

DISTRICT 2 NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2017

ACTIVITY AND SERVICE TO DO LIST:

- December 3rd: No Reservations Speaker Mtg.**
7pm Swinomish Gym. 17 **alateen mtg.** after alanon speaker. **NO child-care available.** Please make other arrangements.

- December 10th: Grapevine & Literature Quarterly** Piece Co. CSO 3640 Cedar St. Tacoma 9—3.

- December 17th: Conway Old Timers Speaker Mtg.** Potluck 5 p.m. *dessert provided* Meeting 6pm Fir Island Lutheran Church Mt. Vernon

- December 17th: Corrections Quarterly**
Beautiful Savior Church 12513 Mill Plain Blvd. Vancouver 9—1:30.

- December 20th: District 2 Business Meeting**
Peace Lutheran Church 1717 Larson rd. Silvana Potluck @ 6 p.m. Business @ 6:30 p.m. All positions opening. Come see what service your interested in. We need your help.

- Newsletter Submissions Due:** December 16th.

Practical experience shows that nothing will so much insure immunity from drinking as intensive work with other alcoholics. It works when other activities fail. This is our *twelfth suggestion*: Carry this message to other alcoholics!

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District 4
www.skagitaa.org

District 8
www.aadistrict8.org

District 10
www.dist10.org

District 11
www.whatcomaa.org

District 12
www.snooaa.org

District 22
www.nopaa.org

District 24
www.scn.org/d24/

District 32
www.district32.org

District 43
www.wadist42aa.org

District 46
www.aadistrict46.org

District 54
www.district54aa.org

TREASURY INFORMATION

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Western Washington Area
702 Kentucky St.
Bellingham, WA 98226-8079

GSO
P.O. box 459
Grand Central Station, NY 10163
Include group & district number

Step Twelve: Having had a spiritual awakening as the result of these steps, we tried to carry this message to alcoholics, and to practice these principles in all our affairs.

THE AA TRADITION

To those in its fold, Alcoholics Anonymous has made the difference between misery and sobriety, and often the difference between life and death. AA can, of course, mean just as much to uncounted alcoholics not yet reached.

Therefore, no society of men and women ever had a more urgent need for continuous effectiveness and permanent unity. We alcoholics see that we must work together and hang together; else, most of us will finally die alone.

The “12 Traditions” of Alcoholics Anonymous are, we believe, the best answer that our experience has yet given to those ever-urgent questions, “How will AA best function?” and, “How can AA best stay whole and so survive?”

Twelve—Anonymity is the spiritual foundation of all our Traditions, ever reminding us to place principles before personalities.

I am responsible-
When anyone, anywhere reaches out for help,
I want the hand of AA always to be there,
And for that: I am responsible
[Toronto 1965]

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our district will be rotating chair committee positions soon. Come join us to see where you can be of service.

Stories wanted for “Young people and A.A.” pamphlet.

AA books & pamphlets available immediately or by order placed on Friday following the first Tuesday each month. contact Doug Newman at: dougandalicene Newman@gmail.com / (425)238-8697

SAVE THE DATE

January 17th District 2 Business Meeting. 6pm potluck. 6:30 business. **New Chairs & their committees begin service.**

Pacific Northwest Conference Oak Harbor June 23—25 2017

Celebrate A.A.’s 85th Anniversary! Detroit, MI July 2—5, 2020