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# COMMITTEE REPORTS

## DCM REPORT

Hello District 23!

I want to wish all of you a happy, safe and sober Fourth of July. There are lots of wonderful sober events this summer – please check out as many as you can.

There's lots to do in AA besides meetings, especially in the summer. The Twin Lakes Group is having their annual picnic at Twin Lakes Park on Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup> from 9 am-5 pm. Also coming up is the annual H&I Picnic on Saturday, August 24. These are just a few of the sober celebrations here in our local area. We definitely know how to have fun without drinking, that's for sure!

Lastly, I would like to thank everyone who took the time to attend our Concept 2 workshop tonight. I hope you got a little better understanding of this piece of the Service Manual.

*Lisa V.*

DCM

## H&I REPORT

Greetings fellow travelers.

Just a reminder that our annual Picnic will be held on Saturday August 24<sup>th</sup> at the Grove at St Vincent's. The day kicks off at noon and runs till 5pm or so. We have a speaker all lined up for 4pm to share their experience, strength and hope. There will also be bingo as well as 50/30/10/10 and a raffle. As always, H&I will supply the burger, dogs and corn on the cob. If you would like to bring a side dish or desert, I won't say no. So bring yourself, bring your family, bring a newcomer or a long timer. Hope to see you there.

Please continue to donate any conference approved literature to our literature drive. Our Opportunities in Service forms are always available; please volunteer to carry the message into any of the facilities that we cover. We are truly grateful and may we continue to work together to help save those alcoholics who still suffer and can't get to a meeting without all of our help. Without you we would not be able to provide literature and meetings to carry that message of hope.

**H & I is in need of help.** We need AA members willing to serve as coordinators for some of our facilities. We also need 1 time speakers and home groups to take meetings into facilities and help us carry that 12 step message. The facilities which are in need of coordinators are:

- Torrance State Hospital Monday meeting
- BHS
- Westmoreland County Prison Friday meeting from 6 to 8pm.

The facilities which need a one-time speaker or a home group to carry the message are:

- Gateway in Greensburg
- Torrance State Hospital
- Westmoreland County Prison (men and women)
- BHS
- Juvenile Detention Center

If interested in serving, ask your SPONSOR then contact the chair or coordinator of that facility.

*RON Y.*

H&I Committee Chair

# **IT'S STILL A BIG BLANK PAGE**

“And why is this page blank?”  
you may ask yourself. “Did  
the editor screw up and forget  
something?”

Well, no. This page is yours – the members of  
District 23. Not just committee members,  
GSR’s or chairpersons. **YOU!**

## **YOUR PAGE!!!**

I am putting out a call to any and all of you who  
would like to write an article, blurb or column –  
about your experience, strength and hope in this  
program.

Please submit via the email link on the front  
page:  
**[editor@aa-swestpa-dist23.org](mailto:editor@aa-swestpa-dist23.org)**

In love & serenity,

*Colleen Z.*

Editor

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<b>Thurs. July 11th Irwin Anniversary</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 1<sup>st</sup> Presb. Church 617 Main St, Irwin</b>
<b>August 24th</b>	<b>Annual H&amp;I Picnic St. Vincent's Grove (more info to come!)</b>

## ANNIVERSARY!



### IMPORTANT ADDRESSES

Home groups mailing contributions to Area 60 or the New York General Service Office (GSO) should send checks to:

Area 60 Treasurer  
P.O. Box 152  
Conway, PA 15027  
(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.")

### Irwin Back To Basics

Irwin Back to Basics Group will be celebrating their 19th anniversary on Thursday, July 11th.  
6:30 pm Coffee  
7:00 pm Dinner  
8:00 pm Speaker

**First Presbyterian Church  
617 Main Street, Irwin**

*Please come out and show your support!*

### 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-swestpa-dist23.org](mailto:editor@aa-swestpa-dist23.org)) Also, if your group has any changes, please contact the Editor, and it will be listed in the Informer.

### ANSWERING SERVICE

Please mail contributions to: **Answering Service** - District 23, PO Box 1698, Greensburg, PA 15601. Please make them payable to "Answering Service, District 23" and put your group name on any checks.

Thanks,  
*Colleen Z.*

Editor