



Tri-County Central Office News

It's very unfortunate that those in Alcoholics Anonymous who relapse are held up as evidence the program does not work.

A Monthly Newsletter of the Tri-County Central Office, Inc.
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WE WHO ARE NEXT IN LINE

I am a twenty-two-year-old alcoholic. After several years of hard drinking, I was dying of alcoholism. Doctors had told me I was incurable and hopeless. I began to recover through the program of Alcoholics Anonymous, and by the grace of a very loving God and AA, I'm still sober three years later. Because of my recovery, I was allowed to pursue a lifelong dream and I enlisted in the Air Force. This has given me the opportunity to attend AA meetings in different states and other nations, and I have noticed something interesting in my travels. Where a meeting allows people to talk about drug addiction, it usually allows them to talk about everything else under the sun and they invariably do. In these meetings that have little regard for AA Traditions, there seem to be more people who go back to drinking, more people who don't practice the Twelve Steps, more people who don't have (or don't use) a sponsor, more people who don't extend a safe welcome to visitors or pay much attention to newcomers. However, on the other side of the coin, meetings that insist on discussing topics related to recovery from alcoholism only—and stand by it—are often meetings that make sure a new person is welcomed and given phone numbers with maybe a pamphlet or two, meetings that make their visitors feel like they've come home, meetings that get involved with hospitals and institutions committees and their service centers. These meetings produce a different result. The old-timers are there, and they have a respected voice because of their tested experience. People at those meetings have and use sponsors and they talk about how they've applied the AA program in their daily lives. They have more solutions and talk less about problems, more peace and less turmoil, and more people who stay recovered and less who go back to drinking again. Bill W. was right: AA cannot fix the world. AA's Twelve Steps and Traditions can be applied universally to everyone's benefit, but AA itself must forever remain by and for alcoholics. To mix up our primary purpose—freedom from alcohol—with drug addiction and over-eating and other destructive dependencies erodes the unity that binds us together, unity we must keep to survive. It's not a matter of exclusivity, it's a matter of the survival of AA's very existence. Since the Fellowship's early days, we have had the Twelve Steps to guide us. But the bedrock of AA has always been one drunk talking to another. Through this, the depth of understanding is reached that gives hope to a desolate alcoholic's heart. One drunk to another—not one addict to an alcoholic or one codependent to an alcoholic. One day it will be left to the young people now in the Fellowship to carry on the original spirit and traditions of AA, even through the buzz words and trends will come and go. It will be up to us to teach newcomers how to maintain the type of sobriety that achieves the promises of the Big Book and dispels some of the fables of recovery popular today. It will be up to us to help the newcomer from the street dry out, shakes and pukes and all. We will be left to teach the little things: how to sit at the front, not back of the

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UNITY SELDOM MEANS THAT WE ALL AGREE

Tradition One: *Our common welfare comes first; personal recovery depends upon AA unity.*

That night I left my home group business meeting in tears, after what I saw as a bitter quarrel. I was surprised to realize that what I was feeling was not anger, but fear—that this group, which had shown me love and acceptance during my first shaky weeks, might break up over minor disagreements. What would happen to me then? Walking into the coffee shop where members of the group often met after the meetings, I was startled to see those who had been most vocal in their disagreement sitting together, talking amicably, and apparently the best of friends. Was their disagreement resolved or forgotten? Not at all. They were practicing the principles of Alcoholics Anonymous. They were placing their recovery before their personal disagreement. While they disagreed regarding what was best for the group, they were willing to allow the process of arriving at an informed group conscience to work, and then to accept that group conscience. They were able to set aside their differences while this happened and continue to care for one another and for their sobriety. I'd like to say that I learned this lesson and was able to put it into practice immediately, but that was not the case. As usually happens, it took repetition and some sustained personal discomfort for me to learn something about unity. There inevitably came a time in my sobriety when I felt strongly about problems which I saw in my home group. Suddenly I found myself at the center of a controversy, feeling that I must defend my position and convince others that what I wanted was in the best interests of the group. After all. This was a matter of principle. I was certain that not only was my will right for me, but essential to the survival of the group (*maybe even AA as a whole!*) When the group reached a decision which I believed was wrong I went through fear (*what will happen to my group?*), anger (*how dare they do this!*), guilt (*I should have done more to convince them*), and self-pity (*they didn't vote for this because they don't like me*). I wanted to run away because that had always been my response to uncomfortable emotions. But through the example of others I was able to sit still and wait. Much to my surprise, the group didn't fail, AA as a whole didn't appear to be affected by the decision, and we all continued to stay sober. Some time later the group reversed itself and decided to change direction, handling group business in a way that I believed was more in keeping with our Twelve Traditions. Life and recovery went on and the group flourished. What I've learned is that unity seldom means that we all agree on everything. Nor is unity served by setting aside our concerns and conforming to the majority opinion (or the vocal minority). My experience has been that unity is best achieved by a full hearing of all points of view, followed by some time for all of those involved to step back from emotional responses to the issue, as well as careful consideration and prayer for that which will best serve the group or Alcoholics Anonymous as a whole. I've also learned

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District 2 - Tampa Bay Area Institutions Committee covering Hillsborough & East Pasco Counties

CONTACT---(877) AATAMPA or (877) 228-2672

Special note: TBAIC literature is available for distribution at the TBAIC meeting which is usually held the second Saturday of each month or the 4th Thursday of the month from 5:50 pm to 6:50 pm at the Tri-County Central Office.) Please use the sign-out sheet when obtaining materials.

Tom F. opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer
 Jim S. Secretary - read the minutes from the June meeting, Sara R. asked the group to amend the minutes for meetings at Hillsborough County Jails, women's meeting is Monday not Sunday. Motion made to accept; group approved.
 Scott S. Treasurer - presented the treasurers report, motion was made to accept, group approved.
 Sara R., Hillsborough County Jails, Women's - reported she is ok with talking with Admin. about a renewed effort for the Monday meeting.
 Buddy H., Hillsborough County Jails, Men - reported all is going well.
 Ruth N., Pasco Women's Jails, - reported all is going well. Carol B. is working with Admin to start daytime meeting in September
 Ed D., Meeting Coordinator, - reported updated meeting list has been uploaded to the TBAIC website. Mentioned plenty of openings for volunteers. Tom F. suggested TBAIC become pro-active with recruiting by attending Council meeting and District meetings.
 Julie L., Women Bridging the Gap - reported 3 calls
 Tom F., Men Bridging the Gap - reported 2 calls
 Man On The Bed had 3 calls last month. The program needs Spanish speaking volunteers.
 New Business:
 Susan O. reported on the Area conference in Tampa. Tom F. brought in a couple of speakers for the corrections workshop. Was very well accepted.
 Tom F. made a motion at the Area Corrections workshop, to be presented at the Area meeting for State and Federal groups that are registered with New York, and are incarcerated, to be able to vote via Proxy, on motions at the Area level.
 Group discussed the Vacancy of Chairperson. Allan D. would accept the position, and Dan L. would accept Co-Chairperson. Group will vote at the August meeting if this is acceptable.
 White Sands/Brandon going well, but could use a few female volunteers.

Our Next Committee Meeting
August 10th 2019 9:30 AM on at the Tri-County Central Office (near Himes & Waters). If you need more specific directions please call Tim @ 813-933-9123. The meeting usually lasts about an hour and it is the best way to get involved with service work, in Detox/Treatment/Jail/ Prison facilities. If you would like to join our committee **PLEASE COME!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

Pink Can Drive

Our committee is 100% self supporting and receives no funds from the traditional pie charts or District 2 in accordance with our group conscious. If your home group has not made a pink can donation recently or if you are able to send an additional donation this year ... We will put it to great use!

TBAIC, PO Box 26242, Tampa FL 33623

Thank you to those groups who have sent in a donation last Month:

TBAIC Contributions (June 9th - July 13th):
 Cardinal Group - \$50.00, Hide-A-Way Group - \$600.00, Keystone Discussion Group - \$140.77, Live and Let Live Group - \$25.60, Living in the Solution Group - \$15.00, Morning Meditation Group - \$133.77, Nightly Newcomers 3333 Group - \$55.81, Promises AA Group - \$438.84, Sisters in Sobriety - \$310.50, TGIS Group (Women) - \$106.19, Wellspring Recovery Group - \$31.00.

TBAIC 2017 - 2018 Committee Members
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Position	Name
Chair	Allan D.
Chair (Alt.)	Ruth N.
Treasurer	Scott S.
Treasurer (Alt.)	Open
Secretary	Jim S.
Secretary (Alt.)	Nancy B.
Hills Jails	Open
Hillsborough County Jail	Buddy H.
Hills Women's Jails	Sara R.
Detox & Treatment	Ed D.
E. Pasco Jail-Women's	Ruth N.
E. Pasco Prison	Chris D.
Women's Bridge the Gap	Amanda L.
Men's Bridge the Gap	Tom F.
Pre-release	Open
Juvenile	Open

YTD Contributions to TBAIC	\$ 12,657.69
Pink Can Balance 12/31/17	\$ 7,546.15
YTD Money Spent on Literature	\$ 11,135.54
YTD Expenses	\$ 1,211.66
Pink Can Balance 8/11/18	\$ 7,856.64

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room, say hello to the new guy, wash coffee cups and ashtrays. One day it will be up to us to uphold the Traditions. It will be up to us to keep it simple. Today, young people are learning from the last generation of AA's who got the message straight from the original old-timers. We must be diligent in preserving the AA way of life through our actions and our participation at meetings amid an ever growing attitude of "I come first" rather than "sobriety comes first." There are many catch-words, but only one program of recovery outlined in the Big Book. Old-timers, there are still some of us who desperately need you and value what you have to say. Young people, it's our responsibility to follow in their footsteps.
Jenifer C., Bury St. Edmunds, England 1994
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that when a decision is reached which doesn't work for the good of the group it can be changed. Nothing is set in stone, and we have the ability to learn from our mistakes in sobriety. When we need to make a decision it's important for me to allow the group conscience to work and to trust in the process of applying the Twelve Traditions in making our decisions. When I'm able to do this, I feel that I'm a part of this Fellowship and that we are united in our common disease, our common solution, and our common purpose.
Mickey H. Springville, Utah 1998
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- NEW FEATURES**
- Search - Users will now be able to search for meetings by name or location
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THE POWER OF EXAMPLES

Alcoholics Anonymous found me in the rooms of a treatment center in 1997 when a nearby group bought us a meeting. When I first saw the leader, I thought how nice it was of him to give us his time and how happy he looked. After the meeting, he handed me a card with his girlfriend's number on the back and told me she would be my temporary sponsor, if I wanted one. The next day, after arguing with one of the staff in the cafeteria, I threw a temper tantrum and stormed off to my room. Then, throwing myself on the bed, I started sobbing, "God please help me. I am so sick and tired of being sick and tired." At that moment, the telephone number on the card popped into my head. I went to the phone in the hallway to call a woman I didn't even know. As the phone rang, I became anxious. I didn't know what to say or do. The woman who answered the phone had a kind and pleasant voice. I told her how I'd gotten her number the night before and proceeded to explain my situation to her: I told her that my whole life, my whole world, was falling apart. We spoke for about forty-five minutes. By the time I hung up, I had made a decision to turn my will and life over to the care of the AA program. This woman's kindness, her sincerity, and her patience during our phone conversation had set an example for me. I could hear her children in the background, but she never once screamed at them as I had done to my own children on so many occasions. She had patience; I didn't have any. I went to my first AA meeting the day I was released from treatment and have been going every day since. I've told my story and participated in service work at correctional institutions, and I've made lots of close friends in AA. I had to learn how to trust and be honest with myself and others. I had to learn how to live life. It isn't always easy, but AA gave me the tools for living, and I try to apply them on a daily basis. Today I have a new life. Today my family is watching me grow, instead of watching me die. I have a newfound belief in God and a newfound confidence in myself. Today, I enjoy waking up in the morning.
Clair E., Tampa, Florida
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NOTES FROM INSIDE THE CENTRAL OFFICE

July 9th, 2019 the Board of Directors for Central Office

BOARD MEMBERS		REPRESENTING GROUP
AL B.	CHAIRPERSON	THURSDAY NIGHT BIG BOOK
MICHELE S.	BOARD MEMBER	SAFE,SANE & SOBER GROUP
ROD Q.	BOARD MEMBER	SOBER ON SATURDAY GROUP
KATHIE N.	BOARD MEMBER	SOBRENITY GROUP
Excused	BOARD MEMBER	THURSDAY BIG BOOK GROUP
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Al then opened the meeting in the usual matter with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. He asked everyone if they had signed in and to turn down their cell phones. **Secretary Report:** Michelle read the June minutes. There were no questions, a motion to accept was made and approved. **Treasurers Report:** Tim presented the Treasurers report for June . Contributions in June totaled \$4,180.13. This accounts for what 34 Groups or individuals in our area have contributed in June. Included we also received \$112.00 from three AA members for the Birthday Club, \$105.00 from the Founders Day 7th Tradition Basket, \$294.00 from the Founders Day 50/50 Raffle and \$40.00 from the Old School Group to help pay for supplies for the Founders Day Event.. Our total income for June was \$8,333.91. Our Total Cost of Goods Sold was \$3009.16. Subtracting the Total Cost of Goods Sold from our June income left us with a Gross Profit of \$5,324.75. Our Total Expenses for June were \$ 8,571.01. Subtracting our Expenses from our Gross Profit gave us a Net Income of minus—\$3,246.26 for the month of June. We are now, at the end of June \$2,445.48 to the good for the year. There were no questions. A motion to accept was made, seconded and approved. **Old Business:** Kathie was curious about the fee we had to pay to rent the room for the Founders Day Event. The cost was \$500.00 plus \$126.85 for liability insurance. Kathie noted that her church has space to hold 300 people and she would check to see what requirements would be needed to use for one of our events. **New Business:** Al brought up the 12 Step List and asked if anyone would like to volunteer to sign up. Not much response. Al handed out 12 Step List sign-up sheets. Discussion then turned to the Physical Inventory to be held the first Saturday of January 2020. We could use all the help we can to count anything. Rod noted that their group had been having some discussion on All Groups meeting. Tim explained briefly on how and what was needed to do an All Groups. One member had a concern about their group using money for the pie-chart to refurbish floors in their meeting room that they rent. Some thought that this should be the landlord's responsibility. Discussion followed about groups who hold on to large amounts of cash **Announcements:** Tampa Bay Fall Roundup—Keystone Group TBAIC Fundraiser—Promises Group 9th Anniversary Dinner. **Council Meeting:** Al opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer followed by asking everyone to turn down their cell phones. New Council Members were Mandi P. from the Barracks Brigade Group and Devon F. from the Came to Believe Group.

July 9th, 2019 the Central Office Representatives met:

COUNCIL MEMBERS		REPRESENTING GROUP
JULIE H.		THE MEETING PLACE GROUP
MARGARLD S.		CAME TO BELIEVE GROUP
JAN B.		WOMEN'S FRIDAY NIGHT BIG BOOK
JEFF P.		TAMPA YPG
MICHAEL R.		NEXT DOOR GROUP
FRANK L.		TURNING POINT GROUP
CORINAE B.		FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP WOMENS GROUP
MANDI P.		BARRACKS BRIGADE GROUP
DEBBIE S.		TO IMPROVE OUR CONSCIOUS CONTACT
SUE Z.		CLEAN AIR GROUP
DENNY M.		VALRICO BRANDON WEDNESDAY NIGHT
BETTY E.		SOBER @ 7 GROUP
JEFF H.		IT'S IN THE BOOK GROUP
MIKE J.		KEEP IT SIMPLE MEN'S GROUP
MICHAEL R.		VILLAGE 12 STEP GROUP
AMANDA L.		SOBRENITY GROUP
JON K.		OLD SCHOOL GROUP

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ANNIVERSARY TIME It Works-It Really Does—Ask them how they did it!!!			
GROUP	Honors To	Date	Years
HIGH NOONERS Plant City	RANDY C.	08/14/17	2 YRS
FRIDAY NIGHT BIG BOOK	STAN P.	08/29/81	38 YRS
JUST WHAT I WANTED	JENNIFER T.	08/07/09	10 YRS
CAME TO BELIEVE GROUP	AMANDA T.	08/24/14	5 YRS
CAME TO BELIEVE GROUP	LARA M.	08/20/13	6 YRS
CAME TO BELIEVE GROUP	STEPHEN B.	08/20/10	9 YRS
CAME TO BELIEVE GROUP	RANDY K.	08/21/85	34 YRS
RIVERSIDE GROUP	KIRK	08/05/13	6 YRS
KEYSTONE GROUP	DREW D.	08/01/15	4 YRS
KEYSTONE GROUP	JOE Erd	08/31/14	5 YRS
KEYSTONE GROUP	JONAS A.	08/20/13	6 YRS
KEYSTONE GROUP	ANNETTE W.	08/05/06	13 YRS
KEYSTONE GROUP	GREG L.	08/17/82	37 YRS
RUSH HOUR SERENITY	RITA S.	08/22/94	25 YRS
ON THE WAY HOME	SANDI K.	08/01/96	23 YRS
ON THE WAY HOME	MILLAIN W.	08/01/83	36 YRS
SOBER @ 7 GROUP	PAULA C.	08/18/17	2 YRS
SOBER @ 7 GROUP	SANDY U.	08/12/17	2 YRS
SOBER @ 7 GROUP	TROY H.	08/04/16	3 YRS
SOBER @ 7 GROUP	MAC Mc.	08/14/95	24 YRS
FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP	DEBORAH K.	08/07/10	9 YRS
FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP	ANNA V.	08/03/10	9 YRS
FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP	ASYA	08/04/07	12 YRS
FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP	KATHIE G.	08/18/88	31 YRS
FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP	DARLENE H.	08/31/87	32 YRS

SELF-SUPPORT-July , 2019

© Today in July of 2019 we have 223 Groups with 536 meetings a week. Contributions in July totaled \$6903.32. This accounts for what 42 Groups or individuals in our area have contributed in July. Included we also received \$80.00 from two AA members for the Birthday Club. Our total income for July was \$15,939.65. Our Total Cost of Goods Sold was \$7,124.29. Subtracting the Total Cost of Goods Sold from our July income left us with a Gross Profit of \$8,815.36. Our Total Expenses for July were \$ 8,565.79. Subtracting our Expenses from our Gross Profit gave us a Net Income of plus+\$249.57 for the month of July. We are now, at the end of July \$2,446.17 to the good for the year. But as they say in the rooms of AA “this too shall past.” No matter *how good or bad* it may appear that we are doing from one month to another, it takes your consistent contributions to keep us operating on a steady level. As our AA membership continues to grow in the Tampa Bay area, the demand for more and more material and services continue to expand and we continue to try and strive to keep up with the demand. That is only possible with your continued support . Thank you for all of your support !!!
Support your Central Office.

*Central Office provides a number of services acting as a clearing house for the convenience of members and groups, provides phone service for twelfth step calls and other inquires, helps with the coordination of group activities and keeps track of meeting times and changes and the printing of the schedules. We also edit and print our monthly newsletter. In addition we sell all Alcoholics Anonymous General Service Conference Approved Literature and some other materials requested by our AA members. Thanks to everyone for your continued support!!
 Become a part of Central Office....volunteer to be a Central Office Representative for your Home Group.*

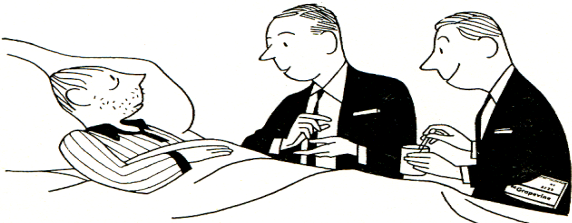
WE CONTINUE TO NEED 12 STEPPERS!!!
 Many may reach for but not find the hand of A.A. We need to be there to help them when they are ready. Are you ready to help? Will you help? Come by the Office and fill out a 12 Step Form or email us and we will send you a form to fill out.

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 813-933-9123**

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AAs who carry the message often carry the Grapevine



Through-out the years our 12 Step list has dwindled down and it's gotten harder and harder to contact AA members to help out to the cry coming in from the still suffering alcoholic. Some of the reasons for this are simple. Some have moved away, or changed phone numbers, some may have physical ailments from keeping them from helping out like they used to do, or they have passed away, or others unfortunately have just gotten drunk. I'm reaching out to you for your help in updating and/or renewing out 12 Step list. **Imagine** if no one had taken the time to help you....would you still be here??????

MORE NEWS AROUND THE TOWN & THE AREA



**33rd ANNUAL
 TAMPA BAY FALL ROUNDUP**
 LABOR DAY WEEKEND
 Friday, August 30, 2019 to Monday, September 2, 2019
 "Remarkable Things Will Happen"



AA Speakers
 CATHY C. — TAMPA, FL
 RON B. — RIVERSIDE, FL
 TAMMY Z. — HOUSTON, TX
 CINDI M. — LOUISVILLE, KY
 LOUI G. — OKLAHOMA CITY, OK
 DANNY B. — HOUSTON, TX
 MARY T. — NEW MEXICO
 HOLLY D. — JACKSONVILLE, FL
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AA & AFG MEETINGS
 AA Movies All Weekend
 Friday
 10pm BINGO & PIZZA
 Saturday
 7am SK Walk/Run*
 6:30pm Banquet*
 10pm -12am Dance
 Sunday
 4:30pm Karaoke
 5:00pm Dinner Buffet*
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 REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.TAMPABAYFALLROUNDUP.COM

Full Name 1	Sobriety/Serenity Date (circle one)	
Full Name 2	Sobriety/Serenity Date (circle one)	
Address:	Phone Number (required for credit card payment)	
City, St, Zip	Email address	
Name Tag 1	Home Group	
Name Tag 2	Home Group	

	Qty.	Cost	Total	PRE-REGISTRATION POSTMARK DEADLINE IS 8/24/2019
Registration	#	\$30. ea.	\$	
Walk/Run Event T-shirt included- choose size	#	\$20. ea.	\$	Name 1 S, M, L, XL, XXL Name 2 S, M, L, XL, XXL
Friday Night Ice Cream Social	#	\$ 10. ea.	\$	
Saturday Banquet Please Choose Meal Type	#	\$40. ea.	\$	Name 1 Beef,Chicken,Ve g (circle one) Name 2 Beef,Chicken,Veg. (circle one)
Sunday Afternoon Buffet	1 PER REG	\$25. ea	\$	
Pre-order T-Shirt (Indicate size)	1 PER REG	\$15. ea	\$	Name 1 S, M, L, XL, XXL Name 2 S, M, L, XL, XXL
Purchase onsite - \$20.00 Add invoice fee ONLY if paying by credit card	#	\$2.50	\$	
SCHOLARSHIP DONATION	Amount	\$	\$	
NO REFUNDS TRANSFERS ONLY	TOTAL	\$	\$	CHECK # VISA MASTERCARD EXP DATE: 3 DIGIT CODE

DID YOU BOOK A ROOM AT THE EMBASSY SUITES USF HOTEL? YES ___ NO ___ RESERVATION # _____
 Gene Luker (813) 205-7663 or G.Luker@verizon.net Remit Payment to: Tampa Bay Fall Roundup
 Sue Zimmerman (813) 601-3113 or srez211@verizon.net P.O. Box 262545
 Tampa, FL 33685-2545

HAVING HAD A SPIRITUAL AWAKENING AS A RESULT OF THESE STEPS, WE TRIED TO CARRY THIS MESSAGE TO ALCOHOLICS, AND TO PRACTICE THESE PRINCIPLES IN ALL OUR AFFAIRS.



Carry The Message Day Event
 Sunday, September 22, 2019
 5:00 – 8:30 PM

Free to all attendees
 Dinner at 6:00 PM
 Area & District Guest Speakers
 Service Opportunity Booths

Grand Prize opportunity for those who complete the Service Opportunity Booth Walk.
 50/50 Raffle

Come learn about Area & District Service Opportunities available to help you grow in recovery while carrying the message. Bring your sponsor and spouses!

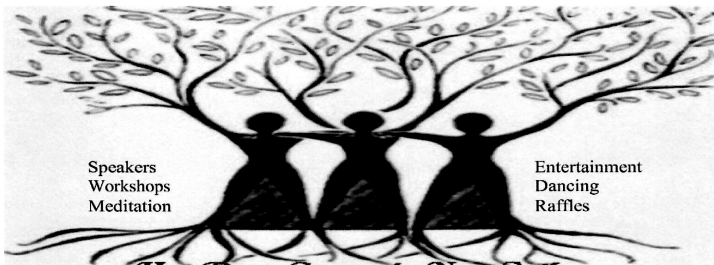
Kings Avenue Baptist Church
 2602 S. Kings Avenue
 Brandon, FL 33511

For more information or to volunteer, call/text David F. at 813-938-0813

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24th Annual Southeast Woman to Woman Conference

"Secrets Women Don't Share"



Speakers
 Workshops
 Meditation

Entertainment
 Dancing
 Raffles

Her Roots Grasped a New Soil

**Orlando, FL
 August 23-25, 2019**

A conference for Alcoholic women with Alanon participation for registrants only!
 No children allowed at conference events

Florida Hotel & Conference Center 1500 Sandlake Rd Orlando, FL

GOOGLE MAPS (800 S. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando, FL 32809)

Reservations: 407-859-1500 (mention Southeast Woman to Woman) before June 29th Rooms reserved for Conference: \$112 + tax per room/per night. Free Parking

CONTACTS: Christine S. 407-694-3109 • Angela S. 321-216-7726 • Lisa H 407-927-4700
 Email: Orlando.sew2w.2019@gmail.com / Web: www.sewomantowoman.org

OR Clip and Mail to: SEW2W • P.O. Box 1134, Winter Park, FL 32790 ~ Checks/Money Order payable to: SEW2W ~

Registration Form... Please Print Clearly

Name: _____
 Name on Badge: _____
 Sobriety Date: _____ [] Are you willing to volunteer?
 Address: _____
 City: _____
 State/Zip Code: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____
 Special Needs: _____

Registration Fee
 Did you Pre-Register in West Virginia? [] YES [] NO
 Registration: \$25 per person (BEFORE-Feb 28, 2019)
 \$30 per person (Mar 1, 2019 – July 1, 2019)
 \$35 per person at the door (cash only)
 [] AA [] Al-Anon
 [] Registration Fee \$ _____
 [] Scholarship Donation \$ _____
 [] Banquet Ticket (\$50) [] Chicken [] Beef [] Vegetarian
 Banquet Saturday at 6:30 PM
 [] SEW2W Mug (\$7.00)
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Total Amount Enclosed: _____ NO REFUNDS
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11th Step Retreat For AA / Al-Anon

September 27-29, 2019

DaySpring Conference Center (Map on Reverse)
 Ellenton, FL

Online Registration: <http://11thstepretreat.org>

Come get away from it all and enjoy the fellowship of an AA / Al-Anon spiritual retreat in peaceful, country surroundings. The retreat will center on God, as we understand Him "The spiritual life is not a theory, we have to live it." (Big Book pg. 83) The discussion will center on Steps 2, 3, 7, 10, 11, & 12, complying with the suggestion of step 10 of AA: "Many of us go in for annual and semi-annual house cleanings. Many of us also like the experience of an occasional retreat from the outside world where we can quiet down for an undisturbed day or so of self-overhaul and meditation." (12 & 12 ps. 89, 91)

Sleeping accommodations are air-conditioned, cabin & dorm style with shared bathrooms; 16 comfortable bunk beds per room. We suggest you bring a lawn chair or campstool for outdoor relaxation and meditation. Also bring your Big Book, 12 & 12, a flashlight, and bug spray is optional. Cost includes meals, coffee, water, and snacks. Smoking permitted ONLY in designated area. The center provides nature trails along the river for reflection and meditation.

When: September 27-29, 2019 - Dinner 6 PM Friday to Lunch Sunday Noon

Cost Per Person:
 Bunk: \$170.00 (Dorm) Semi-Private: \$230.00 (Cabin)
 Money is transferable but not refundable.
 Deposit: \$85.00 deposit required for advanced registration. Balance due by August 15, 2019

Make check payable to:
 11th Step Retreat
 Send check to: PO BOX 10202
 St. Petersburg, FL 33733
 Info Patti Estelle: 727-895-2221

For More Information:
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Please print name clearly and return with deposit or full payment
 (Circle appropriately) Male / Female AA / Al-Anon
 Name: _____ Address: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____
 Email: _____ * Sober/Serenity Date: _____
 (Circle appropriately) * Over 60: Yes/No * Snore? Yes/No * Do You Smoke/Vape? Yes/No
 Name your significant other if attending (Room assignments will be separate)
 Physical Issues: _____ Dietary need: _____ Payment: \$ _____

