

AAIG BULLETIN

Monthly Publication of the Annapolis Area Intergroup (AAIG)

If you are seeking help for a drinking problem, call our 24-hour hotline: 410-268-5441

This we owe to A.A.'s future; to place our common welfare first; to keep our Fellowship united. For on A.A. unity depend our lives, and the lives of those to come..."

Responsibility Statement

I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of A.A. always to be there. And for that, I am Responsible.

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FIND A MEETING

The AAIG website has a new updated meeting finder. Thanks to all that had a part in making this happen!

Take a look, if you see issues with meeting information you can report them to our web team.

webmaster@annapolisareaintergroup.org



Step 8

Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all.

Tradition 8

Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers.

Concept 8

The Trustees of the General Service Board act in two primary capacities: (a) With respect to the larger matters of overall policy and finance, they are the principal planners and administrators. They and their primary committees directly manage these affairs. (b) But with respect to our separately incorporated and constantly active services, the relation of the Trustees is mainly that of full stock ownership and of custodial oversight which they exercise through their ability to elect all directors of these entities.

Online @ www.annapolisareaintergroup.org

ANNIVERSARIES

DATE	NAME	YEARS	LOCATION
August 14	Kay M	37	Saturday Morning Big Book (Zoom Group)
August 16	Shannon M	1	OPAAT
August 17	Jonas L	39	Sharing and Caring
August 21	Logan S	37	Saturday Morning Big Book (Zoom Group)
August 28	Morgan J	43	Saturday Morning Big Book (Zoom Group)
August 30	Margaret "Meg" D	1	OPAAT

AAIG Information:

2021 Executive Committee Contacts **Chairperson: Valerie B**

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Bulletin & Anniversary Submissions:

Submit To Editor:

bulletin@annapolisareaintergroup.org

Deadline for Submissions:

the 18th of the Prior Month

To receive event Announcements & Bulletin via
Email, sign up @
annapolisareaintergroup.org/subscribe.htm

Monthly Meetings:

AAIG Executive Meeting & Intergroup Council:

Suspended for August to reconvene in September
2021. See you all in September!

AAIG Desk Committee - The Desk Committee needs your help.

The AAIG is has an open position for secretary. The secretary records minutes of the meetings and distributes them via email to the Executive and Intergroup Council members. It is suggested that the volunteer have a minimum of (2) years of continuous sobriety. If you are interested in an AA commitment, please contact either Valerie B. at chair@annapolisareaintergroup.org or Richard Y. at vicechair@annapolisareaintergroup.org. Please provide your contact information so that we can discuss the position with you. It's a great opportunity to be a part of and help AA to continue to carry the message!

Upcoming Events, Meeting Info and Workshops:

- **August 20 - 21, 2021: 25th Annual Southeast Woman to Woman Conference** - Flyer below
- **LIVE: The beginner's meeting schedule is below.** Meetings **are held in the back courtyard (weather permitting)**, and you have to bring a chair and wear a mask. As new information becomes available it will be posted on the AAIG website. • Sunday: 8:30pm, Monday: 6pm, Tuesday: 8:30pm, Wednesday: 8:30pm, Thursday: 6:30pm, Friday: 8:30pm, Saturday: 12:30pm
- **LIVE: 6:30 PM Saturday (Beginning April 3), Arnold-Asbury Group #349, Arnold-Asbury Methodist Church, 77 Church Road, Arnold 21012**
- **LIVE: 7:30am and Noon Meetings are at the church next-door to the Red House (First Presbyterian Church of Annapolis)**
- **UPDATE: Wednesday Night 8:30 Eastport Group Zoom Meeting** - Meeting ID is 882 2734 7454 and Password is 340941
- **UPDATE: Odenton Thursday Discussion** will be meeting at Nichols Bethel Church, 1239 Murray Road, Odenton MD Thursdays 7:30pm as well as doing zoom meeting. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6543420195?pwd=VnR6RlR1UEU5ZFZlcVhPdGxuYzdlUT09> Meeting ID: 654 342 0195 Passcode: 154300
- **LIVE: Crofton Open (Prince of Peace)** 8:00 p.m Friday Ardley Court Crofton. Prince Of Peace Presbyterian Church. Please park in Church parking lot.
- **LIVE: Stepping Out (Begins November 3rd)** Tuesday 7:00 p.m St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 1110 St. Stephen's Church Rd. Crownsville, Md 21032
- **LIVE: We Are Lit (Begins November 5th)** Thursday 7:00 p.m St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 1110 St. Stephen's Church Rd Crownsville, Md 21032
- **LIVE: AA for Atheists and Agnostics:** There is a new In-Person meeting at South Shore Recovery in Crownsville. It is Mondays at 5:00, masks required, 22 people maximum.
- **List of online and phone meetings:** <https://www.annapolisareaintergroup.org/docs/AA-Online-Meeting-List.pdf>

Spotlight on AAIG

Behind the scenes at AAIG there is much to do. Our example this month is Tim H, the AAIG Treasurer. Tim handles the AAIG finances, including the budget, the banking, and the payments for all AAIG's expenses. This activity is then compiled into a monthly report which he presents at each of the AAIG Council meetings. In addition, Tim is a member of the Red House Steering committee. He, along with other members, has rearranged the basement and set up an office at the Red House where all AAIG committees can find information needed to conduct business.

Tim was born and raised in Seattle, Washington. He attended schools in Seattle, in Southern California and in the Boston area. After serving on active duty in the U S Navy, he spent his entire working career in the aerospace industry. Tim got sober in Orange County, California and moved to Annapolis in 2016.

The Galesville Thursday Night 12x12 Meeting is Tim's Homegroup where he recently celebrated his 13th year of sobriety. In addition to AAIG Intergroup Representative for his Homegroup, Tim also serves as Intergroup Liaison for District 6 and GSR for another AA Group meeting he participates in. His past service positions include DCM for our District 6, and while living in Southern California served as CPC Chair and as Treasurer for District 12 of Area 09. Whew. Tim, did I miss anything? So, does he have any time for anything else? When I called the other day, he was chasing par on the back 9 at the newly reopened Eisenhower golf course. On behalf of AAIG we thank you for all you do.

PLEASE send us your updated meeting information

As COVID precautions relax in the upcoming months, AAIG anticipates numerous meeting changes. To remain current, we are taking measures to update our meeting list on the website and to republish a meeting directory for the Annapolis area. AA World Services also uses these lists as input for the meeting app.

We plan to contact the more than 200 inactive/unreported meetings to establish a new list, including those groups which may not be currently meeting. This will require significant effort. We are looking for outreach committee volunteers for each area of Anne Arundel County who are in contact with those groups that are or were convening. Thank you; such service helps all alcoholics. We intend to post a new, consolidated list of both online and in person meetings with hard copies soon to follow.

Visit the AAIG website

<https://www.annapolisareaintergroup.org/WWChange.php>

It's also accessible from the AAIG Home Page



You can also register/update your group information online here

Here is a direct link - <https://forms.gle/533Nzj8WQYaR98CA8>

Or print off the page below and send it in with the information.

Mailing information is on the bottom of the form.

Annapolis Area Intergroup – Group or Meeting Information Update

Date Update Submitted:

Information submitted by: (WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL)

First Name Last Name phone e-mail

Instructions: The meeting list is maintained by volunteers; it is a LOT of work. When filling out this form “we beg you to be fearless and thorough from the very start”!!!! It is very difficult to keep the list up to date with partial or confusing information. If the whole form is not completed, and if the contact name is not filled in.... we cannot guarantee that your meeting will be updated. (PS contact outreach@annapolisareainterroup.com if you would like to volunteer and help our committee...or if you have questions)

This is a: New meeting entry change to existing meeting meeting deletion

	OLD MEETING INFORMATION	NEW MEETING INFORMATION
Group Name		
Meeting Location		
Meeting Address street		
Meeting address town		
Meeting address zip code		
Meeting Day		
Meeting Time		
Meeting Type (see key)		
In person/online/hybrid		
Online connection info		
Online password (if applicable)		
AAIG Meeting #: (optional)		
AA GSO Meeting #: (Optional)		
AAIG Rep. Name: (optional)		
AAIG Rep. Phone #: (optional)		
AAIG Rep. Email: (optional)		
OK to list AAIG Rep? (yes or no)		
Comments:		

Meeting Key: O = Open, C = Closed, B = Beginners, D = Discussion, LD= Literature/Discussion, SP = Speakers, ST = Step/Traditions, BB = Big Book, AB = As Bill Sees It, CTB = Came to Believe, DR = Daily Reflections, GD = Grapevine Discussion, HIW = How it Works, M = 11th Step Meditation, NCS = No Court Slips, W = Wheelchair Accessible, # = AAIG number for use with all correspondence

Form to submit online at: annapolisareaintergroup.org or Submit by Mail to: Annapolis Area Intergroup; PO Box 2267; Annapolis MD 21404 Submit by e-mail to: webmaster@annapolisareaintergroup.org



August 20 - August 21, 2021

Richmond, Virginia

25th Annual Southeast Woman to Woman Conference

"Secrets Women Don't Share"

A Conference for sober Alcoholic women with Al-Anon participation



This is a Virtual Event

Speakers

Workshops

Old Timers Panel

Marathon Meetings

Registration is free but required at www.sewomantowoman.org