (1 of 2) Last Tue. of month, 6:30 p, Monona Community Center, 1011 Nichols Rd., 53716
 22. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 2nd Thr of month, 6:00 p, Alano Club, 1521 N. Prospect Ave.
 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., Advent Lutheran, W63N642 Washington, Cedarburg
 25. FOND du LAC CNTY 2nd Tue. of month, 6:30 p., Gratitude Club, 295 Ruggles St., Fond du Lac
 26. DANE CNTY Combined with District 20
 27. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 3rd Sat. of month, 9:00 a.m. 12 Step Club, 4102 W. Townsend
 28. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 3rd Mon. of month, 7:00 p, Bay View United Methodist 2772 S Kinnickinnic Ave. Bay View, WI 53207
 29. MILWAUKEE CNTY (1 of 9) 1st Mon. of month, 7:00 p, St. Alphonsus School, 6000 W. Loomis Rd., Greendale (enter west side/rear of school)
 30. ROCK CNTY (1 of 2) 1st Fri. of month, 6:30 p. 734 Railroad St., Janesville. (Unity Group)
 31. COLUMBIA CNTY 3rd Sun. of month, 6:30 p., Pardeeville Village Library, 119 N. Main St. Pardeeville, South entrance, lower level.
 - 32/33. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 4) 3rd Sun. of month, 1:00 p, Galilee Lutheran Church, N24 W26430 Crestview Dr., Pewaukee.
 34. WAUKESHA CNTY (1 of 4) 1st Tue. of month, 6:30 p, Northwest Alano Club, N88W17658 Christman Rd., Menomonee Falls
 35. GREEN CNTY Quarterly, when called.
 36. RACINE/KENOSHA (1 of 2) 2nd Tues. month 6:00 p.m., 12 & 12 Club, 724 N Pine St., Burlington
 37. JUNEAU CNTY No information available.
- SEND ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS TO:**
Greater Milwaukee Central Office
7429 W. Greenfield Ave, West Allis, WI 53214,
dan@aamilwaukee.com

CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS

ETHAN ALLEN SCHOOL, Wales, WI 53183

Open speaker meetings every Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. (no meeting on the 5th Tuesday of a month). Need facilitators and speakers for 2010, contact Mark G at 262-896-9526 mgukich@wi.rr.com or Perry C. at 414-588-1638 pgcristan@sbcglobal.net

TAYCHEEDAH CORRECTIONAL, Meetings are held every other Tuesday, 5:30 -7:30 p.m. Contact: Deb L-H. (920)238-7414

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

SOUTHERN OAKS GIRLS SCHOOL, Union Grove WI, AA Wednesday 5:55 p.m. and Alateen Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Contact: Marty S. (414) 975-8903 for clearance

ROBERT ELLSWORTH CORRECTIONAL, 21425A Spring St., Union Grove, 53182 AA Wed. 7:30 PM, AA Mon. night 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. and Wed, at 7:00 p.m. Contact Jo

(262) 551-7371 or Karelyn P. 414-327-7915.

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

MILWAUKEE COUNTY HOUSE OF CORRECTION, 8885 S. 68th St. Franklin WI. **AA Women's** Saturday 10:00 a.m. Contact: Kristin L. 414-731-8572 or **AA Men's** on Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Contact: Dennis D. 414-372-8324

MILWAUKEE COUNTY JAIL 9th & State Milwaukee WI. Clearance needed at both facilities. **AA Women's** Sat. at 5:00 p.m. Contact Felisa C. (414) 672-6724. **AA Men's** Thr. at 7:00 p.m. Contact: John A. at (414) 915-9512

MILWAUKEE SECURE DETENTION CENTER, 1015 N. 10th St. Milw. Sunday Nights from 6:30 p. to 7:30 p., Men & Women, Call Marty S. at 414-975-8903 for information

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

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, Mng. 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. Contact: Bill H. (262) 633-1851

MILWAUKEE COUNTY CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE: Meets 3rd Wednesday of each month at Faith United Methodist Church, 400 S. 91st St (91st & Adler). All Milwaukee **County Corrections donations should be sent to: MCCC, PO Box 270544, Milwaukee WI 53227-0544.** Call coordinator: Steve G at 414-339-7691, email: stevegravatt@yahoo.com with questions. Treasurer Bill E. at 414-433-3507. 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 Wisconsin, Calendar of Events 2011

Madison Senior Center (MSC), 330 W. Mifflin St. Madison, WI, except where otherwise noted.

- Jun 26, Summer Service Assembly
- Oct 16, Fall Service Assembly
- Nov 11-13, East Central Regional, Miamisburg OH

- 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

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collective addictions, and selfish conduct of its members, I used to believe that joining anything, much less participating in a group, was what people did who were too weak or stupid to take care of themselves. Politics was the supreme example of how manipulation, waste, and fraud governed group dynamics. So I was less than thrilled to learn from Tradition Two that some of my choices and behavior in AA would be governed by a group conscience. Growing up, I'd fled my father's drinking by staying away or locked in my room. Twenty years later, at the end of my own drinking, I worked alone, avoided friends and family, and planned to move to a remote part of the state where, I thought, "the real people" lived, with nobody telling them what to do. Furthermore, the claim that a loving God guided the AA group was grounds for grave suspicion.

I found reassurance in the "Twelve and Twelve" and the chapter in the Big Book, "We Agnostics," where passages described the derision I felt toward the failures of organized religions. So I was also willing to admit--as those passages do--that I'd focused exclusively on the faults of religion, and not acknowledged its strengths and triumphs. Some people I knew who were into this God thing definitely had a calmness and contentment I envied. But declaring that a loving God guided group decisions was still too big a stretch for me. It smacked of arrogance and complacency.

Two years sober, I was my home group's secretary and in charge of

our literature. Always a bookish guy, I added new pamphlets and some French translations to the Conference-approved stuff displayed on our table. I also added two paperbacks about alcoholism from the self-help section of our local book store. I'd enjoyed them, they sold quickly, and the people who purchased them were pleased. So I added a few more.

After three months, the book table at the meeting was half commercial publications and half Conference-approved literature. They were easy to distinguish. The commercial literature had bright, eye-catching covers and arresting titles, some about other addictions, Al-Anon issues, alternative approaches to sobriety, and counseling. The AA stuff was all monochromatic, with block letter titles.

I was having fun, people were amazed at the variety, books were selling, and one person even suggested we ought to rename the meeting "The Book Meeting." Boy, was I gratified to hear that.

Then Frenchy, who had ten years, leaned over the table one night and said, "I don't remember the group voting to sell non-AA literature. Did I miss a business meeting?"

"Voting?" I thought he was joking. "People love this stuff. Raffle ticket sales are up because winners can chose anything off the table. We're making money. Everybody's happy. What's to vote?"

I heard out his arguments that, by carrying commercial literature, we were affiliating the group with non-

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AA enterprises and taking money from General Service, which is funded in part by the sale of Conference-approved literature. “We’re autonomous, and have the right to do that,” Frenchy said. “But the group makes those decisions, not the secretary.”

Him with his ten years and fancy talk! He didn’t see how much my group appreciated all I’d done. “You want a vote? Fine.” I called a business meeting the following week. I’d show this guy.

I could see from the interest when I announced what the meeting was for that it would be well attended. And I was sure the tide of opinion was with me. So I was surprised at the meeting to hear several long-timers voice the same concerns Frenchy had, and dismayed to see the cowed, pensive looks when I presented the facts about our growing treasury, and how people sought this meeting out because of the variety of books I’d provided.

When the vote in favor of retaining only Conference-approved literature tallied twenty-six to one, I was ready to quit. Where were the compliments and support now? This was exactly what I always believed would happen by trusting group decisions: people tell you one thing, then when the chips are down they do another.

My sponsor counseled restraint of tongue and pen, and praying for acceptance. I kept my mouth shut, continued half-heartedly as secretary, but felt hurt and angry, as if

this were something they’d done to me.

In the “Twelve and Twelve,” Bill W. wrote a dozen years after the fact that, when his group told him that working AA for a fee at Towns Hospital would put the Fellowship in jeopardy, “The group was right and I was wrong.”

I don’t know how long it took him to recognize that. It took me a few years before I could look back at my own little venture into commercializing AA and say the same thing. Despite their interest in the new books, the group voted in the best interest of AA. They were right and I was wrong.

Today I see that the group conscience overcame in a loving, generous way the shortcomings of the individual, me. I’ve voted about enough other issues since then to have witnessed how this process absorbs and dissipates the self-pity and resentment drunks like me are capable of nurturing. So I trust that a group striving to live by spiritual principles will achieve a better, higher wisdom (if less than perfect) than I can on my own.

Since I’ve always been a results-oriented, show-me kind of guy, I must also admit that the long-term results of these group decisions--preserving the Fellowship--have convinced me that they are indeed the expression of a loving God.

*Ernest S.
York Harbor, Maine*

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James gave me the key to this problem in his description of the educational approach to a Spiritual Experience. By tapping an unexpected inner resource, I came to believe in a Power which is the source of all things that exist. This Power is present everywhere. It is waiting at all times for us to call It into use, not only in crises, but in the every day problems of living. My awareness of this Power and the knowledge of right and wrong which has come to me is the essence of my Spiritual Awakening.

NEXT, came a personal housecleaning. I had to face and be rid of the things within me which had caused me to drink. I found fear, resentment, dishonesty, selfishness, self-delusion and self pity. The picture of myself disclosed by this process served to destroy a large chunk of alcoholic egotism. The balance sheet set up on me, by me, did not inspire confidence or respect.

IN order to purge my mind of this accumulation of self-inflicted filth, I found it necessary to admit to the Power Greater than myself, to myself and to another person all of the character defects brought to light in taking an honest and fearless moral inventory. When this was done, I experienced a feeling of release. Old tensions which had been active within

me relaxed and died.

I am now living what is for me a new way of life and this makes it necessary for me to be constantly alert. Each day produces errors of commission or omission. I live with total disregard for yesterday or tomorrow. In order to keep the slate clean, I check the events of today and dispose of them to the best of my ability while it is still today.

I have added, or am adding, a third phase to myself. Along with the mental and the physical phases a spiritual element is being evolved. Meditation and prayer, which are almost synonymous, are adding a new sense to the five physical senses. In the morning, I seek direction and strength. At the close of day, I am deeply grateful for all of the good things which have been given to me.

I HAVE found a new and eminently satisfactory way of living. My sense of values has undergone a rather complete transformation. Self is submerged in a desire to be helpful. A beautiful sunset, the stars above or the radiant face of a happy person is more important than money. As a result of the 12 Steps of Alcoholics Anonymous, I have had a Spiritual Experience.

Anonymous
Columbus, Ohio

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In Memoriam....Ron Burkee, a 33 year member of our Fellowship passed away on May 4, 2011 at the age of 80. Ron was living in Florida for the past 15 years. He sobered up in the Milwaukee area in 1979, attending meetings in Milwaukee at the Alano Club, and in the Thiensville area at the 24 Hour Club. Ron sponsored many people in his 33 years and will surly be missed by them and his many friends in the Fellowship.

John Anderson, age of 78, a longtime “Friend of Bill”, (43 years) passed away on May 1, 2011. John was a regular at the Milwaukee Central Office, always with a smile and a joke or two. He attended many meetings in the Milwaukee Area including the HOW To Club in West Allis, and the Serenity Club in Cudahy. During sobriety, John sponsored and helped many people. He was always willing to lend a hand or just listen when someone needed a friend. John is already missed by those who knew and loved him. Rest in peace John.

Written for Us Newcomer's Meeting

An Insight to 'How it Works'

A meeting for newcomers and/or old-timers

when:

Saturday's from 9:15 to 10:15am

where:

Greater Milwaukee Central Office

7429 West Greenfield Avenue

West Allis, WI 53214

414.771.9119



Come JOIN US & learn more about Alcoholics Anonymous



Butler Sunday Night
is celebrating their 47th Birthday!

When: Sunday, July 24

Where: St Agnes Church

12601 W. Fairmount St., Butler, WI

Opening Meeting Time: 8:00pm

Speaker: Chris R.

Come Help Us Blow Out the Candles
and Enjoy the Fun, Food and AA Fellowship

CLUB INFORMATION

NEW DAY CLUB

11936 N. Port Washington
Mequon, (262) 241-4673

<http://www.newdayclub.org>

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

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

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

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

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

Thr. 10:00 a. Topic Meeting
1:00 p. Women's Gp
5:30 p. Topic Mtng.
8:00 p. Step Meeting

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

Sat. 10:00 a. Step Meeting
5:00 p. Steps/Principles
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

passitondub.com

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a. Sun. Wake Up
9:30 a. Reliance Open Disc.
11:00 a. Today 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. HappyHour Step Gp.
7:00 p. Mon. Freedom
7:00 p. Open IntroductoryAA

Tue. 7:30 a. Comin' Back Gp
10:30 a. Keep It Simple
4:00 p. Drop the Rock
6:00 p. Women's Step
7:30 p. Three Legacies

Wed. 7:30 a. Double Trouble DD/O
7:30 a. Big Book Study
10:30 a. Pass It On
4:00 p. Happy Hr Promises

Thr. 7:00 p. We, Us & Ours
7:30 a. Welcome Back Gp
10:30 a. Made Decision

5:15 p. As Bill Sees It
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. Spanish Speaking
8:30 a. Early Bird

10:30 a. Happy Joyous Free
3:00 p. Twelve Promises
8:00 p. Back to Basics 12x12

Sat. 11:00 a. Thr. 7:00 p.
Tue. open Fri. 7:30 p.
Wed. 7:00 p. Sat. 10:30 a.

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A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 8:00 a.
11:00 a.
6:00 p. Big Book
8:00 p.

Mon. 9:00 a. Positive Attitude
6:30 p.
8:00 p. Step/Tradition Study

Tue. 1:00 p.
8:00 p. Back To Basics

Wed. 8:00 a.
10:00 a.
6:00 p.
8:00 p.

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

Fri. 12:30 p.
6:00 p. Non-smoking
8:00 p.

Sat. 8:30 a.
10:00 a. Big Book
8:00 p.

AL-ANON MEETINGS

Mon. 8:00 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)

WAUKESHA ALANO CLUB

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

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 11:00 a. Sun Go-To-Mtg
(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
8:00 p.

Thr. 12:00 Noon
8:00 p.

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.**

UNITY CLUB

1715 Creek Drive
West Bend, (262) 338-3500
<http://www.unityofwb.com>

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

Tue. 10:00 a. Tuesday A.M.
7:30 p. Beginner's
8:00 p. Step Gp

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

Thr. 10:00 a. Big Book
8:00 p. Young People

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

Sat. 10:00 a. Here & Now

AL-ANON & ALATEEN MTNGS

Monday 6:30 p. Alateen
Wednesday 8:15 p. Al-Anon

* Open Mtng. 1st Sunday Quarterly
** Open Mtng. 3rd Sunday of month
(a.m.)

*** Open Mtng. last Friday of month

SERENITY CLUB

3677 E. Pulaski Ave.,
Cudahy, WI 53110,
(414)483-8308
serenityclub.info

AA Meetings

Sun. 10:00 a. Welcome Gp.
7:00 p. Gp. 83

Mon. 10:00 a. Honesty Gp.
6:30 p. Ladies Big Book
8:00 p. Sharing Strength

Tue. 10:00 a. Gp. 118
8:00 p. Gratitude Gp.

Wed. 10:00 a. Rap Discussion
5:30 P. Courage/Change
8:00 p. 1 Day At A Time

Thr. 10:00 a. Gp. 89
8:00 p. Gp. 88

Fri. 10:00 a. Gp. 41
6:30 p. Broken Arrow
8:00 p. Gp. 449

Sat. 10:00 a. Reliance Gp.
7:00 p. Big Book Gp.

**AL-ANON MTNG: Sunday 5:30 p.
AL-ANON MTNG: Tuesday 6:30 p.
ALATEEN MTNG: Tuesday 6:30 p.
AL-ANON MTNG: Friday 7:30 p.**

**Call Club for Open Meeting
& Dance Information**

CLUB INFORMATION

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. Delavan 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. Delavan Sunrise Tue
12:00 Noon Delavan Noon Gp.
6:30 p. Delavan 12 Step Topic

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

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

Friday AA
7:30 a. Delavan Sunrise Fri.
12:00 Noon Big Book Study
6:30 p. Delavan Discussion
8:00 p. Delavan Candle-less Gp.

Saturday AA
12:00 Noon Delavan Noon Gp.
6:30 p. Delavan Beginners Gp.

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

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:00 a. Gp 17 Step
4:30 p. Step Gp
7:30 p. Gp 19 Step
10:00 p. Topic Gp

Mon. 7:00 a. Early Morning
10:30 a. Gp 72 Topic
12:15 p. Big Book Meeting
5:30 p. 12x12 Monday Blues
6:30 p. Gp 40 Big Book
8:00 p. Gp 20 Topic
10:30 p. Living Sober Step/Topic

Tue. 7:00 a. As Bill Sees It
10:30 a. Gp 70 Step
12:15 p. Gp 76
5:30 p. Men's AA & Al-Anon
7:00 p. Beginners, 1st Step (3rd fl)
8:00 p. Gp 57 Topic
10:30 p. 4th Dimension Step/Topic

Wed. 7:00 a. Men's Step
10:30 a. Gp 9 Step
12:10 p. Oasis Topic Gp
6:00 p. Gp 91 Women's
8:00 p. Gp 3 Step/Topic
10:30 p. Step/Topic Gp

Thr. 7:00 a. Big Book Meeting
10:30 a. Gp 97 Step
12:15 p. Here & Now Gp
5:30 p. Acceptance Topic
7:00 p. LGBT Big Book
7:30 p. Gp 26 12x12
10:30 p. As Bill Sees It

Fri. 7:00 a. Daily Reflections
10:30 a. Gp 21 Step
12:15 p. Gp 65
6:30 p. Here & Now
8:30 p. Gp30 Tub Topic
11:30 p. Step/Topic
12:15 a. Second Shifters

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. Tub Topic

AL-ANON MEETING Sunday 10:00 a.
Club is smoke free. Many meetings break outdoors for smoking.

H.O.W. TO CLUB
8930 W. National Ave,
West Allis, (414) 543-2448

<http://howtoclub.info/>
Sun. 8 a.-11 p.
Mon - Thr. 9 a.-11 p
Fri - Sat. 9 a.-1 a.

AA MEETING SCHEDULE

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. Nighthawk Gp.

Tue. 11:00 a. Willingness Group
6:00 p. Tuesday Non-Smok
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)
10:30 p. Candlelight Gratitude

CLUB INFORMATION

The "Clubs" 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.

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

A.A. MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:00 a. Gp. 24 Upstairs

Mon. 11:00 a. Gp. 92

Tuesday 6:45 p. Gp. 79

Wed. 11:00 a. Gp. 27

Fri. 11:00 a. Gp. 61 (12x12)
6:00 p. Women's Gp.

Sat. 10:00 a. Beginners Gp.
7:00 p. Gp 6

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

1907 CLUB
2908 N 21st St.
Sheboygan, WI 53083
(920) 457-9633

AA MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun: 7:00 p. As Bill Sees It
Mon: 6:30 p. Old Timers
7:30 p. Women's
8:00 p. Beginners
Tue: 6:00 p. Big Book
Wed: 9:30 a.
8:00 p. WITTS
Thr: 6:00 p. Topic Meeting
7:00 p. Closed Speaker
Fri: 8:00 p. Good Fight Gp
Sat: 9:30 a. Non-Smoking
6:30 p. Grapevine

Mtng
Open Meeting 1st & 3rd
Saturday of month at 8:00 p.

Al-Anon Meetings
Monday: 7:00 p. Al-Anon
Wednesday: 9:30 a. Al-Anon
Saturday: 9:30 a. Ala-teen
9:30 a. Ala-Tot
9:30 a. Al-Anon

24 HOUR CLUB
153 Green Bay Rd.
Thiensville, WI
(262) 242-9999

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
12:00 p. Women's
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

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

Sat. 8:30 a. Living Sober
10:00 a. Big Book

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

GALANO CLUB
- LGBT Recovery -
315 W. Court St. Suite 201
Milwaukee, WI 53212-3825
(414) 276-6936
<http://www.galanoclub.org/>

mail@galanoclub.org

MEETING SCHEDULE

Sun. 10:30 a. Step Topic

Mon. 7:30 p. Came To Believe

Tue. 5:30 p. 40+ Topic

Wed. 7:00 p. 12 x 12

Fri. 7:00 p. Step/Topic

Sat. 7:30 p. Topic

AL-ANON MEETINGS

Sun. 10:30 a.m. (Co-ed.)

CALL THE CLUB FOR INFO ON SPECIAL EVENTS AND OPEN MEETINGS!

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.
8:00 p. Action Gp

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

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

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.

When and Where

NEW MEETINGS

Women's Big Book, Christ Church
13460 N Port Washington Rd, Mequon
53092, meets Mon. at 6:00 p.

W.E.L.L. Beginner's Group, Bethlahem Lutheran Church 470 N Oak Crest Dr, Wales, WI 53188 on Tuesday's at 7:00 p.m.

Tues Night Step Meeting, St Jude Church, 822 Glenview Ave, Wauwatosa WI, Tues at 7:00 p.

Tues Night Bay View Big Book, United Methodist 2772 S K.K. Ave, meets on Tuesdays at 5:30 p.

Polish Sober Eagles (Polish Speaking) Prince of Peace, 4419 S Howell Ave Milwaukee 53207 (rear parking, rear entrance) Meets on Tuesday and Friday at 6:00 p. (Polish Interpreter available)

Wed Night Anonymous, Galilee Lutheran N24 W26430 Crestview Dr, Pe-

waukee, Wed at 7:00 p.

UW-Whitewater, Ambrose Health Center, 800 W Main St, Whitewater, Wednesdays at 4:00 p.

By The Book, Tippecanoe Presbyterian, 125 W Saveland Ave Milwaukee 53207 Wednesday, 7:00 p.

12 Step Thurs. Gesu Church Basement, 1212 W Michigan Ave Milwaukee Thur at 7:00 p.

Here and Now, St Francis of Assisi 1927 N 4th St, Milw Thur 7:00 p.

Back to Basics Big Book, Good Shepherd Methodist, 28 Church St Oconomowoc Fri at 7:00 p.

Common Solutions, St John's Lutheran, 20275 Davidson Rd, Brookfield WI, meets Sat. at 10 a. **Child care available.**

DISBANDED GROUPS
Weekly Open AA Forum, West Allis

Memorial Hosp. 8901 W Lincoln Ave, met Sunday at 4:30 p.

Living Sober, met at A Safe Haven 740 N 29th St, Milwaukee WI 53208 on Tuesday's at 7:00 p.m.

Fight the Good Fight Open, Ace Boxing Club, 2160 S 10th, Milw. met on Mondays at 7:00 p.

Muskego Wednesday Night, met at Heritage Presbyterian, 13761 College Ave, Muskego, at 7:30 p.

Brown Deer Friday, Abiding Savior, 5214 W Luebbe Ln, met on Fridays at 8:00 p.

Gp #001, met at Pass It On Club, Fridays at 8:00 p.

OTHER CHANGES

Gp 91 Women, Alano Club 1521 N Prospect Wed at 6 p. now has **Child Care** Available.

Time To Start Living, Brookfield Presbyterian, 1485 Brookfield Rd, Noon on Mondays, now has an **open meeting on the last Monday** of the month.

Cedarburg Tue Gp, Advent Lutheran W63 N642 Washington Ave, Cedarburg, formerly met at 8:00 p. on Tuesday, now meets at 7:00 p.

Hartford Wednesday Night, time change, old time 8:00 p. **NEW time is 7:00 p.**

Holy Hill Gp, formerly at Holy Hill Hubertus now meets at Hartford Savings Bank, Hartford on Fri at 7:00 p.

Friday Night Second Shifter's formerly met at Serenity Club, now meets at the Alano Club, 1521 N Prospect Ave Friday night/Saturday morning at 12:15am

Fri North Shore, Bay Shore Lutheran, 1200 E Hampton, formerly at 8 p. now meets at 7:30 p.

OPEN MEETINGS

Weekly & monthly open meetings listed in June 2011, When & Where

aamilwaukee.com/directory.html

Grapevine Open Meeting, Pass It On Club, 6229 W. Forest Home Ave. meets on **Sundays at 5:00 p.**

Bethesda Seniors Community Center Open Meeting, 2845 W Fond du Lac

Ave **1st Monday at 1:30 p.**

Salem United Methodist Church, 541 Hwy. 59, Waukesha, ea. **Wed. 7:00 p.**

St. Lukes Church, 300 Carroll St., Waukesha **1st Friday only 8:00 p.**

24 Hour Club Open Meeting, 153 Green Bay Rd, Thiensville, **First Saturday of month at 8:00 p.**

New Hope United Church, 4360 N. Jackson Dr., Jackson WI, meets on **Second Saturday only at 7:00 p.m.**

Dist 34, St. Francis Episcopal Church, N84 W16525 Menomonee Ave., **Second Saturday at 7:00p.**

Waukesha Alano Open Meeting, 318 W. Broadway, Waukesha, **2nd Sunday, at 11:00 a.**

Open Meeting 2245 W. Fond du Lac Ave. Milwaukee, WI. Meets on **3rd Sunday at 11:00 a.**

HOW To Club Open Meeting, 8930 W. National Ave., **3rd Saturday 8:00 p.**

Milwaukee Gp Open Meeting, 933 E Center St. **First Saturday at 7:00 p.**

New Day Club Open Meeting, 11936 N. Port Washington Rd, Mequon, **Third Saturday at 8:00 pm**

Trinity United Church of Christ, 4435 N. Calhoun Rd. **Last Wed. 8:00 p.**

Holy Assumption School, 72nd & Orchard, **Last Wednesday 8:00 p.**

Hartford Savings Bank, 1400 Schauer Dr Hartford WI, **3rd Friday of May and September at 7:00 p.**

New Day Club Open Meeting, 11936 N. Port Washington Rd., Mequon, **Third Saturday at 8:00 p.**

Alano Club Open Meeting, 1521 N. Prospect Ave **Every Saturday 7:30 p.**

Contact the Central Office via email: gmco@aamilwaukee.com, before the 12th of the month prior to your Open Meeting so that it can be listed here under the special/anniversary Open Meetings section.

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"Faithful Fivers"

Greater Milwaukee Central Office
7429 W. Greenfield Ave. West Allis WI 53214

Faithful Fivers "When we meet and defeat the temptation to take large gifts, we are only being prudent. But when we are generous with the hat, we give a token that we are grateful for our blessings and evidence that we are eager to share what we have found with those who still suffer." - *Bill W.*

Every single AA service is designed to make 12th Step work possible. As a **Faithful Fiver** your personal contributions can and will make our vital services possible. You can start with a minimum monthly contribution of \$5.00 or more. This can be paid by check or billed to your credit card.

Yes! I want to participate in the Faithful Fivers Club.

Contribution Information: Date: _____
Amount \$: _____ **Monthly** _____ **Quarterly** _____ **Annually** _____

(Note no AA member can contribute more that \$3000 per year)

I am a new member _____ a current member _____ a returning member _____.

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Card #: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____ - _____

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City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Phone Number () _____ - _____

2011 Weekend Retreats Jesuit Retreat House, Oshkosh, WI jesuitretreathouse.org

Men and Women members of AA, Al-Anon
Total cost: 4 days \$290.00. Send a \$40.00 deposit with requests for specific dates to:
Jesuit Retreat House, 4800 Fahrwald Road, Oshkosh, WI 54901 or call for information, 1 (800) 962-7330

Aug 18-21 Women, Mildred Frank
Nov 10-13 Women, Sr Kerry Larkin OSM
Nov 17-20 Women, Sr Elise Cholewinski OSF
Dec 01-04 Men, Fr Kevin Ballard, S.J.

Spanish Speaking Meetings: Meeting at English Speaking Clubs

- GRUPO 5 CONCEPTOS, Pass It On Club, 6229 W. Forest Home Av, Milw, on Friday at 8:00 p.
- GRUPO NUEVO AMANECER, Tri-County Unity Club, 104 N. First St, Watertown, 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

MILWAUKEE CENTRAL OFFICE

- **E-mail the Board President at:** board@aamilwaukee.com
- **E-mail Director Jim B. at:** jim@aamilwaukee.com
- **Hours:** 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Mon.-Fri.; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday
- **G.S.R. Orientation, 2nd** Tuesday 6:30 p.
- **Secretary Meeting, 2nd** Tuesday 7:00 p.
- **Board of Directors Meeting,** Wednesday following Secretaries Meeting, (odd numbered months) 6:30 p.
- **A. A. Meetings,** Mon - Fri at 12:15 p. and 4:00 p.
- **A. A. Meeting Saturday** 9:15 a., 10:30 a. and 3:00 p.
- www.aamilwaukee.com



**DISTRICT 29
ROUND ROBIN OPEN MEETING**

**SUNDAY
JUNE 12, 2011
7:00 PM**

**EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
10627 WEST FOREST HOME AVENUE
HALES CORNERS, WISCONSIN 53130**

HOSTED BY HALES CORNER STEP AND TOPIC GROUP

*We meet Tuesday nights at 7:00 PM
At Hales Corners Lutheran Church
123 West Janesville Rd., Hales Corners, WI*

**AA SPEAKER - CONNIE S.
AL-ANON SPEAKER - LIZ A.**

.....PLUS.....

FELLOWSHIP!

SNACKS!



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To Staff the
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**Keep the Archives Room Open
From Noon until 4:00 Sunday's
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**Volunteers can sign up for one day
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**Please contact Nancy Seelen
Area 75 Archivist
414 339-3934
aanancy@att.net**

AA at the VA Mini-Conference Needs Your Help!

**We are looking for trusted servants to help fill
Committee Chair Positions for this year's
Conference on Oct. 8th.**

**Committee Chair Openings.
Greeter Co-Chair
Publicity Chair and Co-chair
Program Co-Chair
Registration Chair and Co-Chair
Secretary
Treasurer Co-Chair**

**Contact Tom M. at (414) 807-0829 or email
bojol361@yahoo.com for more details.**

Pass It On Festival

Saturday, July 16th, 2011

Open Speaker Meeting at 6pm
Tim M. from Pittsburgh, PA

DJ Greg in the
Afternoon

Games

DUNK TANK
Bounce House

Craft Sale
Bake Sale
Silent Auction
50/50 Raffle

Workshop hosted by
Thoughts 4 Today
"We Are Not A Glum Lot"
Three Panels
2:00 to 4:30pm

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Entertainment

Live Band - Wisconsin Plowboys
www.wisconsinplowboys.com
7pm - 10pm

Food

Hamburgers
Brats
Roasted Corn
Pulled Pork
Beef Brisket

Food Served
2pm - 8pm

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WWW.PASSITONCLUB.COM

3rd Annual District 16 Picnic



JUNE 25, 2011

RAIN OR SHINE "WE HAVE A SHELTERED AREA"

A.A. SPEAKER: Jeff Z from Fond du Lac



Literature will be
Available



11AM - 4PM

Lunch is at Noon
Speaker is at 1:00pm



Archives will
Be on Display



The Fun is at:

Greenfield Park 116th & Rogers
(3 blocks south of Greenfield Ave.)

Picnic Area # 5



next to the kids playground
plenty of parking available

!! PLEASE BRING A DISH TO PASS !!

District 16, P.O. Box 14511, West Allis, WI 53214



Come join us

At The Pass It On Club

6229 W Forest Home Ave.
Milwaukee WI 53220
414-541-6923

Dinner, Speaker and Dance
When: Saturday June 18th 2011

Time: 5:00 p.m. Social

5:30 p.m. Dinner

7:00 p.m. Speaker

Anthony K.

Direct from Dublin Ireland

Dance to follow speaker

Price for dinner and dance \$10.00

Dinner includes: Brats, Burgers, potato salad, and beans

Oak Creek Friday Night Group

Annual Open Meeting

Friday June 3rd, 2011 8:00 p.m.

All Saints Lutheran Church
9131 So. Howell Ave.
Oak Creek, WI 53154

A.A. Speaker : Don H.

Al-Anon Speaker: Mary H.

Always plenty of food, coffee and fellowship

EVERYONE IS WELCOME
BRING A FRIEND

COFFEE AND GOODIES

GROUP 7



PILGRIM CHURCH

2327 N. 52ND STREET
Milwaukee, WI 53210

Open Meeting Every 4th Friday
of Each Month



MARCH 25
AA Speaker THERESA W..
ALANON Speaker KATHY R.
Time 8:00 PM

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• Gary K. Colorado
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Coffee Breaks 3
Total required \$143.00
*Memberships for July & Sept to include banquet

JAMBOREE 2011

Milwaukee County Zoo, Peck Welcome Center
10001 W. BLUEMOUND RD.

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2011
HOSPITALITY: 5:00 P.M., DINNER: 6:00 P.M.
SPEAKER: Mildred F. / Toronto, 7:00 P.M.

Dance to follow

\$25.00

Soda and Water Only \$1.50

\$25.00

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Greater Milwaukee Central Office 41st Annual City Wide Jamboree
7429 W. Greenfield Ave., West Allis, WI 53214, 414-771-9119

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