



Knox Knews

District 15 Happenings

Revitalized

Camden Women's Step meeting,

Fridays, 6pm, St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 33 Chestnut St. in Camden.

Showing it Works!

October Anniversaries

Dick M, 17 yrs

Prayer & Meditation
Tuesday, Oct 9

Wayne G, 3 yrs

Brown Bag
Monday, Oct 8

Billy A, 28 yrs

Cindi A, 17 yrs

Brown Bag
Saturday, Oct 13

Brigitte, 2 yrs

Camden 12-Step
Monday, Oct 15

Trisha J, 4 yrs

Prayer & Meditation
Tuesday, Oct 30

Area and District Elections this month

On October 14, District 15 will elect new officers and committee chairs for the next rotation, beginning next January. All groups have a vote through their GSR. Please be represented.

On October 19-21, Area 28 will elect new officers for the next rotation, beginning next January. All groups have a vote through their GSR.. Please be represented.

More details on page two. -->>

Pre-Game Show/ Tailgate Party



Beginning at 4 pm, before the District meeting on October 14, the Love and Service committee will hold an orientation workshop discussing the various positions to be filled, what they do and how they have done it. Former officers and committee chairs are urged to come, join the discussion and share your experience. EVERYONE is invited.

Free programs and scoring cards and munchies.



Owls Head Community Building

Halloween 2007, 6-? pm Tickets \$5

Potluck-Dancing-Fellowship

RAFFLE! COSTUME EVENTS!

Attention: We need your help to make this happen. Right now, we have enough money to rent the hall and make tickets and some flyers.

We really need people to buy advance tickets in order to hire a DJ.

We really need people to commit in advance to making food for the potluck, and then coordinating with us at to what that food will be.

This event needs your support to happen.

Please call, email, or send a smoke signal to Lizzie D. at 596-0028, 317-7565 or lizzie.dickerson@gmail.com

Step Ten

Continued to take personal inventory and when we were wrong promptly admitted it.

Tradition Ten

Alcoholics Anonymous has no opinion on outside issues; hence the A.A. name ought never be drawn into public controversy.

Concept Ten

Every service responsibility should be matched by an equal service authority, with the scope of such authority well defined.

Family in Need

Henry H. is in the Knox Center for Long Term Care on White St., across the street from St. Pete's, across from the Rec Center, in Rockland. He's feeling abandoned by the Fellowship and would like some visitors.

Newsletter Editor Needed

NO technical computer expertise needed. The Love and Service committee is looking for someone to take editorial control of what is in the Newsletter and how it looks. We have volunteers to handle production.

GSR Orientation

There will be a GSR orientation on Friday evening at the beginning of the Area Assembly in Belfast. Area officers and veteran GSR's will be there to help new and returning GSRs get ready and comfortable for the Assembly. Especially if you haven't been to an Area Assembly before, it is suggested you attend.

Rotation gives us all an opportunity to contribute to the organization and contribute to ensuring that the hand of AA is always there for the still sick and suffering.

Rotation ensures that we do not create the entrenched leadership that can stifle a group or organization. Perhaps we have all experienced the dominant clique that makes it hard to feel welcome in a group or organization.

The primary business of the **Area 28 Fall Assembly**—October 19-21 in Belfast—will be the elections of officers and delegate for the next two years. **Area Positions to be filled, and alternates for each, are Chair, Treasurer, Secretary, Delegate, and Registrar (no alternate Registrar).** In addition, there will be several revisions of the guidelines to be voted on. More information, including a lodging list and Assembly schedule, will be available at the District meeting.

District elections will be held at the October meeting, October 14. **District positions to be filled on October 14 are: Officers: Chair, Three District Committee Members (DCM), Secretary and alternate secretary, Treasurer and alternate treasurer. Committee Chairs: Archives, Boomerang, Bridging the Gap, Central Service Office Liaison, Cooperation with the Professional Community, Corrections, Events, Grapevine, Guidelines, Hotline, Literature, Love and Service, Meeting List, Public Information, Special Needs, and Treatment.**

There will be a **GSR Roundtable discussion** at 4 pm Sunday, October 14. The District meeting begins at 5 pm. The Roundtable and District meeting are at the Rockland Universalist Church on Broadway. ALL AA's are invited to attend the district meeting, whether or not you are a GSR.

God can't hand you anything new until you let go of what you are holding.

Events Around the Area

October 5-7 Portland Big Book Step Study 6th Annual Camp Mechuwana Retreat. Flyer at www.aamaine.org.

October 6th Love and Service Celebration of Life by the Auburn Attitude Adjustment Group at the Vineyard Church on Outer Lisbon Street 8 AM - 2:30 PM Child Care, Bus Transportation, Signing for the hearing impaired. for more information call Dan C. 207-713-3939 Flyer at www.aamaine.org.

October 7th New Bookies meeting. 9 AM Governor's Restaurant South Portland for more information contact Steve V at stephenverrill@yahoo.com or Lenny G 207-229-5386

October 11th Ye Olde Step Group's 60th Anniversary Celebration Masonic Lodge 130 West Grand Ave Old Orchard Beach Potluck Dinner 5:30 PM speakers meeting 7 PM

October 19th Gorham Outreach Group Anniversary 6 - 7:30 PM Pot Luck 7:30 - 8:30 PM regular meeting all are welcome.

November 18 District 24 Love and Service Day 9 AM - Noon Potluck Noon - 1 PM Step 12 Needs you. Larrabee Village Community Center, 30 Lisa Harmon Dr, Westbrook for more information call Stan L 854-6611 or Shirley S 829-2020

The miracle of Service is this: when I use what I have, I find there is more available to me than I realized.

(Daily Reflections)

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For a list of Area officers and committee chairs, go to www.area28.aamaine.org