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DCM REPORT

No matter how unreasonable others may seem, I am responsible for not reacting negatively. Regardless of what is happening around me I will always have the prerogative, and the responsibility, of choosing what happens within me. I am the creator of my own reality. When I [review my day], I know that I must stop judging others. If I judge others, I am probably judging myself. Whoever is upsetting me most is my best teacher. I have much to learn from him or her, and in my hearts, I should thank that person.

Bill W.

ALTERNATE DCM REPORT

Happy New Year to all! I sincerely hope all had a joyous Holiday Season.

Tradition One: "Our common welfare should come first, personal recovery depends up A.A. unity."

Our lives, the lives of all to come, depend squarely upon it.
Page 129 Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions.

As we start the new year, one of my wishes is that we continue to work together to bring the word of A.A. to all to come and to help the next sick and suffering alcoholic. That was the goal of Bill W. and Dr. Bob.

I was blessed to be given the tried and true help and am so grateful. Remember that even the smallest kind word and extended hand may make a difference to a new person that walks into the rooms.

I want to thank Margie S. Area 60 Delegate for speaking at our last meeting on Social Media and the violation of the Eleventh Tradition. It was quite informative.

Sincerely in service,

Marcia W. Alt. DCM



**International Convention
Alcoholics Anonymous**
July 2-5, 2020 | Detroit, Michigan

Love and Tolerance Is Our Code • Amour et tolérance, voilà notre code • El amor y la tolerancia son nuestro Código

Announcement regarding online contributions

December 20, 2019

Dear friend,

Thank you for being a monthly contributor to the General Service Board of Alcoholics Anonymous through the www.aa.org website. As we continue the system-wide upgrade of our online business functions, we have discovered some problems that are impacting the users of our online contributions website:

1. Credit cards cannot yet be edited or deleted from an account.
2. Recurring contribution dates cannot yet be changed.
3. Contributors cannot stop payments on recurring contributions at this time.
4. In addition, if there is a credit card change, we at G.S.O. currently must deactivate the contributor's account and the contributor will have to log back in and reenter their credit card information.

We apologize for these inconveniences. Sustaining online contributions from you and other A.A. groups and members are a major source of support for the services of General Service Office and our great team is focused on bringing forward solutions as quickly as we can.

Therefore, as a contributor, if you would like to change any of your account information, we ask you to call Awilda Rivera, Contributions Supervisor at G.S.O., (212) 870-3208. Our goal is to deliver the best possible service to our groups and members—and, in this effort, we look forward to hearing from you. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask.

In actual terms, your contributions enable us to ship out 14,000 booklets, pamphlets and miscellaneous items every day; to distribute nearly 5,000 Big Books available in 71 different languages; to answer more than 40 phone calls a day from members or others interested in A.A.; and to respond quickly to more than 250 email inquiries each day. And these are just some of the services your contributions help to provide.

As always, we are most grateful for the support you have shown for G.S.O.'s service to our Fellowship and ask for your continued patience and good will as we work together through this period of transition.

In fellowship,

G. Gregory Tobin
General Manager

TUESDAY NIGHT BEGINNER'S 72nd ANNIVERSARY

WHEN: JANUARY 28, 2020

WHERE: FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

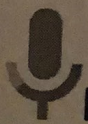
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GREENSBURG

6-6:30pm: COFFEE & FELLOWSHIP

6:30-7:30pm: DINNER

7:30-8:30: SPEAKER



Bring a friend! Bring a spouse! Bring a newcomer!



COVERED DISHES WELCOME



District 23

IMPORTANT ADDRESSES For Home groups mailing contributions:

District 23

PO Box 1698

Greensburg, PA 15601

For contributions to the district, please make checks payable to District 23 and put the group name on check.

****PLEASE NOTE : THE AREA 60 TREASURER ADDRESS HAS CHANGED**

Area 60 Treasurer

P.O. Box 1496

Washington PA, 15301

(Make check payable to "Area 60 Treasurer.")

General Service Office (GSO)

P.O. Box 459

New York, NY 10163

(Make check payable to "AA World Services, Inc.")

District 23 Answering Svc

PO Box 1698

Greensburg, PA 15601

Please make checks payable to Answering Svc and put your group name on check

TO ALL HOME GROUPS:

If you wish to see your group's anniversary or other special event listed, please submit to the Editor no later than the first Monday of the month to have it appear in that month's Informer. My contact info is on the front of the newsletter.

(editor@aa-swespa-dist23.org)

Also, if your group has any changes, please contact the Editor, and it will be listed in the Informer.

Personal stories are welcome also, if you would be willing to share your experience, strength and hope with District 23. (can be anonymous)

Thank you,
Frank F

Exciting news!!

NERASSA

Northeast Regional Alcoholics Anonymous Service Assem- bly IS COMING TO PITTSBURGH IN 2021