

**WCI Chatter**  
**Sunday, July 10, 2022**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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**Special Announcement from WCI. Special Election**  
**August 18, 2022.**

West Central Intergroup of MD, Inc. (WCI) will be conducting a special election at the August 18, 2022 Council Meeting for the officer position of Secretary. Anyone interested in standing for this position may send an email to "[board@westcentralaa.org](mailto:board@westcentralaa.org)" highlighting their service experience and qualifications. A nominee may also stand from the floor at the meeting. It is recommended that the nominee have three years of continuous sobriety and experience at the Steering Committee level. This position will run until June 21, 2023. If you have any questions, you may email the Board at the above address.

Thank you for considering.  
Mark D. , BOD Chair

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Lee F., WCI's new O&TC Chair is looking for people to volunteer an hour at a time to answer phone calls and sell literature at the Intergroup Office. Please email [office@westcentralaa.org](mailto:office@westcentralaa.org) to touch base with Lee and to set up a short training appointment. Volunteering

at the Office is a great way to give back and to stay in the middle of AA!! Office training is always available.

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**"Mountain Manor is in need of home groups to fulfill a once-a-month meeting commitment." "We are extremely short of female speakers in particular. Any interested parties should contact Kye at the treatment center at 301-447-2360."**

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### **Your Guide to Meetings in Print!**

The new Where & When's have been printed. The new ones have a red cover on them. They will be available at the WCI Intergroup office free of charge. You can also send an email to [whereandwhen@westcentralaa.org](mailto:whereandwhen@westcentralaa.org) and we can make arrangements for them to be delivered.

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### **The WCI Central Office**

The Federated Charities Bldg. 22 S. Market St., Suite 7 Frederick MD, 21701

Email: [office@westcentralaa.org](mailto:office@westcentralaa.org)

[West Central Intergroup Office Hours Link](#)

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"The WCI Literature Committee ([literature@westcentralaa.org](mailto:literature@westcentralaa.org)) would like to remind you that literature and other items can be purchased at a 50% discount for a limited time. Please visit

<http://westcentralaa.org/literature-select/> to place your order. Be advised that literature purchased in this way will not be shipped to

you. Arrangements will be made between you and the Literature committee for the literature to be picked up at a designated time. Thank you for taking advantage of this feature on our website!!"

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[The Orenda Center of Wellness](#) in Sabillasville, Maryland, is looking for women with at least 6 months of sobriety to bring meetings into their inpatient treatment facility. If you are interested in a once a month commitment on an evening at 7pm please contact [dray@theorendacenter.com](mailto:dray@theorendacenter.com)

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## Meeting Information and Changes

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**Drop The Rock Meeting is now HYBRID:**



**Drop The Rock  
Wednesday, 7:00 pm  
1890 N. Market St.  
Frederick, 21701  
Around back, Suite #301**

**Or Join us on Zoom:  
ID: 6781209852 PW: 999921**

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**New Day for 12 step online meeting**

The former Wednesday 12 Step 7:00 pm Zoom meeting has moved to Thursday, same time, same Zoom id/password

- Zoom ID: 735 538 1948 PWD: 164

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**Re-Opening of In-Person Meeting (Effective Immediately):**

The 164 Group, Tuesday and Friday @8:00 pm

All Saints' Episcopal Church, 106 West Church Street 21701- Use Patrick St. parking lot, basement floor.

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The Downtown Step Group is in need of support. Sunday at 7:30 pm

Come join us as we talk about the 12 Steps of AA if you can. We would love to have you!

**St John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Ch, 118 E 2nd St 21701-**  
**Downstairs at right of church, basement of adjacent building**

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**New In-Person Meeting:**

Catoctin Furnace Group: Friday, 12:00 noon

12625 Catoctin Furnace Road, Thurmont, MD

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**New In-Person Meeting:**

“Sunday evening with the Big Book”, Sunday, 7:30 pm Damascus Methodist Church 9700 New Church St, Damascus, MD (In Youth Chapel)

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**The Friday Fellowship group, Fridays at 7 pm in the Illiano Project Bld, Mt Airy. would like to thank everyone for coming to support our meeting. Therefore we are going to continue reading Came to Believe the month of July. Look forward to some great meetings. Your trusted servant Lynne S.**

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**New Zealand Marathon Zoom Meeting - Eastern time +16 hours  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2923712604> Meeting ID 2923712604 This  
24x7 meeting is still going strong ! (as of 7-10-2022)**

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# **Mountain Breakfast**

**The second Saturday of each month  
Fellowship at 9 am, Breakfast at 10 am, Speaker at 11am**

**A mountain breakfast prepared on site by AAs for AAs  
and friends of AA.**

**We start at 7am (you can come then if you are going to  
help) to cook like fools and  
serve a Hot Breakfast with fellowship and a warm setting  
of love and service to all.**

**Only a \$10.00 donation gets you in.**

**Coffee, Juice, Eggs, Pancakes, Home Fries, Biscuits,  
Sausage Gravy, Fruit, Sausage,  
Bacon, French Toast and a beautiful drive to get here.**

**BRING SOMEONE WITH YOU!**

**Old Germantown Church of God  
16924 Raven Rock Road  
Cascade, Maryland 21719**



# THE FIRING LINE

Monday Night Speaker Meeting  
July 11th - 6:00 pm EST

Speaker: Andrew  
The Hatchery - Towson

1890 N Market St,  
Ste 301  
Frederick, MD

TUESDAYS @ 10:30 AM

# Red Door Women's Group



CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION  
6909 MARYLAND AVE  
BRADDOCK HEIGHTS 21703

BLDG NEXT TO THE SANCTUARY  
(RED DOOR), DOWNSTAIRS

(C)(T)(W)(H)

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**Grapevine Meeting held on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm**  
**Join Zoom Meeting**



<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85217774704?pwd=TVhEdFpKdmxSRINvNnJHU1pYWdVaQT09>

**Meeting ID: 852 1777 4704**

**Passcode: 019347**

**Hosted by: Brandi D., Area 29 Grapevine Committee Chair**

**For more info: [grapevine@marylandaa.org](mailto:grapevine@marylandaa.org)**

**Group and District GVR's encouraged to attend 😊 ,**

**All are Welcome!**

**\*Are you looking for a fun service position? Please join us and find out more! All are welcome to attend!**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

CAMPAD



**Celebrating 25 years of the Summer Bash  
Celebrating 20 years of the Hucklebuck  
July 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

Weekend activity of fun, food, & fellowship for the entire family!!  
There will be softball, camping, and fishing Friday – Sunday at  
Biggs Ford Road under the bridge, follow the signs!

**\*IF CAMPING, COME EARLY ON FRIDAY TO SET UP YOUR TENT, ETC.\***



**Friday:** The Liberty group will be having their regular meeting at 8 PM at the campground

**Saturday:** Softball will start at 8 AM

**8350 Pine Cliff Park Road, Frederick, MD**

At the campground there will be a covered dish dinner at 7 PM for everyone (please bring a covered dish with something in it) and a speaker meeting at 8:30 PM

**Meats and drinks will be supplied**

**Sunday:** Softball games will continue at 9 AM until the first-place team is announced



**Registration is \$14/player & the deadline for teams is July 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**Each team should have 10 players and at least 2 females**  
**Team captains are responsible for the money for their team**  
**Call Brian S 240-315-3884 to register your team and if you have any questions**



**MASON DIXON GROUP  
GRILL N CHILL**

**2ND FRIDAY OF MONTHS:  
MAY - SEPTEMBER**

**May 13, June 10, July 8, August 12, & September 9, 2022**

**LOCATION: THE PARK BEHIND THE EMMITSBURG POST OFFICE**

**GRUBS UP AT 6:30 PM -- MEETING AT 8:00 PM**

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR SEVERAL FRIDAY EVENINGS OF  
EATING, FUN, & SOCIALIZING**

**HAMBURGERS, HOT DOGS, COFFEE, TEA, & WATER  
SUPPLIED BY THE MASON-DIXON GROUP**

**PLEASE BRING A COVERED DISH (WITH SOMETHING IN IT) TO SHARE**



# Applying the 12 Traditions to Accessibility Committees

a 30 minute  
presentation  
by Norma A.  
(SWTA68)

July 17, 2022  
Sunday @ 3pm  
EDT

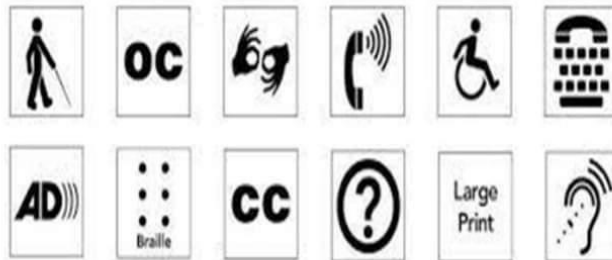
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[accessibilities@marylandaa.org](mailto:accessibilities@marylandaa.org)

Alcoholics Anonymous  
**AREA 29 Accessibilities**  
**DEAF COMMUNITY**

**Access, Info, Outreach**



Guest Speaker on Outreach,  
ASL, Plain Language, and more!

**Sunday 8/21/22 @ 3 pm EDT**

(note: new time!)



**ID: 841 2499 3206**

**pw 326186**



**[Accessibilities@Marylandaa.org](mailto:Accessibilities@Marylandaa.org)**

**BEGINNERS WORKSHOP - ONGOING**

Do you know anyone new to AA? Do you have any new sponsees? Take advantage of this beginner orientation! Feel free to come check it out even if you're not new!

The format includes:

\*An introduction to Alcoholics Anonymous (What is AA? What is a Big book? What is a Home Group? What is a Sponsor...)

\*A speaker sharing about their beginning into the program

\*20 minutes of Q&A (There is no such thing as a dumb question)

**When: Last Saturday of each Month, 1:30 pm Eastern**

**Where: Join via Zoom**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84039113545?pwd=akdzMTFBQmZSZ2o1TWZ2eIvLWSttdz09>

Meeting ID: 840 3911 3545; Passcode: 164164

## **INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS: SHOWING THE TIME DIFFERENCE**

Central Europe + 6 hours <https://alcoholics-anonymous.eu/online-meetings/>

New Zealand +16 hours <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2923712604>

This meeting is still going strong, 24x7 ! (as of 7-10-2022)

Australia + 12 to + 14 hours <https://aa.org.au/meetings/online-aa-meetings/>

United Kingdom +5 hours <https://www.alcoholics-anonymous.org.uk/members/regional-&-local-websites/Not~in~a~Region/Online-Groups>

## OTHER NEWS

### *Looking for a Meeting?*

**The Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting Guide App** Brought to you by Alcoholics Anonymous World Services, Inc., Meeting Guide is a free of charge meeting finder app for iOS and Android that provides meeting information from A.A. service entities in an easy-to-access format. **Link:**

[Alcoholics Anonymous : Meeting Guide \(aa.org\)](http://aa.org)

**Grapevine and La Viña Are Here to Help:** To help members during this time, Grapevine is giving everyone free access to all of its 2020 Grapevine and La Viña issues. (The audio to Grapevine's stories will be available as well, so people can listen to the stories if they like.) Please share with your fellows. Also, here is a link to Grapevine's YouTube channel with some original audio stories as well as other important information. To enter, visit: [www.aagrapevine.org/we-are-here-to-help](http://www.aagrapevine.org/we-are-here-to-help).



If you have an Event/Announcement/Anniversary/Recent Meeting Change you'd like to appear in a future issue of Chatter, please send details to [wcichatter1@gmail.com](mailto:wcichatter1@gmail.com). Our Website is located at <http://westcentralaa.org/>. To unsubscribe from Chatter, please go to the website and click on the Chatter Tab at the top. Our List of Meetings (Including In-Person, Online, or Hybrid) is also posted on the website, click on "[Meetings](#)" at the top of the page. There is also a Printable Version of the meetings on the website. To Add, Remove or Change a Meeting, on the website, go to the "Meetings" Tab and choose "[Meeting Change](#)". Also, please direct your AA friends to the website to [subscribe](#) to Chatter if they are so inclined. Scan the QR Code below to visit the WCI Website.

