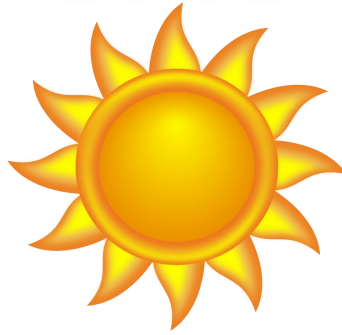


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DCM REPORT

Hello District 23,

Hopefully everyone is enjoying this summer. This month has been nice, busy but too busy as I usually am.

I thank the members of Saturday Night Sober for having me at their anniversary. I had a great time. Thank you to Carl for giving his lead. And also, I make amends to Irwin Back to Ba-sics, for I was unable to attend their anniversary.

Later on, during this month, on the 22nd of July I was on the phone with people from AAWS to AA Members across the country, more about this Diversity In AA. As of this report, there would be mention of this by Carole B. at the General Service Weekend that happened in July. Before this I requested a meeting with a few pastors and deacons that my dad knows. Since he is a deacon himself at his church. My intentions are to ask if anyone knows what AA is and that do they know how AA works.

Moving on to another item. How have conversations been going about members stepping up for service positions in October elections? These positions include: 23 informer editor, PI/CPC, Webmaster, Archivist, Treasurer, Alt. DCM and DCM. Still waiting for word from two other positions as well.

Lastly, as I am in Harrisburg, Pa, when this meeting of the district takes place, I will do my best to represent 23 along side other members of AA. And thank you to our Alt. DCM Bob H., for stepping up to facilitate this District Meeting.

In Peace, Love and Service,

Ed. S.

DCM

DISTRICT 23 H & I COMMITTEE 21st ANNUAL GRATITUDE PICNIC

**SATURDAY AUGUST 11, 2018
THE GROVE @ ST VINCENT COLLEGE
12 NOON – 5 PM (SPEAKER @ 4PM)**

BINGO @ 1:00

50/30/10/10 @ 3:00

RAFFLES

BURGERS, DOGS, CORN AND DRINKS PROVIDED



COVERED DISHES AND DESSERTS WELCOMED

*******RAFFLE DONATIONS APPRECIATED AND
ACCEPTED*******

**FUN, FOOD & FELLOWSHIP!!!!
OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES, FUN FOR ALL!!!
COME JOIN US!!**

For more info, contact Debbie H. 724-832-1024 or Dee S.
724-972-8676, your GSR or H&I representative

78th Laurel Highlands Conference

~A Spiritual Experience~

October 26, 27 & 28, 2018

Reg Price for the Weekend starts at \$165.00 - Register early please!!!

\$165.00 per person (dbl occupancy) includes 2 nights lodging in a comfortable “retreat-style” room (2 twin beds, in-room sink, shared bath), 5 buffet-style meals and all meetings. If available, rooms can be assigned as single occupancy at \$195.00 per person. For those who wish to stay at a Greensburg area motel the Quality Inn, Rt. 30, 724-838-7070 or The Inn at Mountain View, 300 Scenery Lane, 724-691-0570 are close by. The commuter registration cost for all 5 meals and meetings is \$95.00 per person. If you wish to share a room with another person, please indicate their name on the registration form below.

All AA meetings are open, no registration required, although donations are greatly appreciated to help defray conference expenses. Coffee and fellowship before and after all meetings!

Location: Bishop Connare Center, 2900 Seminary Dr. Greensburg, PA 15601 - Bishop Connare Center (www.bishopconnarecenter.org) is located from all points via the Pennsylvania Turnpike Exit #67 and is just off Rt. 30 east...one mile past Westmoreland Mall. (emergency contact no. during the conference is Bruce A. 412-610-5485)

For more information please contact a committee member: Bruce A.

(724-834-0567),

Bob Z. (412-600-2711), Walter N. (440-376-3609), Rich M. (440-221-4473), Mary M. (440-840-1972),

Dan L. (440-637-6156), Jerry K. (440-251-3508), Lindsay S. (440-391-1663), Eileen S. (440-497-1323), Abby B. (412-215-6959), Judi M. (412-580-6347).

Friday night Speaker	8pm	Tim L	Tarentum, PA
Sat Morning Speaker	10:00am	Sherry V.	Willoughby, OH
Saturday Afternoon “As Bill Sees It” Panel	1:30pm	Rich M -Chair	3 selected attendees
Saturday evening speaker	8pm	Dave M	Painesville, OH
Sunday Morning AA meeting	9:30am	All attendees	“God as I understand Him”

REGISTRATION FOR CONFERENCE FOR OUT OF TOWN GUESTS ONLY- - - -LAUREL HIGHLANDS CONFERENCE

Please complete the registration form below, detach and enclose your check or money order payable to:

Laurel Highlands Conference and mail c/o: Bruce A., Box 6, Bovard, PA 15619.

Name _____

Address: _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Room type: Single _____ Double _____

Roommate requested: _____

If interested in participating on Sat afternoon As Bill Sees

It Panel? check here _____ (updated 6-30-18)

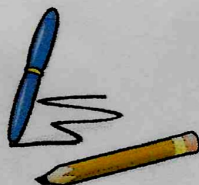
Registration begins at 3 pm Friday (dinner at 6:00)

SCOTTDALE NEW & OLDTIMERS

Big Book Step Study Workshop (Steps 9, 10, 11, 12)



12 Step Big Book Workshop
on AA's 12 Steps



It works—it really does.

Alcoholics Anonymous - Pg. 88

Saturday September 29, 2018
NOON - 4:00pm

Calvin Presby church

(311 Mulberry St. Scottsdale, 15683)

Same location as the 8pm Thursday meeting



Coffee, Water,
and snacks will
be provided

Desserts are
welcome

"Dust off that Big Book and join us for a day of fun & learning"

(Any questions can be directed to Jon Aigner 724-244-0474)

District 23 **info**

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-swestpa-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,
Monica



ATTENTION!!

On Thursday, August 16th, 2018, Irwin Back to Basics will be having their regular meeting at the pavilion in **Irwin Park.**

(The Park is across the street from the church). Please bring your own chair and coffee

Interested in a service position?

H & I service positions available.

The H & I meetings are held at Christ United Church 100 Lincoln Avenue, Youngwood at 10:30 AM on the 2nd Saturday of the month.

Also there **open coordinator positions at our District..** The GSR meeting is held on the first Friday of the month in Jeannette at The First Presbyterian Church, Corner of 4th and Bullitt Ave. Jeannette at 6:30pm.

There will also be voting for district 23 positions coming up this fall. Please consider service work. Great way to be of service and helps to stay sober too.....

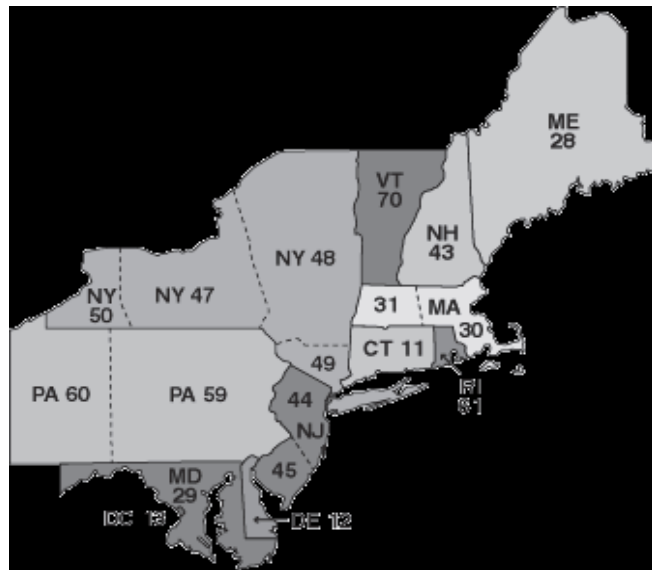
If you are interested, you are welcome to come check out a district meeting the first Friday of the month . See address above.

EXCITING NEWS!!

NERASSA

(Northeast Regional
Alcoholics Anonymous
Service Assembly)

IS
COMING TO
PITTSBURGH IN



FEBRUARY 2021!!