

DISTRICT 01 NEWSLETTER & MEETING LIST **GREEN BAY, WI**

NEXT DISTRICT 01 MEETING: DECEMBER 17 @ 6:30PM @ THE BRIDGE
DECEMBER 2009

I AM RESPONSIBLE. WHEN ANYONE, ANYWHERE, REACHES OUT FOR HELP, I WANT
THE HAND OF A.A. ALWAYS TO BE THERE. AND FOR THAT; I AM RESPONSIBLE

“The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking”

IF YOU WANT TO DRINK
THAT’S YOUR BUSINESS

IF YOU WANT TO STOP DRINKING,
THAT’S OUR BUSINESS

AA HOTLINE – 432-2600

Help keep our meeting list up to date. Please
contact: Jack meetinglist@greenbayaa.org

To submit information to the newsletter (events,
group support, Committee info, etc.) please contact:
Brad E. 920-265-9945 or
newsletter@greenbayaa.org

VISIT OUR WEBSITES

DISTRICT 01 www.greenbayaa.org
Central Office www.aagreenbay.com
AREA 74 www.area74.org
AREA 75 www.area75.org
AA GRAPEVINE www.aagrapevine.org
GSO(NEW YORK) www.aa.org

From “As Bill Sees It”, page 105

Move Ahead

“Our chief responsibility to the newcomer is an
adequate presentation of the program. If he does
nothing or argues, we do nothing but maintain our
own sobriety. If he starts to move ahead, even a
little, with an open mind, we then break our necks to
help in every way we can.”

Addresses of service entities for groups that wish to
contribute funds beyond prudent reserves when
they support 4 service entities.

GSO

Grand Central Station
PO BOX 459
New York, NY 10163

Area 74 Treasurer

2437 Sherman Creek Road
Eau Claire, WI 54703

District 01

PO BOX 0632
Green Bay, WI 54305

Green Bay Area Central Office, Inc. – 920-432-2600

1270 Main ST. Suite 102

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Green Bay, WI 54305-1791

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The District Committee meets every 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30pm at
The Bridge

DISTRICT COMMITTEE OFFICERS

District Chairperson	John R.S.	321-6826
Alternate Chair	Jack S	662-1690
Secretary	Cathy E.	755-2502
Treasurer	Debbie S.	494-8825
Archives	Bill E.	***_****
Corrections	Tim T.	227-3156
Grapevine	Robert P.	445-0475
Newsletter	Brad E.	265-9945
Public Information	Elizabeth	497-1812
Website Chair	Eric V.	468-9262
Bridging the Gap/ Treatment	Betsy N.	362-9397
District Events	Phyllis W. & Mark P.	497-9902

Cooperation with the Professional Committee

cpc@greenbayaa.org Alan K. 435-6123

Minutes of the GSR and Committee Service Meeting,
October 15 2009

John R.S.	DCM	Don G.	Observer
Cathy E.	Secretary	Geri L.	GSR Sun. 930 am
Peter F.	GSR Winners Circle	Nancy F.	GSR Sat. eye openers group
Paul S.	Observer	Al K.	CPC Chair
Marty C.	GSR Red Rd Group/ AD Hoc Chair	Oaoe S.	GSR Serenity Now
Betsy N.	Bridging the Gap Chair	Eric V.	Web Master
Sue B.	Sisters in Soberity GSR	Jim D.	Treasurer, Central Office
Kathy D.	Wed. open spk. Mtg GSR	Wayne B.	Observer
Phyllis W.	District Events Chair	Ron O.	Early Risers
Gary H.	Observer	Dennis H.	GSR Road to Recovery

The meeting opened with the reading of the Responsibility Statement.
The Traditions were also read.
Secretary/Treasurer's Reports were submitted.

Old Business

District Events Chair Report

The district picnic on 9/12/09 was held and a good time was had by all.
The gym at Redeemer Lutheran School, behind the 218 Club has been reserved for the 2010 District 1 Intergroup. The event will take place on Saturday, January 16, 2010.
Literature donations for door prizes are welcome. We are also looking for a sound system.
Please contact Phyllis W. at (920) 497-9902.
This position (District Events Chair) is open for 2011-2012, it is rewarding and also fun.
The Intergroup and district picnics do not use raffles for fund raising.

The Flintville Early Risers meeting

At their business meeting this group discussed "fund raising" and the use of 50/50 raffles and gambling as a source of income. AA does NOT CONDONE these actions, we must keep with our spiritual Ideals and Traditions.

New Business

The Central Office has asked the District to not to charge them if they want to put something in the newsletter. It was voted on not to charge them and passed.

NOMINATIONS

Alan nominated Paul to replace him as the PC chair (professional committee). It was 2nd and passed. Paul spoke to tell us about himself and already has a proposal written up. It seems that Paul S. has already given this a lot of thought, I am sure he will put a lot of effort into this, thank you Paul S.

Don G. will be our new secretary, nominated by Betsy 2nd and passed, congratulations Don.

Betsy N. is our new Grapevine Chair, nominated by Dave then 2nd and she accepted, Thanks Betsy.

Wayne is our new Archives Chair, and we welcome him, and thank him for the service work.

Debbie S. had to resign as alternate for DCM Chair. Work got in the way and we will miss her.

The meeting closed with the Lords Prayer,
Respectfully submitted. Cathy E.

AREA 74 DISTRICT 01
October 15, 2009
TREASURE'S REPORT

Balance as of September 12, 2009 **\$1687.28**

Deposits:

7am Wed. Grapevine mtg at 218 \$ 18.00

Total Deposits **\$ 18.00**

Checks or Debits

Jim D. monthly Hotline Ad \$ 12.10

PostNet newsletter printing \$167.70

Area 74 Fall Conf. Exp. For DCM \$230.30

Total Checks or Debits **\$410.10**

Balance as of October 15, 2009 **\$1295.18**

Balance includes \$650.00 prudent reserve

Submitted by Debbie S. District 01 Treasurer

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EVENTS 2009

December 17, 2009

District 01 GSR and Committee Service Meeting

6:30pm at the Bridge

2514 Jenny Lane, Green Bay, WI

November 21, 2009

2nd Annual Tri-State Round Up Fundraiser

Spaghetti, Speaker, and Dance

Location: The Bridge

Dinner: 5:30

Speaker: 8:00

Dance till 12:00

December 12, 2009

Pancake & Porky breakfast hosted by the Bridge Board of Directors.

Breakfast from 8am-11am, speaker at 11am

Open to everyone.

Where? The Bridge Commons

Why? The Bridge has become a meeting place for many different 12 step groups; we should get together and celebrate our recovery.

January 8,9 & 10, 2010

Manitowoc Weekend Session

Study & Action Group

“Precisely how we have recovered”

Please see ad on page 5.

January 16, 2010

District 01 Intergroup

Redeemer Lutheran School - Gym

(Behind the 218 Club, Oneida Street)

Green Bay, WI

Contact: Phyllis W. 920-497-9902

Attention!

The following positions still need to be filled at the District 01 service level.

Officer: **Alternate DCM**

Chairpersons: **District Events Coordinator**
Bridging the Gap/Treatment
Newsletter

E-mail addresses for District 01.

Newsletter, CPC and Meeting list. See front page.

District Chairman: dcm@greenbayaa.org

webmaster@greenbayaa.org

From: “As Bill Sees It”

Built by the One and the Many, Page 155

We give thanks to our Heavenly Father, who, through so many friends and through so many means and channels, has allowed us to construct this wonderful edifice of the spirit in which we are now dwelling – this cathedral whose foundations already rest upon the corners of the earth.

On its great floor we have inscribed our Twelve Steps of recovery. On the side walls, the buttresses of the A.A. Traditions have been set in place to contain us in unity for as long as God may will it so. Eager hearts and hands have lifted the spire of our cathedral into its place. That spire bears the name of *Service*. May it ever point straight upward toward God.

A.A. COMES OF AGE, PAGE 234

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GBACO is a resource for AA groups and individuals.

MISSION STATEMENT: TO ASSIST THE INDIVIDUAL GROUPS OF ALCOHOLICS IN NORTHEAST WISCONSIN IN THEIR COMMON PURPOSE OF CARRYING THE AA MESSAGE TO THE ALCOHOLIC WHO STILL SUFFERS.

OFFICE HOURS: 10 A.M. TO 5 P.M. MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, AND 10 A.M. TO 2 P.M. ON SATURDAY.

LITERATURE: VIEW OUR SELECTION OF AA, HAZELDEN, AND OTHER AA RELATED PAMPHLETS FOR SALE, AND ALSO PURCHASE MEDALLIONS, COFFEE MUGS, ETC. WE WILL BE OFFERING OTHER AA AND AL-ANON RELATED ITEMS AS WE MOVE FORWARD WITH REQUESTS OR NEEDS.

DONATIONS: THE CENTRAL OFFICE STILL NEEDS YOUR DONATIONS. WE ARE SELF-SUPPORTING. WE CAN ALSO USE OFFICE SUPPLIES INCLUDING COMPUTER PAPER, PENS, PENCILS, HIGHLIGHTERS, COFFEE SUPPLIES, RADIO, TV, MICROWAVE.

INFORMATION: COME VISIT THE CENTRAL OFFICE TO LEARN ABOUT NEW MEETINGS AND CHANGES TO YOUR FAVORITE MEETINGS.

VOLUNTEER: IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE, COME IN AND ASK FOR DAVE S.

Bridge Appreciation Breakfast and Speaker Meeting

Who? Everyone is invited to the Bridge Appreciation Breakfast

What? Pancake and Porky breakfast hosted by the Bridge Board of Directors.

When? December 12 (Breakfast from 8am-11am, speaker –open to everyone- starts at 11am)

Where? The Bridge Commons

Why? The Bridge has become a meeting place for many different 12 step groups; we should get together and celebrate our recovery.

He first got sober in 1939 in Boston with the Oxford Group (no AA in Boston at that time); **Richmond Walker** relapsed in 1941 for a year and a half. Sober again in 1942, this time in AA, remained sober until his death 22 years later. Richmond was the author of the *Twenty-Four Hours a Day* book. For thirty-six years it was about the only daily meditational book recognized by our membership until *Daily Reflections* was published in 1990.

The little book became the second most popular book in AA history (exceeded only by the Big Book). It explained how to carry out the eleventh step, how to practice the *presence of God*, and how to attain soul-balance and inner calm. It explained how to practice meditation by quieting the mind and entering the Divine Silence in order to enter the divine peace and calm and restore our souls.

An interesting story telling how this little book got its start can be accessed from the following link: <http://www.barefootsworld.net/aa24hoursbook.html>

Thank You Rollie!

Manitowoc Weekend Session

January 8, 9 & 10, 2010

Study & Action Group

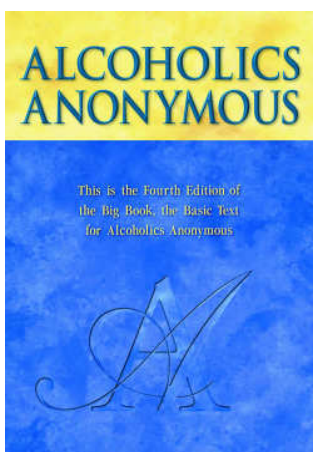
"Precisely how we have recovered"



We recover in AA by taking the Steps, and if we don't take the action *as described in our big book*, we may not recover. This group will give the participants the tools to do the Steps precisely as the first one hundred men and women laid them down.

This is a back to the basics kind of group, accepting the "simple kit of spiritual tools" that has been laid at our feet. Participants are asked to commit to the entire weekend.

This is a non-smoking event.



The Manitowoc weekend session will be held on January 8, 9 & 10, 2010 at the Manitowoc Alano Club, 404 South 29th Street in Manitowoc, WI. The session will run on Friday from 7:00pm to 10:00pm, Saturday from 9:00am to 6:00pm and conclude on Sunday from 9:00am to Noon. The entire weekend will be a non-smoking event. The guides for this session will be Dick C. and Mary C. from Wayzata, Minnesota.

This 7th annual weekend is sponsored by the Fourth Edition Big Book Study AA Group and other Manitowoc AA Groups.

For additional information call Marv S. at (920) 901-9509 or visit www.Into-Action.com

History and details are on the back of this flyer

Red Road Group

411 Dousman

Victory in Life Ministries

Green Bay, WI

Tuesdays at 7:00pm

Contacts:

Daniel & Alice (920) 264-5910

Tom & Carol (920) 713-1617

Marty (920) 559-7887

Fisherman's Paradise

New Meeting Location

Green Bay Community Church

600 Cardinal Lane Howard, WI

Room 108A

(across Cardinal lane from YMCA)

Time: Still 8:00pm Tuesday Evenings

This is a Big Book study meeting. We are mobile for now so please remember to bring your Big Book. For the newcomer or those without, we still furnish Big Books, however at present we are carrying 7 copies to each meeting.

Please join us to celebrate our new surroundings and new start!

2nd Annual Tri State Round Up Fundraiser Spaghetti Dinner, Speaker & Dance

Nov 21, 2009 at THE BRIDGE 7-12:00pm

Dinner: 5:30pm

Speaker: 8:00pm

Contact: Darren 920-360-5700

New Meeting

Winners II

Friday Evenings at 8:00pm

Open Meeting – AA/AL-ANON

Discussion Format

The Bridge – Room #2

Meeting Contact: Doris at (920)604-0917

BACK TO BASICS

THE AA BEGINNERS' MEETING

THE BRIDGE WEDNESDAYS @ 6:00 PM

NEW SESSIONS EVERY MONTH

What is Back to Basics? Back to Basics is a 4-week program to complete all 12 Steps of AA in four 1-hour sessions. This program was devised in the 1940's when AA enjoyed a 50-75% success rate. Only the Back to Basics text and the Big Book are used.

Tens of thousands of AA's found the spiritual solution to alcoholism by taking the 12 Steps in these beginners' meetings. They completed the Steps in about a month. Then in order to ensure their sobriety, they helped others through the recovery process.

Meetings are open to all from newcomers to old timers. Come and experience how our AA pioneers took the 12 Steps and experienced the solution to alcoholism. The 4 sessions run continuously.

For more information contact: Marty (920) 559-7887; Bruce (920) 498-9750; Daniel & Alice (920) 264-5910; Aaron (920) 544-6419.

Members can join at any time.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY!

Carry the Message to Those Behind Walls.

Brown County Work Release, Huber

125 So. Adams St. Green Bay

Sunday 6:00 pm Men

Sunday 6:30 pm Women

(Alt. Sundays for women's group)

Tuesday 7:30 pm Women

Wednesday 8:00 pm Men

Brown County Jail

3030 Curry Ln. Green Bay

Sunday 6:30 pm Men

Sunday 7:30 pm Men

(Sunday meetings are open meetings with AA speakers. Clearance is expedited for speakers.)

Wednesday 6:00 pm Men

Wednesday 8:00 pm Women

Green Bay Corrections

2833 Riverside Dr. Green Bay

Monday 2:00 pm Men

Sanger B. Powers

N 375 County Rd. U

Oneida

Tuesday 6:30 pm Men

For more information and an application:

Please Contact: Tim T. 227-3156

District 01

P.O. Box 0632 Green Bay, WI 5430
 Website: www.greenbayaa.org
 Find meetings in North Eastern Wisconsin and Upper
 Michigan @: www.area74.org



Remember

Who you see here
 What you hear here
 When you leave here
 Let it stay here

<u>MEETING LOCATION</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>COMMUNITY</u>	<u>PHONE</u>
1 st American Lutheran Church	511 Madison St.	Oconto	846-0197
♻️ 218 Club	218 S. Oneida	Green Bay (West)	494-9904
Alleluia Lutheran Church	On Hwy 96 Wrightstown 1/2 to Greenleaf		532-3892
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (in basement)	124 E. Pulaski	Pulaski	822-5042
♻️ Bay Evangelical Covenant Church	2280 Nicolet Drive	Green Bay (East)	819-7945
♻️ Bellin Psychiatric Center	301 E. Joseph St.	Green Bay (East)	431-5533
♻️ The Bridge	2514 Jenny Lane	Green Bay (East)	465-6878
♻️ Calvary Lutheran Church	1301 So. Ridge Rd.	Green Bay (West)	360-3869
Ecumenical Center, Univ. of WI, Green Bay	2420 Nicolet Dr.	Green Bay (East)	465-5133
Emmanuel Lutheran Church	349 N. Main St.	Seymour	833-2316
♻️ Immaculate Conception of Mary	1412 Main St.	Luxemburg(Call AM Only)	845-1083
♻️ Green Bay Community Church	600 Cardinal Lane	Howard	434-9225
Jackie Nitschke Center	630 Cherry St.	Green Bay (East)	435-2093
♻️ Knutson Hall	620 Lake St.	Algoma	920-487-2088
Masonic Lodge	Caldwell St.	Oconto Falls	920-834-3074
♻️ Oneida Community Parish Hall	2936 Freedom Road	Oneida	819-1862
New Community Shelter	301 Mather St.	Green Bay (West)	437-3766
Pennings Activity Center (Room 202)	3 rd and Reid St.	De Pere (West)	883-8538
Preble Park Presbyterian Church	607 Ravenswood Dr	Green Bay (East)	432-0059
Resurrection Lutheran Church	1024 Shawano Av.	Green Bay (West)	497-7052
St. Anne Episcopal Church use the back door	347 S. Libal & G	De Pere (East)	336-9571
♻️ Sts. Edward and Isidore Catholic Church	Flintville Rd.	Flintville	822-1433
♻️ St. John the Evangelist Church	413 Saint John St.	Green Bay (East)	436-6380
St. Matthew School (in the basement)	2575 S. Webster	Green Bay (East)	432-5223
♻️ St. Norbert Abbey, Center for Spirituality (enter North side by the tennis courts)	1016 N. Broadway	De Pere (East)	337-4315
St. Willebrord Catholic Church	209 S. Adams	Green Bay (East)	435-2016
Victory In Life Ministries	411 Dousman	Green Bay	599-7887
Se Habla Espanol Jessie		Green Bay	265-3202

<u>KEY</u>
ABSI As Bill Sees It
BB Big Book of Alcoholics Anonymous
C Closed Meeting (Alcoholics only)
CTB Came to Believe
Dis Topic Discussion
DR Daily Reflections
G/L Gay and Lesbian
Gv Grapevine
LS Living Sober
M Men Only
NS Smoking not allowed
O Open Meeting (all interested in AA)
S Smoking allowed
Stdy Study Group
W Women Only
12&12 12 Steps & 12 Traditions
♻️ Wheelchair accessible

A Suggestion

When a newcomer is at your meeting, pass this meeting list around and add your name and phone number if you would like to share your experience, strength and hope with them.

Name	and	Phone
_____ Women Preferred		_____ Men Preferred
Name		Phone

SP Speaker Meeting: AA member tells their story **You are no longer alone**