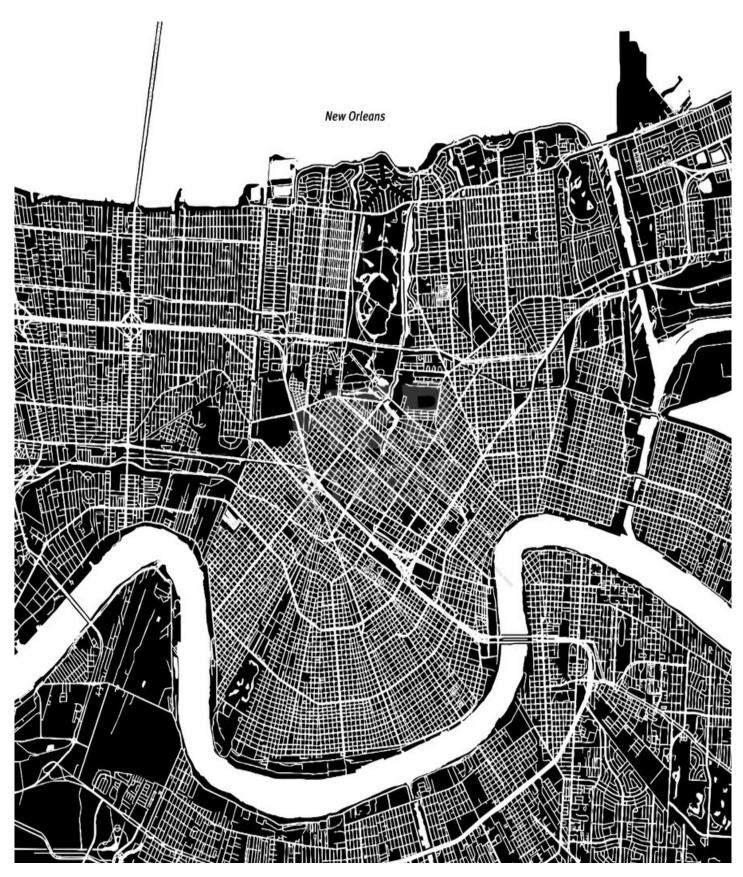
# **MARCH 2022**



# AA Central Office 638 Papworth Ave. Metairie, LA 70005 504-836-0507 Central Office Bookstore Hours: Monday - Friday 11am to 5pm Saturdays 10am - 2pm PLEASE WEAR YOUR MASK AT CENTRAL OFFICE

24 HOUR AA HOTLINE 504-838-3399 24 HOUR AA SPANISH HOTLINE 504-444-2677 EMAIL OFFICE@AANEWORLEANS.ORG WEBSITE WWW.AANEWORLEANS.ORG CENTRAL OFFICE VOICEMAIL 504-836-0507

**STEP 3** Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God *as we understood Him* 

**TRADITION** 3 The only requirement for A.A. membership is a desire to stop drinking.

**CONCEPT 3** To insure effective leadership, we should endow each element of A.A.—the Conference, the General Service Board and its service corporations, staffs, committees, and executives—with a traditional "Right of Decision."

# Service Board Meeting Highlights February 23, 2022

- Anthony A. Service Board Vice Chair called the meeting to order at 6:30pm with prayer and meditation at Central Office in Metairie.
- Service Board is planning a Unity and Service Workshop.
- Email Service Board Secretary Peter G., <u>pmgratton@gmail.com</u> to be included in service board reporting. (Chairs, SBRs, GSRs)
- Service Board asks groups and districts to send a representative to the meetings with needs that the board can help your group, committee, district, or your event with. The board works for you.
- Central Office, 11am-5pm, Monday-Friday, 638 Papworth Ave., Metairie 70005 with great selection of recovery literature including all conference approved literature, books, and pamphlets.
- Email office@aaneworleans.org to be included on AA emails
- Service Board T & C Chair Charles P. 504-701-4652
  <u>cvpnola@icloud.com</u> invites all group, members, and T & C
  Committees to meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday 6:30pm at Central Office in Metairie. Groups! We need Grapevines, soft cover books and donations that can be collected at Central Office to meet the increasing demand at prisons and treatment centers.
- Big Deep South Fish Fry 4pm Till Friday March 11<sup>th</sup> at Central Office in Metairie. Swing by and get fish plates to go with beans n' rice, salad and bread for \$12. Desserts and water \$1 and up.
- All Upcoming Events look on aaneworlens.org/events
- Motion (seconded) to ban service board minutes, reports, bulletins, and service board documents from the AA website due to personal information published. Anthony A. Service Board Vice Chair suggested a virtual meeting next week to discuss the motion.
  - LASCYPAA and ICYPAA have upcoming events. Info contact Carl C.

# **JANUARY 2022 GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS**

GROUPS	
BLVD. BIG BOOK SQUAD	\$3
BOULEVARD CLUB	\$5
B.Y.O.B.B.	\$234
CARROLLTON GROUP	\$540
GROUND ZERO	\$112
HIGH NOON	\$150
KENNER GROUP	\$256
MAN TO MAN	\$125
MANDEVILLE GROUP	\$60
NEW ORLEANS YOUNG PEOPLE	\$110
NOON MEETING GROUP	\$50
OLDE PHARTZ	\$20
RAISE THE BOTTOM	\$290
RIGHT TRACK	\$274
SAT MORNING AT THE VINEYARD	\$400
SUNDAY NIGHT HUGGERS	\$65
TO BREATHE OR NOT TO BREATHE	\$40



# **January 2022 Contributions**

# **Central Office Backers.....\$175**

# Individual Contributions......\$291

Group Contributions.....\$2,737

# **GREATER NEW ORLEANS SERVICE BOARD**

Meets on the last week of the month Monday thru Thursday at Central Office, 638 Papworth Ave., Metairie, LA 70005 Also Zoom Meeting ID: 598 495 7934 Password: service Join us Thursday 6:30pm March 31

# **Tradition Three Checklist**

Our membership ought to include all who suffer from alcoholism. Hence, we may refuse none who wish to recover. Nor ought A.A. membership ever depend upon money or conformity. Any two or three alcoholics gathered together for sobriety may call themselves an A.A. group, provided that, as a group, they have no other affiliation.

1. In my mind, do I prejudge some new AA members as losers?

2. Is there some kind of alcoholic whom I privately do not want in my AA group?

3. Do I set myself up as a judge of whether a newcomer is sincere or phony?

4. Do I let language, religion (or lack of it), race, education, age, or other such things interfere with my carrying the message?

5. Am I overimpressed by a celebrity? By a doctor, a clergyman, an ex-convict? Or can I just treat this new member simply and naturally as one more sick human, like the rest of us?

6. When someone turns up at AA needing information or help (even if he can't ask for it aloud), does it really matter to me what he does for a living? Where he lives? What his domestic arrangements are? Whether he had been to AA before? What his other problems are?

Support AA as a Central Office Backer and keep the lights on at AA. We take Credit Card over the phone, Venmo @ GNOSB, PayPal on www.aaneworleans.org or gladly send you a form for the \$25 contribution. Help us help those in need.

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Mike D.	03/10/88	34	*Mike B.	2/9/2009	13	Buddy B.	03/12/07	15
Jeff T.	03/01/95	27	*Lauren M.	2/28/2017	5	Peter C.	03/11/12	10
John H.	03/15/15	7	*Kayla S.	2/25/2018	4	Kris K.	03/17/14	8
Lynn B.	3/9/2020	2	*Charles P.	02/07/21	1	Gary W.	03/14/17	5
Andy M.	03/14/20	2	*Eugenie V	2/19/2021	1	Yvonee B.	03/01/18	4
David J.	03/02/21	1	*Marilyn D.	02/23/21	1	Lauren E.	03/19/18	4
Maureen K.	03/08/21	1	*Elizabeth E.	02/25/21	1	Samuel N.	03/05/21	1
*Oliver M.	02/24/79	43	*Chelcie B.	02/07/21	1	*Josie D.	02/25/82	40
*Cynthia M.	02/10/87	35	*Bobby B.	02/26/21	1	*Jeff A.	02/22/18	4
*Mary R.	02/23/93	29				*Lynne R.	02/02/20	2
*Jeanette W.	02/22/00	22	<u>UPTO</u>	<u>VN MEN"S</u>		*Charles P.	02/07/21	1
*Steve M.	02/05/20	2	Bob N.	3/20/2009	13	*Steve C.	02/02/21	1
*Bonnie C.	02/22/20	2	Jim R.	3/14/2010	12	*Carey L.	02/23/21	1
*Robert V.	02/15/21	1	Charlie S.	3/15/2017	5			
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			Don B.	3/10/1981	41	Rose S.	3/23/2012	10
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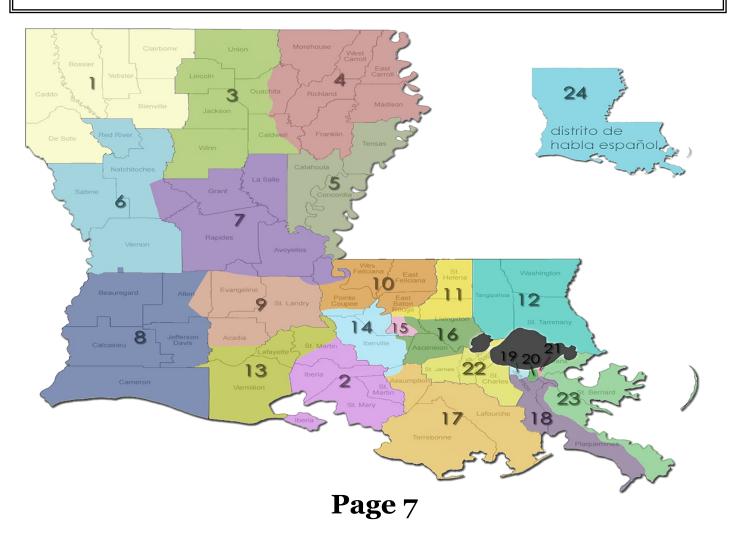
# SERVICE BOARD

TREATMENT & CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE. ALL MEMBERS, GROUPS AND DISTRICTS WELCOME Meets 2nd Wednesday monthly, 6:30 PM, Central Office, 638 Papworth Ave., Metairie, LA 70005 Service Board T&C Chair/Charles P. /504-701-4652/

# **AA TRIVIA QUIZ**

- 1. Fill in the blank/finish the sentence. "Practical experience shows that nothing so much will insure immunity from drinking as (fill in blank)."
  - 2. What tradition says that all AA groups ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions?
  - 3. What step suggests making a "searching and fearless moral inventory"?
  - 4. What does the Big Book say is the "number one offender" and "destroys more alcoholics than anything else"?
- 5. What are the three adjectives use in the Big Book on pp. 58-59 to describe alcohol?

# WHAT'S YOUR DISTRICT?



# **Group Contributions**

	Aug-21 Sep-21	. 0	oct-21	Nov-21	Dec-21	Jan-22
449		0	\$300	0	\$200	0
AA Is For Agnostics	\$250	0	C	0	0	0
BDS Committee	\$14	0	C	0	\$24	0
Black Sheep	0	0	C	0	\$69	0
Blvd Big Book Squad	0	0	\$3	<b>.</b> 0	0	\$3
Boulevard Club	0	0	C	0	0	\$5
Breakfast at Bucktown	\$25	0	C	0	0	0
Bucktown Marina	0	0	C	\$66	0	0
Bucktown Pass It On	0	0	C	0	\$100	0
B.Y.O.B.B.	0	0	C	0	0	\$234
Carrollton Group	0	0	C	0	0	\$540
Charters Collection	0	0	C	0	\$37	0
City Park	0	0	\$100	0	0	0
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Eye Openers	0	0	\$500	0	0	0
Ground Zero	0	0	c	0	0	\$112
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HalfWay Through	0	0	c	\$24	0	0
Helping Hands	0	0	\$420	0	0`	0
Hi and Dry	0	0	\$50	0	0	0
High Noon	0	0	C	0	0	\$150
In the Vineyard	0	0	c	\$906	0	0
Kenner Group	0 <sup>\$</sup>	164	c	0	0	\$256
Lakeview Newcomers	0	0	C	\$100	0	0
Man to Man	0	0	C	0	0	\$125
Mandeville Group	0	0	\$60	0	0	\$60
Marigny Women	0	0	C	\$20	0	0
Midday Henry Clay	0	0	C	\$125	0	0
New Freedom	\$75	0	C	0	\$20	0



# **Group Contributions**

	Aug-21 Sep-21	Oct	t-21 N	ov-21	Dec-21	Jan-22
NO Young People	0	0	0	0	0	\$110
Noon Meeting Group	0	0	0	0	0	\$50
New Pair of Glasses	0	0	\$350	0	0	0
No Name Group	0	0	0	\$50	0	0
Olde Phartz	0	0	0	0	0	\$20
On The Dot	0	0	\$633	0	0	0
Open On Sundays	0	0	\$50	0	0	0
Port and Burgundy	0	0	0	\$300	\$0	0
Primary Purpose	0	0	\$38	0	0	0
Psychic Change	0	0	\$404	0	0	0
Raise The Bottom	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$103	\$100	\$290
Right Track	0	0	\$1,035	0	0	\$274
Sat Morning Bucktown	0	\$50	0	0	\$50	0
Sat Morning Vineyard	0	0	\$0	0	0	\$400
Seekers	0	\$200	\$0	0	\$0	0
Sisters in Serenity	0	0	\$150	0	0	0
St. Jude Group	\$25	\$25	\$15	\$15	\$30	0
Sunday Night Huggers	0	\$115	\$20	0	0	\$65
Sunrise Solutions	0	0	0	0	\$50	0
Tangipahoa Parish	\$20	0	0	0	0	0
There Is a Solution	0	0	\$100	0	0	0
Three Legacies	0	0	\$116	0	0	0
To Breathe or Not to Br	0	0	\$0	0	0	\$40
Wake Up Group	0	0	\$350	0	0	0
Women Sharing Hope	0	\$30	\$25	0	\$30	0
Young At Heart	0	0	0	\$300	0	0
Totals	\$509	\$687	\$5,130	\$2,009	\$710	\$2,734

Central office T&C is regrouping. We meet the 2nd Wednesday of every month at Central Office at 6:30pm PLEASE! T&C reps attend and show support. We can do this together. We need your help.

Arabi AA: Wed 7PM - ID: 893 4499 1783, PC: 927125 Attitude of Gratitude (Baton Rouge) Tue 7PM - ID: 802 502 073, PC: 312121 Basic Training: Sun 7PM - ID: 710 305 150, PC: aameet Big Book Squad, Sat 10:30AM-ID: 767 4861 8637 PC: bbs211 Big Easy Group: Tue 7:30PM - ID: 7213 921 6798 Carrier Pigeons: Sat 8PM - ID: 722 232 346 Eye Openers: Daily 7:15AM - ID: 407 807 130 Halfway Through: Wed 12PM & Sat 9:30AM - ID: 479 128 118 Helping Hands: Thu 6PM - ID: 532 689 956, PC: 015013 Hwy 61, Mon, Wed, Fri,-ID: 963 862 4576 PC: 6161 Lunch Bunch (Metairie): Daily 12PM - ID: 268 632 084 - PC: 123456 Lunch Bunch (Hammond): Daily 12PM - ID: 490 497 0277, PC: 928784 Margaret Place: Sun 10AM - ID: 230 825 753, PC: 076565 Marigny Women: Sun 4:30PM - ID: 833 5468 7954, PC: 1974 Marigny Men: Sun 6pm - ID: 820 4856 5943, PC: 640134 Midway at Henry Clay: Daily 12PM - ID: 282 641 906 Music and Gay Chatter: Sat 6:30PM, - ID: 526 2186 576, PC: MGC2021 New Freedom (Women): Wed 8PM - ID: 462 580 485, PC: 523983 New Orleans Young People's Group: Wed 8PM - ID: 797-702-530, PC: 731380 Nooner, The: Daily 12:00PM - ID: 369 401 1935 On The Dot: Mon-Fri 7:15AM & Sat-Sun 8:30AM - ID: 711 4969 82, PC: 482897 Port and Burgundy: Sat 8:30AM - ID: 935 3652 1261, PC: pnbsober Queer Ideas of Fun: Sun 11AM - ID: 817 3392 3212 PC: easydoesit Right Track: Mon-Fri 7AM, Sat-Sun 8AM - ID: 6200 632 692 PC, 313370119 RoundTable: Thu 7PM - ID: 738 079 004 Share our Stories: Sun 5:30PM - ID: 260 393 220, PC: 1979 Slidell Online AA: Daily 6PM - ID: 523 691 2800, PC: 580307 Sober & Serene: Daily 12:15PM - ID: 657 184 756 PC: 1215 Solutions Group: Daily 6PM - ID: 849 6912 9408, PC: 207577 South Shreveport: Sun 4PM - ID: 460 117 9113, PC: 825214 St. Charles Angels: Wed 7pm - ID: 158 506 268, PC: 78960391 Steps in the Big Book: Mon, Wed, & Fri 8:30AM - ID: 542 737 6770, PC: 1603ND Tell It Like It Is: Sat 4PM - ID: 994 832 052, PC: 055088 Three Legacies: Thu 8PM - ID: 299 600 253 Uptown Men's Group: Thu 6:30PM - ID: 879 1035 1061, PC: 123456 Vieux Carre: Sat 3:30PM - ID: 874 430 271, PC: 055164 Wild Iris Women's Meeting: Fri 6PM - ID: 934 6199 2121 Women of The Healing Waters: Wed 3PM - ID: 830 3607 4228, PC: workit Women Sharing Hope: Tue 6:30PM - ID: 602 155 950 PC: 121212



# 32nd The Keys of The Kingdom

Sponsored by The AA Groups of "District 12 on the Northshore" in Area 27 St. Tammany, Tangipahoa & Washington Parishes

## May 27, 28 & 29, 2022

Courtyard by Marriot 101 Northpark Blvd, Covington, LA 70433

985-893-3580	Mention Spring Roundup	(north side of I-12 off Exit 63-B)				
Friday, May 27	5:00 pm	Registration & Hospitality				
	6:00 pm	Dinner – On Your Own				
	7:00 pm	Coffee Social				
	8:00 pm	Debbie A. (Palm Desert, CA) AA				
	9:15 pm	Ice Cream Social & Bingo				
Saturday, May 28	8:00 am	Meditation Meeting – Ann B.				
	9:30 am	Carmen M. (Buffalo, NY) AA				
	11:15 am	Alateen Panel – Steve G. (Covington, LA)				
	12:15 pm	Lunch (On Your Own)				
	1:30 pm	Cindy D. (Simpsonville, SC) Al-Anon				
	3;30 pm	Workshop – Sponsorship – Carmen M.				
	5:30 pm	Dinner Served				
	7:00 pm	Announcements & Raffle				
	8:00 pm	Guest (Baton Rouge, LA) AA				
	9:15 pm	Magic Show – Refreshments				
Sunday, May 29	8:00 am	Meditation Meeting – Carmen M.				
	9:30 am	Count Down				
	10:00 am	Dean A. (Palm Desert, CA) AA				
	11:15 am	Closing – Mike R.				
	Online Registration - spi	ringroundupla.com				
Golf To	urnament 6:00am Friday, May	27 <sup>th</sup> – \$60.00 – Register Online				
AA and AI-Anon F	Pre-Registrations received by	May 12 <sup>th</sup> will be entered in a special raffle				
		non \$30.00 each received by May 12 <sup>th</sup>				
Registration: AA and Al-Anon	\$35.00 each after May 12 <sup>th</sup>	Teens \$5 (12 and under Free)				
Name	(Circle One)	AA Al-Anon Teen				
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Address						
City	State	Zip				
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Scholarship Donations \$	Registration \$	_				
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Checks Pavable to: Spring Rou	indup   Mail to: S.F. LA. Spring Ro	oundup   P.O. Box 4150   Covington, LA 70434				

Roundup Chair: Mike R.

# ØISTRICT 19 INFORMATION

# 4TH TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 6:30PM

\*\*\*\*NEW LOCATION\*\*\*\* CENTRAL OFFICE 638 PAPWORTH AVE. METAIRIE, LA 70005

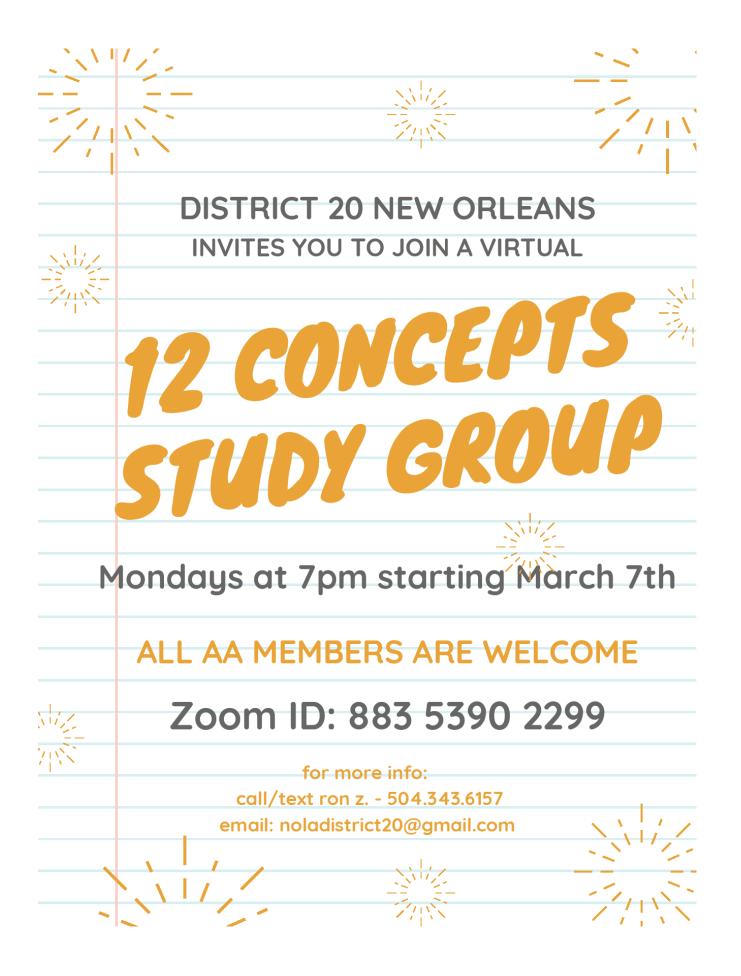
Committee Meetings \*Please contact chains directly for information on meetings\*

<u>Grapevine:</u> Rachel D. (504)-453-8999 <u>T&C:</u> John W. (435)-817-0280 <u>PI/CPC:</u> (Open Position) <u>Accessibilities:</u> (Open Position)

> Splits made via Venmo: @jpedalino Checks sent to: P.O. Box 6391 Metairie, LA 70009-6391

Email us anytime: gnodistrict19@gmail.com

THE NOON MEETING GROUP いいろう SPEAK N' EAT SATURDAY March 26.2022 THE NOON MEETING GROUP **At Journey Christian Church** 3828 Leila Place Jefferson, LA Enter at 525 Julius Ave. Jefferson, LA - Off Jefferson Hwy. Between Causeway & Clearview Doors Open At 12:00 p.m. Fried Chicken Red Beans Please Bring A Side or Dessert 1:00 p.m. RE HERE SPEAKER MEETING DAYS A WEEK-KITH OCH GEEST SPEIKER MONDAY - FRIDAY 12:00 NOON Fric W. SATURDAY & SUNDAY From Helping Hand Group ERE 1:00 P.M. ITH THE NEW CHARITY RAFFLE\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\* 50 Offection Unenqueus ST EDITION REPRIN





# BIG DEEP SOUTH FISH FRY Mark your calendar: FRIDAY MARCH 11, 2022 4PM - Until Food Runs Out!!! CENTRAL OFFICE 638 Papworth Suite A Metairie, LA 70005

The Big Deep South Convention Committee needs your help! BDS is having a Fish Fry to off-set some of the cost of this year's convention. If your HOME GROUP can help, we are looking for monetary donation to go toward the Fish Fry fixings and individually wrapped desserts to be sold at the Fish Fry. We will need helping hands on the day of the fish fry as well.

Fried fish, white beans & rice, salad and bread \$12.00. Desserts \$1.00 & \$2.00 and water \$1.00 each. Spread the word to all your family and friend. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

Contributions can be made: <u>By check:</u> Big Deep South mailed to 638 Papworth Suite A, Metairie, LA 70005 <u>Via website:</u> bigdeepsouth.org <u>PavPal available</u> Make sure to put that it is for the Fish Fry and your Home Group For more info contact: Vic T. 504-316-6148, Carlito I. 504-228-6861, Tina S. 504-931-8323

Sweet Auction Dinner & Fundraiser!

Date: SATURDAY MARCH 12, 2022 Time: 6 - 9pm

# Place:

First United Methodist Church 203 N. Jefferson Avenue Covington, LA 70433 Scap QR Code for Directions!



PRIZES FOR \*Most Original\* \*Most Decorative\* \*Most AA Themed\*

Get Crestive Dinner Donation: \$10

Mama's Creamy Chicken Kinguine Pasta Tossed Garden Salad

Bread

ALL proceeds will benefit the 2022 Southeast Louisiana Spring Roundup Conference!



# **DISTRICT CORNER**

## District 12

Meets 8pm, 2nd Tuesday monthly, Hosanna Lutheran Church, 2480 Hwy 190 East, Mandeville, LA 70448 Mailing address: P.O.Box 580, Mandeville, LA 70470 www.District12.org

### SELA Spring Roundup Committee

Meets 2nd Tuesday monthly, 7pm Hosanna Lutheran Church, 2480 Hwy 190 East, Mandeville, LA 70448 www.springroundupla.com

District 17 District 17 website www.bayouaa.org

#### **District 18**

Meets 2nd Tuesday monthly, 6pm , Zoom Meeting ID: 895 4364 6771 Password: service 1500 Lafayette St., Gretna, LA 70053 Mailing address: P.O.Box 2493. Gretna, LA 70054

#### District 19

Meets 4th Tuesday monthly, 6:30pm, Central Office, 638 Papworth Ave., Metairie, LA 70005 Mailing address: P.O.Box 6391 Metairie, LA 70009-6391

### District 19 T&C

Meets 3rd Wednesday monthly, 6:00pm, Zoom Meeting ID: 570 436 5416 Password: DIST19 Contact: John W. 435-817-0280

#### **District 19 Grapevine Committee**

Meets 1st Monday monthly, 6:30pm, zoom, Meeting ID: 570 436 5416 Password: DIST19

#### District 20

Meets 2nd Thursday monthly, 6:30pm St. George's Episcopal, 4600 St. Charles Ave., NOLA 70115 Zoom Meeting ID: 861 1998 7125 Password: district20 Mailing Address: 3624 Baudin St., NOLA 70119

#### District 20 T& C

Meets 3rd Wednesday monthly, 6:00pm, Zoom Meeting ID: 570 436 5416 Password: DIST19 Contact: Nick H. 504-756-6479

#### Districts 20/21/23 PI/CPC

Meets 3rd Thursday 7:30pm, Zoom Meeting ID: 872 3110 1416 Passcode: 184342

#### Districts 21 & 23 & T&C

Meets 2nd Monday monthly, 7pm, Zoom Meeting ID: 837 2179 6523 PW: 664254 Mailing Address: 7835 Burthe St., New Orleans, LA 70118

#### **Districts 21/23 Accessibilities**

Meets 7pm 3rd Tuesday Monthly Zoom Meeting ID: 890 3842 1223 PW: service

#### District 24 PARA INFORMACION EN ESPANOL LLAMAR AL 504-444-2677

# **Central Office Backer Heroes**

Bob B. (New Backer)

**Elizabeth P. (New Backer)** 

Janet D. (Renewal)

Matthew W. (New Backer)

ANSWERS TO TRIVIA QUIZ from page 7

1) Intensive work with other alcoholics

2) Seventh

3) Fourth

4) Resentments

5) Cunning, Baffling, and Powerful

"The unique ability of each A.A. to identify himself with, and bring recovery to, the newcomer in no way depends upon his learning, eloquence, or on any special individual skills. The only thing that matters is that he is an alcoholic who has found a key to sobriety. These legacies of suffering and of recovery are easily passed among alcoholics, one to the other. This is our gift from God, and its bestowal upon others like us is the one aim that today animates A.A.'s all around the globe."

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