

DISTRICT 01 NEWSLETTER – GREEN BAY, WI

JULY 2007

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”

NEXT SERVICE MEETING
July 19th 6:30 PM.
@ The Bridge
2514 JENNY LANE Green Bay

DISTRICT COMMITTEE OFFICERS

District Chairperson	Bruce	498-9750
Alternate Chair	Bob L.	309-1160
Secretary	Debbie S.	494-8825
Treasurer	Lynn L.	496-5899
Archives	Mark P.	660-1888
Corrections	Glenn F.	321-8039
Grapevine	John S.	883-8538
Hotline	Jim D.	468-8141
Newsletter	Brad E.	265-9945
Public Information	Elizabeth	497-1812
Website Chair	Eric V.	468-9262
Bridging the Gap/Treatment	Eddy A.	339-0729
Cooperation w/ professional Committee	Phyllis	471-0749

"THESE SERVANTS MUST ALWAYS BE IN READINESS TO DO FOR THE GROUPS WHAT THE GROUPS OBVIOUSLY CANNOT OR SHOULD NOT DO FOR THEMSELVES."

The 12 concepts p.23

Each member speaks for him or herself.

In the home group, the GSR brings our group conscience to the DCM as it is shared among the groups in our district. Groups draw upon the service of the committees. The newsletter and meeting list is distributed. **All members are welcome to attend!**

AA HOTLINE – 469-9999

"A NEW GROUP IS FORMED"

Gather about yourself a few kindred spirits and announce to us that a 'New Alcoholics Anonymous Group' is formed. You may find a home for your group anywhere as long as you are self-supporting.

Any two or more alcoholics gathered together may call themselves an A. A. group, provided that, as a group they have no other affiliation.

"The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking "

REGISTER YOUR GROUP NATIONALLY
by sending your "New group form"
to the GSO in N.Y. Call the district 01 meeting-
list representative listed on this page and leave your
info for inclusion on the meeting list. WELCOME!

VISIT OUR WEBSITE

DISTRICT 01 www.greenbayaa.org.
AREA 74 www.area74.org
AREA 75 www.area75.org
AA GRAPEVINE www.aagrapevine.org
G.S.O.(NEW YORK) www.aa.org.

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

Help keep our meeting list up to date. Please contact:
Marty S. 920-465-1401
meetinglist@greenbayaa.org

**Minutes of the GSR and Committee Service Meeting @ The Bridge
May 19,2007**

Those in attendance:

Chris B.	GSR-St. Matt's Sat. Eye Opener
Jim D.	Hotline Chair
Jack K.	Never on Sunday
Jayne B.	GSR-Flintville Early Risers
Don G.	Winner's Circle
Kami F.	Central Office Exploratory Committee
Stacy C.	GSR-Thurs. Women in the Present
John S.	GSR-Tues. Happy Hour 218 Club
Bruce K.	DCM District 01
Keith J.	GSR-The Stepping Up Group
Brian B.	GSR-Spiritual Axiom Group
Veronica R.	GSR- Mon. 8pm BB Bridge
Jeff P.	GSR-Mon. 8:30am BB 218 Club
Betsy N.	Alt. GSR-Tues. 1pm Women's
Sarah G.	GSR-Tues. Momen's Meeting
Lynn L.	District 01 Treasurer
Sue A.	Mon. Road to Recovery 218 Club
Angy P.	GSR-Serenity Now Noon M-W-F

Grace Lutheran

Brad E. Newsletter Chair / Alt. GSR

Fisherman's Paradise

The meeting opened with the serenity prayer.

The Traditions were read.

Chris B. read the minutes from April 19, 2007.

They were accepted as read.

Lynn L. read the treasurer's report with noted corrections and it was accepted.

Committee Reports

NEWSLETTER- Brad is going to take suggestions at the next district meeting for inputs into the newsletter.

HOTLINE- Jim D. reported about 19 calls came in and 2 went out to volunteers. Volunteers are needed.

PUBLIC INFORMATION- not present

BRIDGING THE GAP- not present

ARCHIVES- not present.

GRAPEVINE- not present

CORRECTIONS- not present.

Cooperation with the Professional Community (C.P.C.)- not present.

WEBMASTER- not present.

OLD BUSINESS- The district will adopt guidelines for the newsletter for Brad. Anyone with suggestions should bring them to the next district meeting.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted by: Chris B.

From the Editor:

Please feel free to submit recommendations to the newsletter and needs you may have. Articles concerning your experience, strength and hope to the newsletter will be appreciated. Please keep articles submitted to the newsletter one to two pages in length or less. This is your newsletter, feel free to contact me at newsletter@greenbayaa.org, or call me at 920-265-9945. Please let me know if you need to publish information about your events, and especially if you need support for your group. If your group seems to be faltering, or does not yet have enough members, let the district know and we will get the word out to visit your meeting! We want to meet with you and serve you to the best of our ability.

God bless you in continued sobriety.

Yours in service,

Brad E.

AA DISTRICT 01
MAY 17, 2007
TREASURE'S REPORT

Balance as of April 15, 2007 **\$1,998.29**

Deposits:

Wed 7AM Grapevine	\$ 15.00
Flintville Early Risers	\$108.00
St. Matt's Sat. Eye Opener	\$150.00

Total Deposits **\$273.00**

Checks or Debits

The Bridge	\$ 15.00
Bruce Knaus (DCM)	\$ 25.00
All City Communications	\$156.98
Image Fee	\$ 3.00

Total Checks or Debits **\$199.98**

Balance as of May 17, 2007 **\$2071.31**

Submitted by Lynn L./District 01 Treasurer

OPEN VOLUNTEER SERVICE POSITIONS:

Corrections:

We have an urgent need for volunteers in the Corrections area of service, especially male volunteers. Please check out what you can do toward continuing sobriety for yourself by attending one more meeting! You need clearance, so contact Glenn F. to get an application.

Corrections Committee Chair: Glenn F. 321-8039

Hotline:

The Hotline needs volunteers.

Please contact Jim D. – 468-8141

INCARCERATION

Meetings within walls.

Brown County Work Release, Huber
125 So. Adams St. Green Bay

Sunday	6:30 pm	Men
Sunday	6:30 pm	Women
(Alt. Sundays for women's group)		
Wednesday	8:00 pm	Men
Wednesday	8:00 pm	Women

Brown County Jail

3030 Curry Ln. Green Bay

Sunday	6:00 pm	Men
Sunday	8:30 pm	Men
(Sunday meetings are open meetings with AA speakers. Clearance is expedited for speakers.)		
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Men
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Women

Green Bay Corrections

2833 Riverside Dr. Green Bay

Monday	2:00 pm	Men
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Sanger B. Powers

N 375 County Rd. U Oneida

Tuesday	6:30 pm	Men
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CLEARANCE REQUIRED!

For an application:

Contact: Glenn F. 321-8039

CENTRAL OFFICE EXPLORATORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Contact: Sam S. cell 920-660-3341

ATTENTION ALL AA GROUPS!

Please elect a member to represent your group for exploration of a central office in District 01. Your group opinion matters to AA as a whole!!

Those in attendance: May 12, 2007

R. Sam S.	Rep. Back to Basics Thurs. 6pm
Jim D.	AA Member, district hotline chair
Debbie S.	Alt. Eye opener St. Matt's
Angy P.	Rep. Serenity Now
Don G.	Interested observer
Doris S.	Observer
Peter H.	Rep. Never on Sunday
Kami F.	Rep. Friday Winner's Circle
Nancy T.	Rep. Road to Recovery
Pat N.	Friends of Bill
Bill S.	Observer

Jim read Right of Decision from the AA service Manual.

There was a discussion about communicating to the AA groups in a coherent fashion. We need to communicate with the groups who are not yet represented.

Some of the positive points of having a central office were discussed. Some of these being: an AA member would answer the hotline; local availability of literature; physical location for contact t with general public and professional community.

A couple of people are going to write up a draft of a presentation speech to present to non-represented groups. We want to make sure we are communicating and representing all AA groups.

On June 2 there will be a vote on which draft to use. The meeting list will be divided up to go and speak (with permission) to non-represented groups.

Closed with the Lord's Prayer,
Respectfully submitted,
Debbie S.

Next meetings: June 2 @ 2pm at The Bridge
June 23 @ 2pm at The Bridge

Those in attendance: June 2, 2007

Mark E.	Thurs. 9:30am Walk with Us
Terri H.	Rep. Thurs. Walk with Us
R. Sam S.	Rep. Back to Basics Thurs. 6pm
Craig M.	Interested observer
Jim D.	AA member, District hotline chair
Debbie S.	Alt. Eye Opener St Matt's
Angy P.	Rep. Serenity Now
Don D.	Rep. Thurs. night. St. Will's
Kami F.	Rep. Friday Winner's Circle
Nancy T.	Alt. Sec./tres.- road to recovery
Don G.	Interested observer
Geri L.	Sun. 9:30am Bridge
Peter H.	Wed. 7:30pm Beginners
	Wed. 8pm Acceptance
Pat N	Friends of Bill

Treasurers Balance is: \$396.50

Kami read a presentation draft to present at non-represented AA groups. There was a long discussion and corrections were made.

A motion was made to read corrected version and then vote. Motion seconded and carried.

Kami read corrected draft. Motion to accept was made and carried through.

The AA meeting list was passed around and people signed up for meetings. They will ask the meeting group if they can give a short speech.

Agenda for the next meeting was made. Next two meetings were set up.

Closed with the Lords Prayer,
Respectfully submitted,
Debbie S.

Next Meetings: June 23 @ 2pm at The Bridge
-feedback from groups
-hurdles
-reviewpositive/negative
-overall feeling

July 21 @ 2pm at the Bridge

August 25 @ 2pm at The Bridge

11th Annual "Keep it Simple" weekend

July 13 - 15, 2007

Friends, just three months until our 11th annual "Keep It Simple"

A.A. – Al-Anon

Door County, Washington Island Weekend

Weekend focused on the Third and Eleventh steps

Friday through Sunday,
July 13, 14, 15, 2007
Island Campground and Recreation
Washington Island, WI 54246

Registration cost: \$20 per person
We have arranged space for camping on the large group site.

All events will be held around the campfire.
Bring your own chairs

***Bring your own musical instruments
*** Fee for camping on the group site is \$3.50 per person per night, payable at registration.

If you want a private wooded site, call 920-847-2622

Registration fee does not cover food, which must be provided by individuals attending.
Please bring your own food and a means to prepare it. There is a grocery store and deli located on the island as well as several restaurants.

A potluck dinner is planned for Friday and Saturday evenings.
Coffee is provided from dawn to dusk. (and maybe even later!)
Some baked goods will be supplied, but bringing baked goods to share is much appreciated.

FRIDAY NIGHT

4 PM registration begins on site

Send Registration to:

Island Retreat

PO Box 125

Forestville, WI 54213-0125

Brochures have been mailed USPS in February, 2007. If you do not receive one in the USPS mail' send the following information: name, address, city and state, zip, and e-mail address, if any, with \$20 fee per person, checks payable to OPEN DOOR GROUP.

6 PM Casual, elective potluck dinner
7 PM Opening welcome and A.A. –Al-Anon open speaker meeting

SATURDAY

7 AM A.A. –Al-Anon discussion meetings
10 AM A.A. –Al-Anon open discussion meetings

followed by time to socialize, fish, swim, hike, relax

6 PM elective potluck dinner

7PM A.A. –Al-Anon open speaker meeting

SUNDAY MORNING

7 AM A.A. –Al-Anon discussion meeting

10 AM Open 12-step Spirituality meeting and Closing clean-ups and good byes.

Opportunities for service abound!

Ferry schedule, 2007 rates and information about Washington Island: auto is going to be \$24 auto round trip; adults \$10 round trip.

www.wisferry.com - 1-800-223-2094

Address any questions to: Gunter 920-856-6354

reiche@itol.com

Seymour Thursday night AA Group

Sponsoring a night of fellowship

Saturday, June 23rd, 2007

Emmanuel Lutheran Church

Fellowship Hall

349 North Main Street, Seymour

Hall opens at 5 pm

Potluck Dinner at 6 pm

Hot Sandwiches provided

(please bring a dish to share)

Door Prizes

Open AA & Alanon Speaker

Meetings Starting at 7 pm ?

Fellowship

An AA way of Life

Chairman & point of contact

Steve H. 920-739-1977

27th East Central Regional Conference and Area 75 56th Fall Conference

October 12th – 14th 2007

At the Holiday Inn, 4601 Calumet Ave., Manitowoc, WI.
Please call hotel direct at 920-682-6000 – Refer to Code WAA.
For more information call Mike S. 920-769-0109 or Ann P. 920-769-0109

Scheduled Events

Friday, October 12

Registration: 3:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Open Meeting: 8:00pm
Joyce T. – Keshena, WI

Ice Cream Social: 9:30 – 10:30 pm

Alkathon 10:00 pm – 6:00am

Saturday, October 13

Registration: 8:00am – 6:00 pm

AA/Al-Anon Panels Begin at 9:00 am

Al/Anon/Alateen Speakers: 3:30 pm
Ruth B. – Eagle, ID
Kelly K. – Pewaukee, WI

Banquet: 6:00pm

Open Meeting: 8:00pm
Otto M. – Plano, TX

Dance: 9:30 pm – midnight

Alkathon: 10:00 pm – 6:00am

Sunday, October 14

Breakfast Buffet
Open Meeting:
Bob M. – Oak Creek, WI

Registration Form

27th East Central Regional Convention
Area 75 56th Fall Conference
Hosted by District 3
October 12 – 14, 2007
(One person per form, please)

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State & Zip _____

Delegate Area _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Please check

AA _____ AlAnon _____
Alateen _____

Special Needs

(Request by Sept. 12, 2007)
Spanish Interpreter _____ ASL

Registration: \$15.00

Sat. Banquet: \$23.00

Vegetarian Option? Yes (please circle)

Sun. Buffet: \$11.00

Total:

Make Checks Payable to:
Conference Treasurer
PO BOX 302
Manitowoc, WI 54220

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