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DECEMBER 2006 HOLIDAY ALKATHONS

5:00 pm December 24th through 11:00 pm December 25th

5:00 pm December 31st through 11:00 pm January 1st

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<u>CALENDAR OF EVENTS</u> All Meetings are held at the Intergroup Office unless otherwise noted

Dec	6	8:00 pm	Institutions Committee Simpson Methodist Church Locust and Sunset, Amityville	Jan 3	8:00 pm	Institutions Committee Simpson Methodist Church Locust and Sunset, Amityville
Dec	7	7:30 pm	Intergroup Rep's Orientation	Jan 4	7:30 pm	Intergroup Rep's Orientation
		8:00 pm	Intergroup Rep's Meeting		8:00 pm	Intergroup Rep's Meeting
Dec	10	Unit	Y BREAKFAST	Jan 10	8:00 pm	Share-A-Day Planning Meeting
Dec	13	8:00 pm	Share-A-Day Planning Meeting	Jan 11	7:00 pm	PI/CPC Committee Meeting
Dec	14	7:00 pm	PI/CPC Committee Meeting	Jan 17	7:30 pm	WebSite Committee
Dec	16	8:00 am	Exchange Meeting	Jan 18	Newslette	r DeadLine
			Ethical Humanist Society	Jan 20	10:30 am	SENY Assembly
Dec	17	7:00 pm	Special Needs Committee			Our Saviour Luth School
Dec	20	7:00 pm	WebSite Committee			1374 Williamsbridge Rd
Dec	21	Newsletter Dead Line				Bronx, NY 10461
Dec	24	5:00 pm	HOLIDAY ALKATHON	Jan 21	7:00 pm	Special Needs Committee
Dec	28	7:30 pm	Steering committee	Jan 25	7:30 pm	Steering committee
Dec	31	5:00 pm	New Year's Alkathon		Nassau GSR'S	WILL NOT MEET IN JANUARY

WE LIST ONLY AA MEETINGS

MEETING CHANGES

<u>Bethpage</u>: Acceptance Group will hold anniversaries on 3rd Thursday of every month.

<u>Freeport:</u> Grupo Solo por Hoy has added a 9PM Mondays CD mtg.

<u>Freeport</u>: Mercy Medical Ctr. 90 Mill Road, entrance on Buffalo Avenue, has changed its Monday CD to 10AM. (Institutional meeting)

<u>Glen Cove</u>: G.C. Closed Discussion Group has made its Wednesday night 8PM meeting a beginner's meeting.

Glen Head: G.H. Group is now handicapped accessible.

<u>Hempstead</u>: **Grupo Nueva Direccion** has changed its meeting place to 139 Jackson Street (basement.)

<u>Lynbrook</u>: **Primary Purpose Group** has both its Tuesday night B & BB meetings open.

<u>Manhasset</u>: Big Book Study Group and Early Cup of Sobriety- Church has been renamed to Shelter Rock Church.

<u>Manhasset</u>: <u>Mahasset Group</u> will now meet at the folowing times: Mondays 7:30PM Step & CD mtgs. And Fridays 7:30PM CD and Men's CD mtgs.

<u>Manhasset</u>:-Searingtown Serenity Group will no longer meet at the Unitarian/Universal Church.

Oceanside: Quiet Direction Group no longer meets.

<u>Oyster Bay</u>: O.B./Sagamore Group will celebrate anniversaries on the last Sunday of every month at its 7:30 Open meeting.

Roosevelt: We Care Group has canceled its Wednesday meeting and on Fridays will have the following at 7:15PM to 8:45PM- a Beginner's meeting on the 1st, 3rd, (& 5th) Friday a Beginner's meeting and the 2nd and 4th Fridays is an Open meeting.

Syosset: Sobriety First Group has canceled its meeting.

<u>Uniondale</u>: Just Booze Group will now meet at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 1375 North Grand Avenue Baldwin. Its meeting scheduled has also been changed to the following: Mondays 7:15PM Beginners mtg, 8:30PM Closed Discussion mtg.

<u>Westbury</u>: **Grupo 2 de Enero** will also meet on Fridays at 10 PM and Saturdays at 9 PM.

<u>West Hempstead</u>: <u>Decision Group</u> adds a Tuesday 8:15PM Closed Discussion to its schedule.

NEW MEETINGS

<u>Farmingdale</u>: Grupo Volvera Empezar Casa Comunal de Farmingdale meets Fri & Sat at 8:00.

<u>Farmingdale</u>: Sunday at the Park meeting Sun at 9:30am at Allen Town Community Park, 45 Motor Ave, Farmingdale

<u>Huntington Station</u>: **High Noon Group** has moved to 175 Wolf Hill Rd (downstairs, back entrance) at 12noon:Mon-Step, Tues-BB, Wed-Beginner's, Thu-CD,and Fri-Topic mtg.

PHONE VOLUNTEERS:

Anyone with 6 months sobriety, who is interested in answering the phones,

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Night Book

The Nightbook is going well and I'm sure it will be busy with the Holidays coming up. It's an emotional time of year and we need support so reach out to the sick and suffering . . .

Blessed Holidays (we were already blessed!)

Thanks to the following groups for taking the Nightbook for November:

- ✓ West End Group, Long Beach
- ✓ East Williston Group,
- ✓ 12 and 12 Group, Oceanside
- ✓ Big Book Group, Great Neck

Yours in Service.

Teri Q, Nightbook Chair nightbook@nassauny-aa(dot)org

COMING UP-

Treasurer/Group Business
Workshop
Saturday February 17, 2007
10:00 am - 12 noon
Nassau Intergroup office
Watch for details.

Exchange Meeting
Saturday December 16, 2006
8:00 am
Ethical Humanist Society
38 Old Country Road
Garden City

SHARE-A-DAY 2007

During the Thanksgiving season, once again, I am reminded of the before and after photos in my mind; how the picture continues to clear as my sobriety strengthens and lengthens; how my serenity is directly related to how I serve others rather than self-serving

All this I owe to the fellowship of A.A. Thank you!

Share-a-Day still needs help. We need to develop a theme for Share-a-Day. Please send your suggestions to shareaday@nassauny-aa.org with your name, home group and contact number. A winning entry will be chosen and awarded with a prize. So mail your entry or come see us in person at our next Share-a-Day Committee meeting and help make the 2007 event a great one!

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, December 13th, 2006 at 8:00 pm at the Nassau Intergroup office.

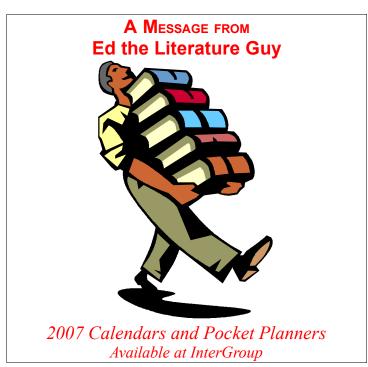
See you there. Your AA Brother, Victor D 2007 Share-a-Day Chair

SEAFORD SERENITY GROUP

2197 Jackson Avenue, Seaford invites you to celebrate its Group Holiday Party Thursday December 21st, 2005 food 7:00pm Speaker 8:00pm food, fun, fellowship 50/50

BALDWIN GROUP OF A.A.

IST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
717 ST LUKE'S PLACE
BALDWIN, NEW YORK 11510
Invites you to a
Christmas Celebration
December 25th, 2006
11:00am – 3:00pm
food-meetings-fellowship
Stop By or Spend the DayIt's been a long tradition of the
Baldwin Group
Always a Beautiful Day!



From the Chair:

The holidays are here and that means joy and sometimes, stress, for the alcoholics. We do have a solution for that- "Fellowship." Many groups have holiday parties, there is the Unity Breakfast, and, of course, here at Intergroup we host our Alkathons. Thank you Sammy and Brenda for coordinating them this year.

Take a newcomer to a meeting: they are the reason we are here. Be a living example of our Big Book, and introduce them to the spirit of the fellowship. Be joyful in your recovery; newcomers respond to that.

Whatever you do to celebrate the season, let's remember it is a time for peace and serenity throughout the world.

I want to express a heartfelt thank you to my committee members and all the group reps who have allowed me to be of service these last two years. It has been joyful, and at times, stressful, but together we did it. There is always the balance if we look for it.

As I reflect on the approaching year I know my gratitude can only be expressed through service. I'm sure I'll see a lot of you in 2007. Until then, have a peaceful, blessed, and joy-filled holiday season! Thank you for my life.

Together We Can, Marie MS chair@nassauny-aa(dot)org