

OCTOBER 2005

I am responsible . . .
whenever anyone, anywhere
reaches out for help.
I want the hand of AA
always to be there.
And for that:
I am responsible.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

All Meetings are held at the Intergroup Office unless otherwise noted

Oct 5	8:00 pm	Institutions Committee Simpson Methodist Church, Locust and Sunset, Amityville	Nov 2	8:00 pm	Institutions Committee Simpson Methodist Church, Locust and Sunset, Amityville
Oct 6	7:30 pm	Intergroup Rep's Orientation	Nov 3	7:30 pm	Intergroup Rep's Orientation
	8:00 pm	Intergroup Rep's Meeting		8:00 pm	Intergroup Rep's Meeting
Oct 12	8:00 pm	Share-A-Day Committee	Nov 9	8:00 pm	Share-A-Day Committee
Oct 13	7:00 pm	PI/CPC Committee Meeting	Nov 10	7:00 pm	PI/CPC Committee Meeting
Oct 16	1:00 pm	Special Needs Committee	Nov 13		NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
Oct 17	7:00 pm	GSR Orientation	Nov 16	7:00 pm	WebSite Committee
	7:30 pm	GSR Meeting	Nov 17	7:30 pm	Steering Committee
Oct 19	7:00 pm	WebSite Committee	Nov 20	1:00 pm	Special Needs Committee
Oct 22	9:00 am	SENY Special Needs Share A-Day	Nov 23	5:00 pm	Alkathon begins
			Nov 24		Thanksgiving
Oct 23		NEWSLETTER DEADLINE	Nov 25	11:00 pm	Alkathon wraps up
Oct 27	7:30 pm	Steering Committee			

WE LIST ONLY A.A. MEETINGS

MEETING CHANGES

Bethpage: the Institutional meeting held at Mid Island Hospital has been discontinued

Brookville/Muttontown: the Saturday night closed discussion meeting held at 9:00pm will continue to meet at the Brookville Reformed Church at Wheatley and Brookville Rds.

East Rockaway: Stepping Stones Group has moved to a new location - 1st Presbyterian Church at 2701 Oceanside Road, Oceanside.

Farmingdale: which meets at the United Methodist Church has moved its Friday 9:00pm OD mtg to 6:00pm Fridays.

Merrick: Sobriety with Hope Group announces that its meeting address is Cure of Ars School at 2323 Merrick Avenue.

New Hyde Park: N.H.P. Group which meets at S. 9th Street has added an additional Tuesday night meeting- a Closed Discussion at 8:45pm.

Rockville Centre: Eve of Sobriety Group at Mercy Medical Center has discontinued its Sunday 8pm Beginners' meeting.

Uniondale: the **Monday Knights Just Booze Group** will now be known as **Just Booze**.

Williston Park: Williston Park Group that met at St. John Church announced that it will no longer meet.

PHONE VOLUNTEERS:

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

CONTACT: Joe M. (516) 292-3045
officemanager@nassauny-aa.org

COMING UP

The "old-timers" open meetings-speakers with 25 or more years sober-will continue in October. Here is this month schedule:

Oct 6	8:00pm	Massapequa Park Group
Oct 13	7:30pm	Lawrence <i>Tell It Like It Is</i> Group
Oct 20	8:00pm	Amityville <i>Countyline</i> Group
Oct 23	7:30pm	Plainview <i>Easy Does It</i> Group

If you are interested in getting involved in this service project call InterGroup 9-5PM at 292-3045

From the Chair:

The home group is where everything starts. If you are a new rep, being there as a spokesperson for your group is a privilege you will experience for the next two years. We say "Easy Does It", meaning just come to one meeting at a time. There is a lot going on and we don't want to overwhelm you. You will find as you keep coming, almost everything we do in A.A. is focused towards the newcomer. The home group will be where our officers will come from, as well as the chairperson, area delegate etc. If you love your home group, participate in service. My home group, Cedarhurst-Hewlett will celebrate its 46th Anniversary, being there for the newcomer.

I hope to see you at the celebration. Thank you for my sobriety.

Together We Can
Marie M.S.

chair@nassauny-aa.org

A MESSAGE FROM Ed the Literature Guy:



The 2006 Pocket Planners & Calendars are now in stock!

Group Anniversaries

46th year Anniversary

Hewlett Cedarhurst/Hewlett Group
Friday October 28, 2005
St. Joseph Catholic School
1346 Broadway Hewlett, NY
Speaker- 8:00pm
Food, Music, and Dancing to follow.

29th year Anniversary

Elmont-Belmont Give It a Try Group
1st Presbyterian Church
525 Elmont Road, Elmont NY 11003
Saturday October 29, 2005
Speakers at 7:00pm
Fellowship at 8:00pm till 11:00pm
FOOD- MUSIC- DANCING

29th year Anniversary

Oceanside 12 & 12 Group
Saturday October 29, 2005
1st United Methodist Church
Atlantic and Davidson Avenues, Oceanside
Speaker at 7:00pm
Food and Music till 11:00pm

NIGHTBOOK

Let me start by thanking everyone for their prayers, and a special thank you to Tommy J. for filling in for me. He did a great job!

The two year commitment of being the night book coordinator is soon coming to an end and I was taught to pass it on. Anyone interested in doing this commitment, to give back what was so freely given, then please contact me or the InterGroup office.

A special thanks to the following groups that took the night book in the month of September:

Sober Living Group Baldwin Harbor
Albertson(Searingtown) Group
Gift of Serenity Group Franklin Square

Any other group interested in doing the night book for one week, please call me.

Yours gratefully in service,
Tony T
nightbook@nassauny-aa.org

2006 Share-a-Day is Coming!

The 2006 Share-a-Day event had its kick-off meeting in September yet there is still time to get involved in its planning.

So-if you would like to do some very rewarding service to your fellow alcoholics, meet some great people, and even have some fun- c'mon down to the next planning meeting at Intergroup on Wednesday October 12th at 8:00pm.

Hope to see you there,
Cynthia R.

shareaday@nassauny-aa.org

Nassau General Service 21st Annual Unity Breakfast

Sunday, December 4, 2005
9:00am – 1:00pm

Plattdeutsche Restaurant
1132 Hempstead Turnpike
Franklin Square, NY

TICKET PRICE: **\$17** **NO DOOR SALES**

**See your GSR or
Unity Breakfast Person**

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU

A special thank you to Jim L., Karla, and Tony and several others who volunteered to help put on the recent Big Meeting.

Your service is much appreciated.

Sincerely,
George P.
vicechair@nassauny-aa.org

DISTRICT 203 MEETING

Those interested or GSRs in District 203, which includes AA groups in Lynbrook, Valley Stream, Woodmere, North Woodmere, Cedarhurst, Hewlett, Lawrence, Inwood, Malverne, and Far Rockaway are invited to attend the monthly district meeting held on the third Wednesday of every month at 8:30 pm at:

**St. Joseph School Cafeteria
1346 Broadway, Hewlett**
