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March 2006

SPEAKERS EXCHANGE 8:00 am

Saturday, March 18th Ethical Humanist Society 38 Old Country Road, Garden City

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

All Meetings are held at the Intergroup Office unless otherwise noted

Mar	1	8:00 pm	Institutions Committee Simpson Methodist Church Locust and Sunset, Amityville	Apr	5	8:00 pm	Institutions Committee Simpson Methodist Church Locust and Sunset, Amityville
Mar	2	7:30 pm	Intergroup Rep's Orientation	Apr	6	7:30 pm	Intergroup Rep's Orientation
		8:00 pm	Intergroup Rep's Meeting			8:00 pm	Intergroup Rep's Meeting
Mar	8	8:00 pm	Share-A-Day Committee	Apr	12	8:00 pm	Share-A-Day Committee
Mar	9	7:00 pm	PI/CPC Committee Meeting	Apr	13	7:00 pm	PI/CPC Committee Meeting
Mar	15	7:00 pm	WebSite Committee	Apr	16	1:00 pm	Special Needs Committee
Mar	19	1:00 pm	Special Needs Committee	Apr	17	7:00 pm	GSR Orientation
Mar	21	Newsletter DeadLine		•		7:30 pm	GSR Meeting
Mar	30	7:30 pm	Steering committee	Apr	19	7:00 pm	WebSite Committee
Mar	31	Apr 2	SENY Convention	Apr	20	Newsletter DeadLine	
		·		Apr	27	7:30 pm	Steering committee
Nassau GSC will not meet in March				Apr	29	8:00 am	Share-A-Day XXIX

WE LIST ONLY A.A. MEETINGS

MEETING CHANGES

<u>Bethpage</u>: New Life Group has changed its Tue 7:30pm Beginnner's mtg to a Closed mtg.

<u>Franklin Square</u>: Gift of Serenity Group the Sun Beginner's mtg time changed to 6:30pm.

<u>Lawrence</u>: Lawrence-Cedarhurst Group has canceled both its Mon 8:30pm & Fri 8:30pm mtgs.

Levittown: 474 Group has closed.

<u>Levittown</u>: There is a Solution Group has moved its Friday 9:30am meeting to 10:00am.

Manhasset: Young People Inst meeting at the Manhasset Day Care Cntr has been closed.

<u>Seaford</u>: Gratitude Group will meet in the school cafeteria until the end of March.

<u>Valley Stream</u>: Just for Today Group has changed its Wed 7:30pm mtg to a Big Bk mtg.

NEW MEETINGS

New Hyde Park: New Hope Closed Discussion Group will meet every Fri at 11:00am at the New Hope Community Church, 1400 Jericho Turnpike/SW corner of New Hyde Park Road.

Oceanside: Changing Times Group will have a Beginner's meeting Saturdays at 10:00am at the Oceanside Counciling Unit, School #6, 71 Homecrest Court, Oceanside

PHONE VOLUNTEERS:

Anyone with 6 months sobriety, who is interested in answering the phones, CONTACT: (516) 292-3045

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The Steering Committee of Nassau Intergroup regrets any omissions or oversights made and apologizes to those groups that were not properly listed in last month's newsletter as donors to NIG in 2005. We will endeavor to correct this.

Night Book, Night Book, Night Book

Hello all . . . the Hotline is going smoothly. Groups usually take the book if they can the same month every year; so I'll be calling the last Rep to confirm.

We need May and June filled.

The Hotline is pretty easy. The phone gets transferred to your house at 5:00pm. Most of the calls are simple meeting requests till 9 pm.

Then some are alcoholics wanting to talk to someone. These are most of the calls after 9 pm. You will have a briefcase with contact numbers.

Your phone will be transferred back again at 9:00 am.

It's a great feeling to do service and be connected to A.A. as a whole!

Thanks to the following groups for doing the nightbook in February:

- ✓ Port Washington Group
- ✓ New Beginnings Group Long Beach
- ✓ Sobriety with Hope Group Merrick
- ✓ One Day at a Time Group Malverne

Teri Q Nightbook Chair nightbook@nassauny-aa.org

OPEN MEETINGS

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

Mar 4 8:00pm Amityville Friendly Group

Mar 19 8:00pm Westbury Advent Group

Mar 26 8:00pm Oyster Bay Sagamore Group.

If you are interested in getting involved in this commitment contact Brian through the Intergroup office (516 292-3045) during business hours.

Does your Group have an up-to-date 12th Step List on record with the Nightbook Contact list?

SENY CONVENTION

MARCH 31st - APRIL 2nd, 2006 THE WESTCHESTER MARRIOTT 670 WHITE PLAINS ROAD TARRYTOWN, N.Y. 10591

Room Rate: \$109.00 + 10.5% tax per night*
Reservations: 1-800-228-9290
*Mention SENY Convention 2006

From the Chair:

Over the years I have been privileged to attend many, many conventions. The one that really stands out was the 50th Birthday of A.A., held in Montreal in 1985. I thank my mentor Teddi, for encouraging me to come along with her. We never connected that weekend but I was with other friends, so never alone. Conventions are an opportunity for us to socialize and have fun but also feel part of something spiritually nourishing. We are funloving people and it shows when we get together. I have been to our area convention over the years and have always enjoyed them. I encourage anyone who wants to experience something like this to do so. You may come up for the day for a small registration fee and participate in Saturday's program if you don't have the means for the entire weekend. Don't feel overwhelmed! We will be there to welcome you. Some friends and myself help with registration and we will be looking for you! Thanks Denis, for chairing this event, and to all your committee for their service. See you in Tarrytown at the end of the month.

Together We Can, Marie MS chair@nassauny-aa.org

Helpful Hint:

Donations made to Intergroup are easier to track if made by check with the group's

NIG ID number

written on them.

Thanks:

NIG Financial Review Committee

SENY District 208

Delegate's Questionnaire Workshop

March 11th 10:30 am - 1:00 pm St Boniface Church, Sea Cliff, NY For more information:

Contact Martine at dcm208@aaseny.org

Now on Sale at InterGroup "FOR THE BEGINNER"

Includes
Meeting List
Q and A on Sponsorship
This is A.A.
Is A.A. for You?
Making a Start in A.A.
A Newcomer Asks
Why We Were Chosen
Where Do I Go from Here?

SHARE-A-DAY XXIX SATURDAY APRIL 29TH, 2006 ST JOSEPH RC CHURCH 1346 ROADWAY, HEWLETT

8:00AM- 4:30PM
WORKSHOPS 8:30am – 4:30pm
OLDTIMERS' PANEL 11:00am - Noon
KEYNOTE SPEAKER 1:00pm - 2:15pm
AL-ANON PARTICIPATION
DAY-CARE AVAILABLE
FREE ADMISSION
FOOD, SODA, WATER & COFFEE SERVED

GLEN HEAD GROUP 58th ANNIVERSARY

Tuesday March 21st

Oyster Bay Community Center

7:00pm food 8:00pm speaker 9:00pm party