

JUNE 2004

HAPPY 69th
BIRTHDAY
ALCOHOLICS ANNONYMOUS

JUNE 10, 1935

*****NOTE***** **SPEAKER EXCHANGE JUNE 26TH 8AM**
Ethical Humanist Society 38 Old Country Rd. Garden City

Calendar of Events

All Meetings are held at the Intergroup Office unless otherwise noted.

June 9	8PM	Share A Day Wrap-up Mtg.	June 24	7:30PM	Steering Committee
June 10	7PM	PI Meetings	July 1	7:30PM	Intergroup Reps Orientation
June 16	8PM	Website Committee	July 1	8PM	Intergroup Reps Meeting
June 17		NEWSLETTER DEADLINE	July 7	8PM	Institutions Committee
June 21	7PM	GSR Orientation Meeting			Simpson Methodist Church,
June 21	7:30PM	GSR Meeting			Locust and Sunset, Amityville

NEW MEETING ADDITIONS

Bayville: Bay Reflections Womens' Mtg.

Meets June 6 through October 3 @ Center Island Beach- bay side Daily Reflections Womens' Mtg. Sunday 8-9:15AM

Bellrose: Bellrose Daily Reprieve

House of Hope Church, at 84-54 248th St. & 85thAve., meeting in Basement-Sundays 7:30pm C, Step- first Sunday and Beg. last Sunday.

Franklin Square: Unity Group

Located at 1200A Hempstead Turnpike is meeting on Sundays at 6pm C.D.

Plainview: Recovery Group

Recovery House-1425 Old Country Rd. Wed. 7:30PM Men's Step And Friday 8:00pm Men's Closed.

Port Washington: Searching and

Fearless United Methodist Church, 1515 Middle Neck Rd. Fridays 7:30 p.m. Men's C.D., except 2nd Fri. Beginners, last Fri. Big Book.

Rockville Centre: R.V.C.-A.M.

Located at Church of the Ascension, 71 North Village Ave. (1blk. north of LIRR) is meeting 6:15am - 7:15am Monday- Daily Reflections, Wednesday- Big Book, and Friday - Beginners

MEETING CHANGES

ELMONT : Give It A Try has ended their Mon. 8:30 O.D. mtg., the Mon. 7pm mtg. is now a Step/Trad. Mtg.; last Mon. is an Anniversary/Open

Farmingdale: Farmingdale Group has changed their 6pm BB to a Women's Open Disc. n

Garden City: Garden City Group starting July 2nd will be using the **Big Book Study Format** for It's Friday 7:45pm B.B. meeting

Levittown: No Frills has changed their Saturday Open Mtg. to a Open Discussion

Little Neck: Little Neck/ Douglaston has eliminated their 7:45 Clsd. Mtg. and moved the 9:00pm Step mtg. to 7:45 pm; last Wed. is Trad.

Locust Valley: Sound Sobriety Group ended Tues. 8pm C, and their Fri. 7:30pm Step.

Long Beach: High Noon/West End

STARTING **July 1st** has changed their Thurs.7:15 to a Step and their 8:30pm to an Open

New Hyde Park: New Hyde Park Group

has ended both Fri. 9pm mtgs. Beg. & C.D.

Port Washington: Sober on Main Group

has added a Saturday 11am Women's C.d. meeting

Rosedale: Sobriety with Love

every 2nd Sunday 6pm, is a Trad. Mtg., and has changed their 8pm mtg. to a 7:30 C.D. mtg.

West Hempstead: Project OutReach

600 Hempstead Tpke. changed their Fri.12:30pm restricted mtg. to a clsd. mtg. on Fri. @ 12:15pm

Williston Park: Solution Group

has an **ASL** signer the **First Sat** at the 7:15 B meeting and has moved their Wednesday 9pm C.D. meeting to 8:30pm

DELETIONS

*****Mineola: New Connections Group*****

110 Main St. meeting Tues. 8:30pm to 9:30pm

New Hyde Park: North New Hyde Park Group no longer meets

PHONE VOLUNTEERS

Anyone with 6 months sobriety, who is interested In answering phones, CONTACT

Joe M (516) 292 0206

LITERATURE ARTICLE

We have been informed by A.A. World Services that as of July,2004 the Hard cover Big Book will go from \$5.00 TO \$6.00, and the soft cover will go from \$4.50 to \$5.60. After we have depleted our stock, bought at lower prices, Nassau Intergroup will raise the prices of these items, **Ed R.**

**June 19th Quarterly SENY Intergroup Liaison meeting
10AM in White Plains**

BIG MEETING IS COMMING

In Nassau County we are blessed with over 300 Home groups with meetings available around the clock to all who wish to recover One Day at a Time. There is always something going on in our County – for Service Opportunities. Carrying the message and ensuring the hand of AA is an individual responsibility, which asks no rewards. However, in giving we receive so much back in addition to staying away from the first drink! If one member from each Home Group participated in Service – just think of the opportunities! Let us always be mindful:

“This we owe to AA;s future. To place our common welfare first, to keep our fellowship united; for on AA’s unity depend our lives & the lives of those to come.”

The Big Meeting & Unity Breakfast Committee will be meeting at the Intergroup office Monday, June 21st at 8:30 PM after our GSR meeting. Why Not come down and be part of?

Thanks, Denis, DCMC

NIGHTBOOK

Give back what was so freely given to you. A great way to give back is to have your home group take a commitment of answering the A.A. Hotline from the comfort of your own home. A good idea is; have a few people over, put on a pot of coffee and believe me; you will be guaranteed a gratifying experience. Please feel free to contact me at (516) 486-2524, should you have any questions.

Let’s thank the following groups for April:
Plainview - Easy Does It , Oyster Bay - Sagamore,
Manhasset - Searingtown/Albertson,
Rockville Centre - Morris Ave.
Yours Gratefully in Service, Tony (516) 486-2524

59th Group Anniversary Baldwin Group

1st Presbyterian Church

717 St. Luke’s Pl. Baldwin

(off Grand Ave -north. of Sunrise)

SATURDAY JUNE 12th 7pm-11pm

FOOD, SPEAKER, D.J., RAFFLE

**IF YOU NEED A RIDE TO A MEETING
CALL INTERGROUP-We’ll try to Help**

Share-A-Day 27

Share A Day was a great success. This was due to a wonderful and talented committee. I want to thank Hospitality, Secretary, Catering, Program, Set Up, and Clean Up, Keynote and all workshop speakers, our Old Timers, and everyone who helped. Thanks also to my Co-Chair and Treasurer, Cynthia. I know she would like to thank all of the Groups for their generous contributions this year. I know that this is an event that is looked forward to, and will continue to grow. We had about 300 people in attendance this year. We will begin to plan our 28th after the summer. The committee will begin meeting on the 2nd Wednesday of the month beginning in September. Thank you all for allowing me to serve. It was a true illustration of the theme;

“To Keep It You Have To Give IT Away”
Together We Can, Marie M. S. Share 27 Chair

MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR

Thank you!

With regret I must mention the resignation of Carol B. as Intergroup Secretary. Among other reasons, Carol’s schedule has changed, so, she thought it necessary to relinquish her office. Carol served this post for over a year and her work was always exemplary. Carol was as a power of example to us of how to perform a position in service. We’ll miss both her conscientious devotion to her tasks and her warm personality. In saying thanks, I’m sure the steering committee joins me in the hope that we will meet her again, both at meetings and in service. Thanks, Carol. –Intergroup Chair

In the past few month’s two members of the Steering Committee felt it necessary to vacate their positions. Their departure reminded me of something one of my Al-anon friends taught me- namely that all commitments in service are identical in principle to staying sober-we do it- one day ant a time. For our two recently resigned comrades their one-day-at-a-time commitment ran for over 18 months each.

If you’re a person who is reluctant to take a service commitment because it seems SO OVERWHELMING, I will tell you from experience, that it is do-able if you consider it rather as a one-day-at-a-time commitment. Get involved; get a commitment! You don’t know the fun you could be having. Yours in service - Kevin M., Chair