

WCI Chatter

Sunday, October 09, 2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS

West Central Intergroup Welcomes You For a...

4th STEP WORKSHOP

Saturday, November 5th 2022

Doors Open at 10am for Coffee and Donuts-----FREE EVENT

Workshop starts at 10:30am and includes a panel

Location: Peace in Christ Lutheran Church

8798 Adventure Ave., Walkersville, MD 21793



*Made a Searching and Fearless
Moral Inventory of Ourselves*





~ DISTRICT SERVICE WORK ~

Please join us at the District 40 & 41 meetings, even if you're not currently a GSR. Both Districts are busy planning events for this fall and winter and we welcome your participation and ideas!

The GSR is the home group's voice in AA.

Don't be shy - We are not a glum lot!

For information, contact:

DISTRICT 40: Julie K. at district40frederick@gmail.com

DISTRICT 41: Mike F. at D41area29maryland@gmail.com

"Everybody can be great because everybody can serve."

- Martin Luther King, Jr.



Corrections and Treatment Commitments are available!

Hagerstown Prisons - MCTC and Roxbury are now taking applications for volunteers to bring AA meetings into

prisons. Once the paperwork is submitted and processed, the person will be contacted to attend an orientation meeting.

Please contact corrections.treatment@westcentralaa.org and mention Hagerstown Prisons and the application will be sent to you.

Frederick County Adult Detention Center is assessing the best possible way to begin meetings in the center. (Video/In-Person) All volunteers will need to go through background checks and orientation. If you are interested in a service commitment with FCADC please contact corrections.treatment@westcentralaa.org and mention FCADC and the application will be sent to you.

Mountain Manor - is in desperate need of people to take a once a month commitment into their facility (especially women). Please contact Kye directly at 240-357-4256

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 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.

[Your Guide to Meetings in Print!](#)

The new Where & When's have been printed. The new ones have a **Yellow** cover on them. They will be available at the WCI Intergroup office free of charge. There will be a sign out sheet for people who take them. You can also send an email to whereandwhen@westcentralaa.org and we can make arrangements for them to be delivered.

The WCI Central Office

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

Email: office@westcentralaa.org

[West Central Intergroup Office Hours Link](#)

"The WCI Literature Committee (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!!"

[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

Meeting Information and Changes

Keystone Group - Spirituality Meeting:

Sunday's at 10:00 A.M.

The Frederick Club, 205-B Bucheimer Rd 21701

Tony C. will be celebrating 40 years of continuous sobriety at this meeting on Sunday, November 13th at 10:00 A.M.

The Walkersville Women's Meeting:

Saturday, 8:30 A.M.

This meeting has been changed to Online only

Zoom ID: 882 1617 1904 Password: 6HePwJ

Or call-in 301-715-8592

The Commuter Group is in need of Support:

Sunday at 5:00 P.M.

Frederick Presbyterian Church, 115 W 2nd St 21701

- Basement entrance, rear right side of church sidewalk/alley

New Market Tuesday Night

Group Anniversary

The Home Group... where it all begins

Tuesday, October 25, 2022

Group Anniversary Eating Meeting

Potluck Dinner - 6:00pm

A.A. Group *7th Anniversary*

Al-Anon Group *6th Anniversary*

Speakers - 7:30pm

Al-Anon

Katie S.

Frederick, MD

A.A.

Linda B.

Waldorf, MD

45 minutes each

Grace Episcopal Church New Market
5740 Green Valley Road New Market, MD

Dinner in Parish Hall

Meeting in Chapel – NO FOOD or DRINK in the Chapel

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)



THE FIRING LINE

Monday Night Daily Reflections
October 10th- 6:00 pm EST

Come check out our new
format with Hilary K!

1890 N Market St,
Ste 301
Frederick, MD

**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

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!**

**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)**

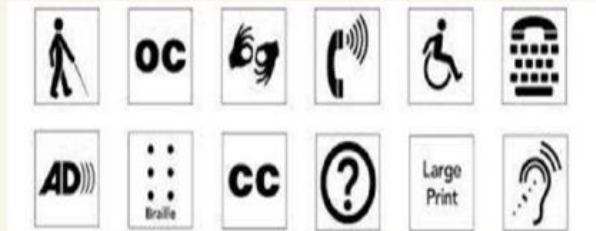
UPCOMING EVENTS

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

ALL ACCESS COMMITTEE

DEAF COMMUNITY

ACCESS, INFO, OUTREACH



GUEST SPEAKER ON OUTREACH,
ASL, PLAIN LANGUAGE, AND MORE!

2ND MONDAY

10/10/22 @ 7 PM EDT



ID: 690 3937 306

PW: AAC2020



AACSEC2020@GMAIL.COM

SUNDAY **OCTOBER 16, 2022** 3PM EDT

A HISTORY OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS AND THE MILITARY

A New Pair
of Goggles



by Roger W.
Fort Knox, KY
Area 26 Panel 68
Delegate

PART 2 OF 2

Part 2 - 10/16/22
AA History thru
a Military Lense
and Applying those
Successes to
Accessibilities

ID: 841 2499 3206

pw 326186

"A.A. grew around the world. Sober uniformed service
members were a big part of that story."

ACCESSIBILITIES@MARYLANDAA.ORG
Spanish and ASL Interpretation upon Request



Happy Destiny Retreat Presents the 15th Annual

Fall Bonfire

Saturday, October 15, 2022

Rain Date October 22, 2021, Check Website to confirm.

**Suggested Donation is
\$10 per Adult**

- Live music
- Cake walk
- 50/50 raffle
- Fun for the whole family
- Coffee, tea, and water provided

**4:00 pm – Dinner, Music,
Fellowship & Festivities**

7:00 pm – AA Meeting

For More Info or Service Opportunities:
Email: happydestinyretreat@gmail.com
Call or Text: Karuna K. 404-353-5005

Website: happydestinyretreat.org

*We will follow Howard County Health Department protocols.

WHAT TO BRING

- A Potluck Dish to Share
Last Name Starts With:
A-K Main Dish
L-S Side Dish or Salad
T-Z Dessert
- Chair/Blanket/Flashlight
- Warm Clothes/Jacket for After Dark
- A Newcomer
- Mask (Optional)*

NO PETS PERMITTED

**Located at Greenbank Farm
7158 Brooks Rd, Highland, MD**

From the Montgomery County area, head EAST on 108 toward Howard County. After you cross the Patuxent River into Howard County go about a mile. Take a LEFT onto BROOKS RD, then turn into the FIRST DRIVEWAY on the LEFT.



**SATURDAY NIGHT MOUNTAIN
GROUP PRESENTS**

**34TH ANNIVERSARY
EATING MEETING
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 12TH**

BETHEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
9664 OPOSSUMTOWN PIKE



**FELLOWSHIP BEGINS AT 6PM, MEETING AT 7PM
FRIED CHICKEN PROVIDED, BRING A DISH TO SHARE**

**EMAIL SATURDAYNIGHTMOUNTAINGROUP@GMAIL.COM
WITH QUESTIONS!**



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**



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.



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. 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.

