



Hagerstown Intergroup Newsletter

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<p>Answering Service: 301-733-1109</p>	<p>Step 2. Came to believe that a Power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity.</p>																																																																	
<p>Mailing Address For 7th Tradition Contributions: P.O. Box 1153 HAGERSTOWN, MD 21741</p>	<p>Tradition 2. For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority - a loving God as he may express Himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern.</p>																																																																	
<p>Monthly Meeting: 4th Sunday each month 4:30pm 223 N. Prospect St., Suite106 Hagerstown, MD. 21741</p>	<p>Concept II. The General Service Conference of A.A. has become, for nearly every practical purpose, the active voice and the effective conscience of our whole Society in its world affairs.</p>																																																																	
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<p>Officers:</p> <p>Chairman: Adam G.</p> <p>Treasurer: Bob C.</p> <p>Secretary: Steve K.</p> <p>Committee Chairs:</p> <p>Activities: Morgan L.</p> <p>Answering Service: Tom T.</p> <p>Corrections: Men- John B. Women- Paula B</p> <p>District 20 DCM: Gene S.</p> <p>Newsletter: Wayne G.</p> <p>Public Information: Henry R.</p> <p>Website: Wayne G.</p> <p>Where & When: Carol W.</p>	<p>Meetings and Events</p> <p>February 12th - Mountain Group Breakfast Germantown Church of God, MD Route 491 near Fort Ritchie. Fellowship-9:00am, Breakfast-10:00am, and Speaker 11:00am. Come join us for food, fun and fellowship. Show up early if you can help out Carole H, Mark F, and Beth N in the kitchen</p> <p>February 20th - District 20 Meeting, New Fellowship Hall, 4:30 PM. This meeting takes place every 3rd Sunday of the month. Everyone is welcome to attend.</p> <p>February 27th - Intergroup meeting, New Fellowship Hall, 4:30 PM. This meeting of GSRs takes place every 4th Sunday of the month. Everyone is welcome to attend.</p> <p>March 5th – Chili Cook off and Auction 11 AM until 3 or 4 PM at St. John's Episcopal Church (Dry Bridge). 101 S. Prospect St Hagerstown. We are looking for donations of items to be auctioned. Call Morgan L. 443-722-0718 or email at mekindsvatter81@tmo.blackberry.net</p> <p>We needed to ask ourselves but one short question. “Do I now believe, or am I even willing to believe, that there is a Power greater than myself?” As soon as a man can say that he does believe, or is willing to believe, we emphatically assure him that he is on his way. It has been repeatedly proven among us that upon this simple cornerstone a wonderfully effective spiritual structure can be built.</p> <p><i>Alcoholics Anonymous P 46</i></p> <p>DEAF FRIENDS OF BILL W. Meetings are held at 7pm on Wednesdays at 4 E. Church Street in Frederick.</p>																																																																	



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January 23rd 2011 – HAIG Minutes

Minutes Hagerstown Area Intergroup Meeting

4:37 PM Minutes were read and approved with the following correction: The alternate DCM, not the DCM has resigned and elections for this position were held.

Treasurer's Report was read and approved (attached).

Treasurer's Report – January 23 rd 2011	
Beginning Balance:	\$352.26
Donations:	
Fellowship Hall	\$50.00
Mountain Group	\$15.00
New Visions	\$30.00
Serenity Group	\$20.00
Williamsport Group	\$52.00
New Years Eve	\$209.45
Total Donations:	\$376.45
Total Funds Available:	\$728.71
Total Expenditures:	
Antietam Call Center :	\$286.56
Verizon:	\$34.39
DJ	\$350.00
Total Expenditures:	\$670.95
Ending Balance:	\$57.76
Pink Can Report	
Beginning Balance:	\$57.30
Donations:	
Hagerstown Group	\$16.37
Summit Avenuenue Group	\$4.00
Total Donations:	\$20.37
Total Expenditures:	-
Ending Balance:	\$77.67
PI Committee Report	
Beginning Balance:	\$199.06
Total Expenditures:	-
Ending Balance:	\$199.06

Committee Reports:

Answering Service: There are now 12 men and 8 women.

Volunteers are still needed.

Corrections: No report.

Newsletter: No report.

Grapevine: No report.

Activities: The New Year's Eve Dance was a big success. Attendance was great and there were many positive comments. The dance netted a \$241.44 loss. The next planned event will be a chili cook off and auction. The format of this is still being decided, but it will certainly be an exciting event. Spread the word; we are looking for about 10+ samples. Prizes will be awarded. The event is scheduled for 3/5/11, Dry Bridge at 11:00 AM. Morgan is looking for members to assist with forming an activities committee. This is a great (and fun) opportunity for service work. Anyone who is interested in planning and organizing events please contact Morgan (443-772-0718 or mekindsvatter81@tmo.blackberry.net).

New Years Eve Dance 2010 Financial Report	
Income	
Admissions	\$231.00
50/50	\$50.00
Seed Money	\$200.00
Total Income	\$481.00
Expenses	
Snacks & Decoration	\$272.44
Church Donation	\$100.00
DJ	\$350.00
Total Expenses	\$722.44
Profit / Loss	-\$241.44

Public Information/CPC: The PI committee has been allotted a half hour at the Washington County Board of Education. This will occur at 9:45 am on January 26, 2011. The committee will present the AA message to 26 high school guidance counselors. This could open the door for AA literature to be placed in schools throughout the county. The actual presentation was rehearsed. The next meeting will be held at Summit Avenue on February 25, at 6:30pm.

Where & When: There are several groups that still need to pick up the Where and When brochures: Chewsville, Leitersburg, Maple Avenue, New Life, Recycled, Serenity, The Way Out.

Website: No report.

Group Reports:

Boonsboro ABSI: No report.

Chewsville: No report.

Hagerstown: No report.

Leitersburg: No report.

Maple Avenue: No report.

Mountain Group: No report.

Fire House Boonsboro: No report.

New Fellowship Hall: No report.

New Paths: Several anniversaries this month.

New Visions: Anna C. 1 year 2/10

Oak Ridge: No report.

Open Door: No report.

Recycled: No report.

Serenity: Anniversaries submitted.

Summit Ave: Anniversaries submitted.

The Way Out: No report.

Thursday Night BB: No report.

West End: Anniversaries submitted. They contributed \$33.06 to the pink can.

Williamsport: No report.

Old Business: As discussed, Bob brought in intergroup mail. This will be at Fellowship Hall.

New Business: Cynthia T, intergroup liason for Maryland General Service was present. Her responsibility is to bridge the gap between the intergroups and Maryland General Service. They are planning a monthly conference call to begin round table discussions across the state. Adam G. will be joining in this call.

Andrew, representing ICYPAA, was present to update the group as to the bid for the International Conference in 2012. Events are being planned currently. The next is Batting Cages and Dodgeball with a picnic to be held in Gaithersburg in 2/26. Information was distributed.

Next Meeting 2/27 4:30 – Fellowship Hall