

New Day Club Open Speaker Meeting

Saturday, May 16, 2026

Food and Social @ 6:00pm

Patrick K. @ 7:00pm



Come support Patrick as he shares his story of experience, strength, and hope.

**New Day Club
11936 N. Port Washington Rd
Mequon, WI 53092**

This is an Open Meeting, so all are welcome to attend.



UNITY IN ACTION

Spring Workshop • Tradition 3

"The only requirement for A.A. membership is a desire to stop drinking."
— Tradition 3

Saturday, May 16

Christ Church
13460 N Port Washington Rd
Mequon, WI

Light Breakfast & Fellowship — Begins at 9:30 AM

Speaker Meeting — 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Breakout Sessions

- Two concurrent breakout sessions exploring personal responsibility to the Traditions through individual experience
- Group-focused discussion on how AA groups uphold and live out the Traditions together

All are welcome. This is an OPEN event.



District 28 Round-Robin Open Speaker Meeting

Hosted By:

Honesty Group

Speakers:
Oscar & Dee



SUNDAY May 17, 2026

6:30p.m. Hospitality

7:00 p.m. Speakers

NEW LOCATION!

First Congregational Church

1111 N. Chicago Ave.
South Milwaukee, WI 53172

*God grant me the Serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the
Courage to change the things I can, and the Wisdom to know the difference.*

Food And Beverage will be provided.



ROCKFORD, IL
14TH ANNUAL
**WOMAN TO
WOMAN**

WTWRockford.org

AA LUNCHEON

(A CLOSED MEETING)

Children are not allowed at this event.



**SUNDAY
MAY 17, 2026**

11:30 DOORS OPEN
1:00 LUNCH SERVED

GUEST SPEAKER



\$35.00 per person

Register online: WTWRockford.org

HOFFMAN HOUSE RESTAURANT

Inside Holiday Inn

7550 East State Street
Rockford, IL

Registration will CLOSE at 300 guests.

To sit together, you must register together (maximum of 8 per table)

Tickets must be reserved in advance. Tickets will be emailed and available for pickup at the event.

No ticket sales at the door.

INFORMATION

Leann N. 815-980-6865 Vickie M. 815-299-2891

Please complete and mail before May 1, 2026. Online registration available until sold out: WTWRockford.org

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____ HEARING IMPAIRED YES NO

NUMBER OF TICKETS: _____ TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED _____

MEAL SELECTION: _____ VEGETABLE LASAGNA _____ SIRLOIN _____ CHICKEN CAPRESE

Make checks payable to: Woman to Woman Rockford Luncheon
Mail order form to: PO Box 2143, Loves Park, IL 61130

AA

Spring INTO Sponsorship EVENT!

★ BRACKET STYLE 1 & 2 MAN ★
CORN HOLE TOURNAMENT



FREE FOOD!



SATURDAY

MAY 23, 2026



11:00 AM TO 3:00 PM



KERN PARK

2072 N. HUMBOLDT BLVD - MILWAUKEE, WI

COME LEARN ALL ABOUT
SPONSORING & SPONSORSHIP!

YOU MIGHT EVEN MEET
YOUR NEW SPONSOR...

ALL AA MEMBERS, SPONSORS & NEWCOMERS WELCOME!

EVENT SUPPORTED BY DISTRICT 38 GROUPS • UNITY • SERVICE • RECOVERY

DONATIONS ACCEPTED & ENCOURAGED • TOGETHER WE GROW



CONTACT ANDY M. BY TEXT/CALL @ 262-785-6667 WITH ANY QUESTIONS



MitwaukeeHelpNow.com

MKE EASTSIDE ALANO

MEMORIAL DAY



Event



MONDAY, MAY 25TH

Volleyball / Beach / Fellowship : Down in the Sand
9AM-3PM

CookOut / Speaker : Back at the club
3PM-6PM

BRADFORD BEACH MILWAUKEE WI
MILWAUKEE EAST SIDE ALANO
1521 N PROSPECT
MILWAUKEE, WI

Jason Cienluch



WUKESHA
ALANO CLUB

★
MEMORIAL
DAY

GET TOGETHER

★ **BRING A DISH TO PASS** ★

★ **1 - 5 PM** ★

FOOD | **FREE**
POOL



★ **HONORING AND REMEMBERING**
THOSE WHO GAVE ALL. ★

WUKESHA ALANO CLUB

COME OUT, CONNECT, AND ENJOY THE DAY TOGETHER.

6th Annual
CO-ED
VOLLEYBALL
TOURNAMENT
MAY 30TH

\$30 PER TEAM
INCLUDES 6 RAFFLE TICKETS!

FREE FOOD!

BRING RAFFLE & OR FOOD DONATIONS THE DAY OF

LOCATION: LAKE AREA CLUB

N60W35878 Lake Dr, Oconomowoc, WI 53066

TEAM CHECK IN AT 10:30AM
GAMES START AT 11AM

Questions or Pre-Register Your Team

— TEXT DAYNE —

(262) 244-9190



Summer Cookout

**The Pass It On Club
6229 W. Forest Home Avenue
Milwaukee, WI. 53220**

Saturday, May 30th, 2026

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Bratwurst

Event time 1pm to 5pm

Fellowship 1pm

Food served 2pm

Speakers 3:30 pm

Speakers T.B.A.

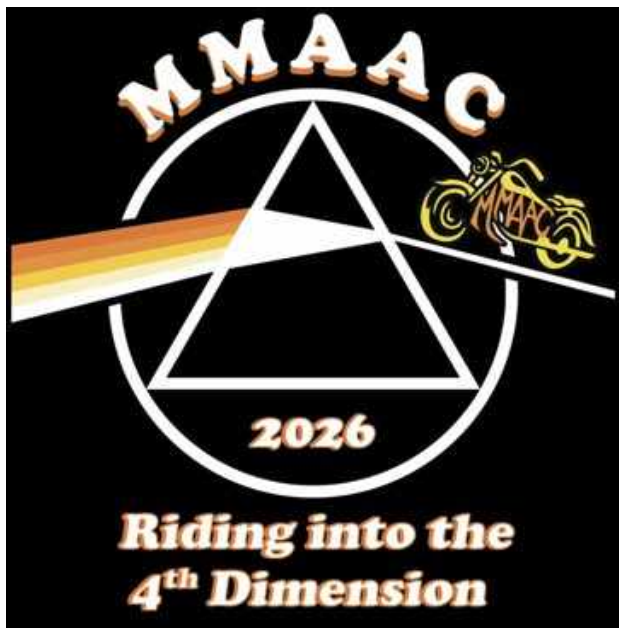
Tickets still only \$10.00



Purchase tickets in advance at the counter



50/50 raffle



26th Annual MMAAC

June 5th–7th, 2026

Midwest Motorcycle AA Convention

****Sponsored by Individual AA Members****

Green Lake Conference Center

Green Lake, WI

REGISTRATION CONTACT: Diane R. 312-953-2822

AA & Al-Anon Speakers

Friday Night AA– Josh A., Nowata, OK

Saturday Morning AA – Olis S., Oakland, CA Al-Anon – TBD

Saturday Night AA – Don L., Bellingham, WA

Sunday Morning AA – Nate H., Waukesha, WI

Exciting AA & Al-Anon Speakers, Camping (primitive & w/ hook-ups), Pulled Pork Dinner Saturday evening, Alkathons, Fellowship, Motorcycle Rodeo with Field Events for non-riders, Campfire Meetings, Organized Runs, Entertainment, Family-friendly activities all weekend, Hospitality Area, Merchandise & Vendors.

This is a family-friendly event, and you do not need a motorcycle to attend or participate.

On-Site Accommodations include Lodges, Cabins, Hotels, Camping, & Lake Houses all onsite. Meal packages available: inquire when setting up lodging. Fishing, Boating, Hiking, Swimming, Golf, Volleyball & more.

Contact: Green Lake Conference Center, W2511 State Road 23 Green Lake, WI
(920) 294-3323 www.GLCC.org

ACCOMMODATIONS & REGISTRATION are SEPARATE COSTS

Pre-registration: \$ 20.00
(Postmarked by May 11th)
after May 12th \$25.00
On-Site registration: \$ 25.00
Children 0-17 years: FREE
ONE- DAY- PASS: \$15.00
Pork Dinner \$15.00

**Visit us at WWW.MMAAC.org,
Registration,
exciting convention news !!**

For more Info call:
Kenny B. 414-559-5529

MMAAC 26 Registration Form

please print clearly.....PLEASE FILL OUT COMPLETELY

Register online @ MMAAC.org or mail to: PO Box 3, Redgranite WI, 54970

Name: _____ Name on Badge: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Phone # _____ E-mail Address _____

RECEIVE INFORMATION BY E-MAIL? IF YES PLEASE CHECK HERE _____

Would you like to chair an Alkathon meeting? Yes ____ No ____

If yes, Phone# _____ - _____ - _____

Would you be willing to volunteer? Yes ____ No ____

If Yes, Phone# _____ - _____ - _____

Pre-Registration \$20.00 _____

#of Pork Dinners (Adult) \$15.00 _____

#of Pork Dinners (Child 10 or UNDER) \$7.00 _____

*****PORK DINNERS MUST BE RECEIVED WITH REGISTRATIONS POSTMARKED BY MAY 11TH 2026*****
A LIMITED NUMBER OF DINNERS MAY BE AVAILABLE AT THE CONVENTION

scan this code if your would like to order your registration





PICNIC TIME



AA SPEAKERS with AA SUMMER PICNICS



Started by

AA WEDNESDAY NIGHT GROUP
From DELAVAN METHODIST CHURCH



Meetings Since 1983

Dates: **JUNE 10, JULY 8**



AUGUST 12 and SEPTEMBER 9



Meets at **SPRINGS PARK in DELEVAN**

**HWY 11 to MAIN STREET SOUTH at the
END, TURN RIGHT**



5PM - FELLOWSHIP

6PM - COOKOUT

7PM - SPEAKER

BRATS, HOT DOGS AND

ITALIAN SAUSAGE PROVIDED

BRING A DISH TO PASS AND A CHAIR!

CONTACT: JEAN AT 262-203-2914

FOR MORE INFORMATION





Founders' Day Herald

91st Anniversary of Alcoholics Anonymous

June 12, 13, & 14, 2026 | Akron, Ohio | Birthplace of A.A.

FRIDAY ACTIVITIES

- A.A. 12 Step Panel • 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. 
Discussion of One Step Per Hour
Chaired by: Karen K.

- A.A. Early Bird Meeting* • 3:00 p.m. 
Tom H. - Akron, OH
"Stepping Out Of The Grave"
Chaired by: Doug P.

- Actors Guild Play • 5:00 p.m. & 7:30 p.m. 
"Six Tips To Surrender"

- A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 7:00 p.m. 
Beth H. - Garden City, SC
"From I Got To" To "I Get To"
Chaired by: Greg E.

- Serenity Singers • 8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. 


- A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 9:00 p.m. 
Aaron Z. - Molalla, OR
"God Is Love"
Chaired by: Aaron K.

- Junta en Español • 9:30 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. 
Orador: Psicologo Carlos Escamilla
Tema: Las Heridas Del Alma

- The Last Call Discussion • 11:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. 

SATURDAY ACTIVITIES

- Bus Tours of Historic A.A. Sites
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
2 buses continuously - Bierce Circle


- A.A. Archives
Located in Akron Intergroup Office
(Stop on bus tour)


- The 12 Traditions • 9:00 a.m. 
Bob D. - Las Vegas, NV
Chaired by: Jeanne R.


- Grapevine Meeting • 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m. 
Grapevine And LaVina
"AA's Multimedia Message"
Presenter: Chris C.


- Junta en Español • 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. 
Taller De La Vina


- A.A. Long Timers Panel* • 11:00 a.m. 
Topic: "A Design For Living"
Lillie H. - South Portland, ME
Avery M. - Atlanta, GA
Beth F. - Akron, OH
Chaired by: Jeanne R.


- Actors Guild Play • 12:00 p.m. & 2:30 p.m. 
"Six Tips To Surrender"

- A.A. & Al-Anon Dual Lead* • 12:30 p.m. 
Speakers - David & Mary Ellen Y. - Rossiter, PA
"Never Give Up"
Chaired by: Jane M.


- Junta en Español • 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. 
Orador: Psicologo Carlos Escamilla
Tema: Despertar Espiritual

- A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 2:00 p.m. 
Carla R. - Tujunga, CA
"Spiritual Awakening/Human Experience"
Chaired by: Karen K.

- The History of Our Big Book • 4:00 p.m. 
Presented by: Gail L. - Akron, OH
Chaired by: Doug P.

- A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 8:00 p.m. 
Tom T. - Staten Island, NY
"The Most Satisfactory Years of Your Existence Lie Ahead"
UA Infocision Stadium**
Chaired by: Juanita W.

****Stadium Weather Contingency Plan for Saturday Night - See Web Site**

- DANCE! DANCE! DANCE! 
10:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
Saturday Night

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES


- MOTORCADE TO DR. BOB'S GRAVE*
7:30 a.m.
Motorcycle procession and graveside memorial tribute to Dr. Bob & Anne S.
Kevin G. - Massillon OH
Chaired by: Greg E.


- A.A. Spiritual Panel Meeting • 9:00 a.m. 
Topic: "We Stood At The Turning Point"
Jimmy R. - Akron, OH
Annamarie T. - Naples, FL
Greg K. - Brooklyn, OH
Chaired by: Mary K.


- A.A. Closing Speaker Meeting* • 10:30 a.m. 
Harold L. - St. Louis, MO
"When Opportunity Meets Preparation, God Will Do The Introductions"
Chaired by: Tony T.

AL-ANON

FRIDAY ACTIVITIES

- Al-Anon Speaker • 1:00 p.m. 
"History of Family Groups"
Vannoy S. - Denton, TX
Chaired by: Christina

- Al-Anon Panel • 2:30 p.m. 
Topic: "Two Programs, One Journey"
Larry V. - Kinsman, OH
Jack H. - Westlake, OH
Steve L. - Akron, OH
Chaired by: Susan

- Al-Anon Sing Along • 4:00 p.m. 

AL-ANON


SATURDAY ACTIVITIES

- Al-Anon Daily Reader • 9:00 a.m. 
"Page of the Day And Meditation"
Chaired by: Bonny

- Alateen Panel • 10:00 a.m. 
"Our Future of Recovery"
Chaired by: Gina S.

- A.A. & Al-Anon Dual Lead* • 12:30 p.m. 
Speakers - David & Mary Ellen Y. - Rossiter, PA
"Never Give Up"
Chaired by: Jane M.

- Al-Anon Long Timers Panel • 3:00 p.m. 
Topic: "Ask a Basket"
Regina - Cleveland Hts, OH
Martha G. - Pittsburgh, PA
Pat A. - Dover, OH
Vannoy S. - Denton, TX
Chaired by: Lynda M.

- Al-Anon Speaker • 5:00 p.m. 
Gordy B. - Seattle, WA
"Overcome Control Issues"
Chaired by: Jim K.

REGISTRATION

UA STUDENT UNION

CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED!

- Friday 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
- Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
- Registrations must be picked up by 6:00 p.m. Saturday - **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- Package Plans must be picked up at designated dormitories. Check confirmation letter or e-mail.
- Coffee & Fellowship Room Student Union
- A.A. Literature Sales
Friday 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
- CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED!

* A.S.L. INTERPRETER



**CLEAR BAGS REQUIRED
SEE INSIDE FOR MORE INFORMATION**

**FOUNDERS' DAY IS A SERVICE OF THE AKRON AREA INTERGROUP COUNCIL OF A.A.
Name badges & ribbons must be worn for admittance to all meetings — NO EXCEPTIONS!**



91st Anniversary of Alcoholics Anonymous

June 12, 13, & 14, 2026 | Akron, Ohio | Birthplace of A.A.

Please treat each meeting at Founders' Day as your own home group.

ABSOLUTES

AS A SAFETY MEASURE, THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON HAS IMPLEMENTED A CLEAR BAG POLICY FOR ALL FOUNDERS' DAY MEETINGS AND EVENTS. Approved bags include clear plastic, vinyl or PVC bags that do not exceed a size of 12 inches wide by 12 inches high and 6 inches deep. Other approved bags include one-gallon clear plastic freezer bags (Ziploc bag or similar), medical bags and small clutch bags approximately the size of a hand, with or without a handle or strap. Prohibited bags include backpacks, binocular cases, camera cases, fanny packs, large-printed bags, mesh bags, purses and tinted plastic bags. Again, this policy applies to ALL Founders' Day meetings and events. CLEAR BAGS WILL BE AVAILABLE ONSITE. MORE INFORMATION AVAILABLE AT WWW.FOUNDERSDAY.ORG.

All pre-registration packets must be picked up by 6:00 p.m. Saturday. NO EXCEPTIONS!
Registration opens 8:00 a.m. Friday and Saturday. Picture I.D. is required.

2026 Name badges & ribbons must be worn ON CAMPUS and for admittance to all meetings.

NO EXCEPTIONS!

All rooms, buildings, and stadium at The University of Akron are non-smoking.
NO VAPOR/E CIGARETTES permitted in ANY building.

Handicapped parking will be strictly enforced.
University police will ticket and tow all unauthorized vehicles parking in handicap spaces.
Violators will incur a fine of \$250

No animals or campfires allowed in R.V. area.

NO ANIMALS ON CAMPUS, POLICE WILL ENFORCE.

NO hover boards, skateboards, or roller blades permitted on campus.

No motorcycles allowed on the grass.

No beach balls at any meeting.

The Sunday morning motorcade to Dr. Bob's grave site is a conference event and as such, you must be registered to participate.

Credit cards will now be accepted for both onsite registration and in the literature room.

SPECIAL NEEDS

All meetings are wheelchair accessible.

Wheelchairs are not available on campus. You may bring your own.

Please contact the Founders' Day Committee with any special needs by May 15, 2026.

ACCOMMODATIONS

No incoming calls accepted at dorms.

No entry to RV sites until 8:00 a.m. on Friday morning. A permit is required prior to set-up.

No camping tents allowed.

FOR THE SATURDAY NIGHT BIG MEETING, WE WILL ALL BE UNITED TOGETHER ON THE WEST SIDE ONLY IN THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON INFOCISION STADIUM. STADIUM WEATHER CONTINGENCY PLAN - SEE WEB SITE. NO BEACH BALLS!

THIS IS AN OPEN AIR STADIUM SO PREPARE ACCORDINGLY.

**NO REFUNDS FOR BASIC REGISTRATION.
\$35.00 FEE FOR ALL PACKAGE PLAN CANCELLATIONS!**

FOUNDERS' DAY 2026

Founders' Day Registration Form | online at www.foundersday.org

Everyone must be registered, including children. All registrations must be postmarked by May 15, 2026 . NO EXCEPTIONS!

Name (please print clearly) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (_____) _____ E-mail address* _____

* If you provide an e-mail address, you will get confirmation via e-mail only!

Check for special needs - handicapped.
Handicapped parking will be strictly enforced.

Hearing Impaired- ASL Interpreter Requested

All beds are at a fixed height of 42 inches. The University of Akron **CANNOT** adjust bed height.

***INDIVIDUAL FORMS
REQUIRED FOR EACH
PACKAGE PLAN***

Onsite registration closes at 6:00 pm Saturday, NO EXCEPTIONS!

Basic Registration \$45 x QTY = \$ _____ TOTAL

(Basic Registration will be \$45 on site conference weekend)

INCLUDES ADMISSION TO ALL MEETINGS.

MUST have a picture I.D. for pickup.

Package Plan A \$350 = \$ ONE ONLY

Sex: M F

BASIC REGISTRATION INCLUDED.

Includes admission to all meetings, meals, room, and bus tour.

Report directly to designated dormitory to pick up weekend package and room key.

You must have a picture I.D. to pick up your reservation package.

All rooms and buildings at the university are non-smoking.

Package Plan B \$250 = \$ ONE ONLY

Sex: M F

BASIC REGISTRATION INCLUDED.

PLAN B DOES NOT INCLUDE MEALS.

Includes all items in Package Plan A *except* meals.

Rooming with: _____

MEALS

QTY

TOTAL

Meals can be purchased through Pre-Registration Only. NOT available for purchase at the event.

SATURDAY Breakfast \$25 x _____ = \$ _____

Lunch \$30 x _____ = \$ _____

Dinner \$40 x _____ = \$ _____

SUNDAY Breakfast \$25 x _____ = \$ _____

SPECIAL DIETARY NEEDS — Diabetic Vegan Vegetarian Gluten-Free

MOTORHOME SITE FEES

QTY

TOTAL

NO TENT CAMPING!

RV Site Tag \$40 x _____ = \$ _____

(no hook-ups available) per site/whole weekend

Each RV must have a **Site Tag** to set up.

ABSOLUTELY NO PETS OR FIRES!

REGISTRATION TOTAL \$ _____

PAYMENTS MUST BE IN U.S. DOLLARS ONLY.
MAKE CHECKS / MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO:

Akron Intergroup
PO Box 12
Akron, OH 44309-0012

REFUNDS requested in writing only by mail or email
and postmarked / received prior to May 15, 2026.
treasurerfd@akronaa.org

PAYMENT METHODS FOR MAIL IN REGISTRATION:

CHECK MONEY ORDER

All Credit Card payments must be made online at www.foundersday.org.
Click on the Founders' Day link and follow the instructions.

Mobile App

Download the [guidebook](#) app for Founders' Day 2026!

This app will serve as a companion to the printed program, offering a variety of useful features, including:

- Real-time notifications for inclement weather or other unexpected updates.
- Digital access to the event schedule and campus maps.
- Details about historical sites, donation opportunities, and on-campus dining options.



Everyone must be registered, including children. All registrations must be postmarked by May 15, 2026 . NO EXCEPTIONS!

Founders' Day 2026

Frequently Asked Questions

General Questions

Q. What is the address of the University of Akron?

A. Founders' Day activities are held at: University of Akron | 302 Buchtel Common | Akron, OH 44325.

Q. Inclement Weather Policy

The Founders' Day Committee works hard to ensure everyone's safety and enjoyment for the weekend. If the Saturday night 8:00 PM outdoor meeting is expected to be affected by rain and/or lightning the meeting will be moved inside to the JAR Arena, and will also be simulcast to four additional alternate sites due to limited seating capacity in the JAR Arena. Committee members and Akron University staff will meet at noon on Saturday to review the current weather forecast and determine where the meeting will be held, and an announcement will be made at the Saturday 2:00 PM meeting in the JAR Arena if the Saturday night 8:00 PM meeting is going to be moved indoors.

Your designated alternate location will be printed on your "Big Meeting Ticket".

Approximately the first 5,300 registrations will be placed in the JAR Arena, the next 2,900 will be placed in E.J. Thomas Hall, and then the remainder will be placed in the Student Union (Theatre), Zook Hall and/or Schrank Hall South as needed. PLEASE CHECK YOUR TICKET TO VERIFY YOUR ALTERNATE LOCATION. We can not accept requests for changes. Hopefully the weather will be beautiful and the alternate locations will not be needed. In that event we will all enjoy an evening of fellowship together outdoors in InfoCision Stadium!

Refund Questions

Q. Can I get a refund for my Basic Registration?

A. No. All Sales on Basic Registration are final and not refundable.

Q. Can I get a refund on my Package Plan A or B?

A. Yes, however there is a \$35 cancellation charge. Refunds may be requested in writing only by mail or email and must be postmarked prior to May 15, 2024.

Email: treasurerfd@akronaa.org

Mailing Address: Founders' Day Treasurer | Akron Intergroup | P.O. Box 12 | Akron, OH 44309-0012

Housing Questions

Q. If I fly in on Thursday can I get my Package Plan then?

o. Founders' Day begins Friday morning at 8:00 a.m.

Q. Can I get a single room?

A. No. Single occupancy rooms are not available.

Q. Is there bedding for housing?

A. Yes. One thin pillow, a bed sheet set and blanket are provided for each guest.

Q. Do the beds adjust?

A. No. All beds are at a fixed height of 42 inches.

Q. Are the rooms wheelchair friendly?

A. All of the dorms have elevators and doorways designed to accommodate wheelchairs.

Q. Do all the dorm rooms have private bathrooms?

A. Yes.

Q. Are towels provided?

A. Yes, one hand and one bath towel are provided for each guest.

Q. Are there hair dryers?

A. No.

Q. Are there toiletries included in accommodations?

A. No.

Q. Are there refrigerators in the rooms?

A. No and there are none available.

Q. Can I bring a coffee maker?

A. Yes.

Founders' Day 2026

The History of Founders' Day

Founders' Day has been an important part of the history of Alcoholics Anonymous. Our current celebration has its roots from our humble beginnings. Here are a few events which have helped shape our annual Founders' Day celebration.

1941 Bill W. and Dr. Bob were the featured speakers.

1942 Dr. Bob traced the early history of our movement, introduced early members, followed by a buffet supper served by wives of Akron Group #1.

1945 Dr. Bob and Bill W. spoke at a dinner at the Mayflower Ballroom.

1945 A modest celebration was held at the M. O'Neil Auditorium with the co-founders present.

1947 Dr. Bob and A.A. #3 Bill D. were the speakers.

1948 The Akron Armory was used and talks were given by Dr. Walter Tunks, Bill W. and Dr. Bob.

1951 Dr. Bob had died. An open house was held at 855 Ardmore. (Dr. Bob's Home) Bill spoke at the Goodyear Theater.

1953 Bill W. attended an open house at St. Thomas Hospital.

1957 The first "Play" was introduced and a Sunday morning breakfast was held at The University of Akron's Memorial Hall.

1958 Bill W. his wife Lois W. and Ethel M. were speakers at The University of Akron's Memorial Hall.

1961 This was the start of the memorial for Dr. Bob at 9:00 am.

1965 The "Modern" Era of Founders' Day begins with the first Friday-Sunday Weekend. Founders' Day is an integral part of the legacy our co-founders have left for us. Founders' Day has grown to where 10,000 visitors from around the world come each year. Please come to Akron to see, to feel, and to be part of The Fellowship of the Spirit.

Tuesday Night Mukwonago AA Group

Open Speaker Meeting

Tuesday, June 16th 2026



Doors Open @ 5:30 P.M.

Dinner @ 6:00 P.M.

Speakers @ 7:00 P.M.

AA Speaker : Drew N.
Al Anon Speaker : Carrie H.

Vernon Evangelical Lutheran Church
S90W27550 National Avenue, Mukwonago, WI. 53149

Area 75/District 16

PICNIC

In The Park



SPEAKERS: LAURIE S, HOPE S, GARY V, & LISA P

JOIN US FOR FUN AND FELLOWSHIP!
BRATS AND BURGERS WILL BE PROVIDED
BRING A DISH TO PASS IF YOU WISH

SATURDAY
20
JUNE

GREENFIELD PARK
1 PM - 5 PM
PICNIC AREA 5

FUN GAMES FOOD FELLOWSHIP



**Brown Deer
Monday Night Group
40th Anniversary
Open Speaker Meeting
Monday, June 22, 2026**

6:00 PM

Doors Open

6:30 PM

Meal Potluck (*Main dish will be provided: coffee, water, lemonade*)

Please bring a dish to pass

7:30 PM

AA Speaker, Mike O. - Living Sober Group, Elm Grove

- Meeting of Men, MIKE, Zoom

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

8080 North 47th Street, Brown Deer

(Come to Northwest door)

Open Meeting: All Invited

Check that top shelf of the closet

Look in the night stand drawer

Go through the pile of papers

Open the box way under the bed

You might find just what I'm looking for!

I am searching for the following documents from January 2017 – December 2025

- GSO Quarterly Reports
- Box 459
- Area 75 Conference Flyers and Programs
- Area 75 Directories
- Area 75 Assembly Minutes
- Central Office Newsletters
- Central Office and District Meeting lists (When & Where)
- I have most of the Grapevines.
- I need the La Vina

This past January I sent every district an Index of what they have in Area 75's archives. I will email another updated index upon request.

Starting on May 3rd, 2026
The Archives Room will be open
the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month
Except December and January
Hours: 1:00 – 4:00

If you need to visit a different day, we can arrange a day and time.

Location: 7441 W. Greenfield Ave. West Allis 53214

Same Building as Milwaukee Central Office (7429) But a Different Room

Nancy Seelen Area 75 Archivist
414 339 – 3934
aanancy@att.net



**SERENITY GROUP
2026 SUMMER SMASH
JULY 3RD 4TH 5TH**

Volleyball Bags Bonfire Food Kids activities 50/50
MAKERS & DONATION AUCTION TABLE
CAMPING...Bring a tent and stay the weekend

**SERENITY ESTATE
"THE BARN"
N92W29296 CENTER OAK RD
HARTLAND, WI**



Friday, July 3rd

6:00- 7:00 p.m.
7:30 p.m.

Dinner- Please bring a dish to pass
Open Alateen Meeting

***From Pass It On Club**

Open AA Meeting

*** Steph G. – Waukesha, WI**

Saturday, July 4th

1:00p.m
5:00-6:30 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

Closed AA & Alanon Meeting
Dinner- Pork & Chicken
Please bring a dish to pass
Open Al-Anon Meeting

***Tim T. – Hubertus, WI**

Open AA Meeting

***Ian S. – Houston, Tx**

After the Meeting

50/50 drawing, Bonfire & Barn Dance

Sunday, July 5th

8:00 a.m.
10:00-11:00 a.m.

Music Meditation- Breakfast to follow
Open AA Meeting

***Bill K. – Newburg, WI**

11:00 a.m.

Barn Picture and Clean-up

***** Seeking MAKERS of CRAFTS, ART, BAKED GOODS, SERVICES for Auction Table.**

To DONATE or request more info contact Debbie S. 262-719-7591 OR Kent S.
262-305-4645

Bring: A Friend, A Newcomer, Your Family, Your Dogs and Love in your Heart



AA DISTRICT 32 UNITY PICNIC!

Fowler Park Pavilion, Oconomowoc
438 N Oakwood Ave

JULY 25TH
— 8 AM — 4 PM —

EVENT SCHEDULE

- Set up — 8 AM
- Closed AA Meeting — 9 AM
- Serving Lunch — 11 AM to 1 PM

ACTIVITIES & INFO

- Lake swimming area and kids playground
- Games for kids and adults
- No dogs allowed
- Parking Limited: may have to park on Oakwood Avenue

FOOD PROVIDED

- Grilled hot dogs, brats, burgers
- Soda, coffee, and water

PLEASE BRING

- Last Name A-M: Side Dish
- Last Name N-Z: Dessert
- Picnic chair or blanket



★ FELLOWSHIP ★ FOOD ★ FUN FOR ALL! ★

Registration Form

Prayer and Meditation Retreat at the Springs Sunday, July 26 to Tuesday, July 28, 2026

“Practicing your Path” – an 11th Step retreat to broaden the path of conscious contact. We will look at different ways to express our desire to know our God in a deeper, more intimate way.” This Retreat is for women members of AA only.

**St. Francis Springs Prayer Center
477 Grogan Rd.
Stoneville, North Carolina 27048**



Focusing on AA’s 11th Step, this retreat offers space for peace, clarity, and a deeper connection with our Higher Power. It’s a time for stillness and spiritual renewal. *Open to AA women.*

The cost of the Retreat is \$300.00. Registration fee includes two nights' accommodations, dinner on Sunday, three meals on Monday, and breakfast and lunch on Tuesday.

Our Retreat Leader: Cynthia “Cindy” Sloan

Cindy is a member of We Need Each Other and attends the Women’s Serenity and AA Work in Progress groups in Matthews, NC. She has served as a hospital chaplain and substance abuse counselor in several treatment centers and has been a licensed clinical addiction specialist (LCAS) since 2006. Cindy also worked as Assistant Program Director for the Special Program on Substance Abuse and Related Violence with the United Methodist Board of Global Ministries. Trained at the Betty Ford Treatment Center in intervention and certified in Spiritual Caregiving for Addicts and Families, Cindy brings deep experience and compassion to her work. She is a trained retreat leader and is completing certification in Spiritual Direction. Cindy is passionate about reducing shame and stigma around addiction. In her free time, she enjoys gardening, knitting, and painting with oils and watercolor.

For more information text or call Betty Gregory @ 980-515-8325. For Cash App call Betty G. Pay by check or with Zelle @ 704-491-1519 for “Prayer & Meditation Retreat.”

Clip & mail to: Betty G., Prayer & Meditation Retreat, 2422 Purser Dr., Charlotte, NC 28215

Name _____ Email _____

Phone _____ Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

St. Add. _____ City, State, Zip _____

Special needs: _____

4th Annual To Any Lengths



RIDE



Milwaukee Alano to Racine Alano

Monday, September 7, 2026

Join us for the 7AM Express Meeting, then
ride to Racine Alano for the 12PM meeting and
Labor Day picnic!

Total Miles: 62

Mostly trail ride. Then ride home!

Call or Text

414-249-9331



\$10 donation for picnic

Support vehicle provided • Halfway riders RSVP
(the only half measures allowed)

2026

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Newsletter*



**SEPTEMBER
25-27, 2026**

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- Presentations ●
- Discussions ●
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PRE-REGISTER ONLINE

\$35, Before October 30

Scan the QR code or go to
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No online fees!

PRE-REGISTER BY MAIL

\$35, Postmark by October 24

Complete the form below

REGISTER ONLINE OR AT THE DOOR

\$40, Starting October 30



MAIL-IN PRE-REGISTRATION

Complete this form and mail in with a check by October 24. One form per person.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____ Email _____

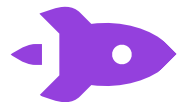
Accessibility or Dietary Needs (Request by October 1) _____

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Southern Wisconsin Area Assembly
PO Box 7444, Madison, WI 53707

CHECK OPTIONS BELOW

- Pre-registration \$35
 - Saturday Night Buffet \$38
 - Sunday Breakfast Buffet \$16
 - Donation \$ _____
 - I'm Interested in Volunteering!
- Total Enclosed \$ _____



CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

3:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Registration
7:00 PM – 7:30 PM	First Timers Orientation
8:00 PM – 9:30 PM	AA Speaker: <i>Max M, Chicago, IL</i>
10:00 PM – 2:00 AM	Alkathon

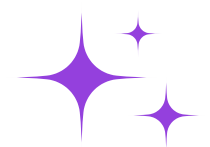
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7

6:00 AM – 8:00 AM	Alkathon
8:00 AM – 6:00 PM	Registration
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Area 75 Assembly
9:00 AM – 11:15 AM	AA/Al-Anon Panels
11:15 AM – 1:00 PM	Lunch on Your Own
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	AA/Al-Anon Panels
3:15 PM – 4:30 PM	Al-Anon/Alateen Speakers: <i>Shae S, West Allis, WI</i> <i>Juanita U, Sante Fe, NM</i>
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Entertainment
6:30 PM – 8:00 PM	Banquet Buffet
8:00 PM – 10:00 PM	AA Speaker: <i>Dolly A, Cleveland, OH</i>
10:00 PM – 12:00 AM	Entertainment
10:00 PM – 2:00 AM	Alkathon

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8

6:00 AM – 8:00 AM	Alkathon
8:30 AM – 9:30 AM	Breakfast Buffet
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	AA Speaker: <i>Tim R, Chicago, IL</i>

Schedule subject to change



WHY DO WE HAVE TO PAY?

Conferences are self-supporting. The costs of the events are paid through registration sales. No baskets are passed during the conference. Ideally, the event is planned to break even; the registration cost is nominal compared to a weekend's worth of entertainment elsewhere. Attendance is voluntary and, in keeping with AA's 7th Tradition, as responsible AA members we pay our own way.



ROOM RATES

Book by October 6
\$149 + Tax Single/Double Room
Includes water park passes
The Ingleside Hotel, Pewaukee, WI
262-547-0201

Mention the 2026 Area 75 Conference for the reduced rate.

RECORDINGS

Your registration fee includes access to recordings of the events.

QUESTIONS?

FAQ: 2026-area-75-conference.square.site
Email: area75conference@gmail.com

*"There is a solution. Almost none of us liked the self-searching, the leveling of our pride, the confession of shortcomings which the process requires for its successful consummation. But we saw that it really worked in others, and we had come to believe in the hopelessness and futility of life as we had been living it. When, therefore, we were approached by those in whom the problem had been solved, there was nothing left for us but to pick up the simple kit of spiritual tools laid at our feet. We have found much of heaven and we have been **rocketed into a fourth dimension** of existence of which we had not even dreamed."*

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS, PG 25

SAVE THE DATE
50th Annual
Badger Intergroup

Saturday, March 13, 2027

AA Speaker: Nancy M.
From: Seal Beach CA.

WAUKESHA ELK'S LODGE

2301 Springdale Road
Waukesha, WI

Social Hour - 5:00 PM

Dinner - 6:00 PM

Speaker - 7:30 PM

More information
coming soon.

Tickets \$t.b.d.